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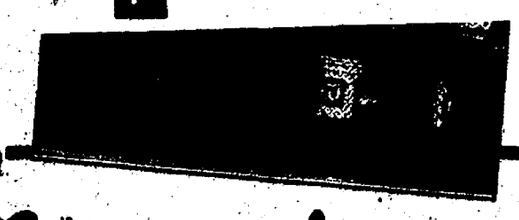

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Our Broadway star

Daniels earns first Tony nomination

By Terry Jacoby
Heritage Newspapers

Add a new headliner to Jeff Daniels' already lengthy and impressive resume.

The Chelsea native received his first Tony nomination earlier this month for his performance on Broadway in Yasmina Reza's "God of Carnage." In fact, all four leads of the popular and critically acclaimed play received Tony nominations. Daniels and James Gandolfini (Sopranos) will contend for the Best Actor in a play award while leading ladies Hope Davis and Marcia Gay Harden vie for Best Actress.

In all, "God of Carnage" was nominated for six Tony Awards, including Best Play.

"I was stunned," Daniels said. "You have no control over this kind of thing. To be honest, we thought there was no way they would nominate all four of us, so I pretty much reconciled myself to celebrate someone else. Maybe be a presenter. The morning of the announcements, I tuned in. One after another, our names were called. Then for Director. Then for Best Play. Turns out, it's unprecedented in Broadway history. First time ever, four actors for the same play have all been nominated in the Best Actor and Actress categories."

Earlier this month, "God of Carnage" was named Best New Play at the Outer Critics Circle Awards.

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Marcia Gay Harden, Hope Davis, Chelsea's Jeff Daniels and James Gandolfini all received Tony nominations for their work in "God of Carnage."

Chelsea schools recall 4 teachers

By Crystal Hayduk
Special Writer

The Chelsea School District Board of Education met Monday evening for a work session. The Board approved the recommendation to recall four of 13 teachers who had previously been notified for layoff.

Killips

The recall is the direct result of notification of five retirements effective at the end of the current school year. Those teachers announcing retirement are Pete Warburton, Beach Middle School counselor; Sue Beard, Beach Middle School media specialist; Kathy Gilbert, Beach Middle School special education teacher; Eric Smith, sixth grade science teacher; and Sandy Hamilton, fifth grade teacher.

The four teachers chosen for recall were selected through a combination of seniority and their status as highly qualified teachers in specific areas of need. Ryann Skrypec will be teaching at Beach Middle School, Jennifer Cole will be teaching at North Creek, Beth Carson-Bell will be teaching at South Meadows, and Kelly Baker will be teaching at Pierce Lake.

"Four teachers coming back is a ray of sunshine that we can hang on to right now," said Superintendent David Killips.

The fifth position opened up through retirement will not be replaced at this time.

Killips shared with the Board that the State of Michigan revealed some startling financial news last Friday that indicates future school budgets will likely be worse than first feared. Although the stimulus money was supposed to hold the schools harmless (meaning no reduction in per pupil funding) through the 2010/11 school year, the latest news is that it will only partially meet the need for the 2009/10 year, and not help at all for 2010/11. Actual numbers are not yet available.

"I've been in education for over 30 years,

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Walk for hope

Despite some difficult conditions because of the weather, Chelsea's Relay for Life was another huge success.

Chelsea's Relay for Life raises more than $79,000

By Jaime Lane
Guest Writer

We came, we saw, we Relayed. The 2009 Chelsea Relay for Life was a huge success despite the weather and the weak economy. The communities of Chelsea and Manchester braved the wet, windy and cold weather to raise more than $79,000 to benefit the American Cancer Society's education, research and advocacy programs. The devotion of the Relayers, and the communities, just proves how serious the threat of cancer is and how serious so many people are about ending it.

Approximately half of the donations raised were collected prior to the event through card playing, road rallies, bake sales, car washes, candy bar sales and direct donation requests to family, friends, co-workers and businesses in the area. The remainder were raised at the event with face painting, handmade jewelry sales, Thompson's pizza certificates, a silent auction, custom printed t-shirts, prayer afghans, a dunk tank, a rummage sale, a photo booth and every kind of conceivable baked good and yummy treats imaginable.

There were 405 Relayers officially signed up by the opening ceremony while

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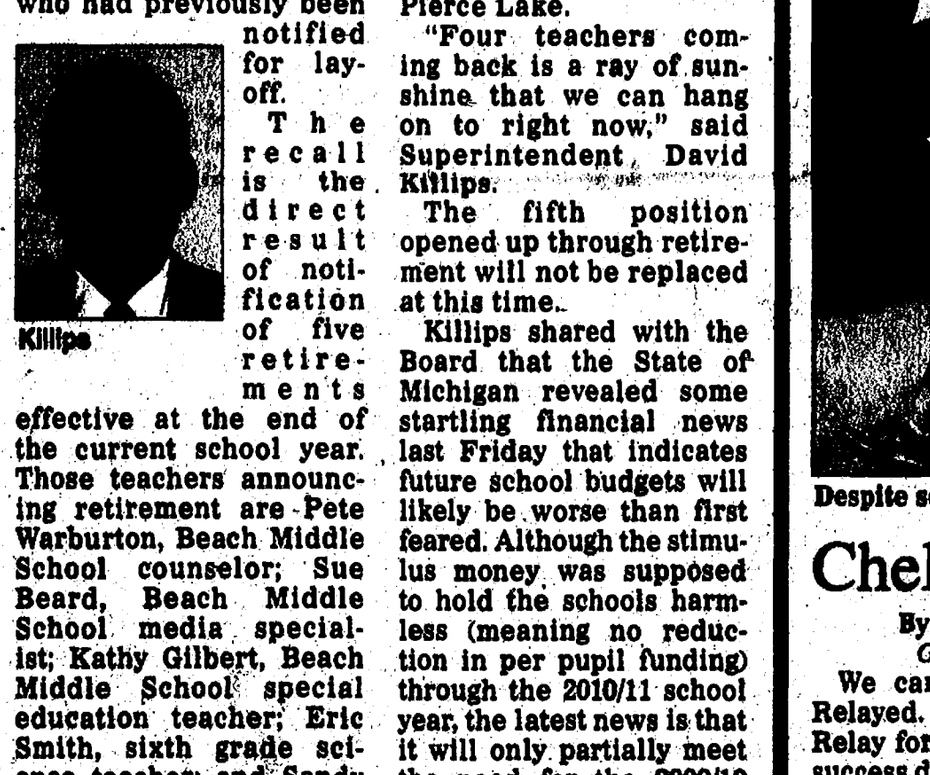

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Tina Patterson will retire next month.

Goodbye, friend

Patterson to retire as director of the Chelsea Senior Center

By Sheila Pursglove
Special Writer

Tina Patterson is making plans for trips to Alaska, Finland, Japan and all 50 U.S. states with her husband, Bob.

But amid the excitement is sadness. Patterson will step down June 12 as director of the Chelsea Senior Center, a job she has held for more than three years.

Patterson brought a wealth of experience to her position in Chelsea.

A graduate of Wayne State University, she also holds certifications in bioethics and public health from Robert Wood Johnson Medical School and in gerontology from Rutgers, both in New Jersey.

The Detroit native has worked in Texas, Maine and New Jersey, in many capacities with seniors – as a geriatric care manager, director of Social Services in a nursing home, in a hospital, and in senior living communities. She led a 12,000-member senior program in New Jersey.

"I've had some fun having my own

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A 26-member Tony committee made the nominations for the awards. Now, 800 Broadway producers, theater presenters from across the country, other theater professionals and journalists will vote for the 63rd annual Tonys, which are to be handed out June 7 in a live CBS broadcast from Radio City Music Hall in New York.

Daniels says the nominations "validate" the work of the actors.

"I think I'm most proud our ensemble acting was recognized," he said. "It's the kind of acting we utilize at the Purple Rose. Actors listening to each other instead of looking for the spotlight. Reacting instead of acting. In Carnage, we use each other every night. And, in this case, a vicious comedy, we abuse each other mercilessly. That's what the characters do and, fortunately, I'm onstage with three people who know no other way to go about their work. We need other out there."

While this is his first Tony nomination, Daniels has received plenty of accolades for his work in New York Theater. On Broadway, he received a Drama Desk Award for "Fifth of July." Off-Broadway honors include an Obie Award for Circle Repertory's "Johnny Got His Gun," a Drama Desk nomination for "Lemon Sky" at Second Stage and a Drama League nomination for "Blackbird" at the Manhattan Theatre Club.

Reza's new play is about two ostensibly civilized married couples who meet to sort out a playground fight.

The son of one couple (Daniels and Hope Davis) has broken two of the teeth of the son of another (James Gandolfini and Marcia Gay Harden). At first diplomatic niceties are observed, but as the meeting progresses and the rum flows, huge tensions emerge and the gloves come off, leaving more than just their liberal principles in tatters.

"God of Carnage" is about two ostensibly civilized married couples who meet to sort out a playground fight.

The play has been given an overwhelming thumbs up from theater critics across the country.

"Never underestimate the pleasure of watching really good actors behaving terribly," writes New York Times theatre critic Ben Brantley, who adds, "'God of Carnage' may be a familiar comic journey from A to B, but it travels first class."

The producers have not announced the exact date when the four leads are now scheduled to leave the show, which is technically open-ended. And there have been rumors that the play could be extended past whatever deadline was previously set.

In a published interview this month with the New York Times, Daniels said that the producers "are talking to all of us about extending. No decision has been made at this point."

For now, Daniels is just enjoying the magic of Broadway and being part of a special play.

"We've had countless actors, great actors, come backstage after seeing the show," he said. "People who know, who can see everything you're doing. Everything. Things the audience will never see. The critics don't see. I take great pride in talking with actors I've long respected who come back and talk about what they just saw. The details, the acknowledgement of this moment and that moment, that inflection, the timing on this line or that; that's the thing about New York.

"When you do it well, when it works, and you're on Broadway, they all come. They all want to see for themselves. For us, that makes every night an Opening Night. It reminds me how lucky I am and being in a play such as God of Carnage that has received so much praise is rare. Cherish every second of it. And I am."

Tickets are only on sale for performances through Aug. 2.

Tickets are available through Telecharge.com, by phone at 212-239-6200 or 800-432-7250, online at www.Telecharge.com or in person at the Jacobs Theatre box office, 242 West 45th Street.

Youth Dance Theatre hosts fund-raisers this weekend

What do poker, clean cars, fresh foods, gently used household items, and dance have in common? Starting Thursday, they will all be part of Youth Dance Theatre of Michigan's full weekend of fund-raising activities to benefit its nonprofit ballet program.

Happening throughout Memorial Weekend, Thursday through Sunday, May 21 to 24, in Chelsea, the events will provide many ways for area residents to support this important community group.

Calling it a "Trash and Treasure" or "T&T" Extravaganza, YDT's fundraising weekend begins with State-sanctioned charity poker that runs every evening, Thursday through Sunday, from 5 p.m. to 2 a.m. in the Dawg House Poker Room at Chelsea Lanes, 1180 S. Main.

Saturday is the focal point for the rest of the activities and includes a "Trash and Treasure" rummage sale from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 548 E. Washington St., in the old Chelsea High School building, which formerly housed the temporary Chelsea District Library. In addition to the rummage sale, there will be a Bake Sale, Book Drive and Perennial Plant Sale, all at the same location.

YTD will also hold a car wash Saturday, from noon to 3 p.m., at the Chelsea State Bank at the corner of Main Street and Old US-12, where Schwan's Foods will be stationed for walk-up sales and pick up of pre-orders, with a portion of the sales benefiting YTD as well.

"The weekend is intended to give YDT's ballet program a healthy financial boost, and increase its visibility" said Debra Myers, YDT volunteer fundraising chair. "I'm hopeful many residents of Chelsea and surrounding communities will come out and join the fun. I feel like we have something for everyone."

YDT Board President Jane Thompson said the fund-raisers will benefit student dancers and the community.

"YTD offers school-age girls and boys a phenomenal opportunity to develop their ballet skills through performance and professional instruction," she said. "The program provides an environment that instills confidence, poise, exceptional skill development and a lifelong appreciation of dance and the arts.

"In addition, YTD gives back to the community. Each year, we stage an absolutely fabulous production of 'The Nutcracker' and each spring we produce another full-length ballet program, which varies year-to-year. In 2010, we hope to produce Tchaikovsky's 'Sleeping Beauty' ballet, which will cost around $12,000. Member dues and ticket sales just aren't enough, so we depend on a variety of fund-raising activities throughout the year."

While YDT has run similar fund-raisers in the past, this is the first time it has grouped so many into one weekend, and the first time it has ventured into charity poker.

For more information, call 734-475-3070 visit the YTD Web site at www.youthdancetheatre.org.

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radio show about senior issues and writing for a senior magazine," she says. "One of my proudest achievements was receiving a state award in New Jersey for Humanistic Patient Care."

Patterson, a certified senior center director and state certified mediator, also lectured on senior issues, and especially enjoyed speaking on "The Human-Animal Bond." A "Seeing Eye Puppy Club" leader, she and her family raised 11 German Shepherds for The Seeing Eye and had over 350 dogs go through her club.

"If you see my car, my license plate is still 4Hpup which I have had for over 20 years," she says.

Patterson had her own 501c3 nonprofit organization in New Jersey, working with abused children to break the cycle of violence while teaching court adjudicated teens to train rescued and abused dogs.

She also worked for Family Services, helping autistic children bond with dogs.

"They could connect to the dogs, due to the dogs' unconditional acceptance and love," she says. "I still do some rescue of German Shepherds and place them in 'forever' homes."

She and her husband also raised two sons – Trevor, a commercial real-estate broker in The Garden State, and Andrew, who served in the Peace Corps for two years teaching in Mongolia, and who now teaches in Japan. The couple also has an 'adopted' daughter Anarjin Baatar, a former year-long exchange student from Mongolia who now lives in California.

As director of the Chelsea Senior Center, Patterson discovered a community unlike any other, she says.

"I had never before worked with such a supportive and encouraging group of people, in a place where truly everyone wanted you to succeed, and helped you achieve your goals. A place where smiles prevailed and even in adversity people did not complain but instead worked to see how they could make the community better."

With Patterson at the helm – and under the stewardship of the Board of Directors, the support of the Chelsea School District, the City of Chelsea, The Chelsea United Way, the Chelsea Community Foundation and so many others – the senior center has doubled in size, introduced new and innovative programming, became a recognized leader in the county for senior services, and developed a reputation for excellence.

"Together we have made something we can all celebrate and be proud of," she says.

The best part of the job has been the people, the volunteers who generously give their time, talents, ideas, and strong backs, she says, adding that she has learned more from them then she could ever have given.

Volunteers have baked refreshments, shared stories of one-room schoolhouses that led to the creation of a movie, and provided insights into rural farm life in the Chelsea area, among other things.

She also is proud of the "Total Wellness Program," led by Lisa Klinkman, created by the financial support of the Chelsea Community Foundation.

Patterson's father Louis Rose enjoyed activities at the center his daughter spearheaded, after moving from San Diego to live at The Pines in Chelsea. Rose died last year.

"The people at The Pines, especially Shirley Mitchell, were so wonderful to him, and it was great to know we have such caring communities for seniors," she says. "I was able to move him with confidence knowing he would be part of Chelsea, a city I had come to love."

And now the Pattersons – who first met when the two were lifeguards at Brennan Pools in Detroit – are set to enjoy retirement.

"We have a home near Boyne City which we recently had completely rebuilt. We can't wait to spend more time there," she says. "We love to spend time in and on the water – in fact we just bought a Waverunner to enjoy on Lake Charlevoix."

"My best friend of 53 years lives in Jackson and I love being so close and sharing our lives. When we moved back one goal was to be closer to her."

In 2011, the Pattersons hope to recreate a trip they first did in 1971, driving and camping from Michigan to San Diego then up the west coast to Vancouver, with stops in Banff and Lake Louise – Patterson's favorite place for a vacation.

The pair also has traveled to Hawaii, Barbados, and twice to the Caymans where they enjoy swimming with stingrays.

"I love to travel but hate to leave my two dogs Blitz and Tillie," Patterson says. "We have a camper so as long as we are in the States they will be with us.

"One thing I hope to do now that I have the time is concentrate on training my dog Blitz in agility and competing with him. He has the drive to please and I hope we can become a competitive team."

As Patterson looks forward to new paths, she also looks back at the "exact job" she dreamed of when she returned to Michigan after 25 years.

"Little did I know, the job was so much more than that that," she says. "As someone once said 'What do you do when your reality exceeds your dream,' and that is what these past three and a half years have been – a reality that exceeded the dream."

Administrative Assistant Kay Heller will serve as acting director for the next three months.

"Kay is the backbone, the community connection, the warmth and the smile," Patterson says. "She was here when I came and I'm happy to say she will be here when I leave. Kay is a much a part of Chelsea as Jiffy Mix or The Depot. She is the cheerleader, and the person who was charged with keeping me in line... not an easy job!"

Farmers and Friends Community Picnic at Walker

Baseball, good food, and old-fashioned family fun await participants in the second annual Farmers and Friends Picnic at Walker Tavern Historic Site on Sunday, May 31. Highlights include a Farmers Market from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., a workshop on the history of baseball at 11 a.m., and old-time games and a potluck picnic from noon to 1 p.m. At 1 p.m. the Walker Wheels take on the Inmates of Wood County, Ohio in a game of vintage baseball. All activities are free and the community is invited to participate.

Getting together to share food and fun has a long tradition in the Irish Hills community according to an account published by the Brooklyn Area Historical Society. The first community picnic was held in 1908 and for the next 25 years the annual picnic was one of the highlights of the summer. Now Walker Tavern is reviving that tradition. It is said that the picnic of 1922 featured a baseball game between the farmers and the businessmen of Brooklyn and attracted nearly1500 people.

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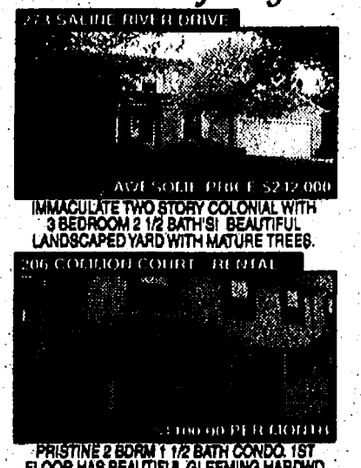
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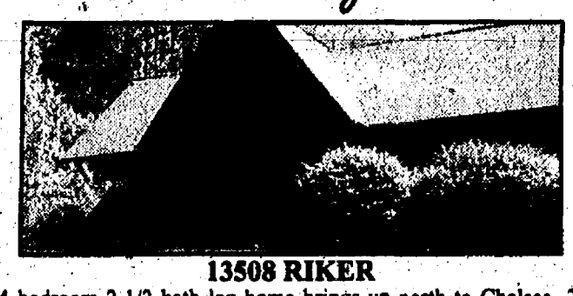
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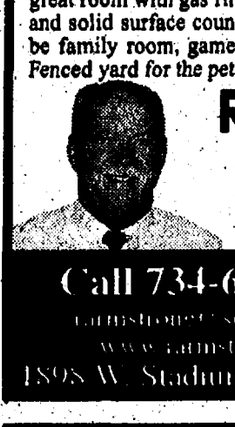
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and these are the most trying times I've ever experienced," said Killips. "We are in a dire situation (economically) and that includes the school aid fund."

Monday evening, the Board also approved the Washtenaw Intermediate School District general fund budget; and approved bids for the paint and flooring work to be completed this summer at Beach Middle School.

'Around Town with Linda'

"Around Town with Linda" will feature Bob Brown, anti violence advocate, beginning today.

"Around Town with Linda" features interviews conducted by the local host Linda Meloche. The show airs daily on Channel 18 at 7:30 a.m., noon, 7:30 p.m. and 10:30 p.m.

A new interview begins every Thursday evening and runs for a week. The guests all live or work in Chelsea, and everyone connected with the show is a volunteer.

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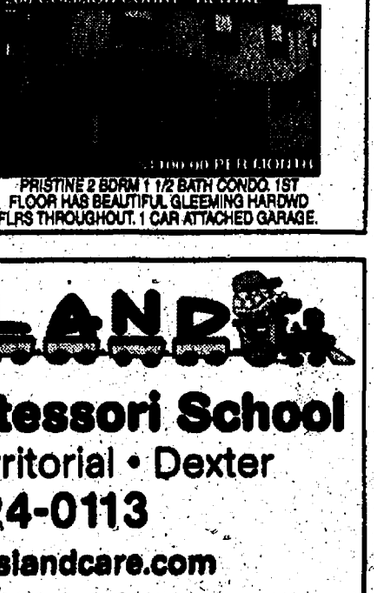
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Chelsea Briefs

'Hungry 4 Change'

The Mission Marketplace and the Chelsea High School Young Progressives are proud to jointly offer a unique community educational opportunity on Friday, May 29 at The Michigan Friends Center.

They will be offering OXFAM's "Hungry 4 Change" interactive experience to increase awareness and understanding of issues surrounding global hunger.

There is no cost for this event. However, guests are asked to bring a small bag of groceries which will be turned over to local food banks.

And for those who have not experienced the peaceful surroundings at The Michigan Friends Center, guests are encouraged to check out this jewel of the Chelsea community.

In order for planning, RSVP to The Mission Marketplace by calling 475-7604.

Class of 1999 reunion

The Chelsea High School Class of 1999 will hold its 10-year reunion at 7 p.m. on June 19 at the Comfort Inn in Chelsea. For more information, contact Katie Heil and Sharon Knieper atchelseaclassof99@yahoo.com.

Tigers grant

The Detroit Tigers Foundation presented more than $200,000 in grants to 15 organizations during an on-field, pregame ceremony before Sunday's game.

These grants will directly assist nearly 6,000 youth through a variety of baseball-related programs. The Chelsea Recreation Council was one of the groups to receive grant money.

As a result of the grants, 20 baseball or softball fields throughout Michigan will be renovated and both Tiny Tigers, a summer Tee Ball program for children, and the Detroit Tigers Hometown Championship, a three-day youth baseball and softball tournament, will be expanded.

In addition, training will be provided to more than 100 Detroit area youth baseball and softball coaches, a barrier-free baseball field will be constructed in a community that has over 63,000 special needs children and a baseball-themed health educational supplement will be distributed to over 68,000 students throughout Michigan.

Court rules in favor of Lima residents

By Sean Dalton
Staff Writer

A recent Michigan Appellate Court decision ended another chapter in a land dispute between Lima Township and a farm family living in the township, but the book isn't yet closed.

According to "Twinkie" Beach, heir to the property that has been in the Beach family since the 1800s, her attorney isn't yet sure if the township won't order its attorneys to pursue the case in a different and higher venue: the state Supreme Court.

Statute says the township and attorney Victor L. Lillich of Reading, Etter & Lillich has an opening to take the case further after the appellate court ruled that title over property privately dedicated in a subdivision plat can be acquired through "adverse possession."

Stated simply, the township sued for an easement on the property for roads platted for Harford Village – which never came to be due to regional logistics and growth patterns favoring Chelsea.

Harford village was platted in 1835 and never really took off due to Norfolk Southern locating the rail lines closer to Chelsea village than Harford during the rush west, Beach explained.

Beach's great-great-grandfather originally purchased 20 lots in the plat in 1854. The township purchased its eight lots between 1954 and 2004.

"Lima Township was gifted a plat of land over here in 1954, at that time our farm had been here 101 years and then they didn't do anything (until they wanted) these roads in 2004," Beach said "At that time we had already been here 150 years. So they're saying that they should have access to any roads that abut up to their lot."

It was in 2004 that Lima Township Supervisor Kenneth Unterbrink approached Beach and her family twice about purchasing some of her property for a fire substation, but the Beach family had no interest in compromising the integrity of the land that has been in the family for such a historic period of time.

Beach says she was cordial with Unterbrink,, but that didn't stop him from having 120 feet of fence installed on the family farm property in the 1980s torn down without notice.

"That's when I went down and asked what was going on, and that's when they informed us that our fence wasn't on our property, it was on a road right-of-way," she said.

The Beach family has been in the courts battling the township

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Peddle power

Local experts break down the ins and outs of cycling

By Sean Dalton
Staff Writer

Western Washtenaw County and the surrounding area share some common themes, including a thriving community of bicyclists of all stripes, as well as beautiful terrain for the sport.

But it's not quite as simple as just up and buying a bike, a helmet and some Speedos. There are all sorts of questions that the owners of Dexter Bike & Sport of Dexter and Aberbeen Bike & Fitness of Chelsea say people should ask themselves.

What kind of bike do you buy? Where do you go? What kind of safety equipment is required? Do you really need that Speedo?

A good place to start is to figure out just what kind of biking best suits the prospective bicyclist.

"In today's world of bicycling, there are numerous types of bicycles to meet every type of riding style," says Jeffrey Turck of Dexter Bike & Sport. "There are bikes for riding mountain trails, road racing, road touring, comfort recreation, tandems, BMX and kids to name just a few of the many bike categories."

It's probably a good idea to figure out if short or long rides are the intended goal of the rider, as some bikes are more comfortable than others. There are all kinds of paths in the area: some are dirt and some are paved. Not only are these questions of style and comfort, but they're questions of cost. How seriously a person wants to get into bicycling is often directly proportional to the cost of the bike itself, as well as the gear.

Kids bikes start at $50 with hybrid and mountain bikes starting in the $250 to $500 range. The type of light-framed road bikes that people are accustomed to seeing on Dexter-Chelsea Roads and in the downtowns are $850 and up.

"If I have someone who is interested in riding long distances as compared to someone who is looking to ride for a half hour 3 times a week it will help me find a more suitable bicycle," says Mike Casey of Aberdeen Bike & Fitness. "Generally hybrids and road bikes are best suited for longer distance riding and comfort bikes are best suited for casual fitness riding."

Recreational mountain-bikes are typically the most versatile rig and the least expensive, Casey

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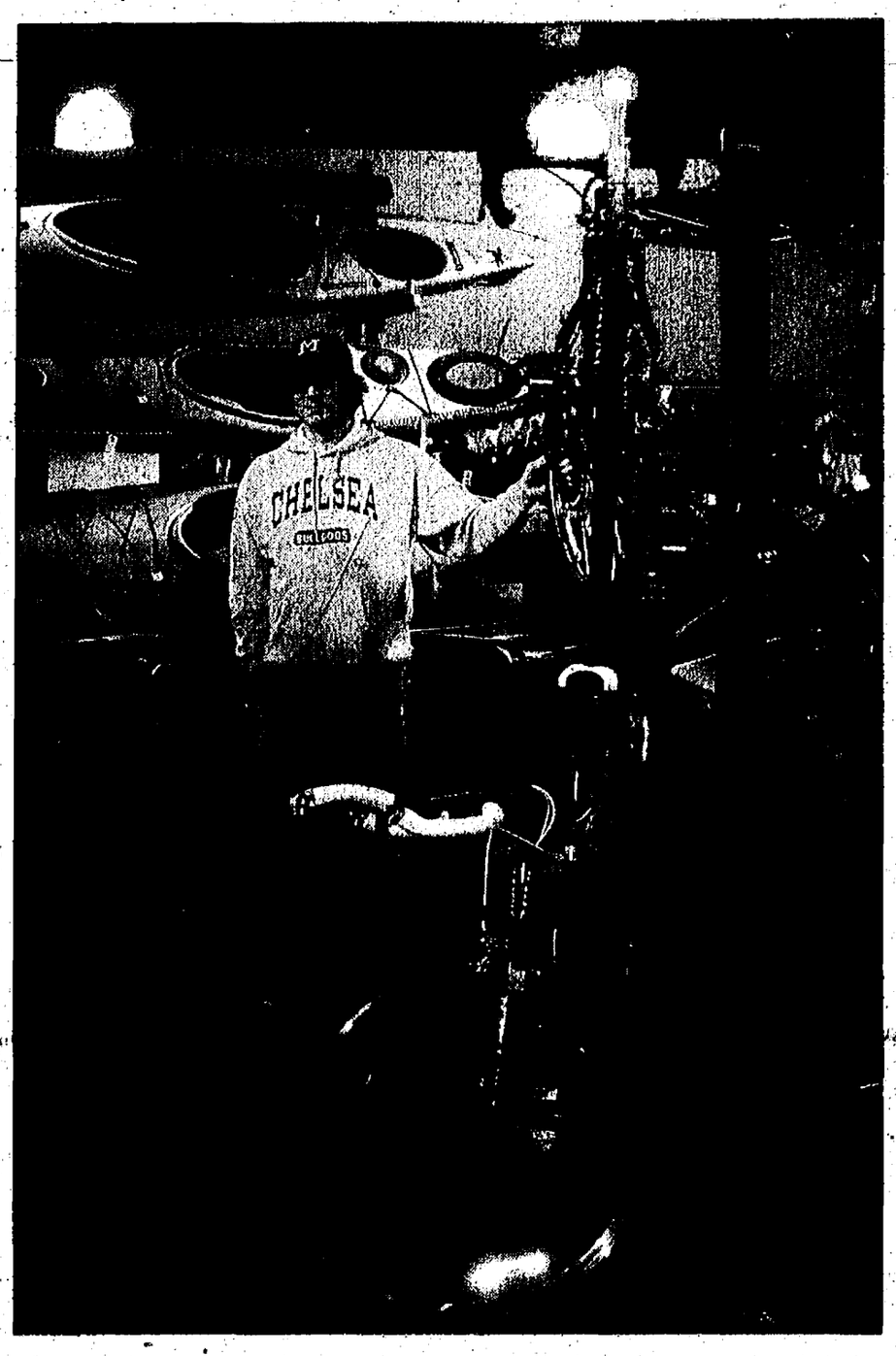

ABOVE RIGHT: Mike Casey offers used bicycles at Aberdeen Bike and Fitness for folks interested in trying out the sport of cycling.
RIGHT: Jeffery and Denise Turck founded Dexter Bike and Sport in 2003 and have since tripled in size due to the popularity of bicycling.

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Chelsea District Library staff are all smiles celebrating their new picnic table. The gift was donated by the Friends of the Library during the annual Staff Appreciation Breakfast on May 15 at McKune. They also received gift certificates to local businesses, and both Beth Easterwood and Karen Persello were awarded five-year service pins.

Area Police Briefs

A motorist drove across a lawn in the 6100 block of Sibley Road causing damage to the property sometime between 11 p.m. on May 7 and the time the Chelsea Police were called at 7 a.m. May 8.

The incident resulted in deep tracks across the homeowner's property. The driver entered the property at the east property line by East Industrial Drive and continued for 80 feet parallel with the roadway before exiting back out on East Industrial.

No witnesses reported an identification of the driver or the vehicle involved in the incident, according to the report.

The damage to the property is estimated to be about $50.

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Chelsea Police officers assisted the Inkster Police Department with an investigation into criminal sexual conduct.

Officers from Chelsea were requested to collect a rape kit from CCH at 6 a.m. May 11.

The kits were collected and stored in the department's evidence locker pending turnover to Inkster PD.

The victim was not from Chelsea, rather Brooklyn Hills, Michigan.

The incident happened several days prior to the kits being taken from the victim, according to the report.

Chelsea's involvement in the investigation was categorized by the report as "not a crime/other service."

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An employee at a title office located in the 1200 block of S. Main Street called police on a man who came into the office with a complaint and left agitated.

Prior to the 3:50 p.m. call to police on May 11, a man entered the office and requested further explanation about how his taxes were prorated on his Island Lake Road property.

The employee told police that the man seemed confused and unable to understand what she was telling him. After printing out some information and handing it to the man, he began leaving the office, but not before saying that he as going to call the Federal Bureau of Investigations and his attorney.

Before he was out the door the employee said she was going to call her attorney as well, which she said "antagonized" him. At that point she decided to call the authorities.

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A vehicle parked in the 300 block of Fairways Lane was damaged sometime between 5 and 7 p.m. May 8.

The owner called police when he found the right hand passenger's side of his 2007 Ford Edge deeply scratched.

His truck was parked out in front of his house in the driveway when the damage was done.

The truck's owner told police that he is very particular about his vehicle. He stated that he knows the damage was not there prior to 5 p.m. that day.

No suspect came of asking the owner if he knew of anyone having a grudge against him and there were not witnesses that came forward indicated in the report.

Police say that based on inspection of the damage a key or similar sharp-object was used to carve a line that extended from the right hand passenger door to the right hand rear passenger door.

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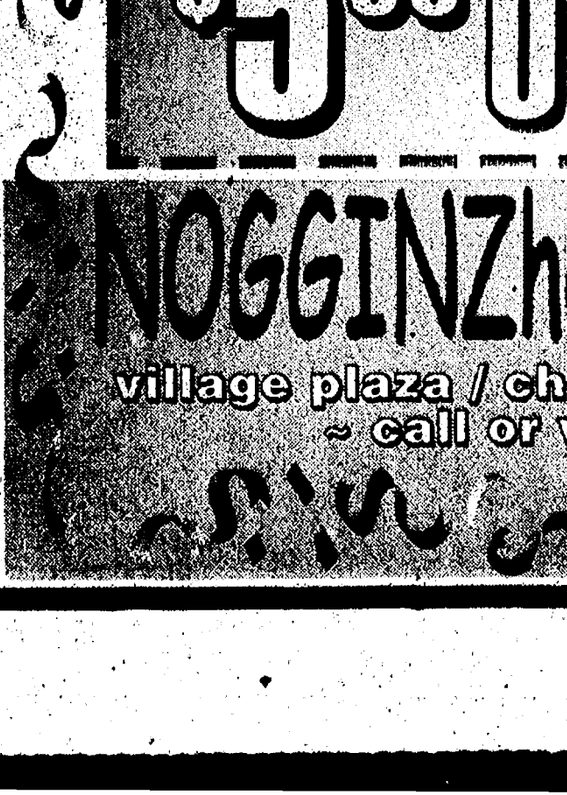

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Fashion Show celebrates Chelsea's 175th anniversary

Clothing can tell the story of the way people lived, worked and frolicked.

Join historic costumer Helen Welford and a host of community models as Silver Maples presents "Fashion through the Centuries: A Look into the Frills, Foibles and Function of Clothing," as part of Chelsea 's 175th Anniversary Celebration.

Don't miss Regency ball gowns, turn of the century "Walking Whites," and a special outfit from the time of Chelsea's founding in 1834. Welford will narrate the historic background of each piece, which begins with a gown from the late 1700s and continues through the 1940s.

In an ongoing partnership and cooperation with activities and events, the residents, volunteers and staff from Silver Maples, Chelsea Retirement Community and the Chelsea Senior Center will host the show.

Welford has created many of these costumes for historical balls and dances.

"Helen Welford is a wonderful resource," said Shawn Personke, director of activities and public relations for Silver Maples. "She makes all of her reproductions according to historical documentations, so the pieces are very authentic. She knows the history of the apparel, what was happening at that time in history. She can tell you what made the bustle popular, why and when certain colors were all the rage, when zippers replaced buttons, and more. It's a fascinating and fun show."

The show was first presented for Silver Maples residents last year and since it went over so well, it seemed a great fit for Chelsea 's 175th celebration.

IF YOU GO:

When: Friday, June 5, 1 p.m.

Where: Silver Maples of Chelsea, 100 Silver Maples Dr .

Cost: Ticket donation of $5. Tickets available at the door, as well as Thompson's Pizza and the Senior Center. The ticket donations will cover the costs of the fashion show, with proceeds going to the funding of the 175th Anniversary Celebration June 25-28.

Refreshments: Punch, coffee, tea and cookies.

For more information: Contact Shawn Personke at 734-475-111.

County Yard project causes resident concerns

By Sean Dalton
Staff Writers

A planned expansion to the Washtenaw County Yard located at the intersection of Wilkinson and West Middle has neighbors concerned.

The yard is owned and operated by the Washtenaw County Road Commission. It was established on the large lot between West Middle and the railroad tracks, just north of where Wilkinson ends.

Currently the yard is a single two-story garage and shop building for the road commission's salt and grading vehicles that sit on a dirt and gravel lot where piles of material for road maintenance often sit out front.

After construction work is completed the lot will be paved and a 2,400-foot cold storage facility and a 40-foot tall 3,360 square foot salt storage and loading will be erected, in addition to a detention basin and diesel storage tanks next to the storage and loading building. The work will also include some landscaping, including a two-foot berm, small trees and foliage screen on a fence going around the property.

Although residents are raising their concerns now, the notice of request for final site plan review was approved by the Chelsea Planning Commission Nov. 18, 2008 after the road commission engineers presented the preliminary version of the site plan during the Aug. 19 prior meeting.

Neighbors contend that they did not receive proper notification.

"Since this is a development that is within 1,000 feet of my property, shouldn't I have been given written notice or personally notified," said Lisa Garypie.

She says that her neighbors collectively have many questions, including whether or not the detention pond will have a property pump or whether the pond was designed with safety in mind.

There are also concerns about whether or not the development would cause basement flooding, as well as questions about how effective installed trees will be at screening the site from neighbors' view.

Neighbors are also concerned about the security of the diesel storage tanks in light of the train accident that occurred in that area earlier this year when a train struck a truck and caught fire.

Garypie said she and her husband, Bob, contacted the city after one of their neighbors inadvertently gave permission to Consumer's Energy line-workers who were out to clear the easement on the east end of the yard property.

"They took those trees down and now you can see everything," Garypie said. "Don't I have a right to enjoy privacy?"

The neighbors have been in contact with City Manager John Hanifan, who has provided all of the documentation from the planning commission meetings detailing the decision-making process.

They had a private meeting last week to pool their questions together to be presented to the city.

Mayor Ann Feeney said Tuesday that road commission officials are going to meet with the neighbors to answer their questions, as the city's stance on the matter is clear.

The road commission will also submit a revised landscaping plan in August once most of the construction work is done.

"The city's position is that the county went through the planning commission and met all of the requirements, so we don't have a position against anything the county has done," Feeney said.

She questioned why concerns were being raised now since the yard has existed where it currently is since at least the 1940s.

"I moved here in the 1970s and it was here then," Feeney said. "In the '40s that was the edge of town."

Zoning Administrator Jim Drolett said he was puzzled by the sudden outrage.

"We went through the process," Drolett said. "It went through preliminary site plan, a special land use hearing, and final site plan approval ... it was noticed in the newspaper, it was on the Internet, it was noticed at city hall and the city has done what the city had to do with regards to the site plan approval process."

He added that he doesn't recall seeing a single neighbor at any of the opportunities for public speaking during meetings during the course of the review process.

Drolett also contested the claim that no written notice was given.

"We sent a notice to everybody within 300 feet," he said.

Council Trustee Frank Hammer said he too learned about the yard property development at about the same time the residents took the issue up with the city.

"I had no idea the county was going to go through with that because as tight as their money is ... I was absolutely surprised," he said, adding that he doesn't recall Council Trustee and Liaison Cheri Albertson bringing it up during council comment at any of the regular meetings.

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EMU Spring Sports Teams Move on in Post-Season Events

Baseball, men's and women's track continue

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YPSILANTI, Mich. — The spring sports regular season has ended, but three Eastern Michigan University spring sports teams will continue their competition in post-season events.

First-year Head Coach **Jay Alexander's** baseball team won its last five weekend series in Mid-American Conference play, including capturing a decisive two out of three games last weekend (May 14-16) against Central Michigan.

After winning the two games against the visiting Chippewas the Eagles will enter the MAC Tournament (May 20-23) as the No. 7 seeded team and will face No. 2 seeded Ball State University Cardinals, Wednesday, May 20, at 4 p.m. at VA Stadium in Chillecothe, Ohio.

Head Coach **Brad Fairchild's** EMU men's track team came up with an outstanding effort on day three of the 2009 Mid-American Conference Outdoor Championship, but the Eagles had to settle for a runner-up finish to Akron. Eastern scored 178 points while the Zips of Akron totaled 197 points in a title effort.

EMU senior **Josh Perrin (Hillsdale, Mich.-Hillsdale)** won the 5,000 and 10,000-meter titles and for his efforts was named the Most Outstanding Track Performance.

Teammate **Josh Karanja (Ottawa, Canada-Nepean)** won the 3,000-meter steeplechase, came in a close second in the 5,000, and took fifth in the 1,500-meter run to share the Most Valuable Performer award with Kent State's Curtis Eaton.

The 4x400-meter relay team of **Kevin Lanier (White Lake, Mich.-Lakeland), Kyle Fortin (Fairview, Mich.-Fairvirew-CMU), Ackeem Forde (Haynesville, Barbados-Cambridge & Parry)** and **Nate Blackwell (Kalamazoo, Mich.-Central)** recorded a season-best time this year, winning the event in 3:12.16 and **Gerald Gersham (Southfield, Mich.-Southfield)** won the shot put competition.

Head Coach **Sue Parks'** women's team turned in an eighth-place finish at the 2009 MAC Championship. Akron captured the team title with Kent State second followed by Western Michigan, Miami, Ohio, Ball State, Buffalo, EMU, Bowling Green, Central Michigan, Toledo and Northern Illinois.

Beverly Elcock (Ft. Wayne, Ind.-Northrop) turned in the lone EMU title in the women's championship with a first in the 800 meters.

EMU women advancing to the NCAA Mideast Regional Championship in Louisville, Ky., May 29-30, include Elcock in the 800, **Jasmine Gates (Virginia Beach, Va.-Tallwood)** in the high jump and **Jessica Novakowski (Wixom, Mich.-Walled Lake Central)** in the pole vault.

The EMU men's track and field athletics earning bids to the NCAA MidEast Regional, include the 4x400-meter relay team, Perrin (5K only), Karanja (steeplechase, 1500 and 5K), **Xavier Clais (Paris, France)** in the high jump, Gersham (shot put), **David Brent (Monroe, Mich.-St. Mary's Catholic)** in the 800, 1500 and steeplechase, **Neal Naughton (Walled Lake, Mich.-Western)** in the 1500 meters and **Curtis Vollmar (Grand Blanc, Mich.-Grand Blanc)** in the steeplechase.

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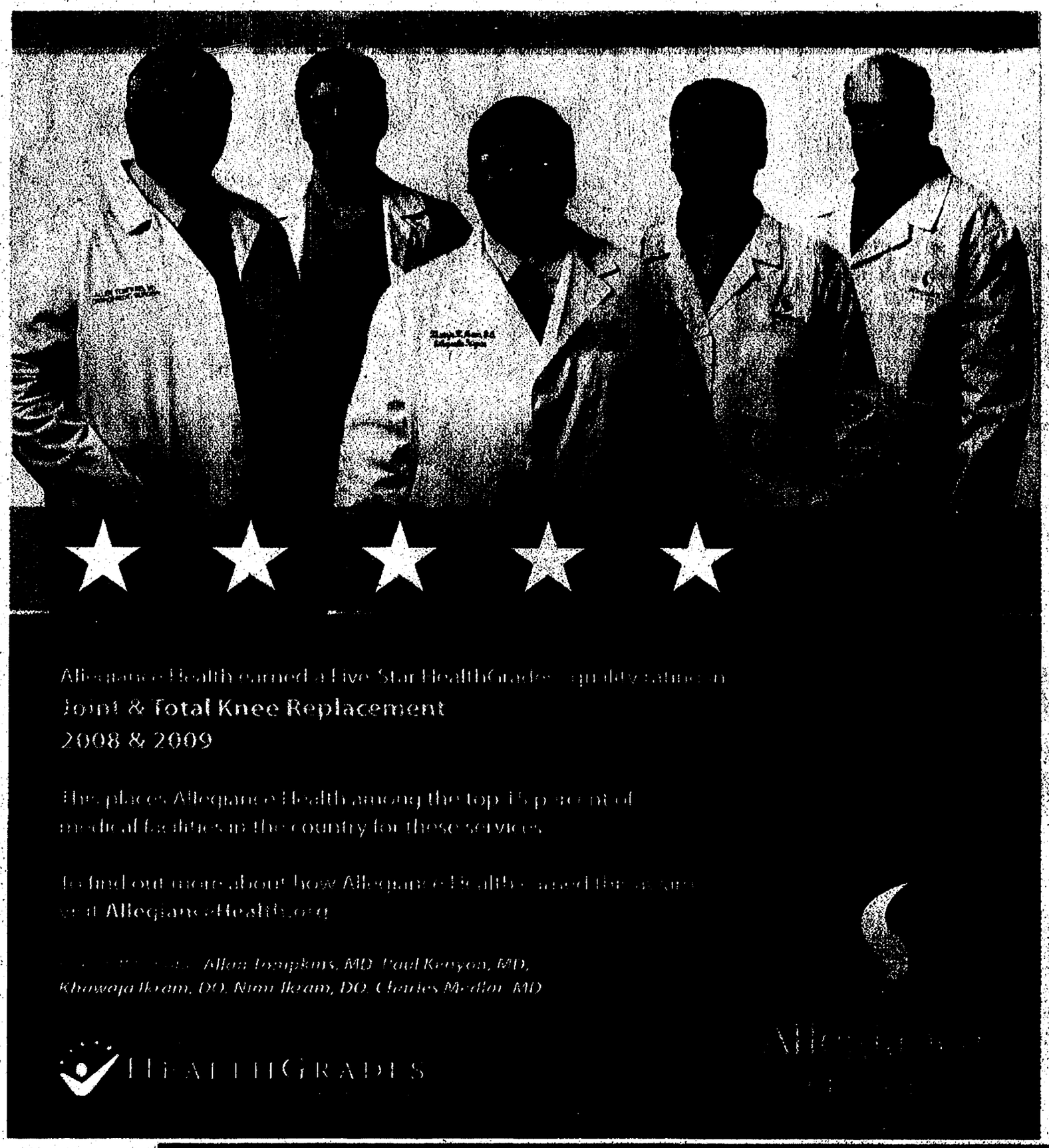

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for the past four years now, and Beach says she will continue to fight, despite the fact that she cannot recover the $35,000 in attorney fees and nearly $8,000 in court fees.

"I don't know how much the township has spent on their end, but (I've heard that) it has to be twice as much as I've spent, and it's only going to get more expensive if it goes to the supreme court," Beach said, adding that it was strange that the township was, at least in part, paying for their legal actions against her and her property with her and her neighbors' tax dollars.

"I hear that the township tells residents that it cannot afford (road work), but here they are taking me to court over road easements," Beach said.

Her attorney had advised her to remain silent until now. She admitted it is a relief to talk in public about what has been happening to her family. Beach is a teller at Chelsea State Bank. She says she has been managing the mounting legal costs through smart budgeting.

Peter C. Flintoft of Keusch Flintoft & Conlin PC argued in favor of the Beach family using adverse possession as the basis for their case. The process of adverse possession involves taking possession of another's real property without compensation by holding it for a certain period of time.

In theory, without adverse possession a previous landowner or heir could attempt to seize land from a current title holder, who would face having a lien placed upon the property depending on a court ruling. Land ownership would essentially be an unsecure position to be in without this doctrine.

Lillich's latest motion in court was to apply the language of the Land Division Act, which applies to property division as a sort of regulatory force on that process. The LDA also has guidelines for taking possession for a public easement by municipalities from private landowners.

In Beach, et al v. Township of Lima, the court stated "We cannot bar an adverse possession claim on grounds that it would result in an invasion of a legally protected property interest [that was] created by a private dedication ... because it is the case with all adverse possession claims that recognition of such a claim would result in an invasion of a legally protected property interest."

In the May 11 issue of Michigan Lawyers Weekly Lillich, who could not be reached as of press time for comment, argued that Flintoft's mention of the fact that Beach hadn't sought to change the plat was the reason the court should have found in his client's favor by applying LDA.

With ownership of the property changing hands, he said, the plat should be adjusted accordingly and the LDA is the only way to accomplish that, Michigan Lawyers Weekly wrote.

"The plat represents the substantive rights to the dedicated lands in the plat, and the LDA is supposed to control whenever someone wants to alter the plat" Lillich said in the report. "How much more can you alter a plat than to alter people's ownership rights in the lands contained therein?"

Unterbrink did not return a phone call placed Monday night and could not be reached during on Tuesday.

Dexter's Pioneer Arts Fair a success

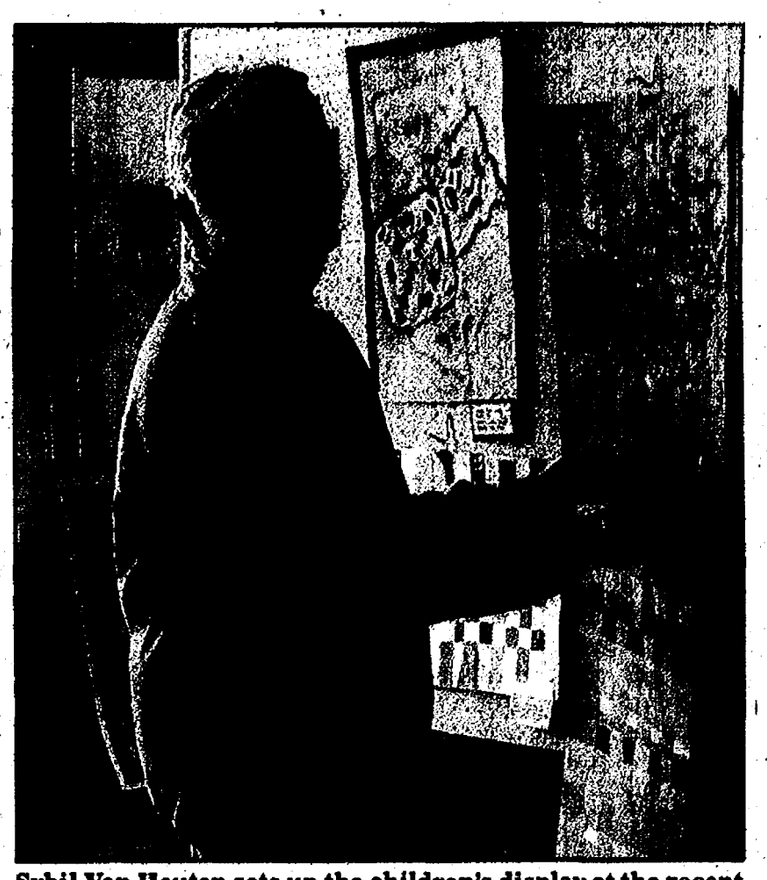
Dexter's 36th annual Pioneer Arts Fair, held on March 21, came through "happily and successfully in its new location," according to Ginny Ryan, one of the organizers.

"Our move from Creekside to the Dexter United Methodist Church this spring brought with it the faith that we could put a new face on an old tradition. We had 48 artists who demonstrated throughout the day, and a near record of 950 visitors."

Ryan said many artists were familiar and faithful artisans who have been with them before. "But we also welcomed new artists who contributed greatly to our new face," she added.

"The Pioneer Arts Fair Committee is very grateful for all who helped make the day a success. Our thanks go first of all to the staff at Dexter United Methodist Church, to the Kiwanis, to Boy Scout Troop No. 477, the Methodist Ladies Luncheon Group, the Heritage Guild, the Dexter Leader and a host of unnamed volunteers who gave us their time and talent.

"Our special thanks go out to the talented demonstrators, and to all of the people who joined us for a celebration of the Pioneer Arts." All proceeds from the Pioneer Arts Fair go toward the maintenance of the Dexter Historical Museum."



Sybil Van Houten sets up the children's display at the recent Pioneer Art Fair.

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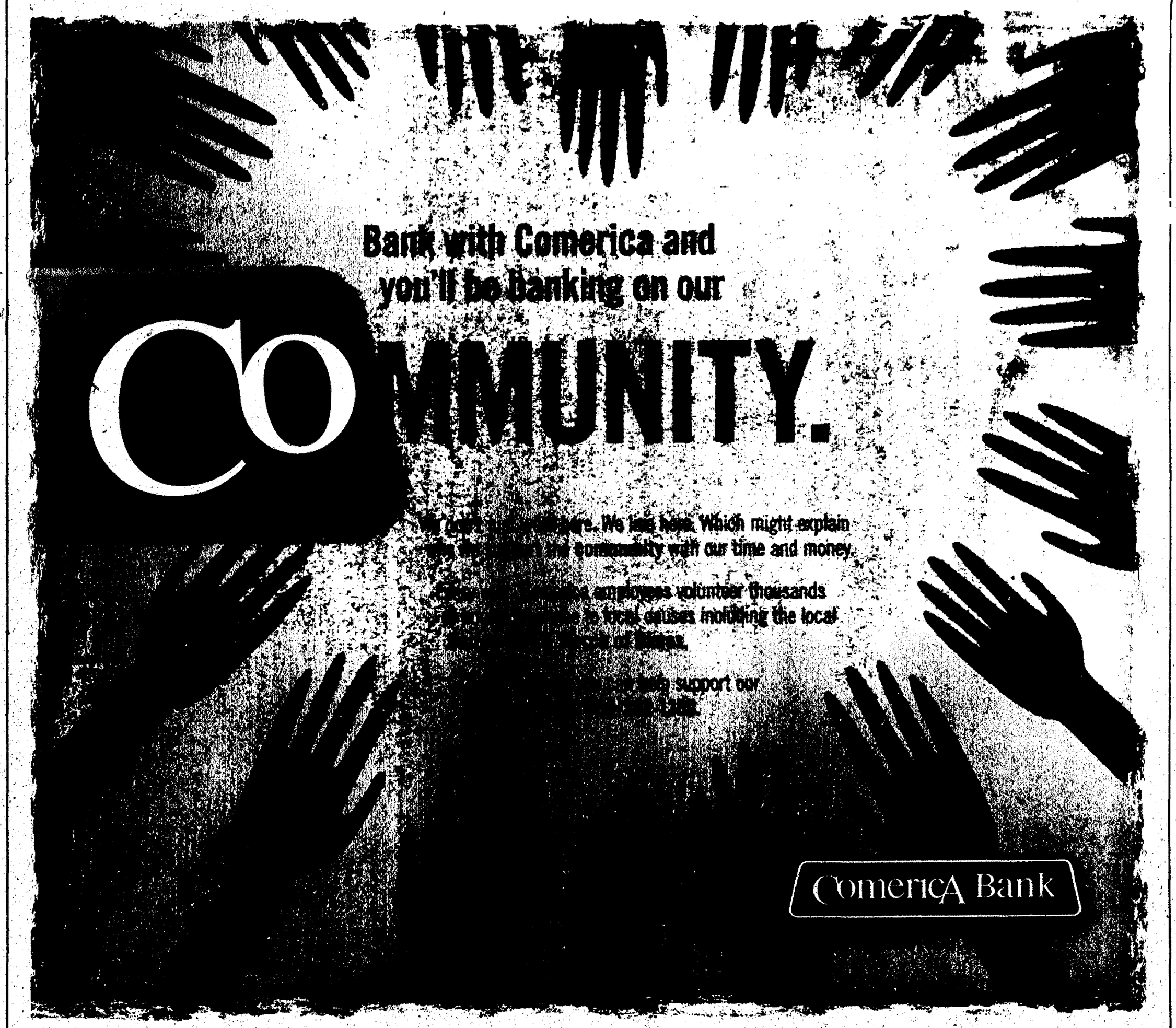

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Dems question Dillon's loyalty

Organized labor is not happy with House Democratic Speaker Andy Dillon and some of his colleagues.

Item: House Democrats staged a fund-raiser, but some labor folks didn't write a check or wrote one for a smaller amount and some refused to show up.

"You didn't see me there," confides one labor honcho who confesses he boycotted on purpose.

Tim Skubick

Item: House Democrats are pushing a bill to repair failing schools and one union source complains, "Who would have thought Democrats would introduce anti-worker legislation?"

Item: Dillon pledges to rewrite the state tax system but neglects to invite Democrats to the table. He confers instead with the Detroit Chamber of Commerce, Detroit Renaissance (another pro-business group) and a former tax adviser to John Engler, who, last time anyone checked, was not a Democrat.

"We are slightly concerned," notes one labor player concerning the actions of Dillon and company.

Another suggests, "We're trying to explain to him what labor is all about and explain these are the things we stand for."

Meanwhile the lobbyist for the United Auto Workers gives a fat, "no comment" on the touchy subject.

Perhaps the best way to crystallize the labor worries is to dredge up the former state GOP chairman's quote: "The next best thing to having a Republican speaker is to have Andy Dillon."

Dillon in fact is a former Republican but ran for the House as a Democrat and became the leader. He has strong business ties, which is why some labor folks are grumbling.

In a closed-door meeting recently involving the AFL-CIO, the UAW, the Michigan Education Association, the trial lawyers and the Service Employees International Union folks, they demanded and got a place at the tax-writing table.

Labor realizes it is not going to get everything it wants, but fears Dillon is tipping the table toward the GOP.

For example, labor argues Republicans have gotten more of their bill through the Democratic-controlled House than Democrats have gotten through the GOP-controlled Senate.

And a recent battle over Obama dollars has labor steaming.

Labor signed off on using $30 million to $40 million to pay the business cost of covering unemployment checks, but when it came time to allocate upward of $140 million to extend jobless benefits to part time and workers in training, business did not return the favor.

Ultimately, the one hammer that labor has is money. Labor could put its dollars first into the governor's race and the state Senate — and give whatever is left over to the House, thus sending Dillon yet another message.

"This is all about the race for governor," comes the cryptic response from deep inside the Dillon camp to all this whining. Labor is backing Lt. Gov. John Cherry for governor. Dillon might run against Cherry. Do the math. A Dillon backer points out that the speaker will select former liberal Democrat Rep. Lynn Jondahl to help draft the new tax package.

As for Republicans getting preferential treatment, Dillon's office has run the numbers showing House Democrats got 42 percent of the bills they wanted last year and the Republicans got 39 percent. They were dead even the year before.

And does he have to be lectured about what labor is all about? Dillon says, "I don't accept that."

The bottom line for the speaker is, "I'm happy with the support from business and labor."

Obviously organized labor isn't feeling the same way.

Tim Skubick is the host of the TV show "Off the Record" and blogs regularly at www.thenewsherald.com.

Your take: Letters to the Editor

To the Editor: Memorial Day is a very sad day for me. I'm a military veteran (Army, infantry, Vietnam), and as I get further down the path, my grasp of life and humanity increases. We are all on this planet together and we are all related. The Golden Rule applies to everyone. "They" are not the "enemy." The "leaders" tell us that if we (the working class) send our children to kill all of "them," then we will be safe and our children who die or are physically and/or mentally wounded are heroes. The words of the "leaders" are hollow. They sell fear and we buy and become the pawns.

Two time Medal of Honor recipient Marine Major General Smedley Butler said "War is a racket." I agree. Weapons are our No. 1 export product. To keep our weapons industry going we promote conflicts and wars. We have over 700 military bases in over 140 countries. Our military is the largest violence educational institution in the world.

On this Memorial Day think about the death and destruction that is being perpetrated in our name all over the world. It's not about freedom or democracy, it's about profit. It's for "US interests," As I read about Memorial Day events I get sad. I suspect many of the people who attend are thinking like pawns.

Arnold Stieber
Grass Lake

To the Editor: After reading Representative Mark Schauer's statement in the Chelsea Standard and Dexter Leader about his vote in support of President Obama's budget proposal that will "clean up the mess that was created by eight years of failed economic policies," I can only come to one conclusion. Rep. Schauer must believe that we are all morons that never took a math class or know how to use a calculator.

According to his press release, the budget proposal "cuts the deficit by nearly two-thirds by 2013." However, what he doesn't mention is that the budget proposal will quadruple the current deficit first and as we all know from math class, if you multiply something by four and decrease it by two-thirds, you still end up with a number that is a third greater than what you started with. So even under the White House's rosy predictions, the deficit will be greater in four years and the government will have to borrow 50 cents for every single dollar that they spend this year.

How many households could survive if they used borrowed money for 50 percent of all they spent?

If anyone thinks that the record budget won't affect them because they are part of the 95 percent that will get a so called tax break, you had better guess again. If the budget passes as is, everyone will be paying thousands of dollars extra a year in energy costs and someone still has to pay for all that borrowing and it won't be just the "rich."

It is mathematically impossible for them to tax the so called rich enough to pay for everything they have planned. So be prepared to become rich as the government's definition changes over time.

The next time you are paying bills be sure to send Rep. Schauer a note thanking him for increasing your individual share of the deficit by $23,000 over the next nine years. I'm sure your children and grandchildren will also appreciate his efforts.

Douglas Wright
Dexter Township

To the Editor: On May 18, the Dexter Community Schools' Board of Education Trustees will once again have had discussions on the opportunity for the district to save approximately $13,000-$15,000 dollars yearly.

Why is this important?

In short, our school district has been knowingly allowing our tax dollars over the last four years to being spent twice for the same thing!

How can this be?

Approximately four years ago, the cost of funding elections was changed in the State of Michigan to allow all school district elections to be provided free of charge to districts if their election was

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Our take

Police use of Tasers good option

The death of 15-year-old Robert Mitchell of Detroit after being Tasered by Warren police officers is without question a tragedy. And, after such incidents, many police critics are quick to call for a ban on such devices. But to do so would be very short-sighted.

If Tasers are banned, just what is the alternative for police officers who find themselves in split-second, life-and-death situations — a return to using their handguns as a first option?

We think that is not a good first choice. Generally speaking, Tasers have no doubt saved thousands, if not tens of thousands of lives, by giving threatened officers an alternative to defending themselves with their handguns.

Oakland County Sheriff Michael Bouchard is a strong proponent of Tasers — and he has the experience to back up his views.

The Oakland County Sheriff's office was the first law enforcement agency in the state to deploy Tasers and that decision came after extensive study by Bouchard.

"I studied data from around the country and concluded it was a very positive option," Bouchard says.

He says the studies revealed a dramatic reduction in injuries to officers and in injuries to suspects.

"The thing that is often lost on some of the critics," Bouchard explains, "is that we're in a business where some people will choose to fight or use any means at their disposal to try to escape...

"The Taser allows a police officer to very quickly end a confrontation and typically to no injuries to the officer or the suspect."

The difficulties officers face in deciding whether to use a Taser is illustrated in a recent story by Macomb Daily reporter Norb Franz. In a police training exercise using a computer

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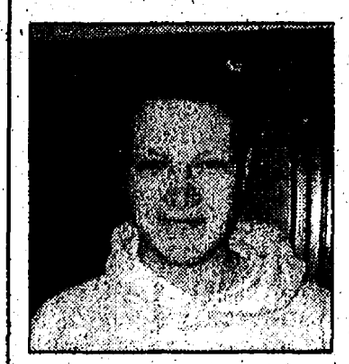
STREET TALK

What are you most looking forward to after graduating?



"Getting out of Chelsea."
DERIK HEUMANN

"Senior summer and heading off to college in the fall."
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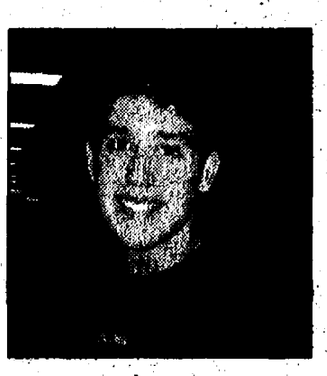

"Getting away from some of the people here."
SCOTT RICHARDS

"The new experience of college and getting ready for something different."
ALEX BROEKHUIZEN

By Jessica Tchoryk

Our Chelsea History

Where is the Inverness Golf Course, and when was it developed?

A. Developed at North Lake in 1925
B. Waterloo Recreation Area in 1970
C. At Cassidy Lake Prison Camp in 1935

Answer A. In 1925, Douglas A. Fraser, former president of American Brass and Iron Co. in Detroit, developed the Inverness Country Club and Park Lake Subdivision on 160 acres of land. Lots were located near a historic clubhouse, and next to the new nine-hole golf course, tennis courts and a dug out "athletic bowl." He offered more than 50 lots with lake access. Inverness is located just 60 miles from Detroit. With the advent of the automobile, sales were brisk until the Depression begun in 1929 and finally took its toll on the development. Fraser continued to sell lots until his death in 1952. Inverness Golf Course has never closed, not even during the Depression. Today it is a private golf club, for residents bordering the course and other memberships.

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Plan to fund roads includes tax increases

By Sean Dalton
Staff Writer

In an effort to modernize Michigan's crumbling transportation infrastructure, Speaker Pro Tempore Pam Byrnes, D-District 52, last week announced a plan that will enact reforms aimed at repairing roads, attracting businesses and creating jobs.

Byrnes

"Well-maintained roads and bridges are absolutely vital to creating a positive business environment," said Byrnes, chair of the House Transportation Committee. "If we continue to neglect our crumbling roads we will pay the price in the future as businesses choose to take their operations and their jobs elsewhere. Restoring our infrastructure sends a message to companies that Michigan is willing to make the investments necessary to effectively move people and goods safely."

Byrnes' plan reflects recommendations by the bipartisan Michigan Transportation Funding Task Force (TF2) that would gradually phase in increased registration fees and taxes on wholesale gas prices that will achieve a "good" level of investment in Michigan's transportation system.

After a five-year period, those increases would generate up to $1.8 billion annually. Initially the price would be reduced by 18-and-a-half cents followed by increases over the five-year period based on average quarterly prices. The maximum cumulative increase enacted in Byrnes' plan would be 34 cents.

According to the TF2, a "good" level of investment will sustain 126,000 Michigan jobs, attract new business and open new global markets for Michigan products and services. The investment is expected to create roughly $41 billion in other economic benefits for all sectors of the Michigan economy.

"There's a 'do nothing' level, which is to decrease revenues, which means that the road commission will have less funding to do what it needs to do to even maintain current levels of maintenance and service," Byrnes said.

If the situation is not handled soon, she says the Washtenaw County Road Commission and other equivalent road authorities throughout he state could be in situation where there isn't enough money to meet local matching fund obligations to qualify for federal road grant money.

"Right now it's predicted by (the Michigan Department of Transportation) that we will lose our federal match money unless we increase the revenue."

In some cases federal grant monies fund up to 80 percent of projects, with a requirement that the local government in charge of the road jurisdiction in which the project resides fund the project to the required level. If a local road authority can't do that then the money goes to the next project down the list.

This will happen if revenues remain flat in the face of rising worker and material costs, Byrnes said.

In some cases road authorities may divert funds from regular maintenance like snowplowing, minor road repair and easement lawn management to stretch their budgets enough to meet those matching obligations. In either case it's not an ideal situation for the road authority of the residents, Byrnes said.

"It means you will have fewer services than you have now and less opportunity to repair the roads," she said. "What Washtenaw County does and we're trying to do is have an asset management program on their roads so they know what condition they're in and they determine what roads need to be fixed based on the condition that they're in, so what's going to happen is when we have less money you're going to have fewer projects being done.

Part of Byrnes' package of proposed legislation also involves increases to vehicle registration fees for vehicles past certain price thresholds. Owners of vehicles worth less than $13,000 would not be affected. Those who drive higher valued vehicles would see a 10 percent increase to the registration feee during the first year and 20 percent increases in subsequent years up to five years.

"If you're driving a car worth $50,000 then you're paying more than someone who drives a car worth $20,000," Byrnes explained. "These are user fees are for people who are using the roads. We're just asking people to pay for the roads that they drive on."

There has been no increase to registration fees in the last 12 years, she added.

Byrnes acknowledged the timing of the proposed legislation with the current recession.

"We know it's a difficult economy out there, but it can't be stressed enough – terrible road conditions cost us jobs," Byrnes said. "On the other hand, healthy roads are a precursor to a strong economy. The Legislature cannot afford to let more time go by without properly fixing our roads – it only delays our economic recovery."

Solving the problem and treating those affected by the fee with a gloved hand were the intentions that Byrnes and fellow committee members had when decided to phase the increases to wholesale gas prices and vehicle user fees over the five-year period.

Byrnes says she is also trying to spearhead legislation that would make it mandatory for local road authorities to maintain and asset management system whereby roads are routinely evaluated and scheduled for maintenance rather than waiting for word-of-mouth complaints to signal need for road work.

Counties would also be able to place a ballot initiative before voters authorizing local fee collection in driver's license fees or a TIF (tax increment financing) to capture taxes based on future property values.

Counties would also be eligible for a state match of 8 percent of the local match when collaborating on inter-county corridor projects.

"What we would be doing is providing the counties tools to (raise road funds)," Byrnes said. "Right now they don't have the authority to do that, so we're just trying to find other tools in our toolbox so counties and people can do more for road infrastructure."

Government Roundup

Schauer votes to reform financial markets

Congressman Mark Schauer, D-District 7, joined colleagues on both sides of the aisle on Monday to pass legislation to strengthen federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies' ability to fight financial fraud, protect taxpayers' money, and help prevent another economic crisis. The bill now heads to the President's desk for his signature.

"We inherited an economic and financial mess which will take some time to fix, but this is a smart step in the right direction to help turn our economy around," said Schauer. "This bill protects consumers and will help restore accountability to the financial and housing markets. It will also help us understand the causes of this economic crisis to prevent it from happening again."

The Fraud Enforcement and Recovery Act of 2009 (S-386) will increase accountability for corporate and mortgage frauds by amending criminal statutes and providing additional funds for government agencies to investigate and prosecute the financial crimes that have significantly contributed to the recent economic crisis. It will ensure TARP and Recovery funds are spent wisely by giving law enforcement agencies additional tools to guard against fraud.

Additionally, the bill establishes a Financial Markets Inquiry Commission, modeled after the 9/11 Commission, to examine the root causes and factors leading up to the worst financial crisis since the Great Depression and offer regulatory guidelines to prevent future fiscal crises.

County schools get 'green' money

Schauer voted in favor of legislation last week that will improve public schools, create clean energy jobs, reduce our dependence on foreign oil and lower energy costs for taxpayers. The 21st Century Green High-Performing Public School Facilities Act passed by the House last week will invest $214,000 in Washtenaw County schools in the 7th congressional district in order to boost the economy now and help prepare children for the jobs of the future.

"This is exactly the kind of smart investment we need to boost our economy now and cut long-term energy costs," said Schauer. "At a time when school districts across the state have had to make painful choices, this bill will help offset budget cuts, modernize aging facilities, create jobs, and reduce our dependence on foreign oil."

According to the House Education and Labor Committee, local school districts are expected to receive the following funding amounts for FY2010 under the House-passed bill:

- Chelsea, $36,000
- Dexter, $39,000
- Manchester, $24,000
- Saline, $53,000
- Whitmore Lake, $62,000

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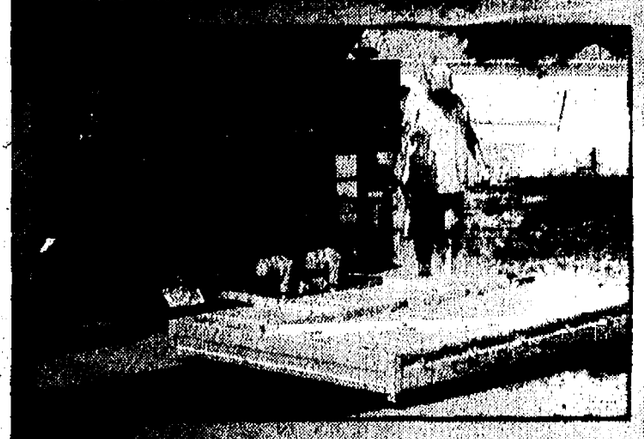
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Two camps on tap at MFC

By Sheila Pursglove
Special Writer

Fun and games in the woods are on tap in two half-day summer camps at the Michigan Friends Center at 7748 Clarks Lake Road north of Chelsea.

A camp under the direction of Laura Ross, executive director and founder of Motive: PEACE Inc., will run from 1 to 5 p.m. June 15-19. Children from kindergarten to eighth grade will spend the week exploring in nature and developing values.

Motive: PEACE was born from a desire to see programming for children and youth that allowed them to have a great deal of fun while working on important social life skills, Ross says.

"Each child leaves with a brighter and shinier sense of self and of the idea of peace. Our kids find out that blindfolds, laughter, hula hoops, funny situations and loud, active communication is peaceful.

"It's totally fun games – we sing, learn different crafts, run around, find joy. It's silliness, friends, creativity and fun – wrapped around greatly creative outdoor games, crafts, thoughtfulness and songs."

Developing programs for children to spend time outdoors, building connections to nature and each other, and offering outlets for creativity were the reasons behind building summer camp programming at Michigan Friends Center, says Elaine Economou, former executive director of MFC.

"There are so many opportunities for children in our area, we wanted to create unique programs that really connect to the essence of our mission and our setting.

"When we are competing with all the great sports camps, art camps and other opportunities in our area, it's hard to have a child say yes to a camp called Peace Camp. Once kids get there, they realize that it has all the elements of summer camp – tie-dyeing t-shirts, arts and crafts, singing songs, silly games, nature hikes – but it's all in the context of building confidence in kids making good choices, conflict resolution, working on a team and so much more."

Artist Eva Leventer will repeat last year's very successful "Forest Adventures" camp for children ages 6 to 9, from 9 a.m. to noon July 13 to 17.

"I'll be teaching all new projects, such as bark houses with natural materials, and woodland creatures, and students will learn how to draw and sculpt animals," Leventer says. "I like to combine drawing techniques with creative exploratory projects.

"Last year, students had a wonderful time creating art projects, playing games and going on hikes. There was a nice balance of structured and unstructured time. I liked how the different age kids played together and helped each other with their work and play. They were always looking for lizards and frogs together or playing on the swings."

Leventer, who learned watercolor painting and drawing at the Rudolf Steiner School and majored in painting at Earlham College, earned a teaching certificate last fall from Eastern Michigan University. She spent the winter months as a substitute teacher and held an art show to pay for a two-month volunteer opportunity in Monteverde, Costa Rica where she has been immersed in the cloud forest teaching at a bilingual, international Quaker Friends school.

She also has taught at Richmond Friends School, Ann Arbor Art Center, Chelsea Center for the Arts and at New Beginnings Academy, and this summer will teach seven camps for ages 3 to 15 at her home.

"Eva's ability to work with young children and help them draw their experiences in the forest into their artwork is really wonderful," Economou says. "Her background in Waldorf education has really prepared her well for this young age group and she creates the most incredible projects for the kids, weaving stories and aspects of the natural world into their work."

For information, call 475-1892 or email manager@michiganfriendscenter.org. Further information can be found at www.michiganfriendscenter.org and at www.motivepeace.org.

"We're offering sibling discounts and have adjusted our camp fees this year to reflect this difficult economy," Economou says. "We hope that by offering these quality experiences at a reasonable price, we can attract an even larger group this year."

Circle Time is a great way to get to know one another.

Kids play a favorite ice breaker game called "Sausage" during last year's Peace Camp.

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Apple farmer serves as business consultant

By Sheila Pursglove
Special Writer

Apples and hogs – what a great combination.

The pairing turned into an entrepreneurial venture for Jane Bush, business development specialist for the Food System Economic Partnership (FSEP) and one of the counselors in a series of one-on-one counseling events at McKune Memorial Library May 21, June 18 July 16 and Aug 20.

Bush

The owner of Apple-Schram Orchard – which was the first certified organic apple orchard in Michigan – Bush produces cider, applesauce and apple butter, as well as other farm products and vegetables grown in her hoop house.

With her apple products selling well, Bush turned her attention to pastured-raised pork products. She began pasturing hogs six years ago and was "pulled into the market" by local interest and demand. She direct markets about 60 hogs a year through farmers' markets, and several retail stores. The hogs are pastured and fed a lot of apple pulp and apples, and the meat is processed without nitrates. Bush also is involved with a research project at Michigan State University using hogs as pest control in the orchard.

The founder of the farmers\egg cooperative, Grazing Fields, Bush is committed to sustainability and practices no-till, drip irrigation, integrated pest management, woodlot management, composting, mowing/cover cropping, and rainwater retention.

Through assistance provided by FSEP, Bush has sold produce at University of Michigan dining halls for two seasons and is working with farmers and U-M to source local tomatoes this summer across campus.

A founding board president of Michigan Integrated Food and Farming Systems, Bush recently was named the Eaton County Conservation District "Cooperator of the Year," an award for producers who support district programs, practice and promote wise use of soil, water and natural resources on their farms, and provide agricultural leadership throughout their community.

The goal of FSEP, a non-profit collaboration of urban and rural community and business leaders that launched in early 2005, is to catalyze change in the food system of in Jackson, Monroe, Washtenaw, and Wayne counties by identifying consumer demand and helping farm and food system businesses and entrepreneurs convert that demand into new ventures.

The many issues in the group's sights include eroding infrastructure and connections between farms and communities/markets; dwindling supply of local farm products to regional markets and food banks; loss of farmland due to sprawling development; a rise in food-related health problems and "food deserts" where urban neighborhoods have poor access to healthy foods.

FSEP plans to revitalize urban opportunities through business development and job creation; increased demand and incentives for the re-use and redevelopment of older buildings, particularly as processing and distribution facilities; and reduced unemployment.

Bush's role is to identify new and existing opportunities in the agri-food sector, and help entrepreneurs with business planning.

"What we're aiming to do is to support the entrepreneurial environment in the Chelsea area," Bush says. "In a friendly way, we want folks to come in and talk over their ideas.

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funds are allocated.

The bill authorizes $6.4 billion for school facilities projects for fiscal year 2010, and ensures that school districts will quickly receive funds for school modernization, renovation, and repairs that create healthier, safer, and more energy-efficient teaching and learning climates. It allocates the same percentage of funds to school districts that they receive under Part A of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, except that it guarantees each such district a minimum of $5,000.

More Schauer

Congressman Mark Schauer, D-District 7, issued the following statement last week after voting to pass the 2009 Supplemental Appropriations bill:

"In this time of economic uncertainty, keeping our country safe and secure is more important than ever. This bill will make sure our brave men and women serving overseas have access to the resources they need as we begin implementing the President's plans to bring a responsible end to the war in Iraq and work to stabilize Afghanistan and Pakistan."

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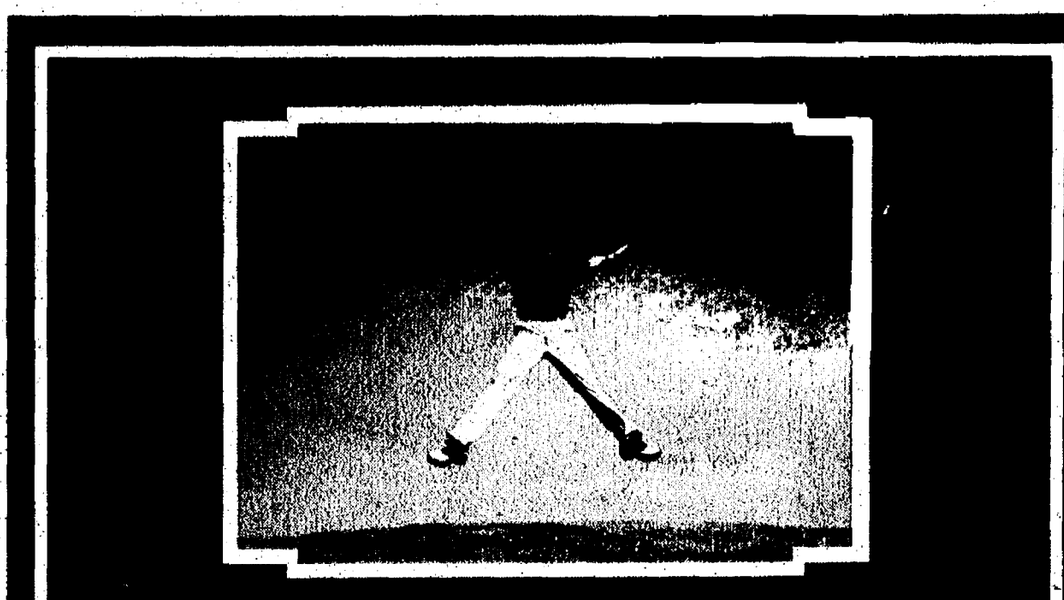

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moved from May to November. I implored DCS four years ago and repeatedly since, to make the change that would put money directly back into the education of our students. Unfortunately, each year the district has unanimously and emphatically rejected the opportunity to save our precious tax dollars.

At the board meeting this past Monday, I will have for the fifth time requested that not only should the district change when district elections be held, but also that the limited resources of this district should be utilized to present a paper to MASB this Fall on how a district can effectively make the change in election dates.

Currently, the DCS has proposed the following topic(s) (as noted in meeting minutes from April 13, 2009): "The Board of Education discussed submitting a couple of proposals for sessions at the 2009 Michigan Association of School Boards Annual Fall Conference. On behalf of the Board of Education, President Larry Cobler will submit two proposals. The two proposals will be childhood obesity and strategic planning."

If you agree that your tax dollars (continually being taken from you each year for all of the necessary needs of the school children of Dexter) should instead be spent directly in the classroom instead of the election booths (for 200-300 voters at uncontested elections), contact the district and let them know.

We are told our students lead the state in performance. Shouldn't we be able to expect the same from our Trustees in managing our tax dollars?

Finally, reduce our carbon footprint by having us only going to the voting polls once per year as we exercise our God given democratic rights.

Shawn Letwin
Webster Township

To the Editor: We would like to inform the citizen's of Chelsea of a blight problem that exists within our community. I encourage everyone to drive past the Washtenaw Road Commission yard that sits amidst a thriving residential community at the intersection of Wilkinson and West Middle Street. For years this yard has stuck out like a sore thumb in our community. However, its activity was relatively mild and homeowners on West Middle were spared the decrepit view on either side by a wall of trees.

Last week, we arrived home to find a tree service companies trucks scattered throughout the street as they began cutting down and severely trimming trees that were in close proximity to the yard. As a result, our neighbor's tree's, which blocked the view of the yard, were completely cut down. Now as the Garypie's sit on their back deck they stare out into this wasteland of piles of dirt, mud and inactive county vehicles.

Upon inquiring about the activity in the yard we were told that a major improvement project was underway. In fact, the final plans have been approved by both the Chelsea City Council and the Chelsea City Planning Commission. What we're wondering is how in the world they could be so irresponsible?

Chelsea is touted as an idyllic small town where one can shop, live, attend spectacular theatre performances, enjoy magnificent works of art and dine in a notable fine restaurant. It is also an ideal place for baby boomer retirement. Hence, our problem with this Industrial site improvement project which is contained within a residential neighborhood.

Further inspection into this development unveiled several concerns for all of our West Middle Street neighbors. Evidently, a small notice was placed in the Chelsea Standard in August and November of 2008. None of the neighbors were notified in person, writing, or by the placement of a sign acknowledging the project. Upon receiving copies of the Planning Commission board notes concerning the project there was the erroneous statement that neighbors who reside beside the project on the West side had been notified and had no problems with the development so long as their trees were not cut. This action never occurred and is incorrect. It was also noted in those minutes that there were concerns over the landscaping since it is such "harsh terrain" and would be difficult to grow trees, shrubs or bushes of a certain type.

Why didn't the City of Chelsea Planning Commission, which is supposed to be a representative of the people, find this statement alarming? Could it be that this site is already a "brownfield" that needs cleanup, not paving as they plan on doing, to cover up the issues that are present on the site?

Shouldn't the taxpayers of Chelsea be entitled to view a Phase I and Phase II environmental impact study of this site? Or, has one not even been done? What about the vegetable garden's that we plant each year? What have we been ingesting?

The community should also be aware of the fact that the final approved plans contain a new 40 foot tall building which will be placed closest to the East side neighbor that will be a wooden barn like structure. This structure will be used to house salt and Road Commission vehicles. Vehicles that will be filled by a 7,000 gallon diesel fuel tank that will sit above ground next to the wood building that contains more diesel fueled trucks. Please remember as well that trains pass directly beside this structure at least seven times per day and two months ago an Amtrak train zoomed pass this yard completely engulfed in flames. So much that the Chelsea Fire Department was in our back yard checking to make sure that the flames from the train did not engulf our backyard trees.

Why does the Chelsea City Council seem to be unaware of the fact that this site is going to be used as a diesel refuelling site? Is the Chelsea Planning Commission aware of these plans? Does this not change the purpose and activity of the yard and therefore warrant an Environmental impact study if one has not been conducted?

Does the Michigan Department of Transportation know about these plans? What about the Chelsea Fire Chief?

They also plan to build a non-circulating retention pond on this same site. Won't this be an inviting nuisance for the children in this neighborhood? Isn't the City Council concerned with the mosquitoes that it will attract with this standing water? What is their plan for safety and security and shouldn't the surrounding neighbors

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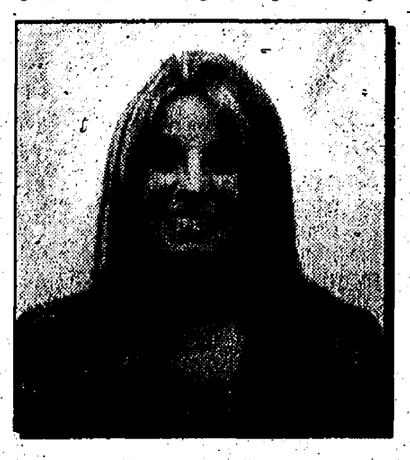

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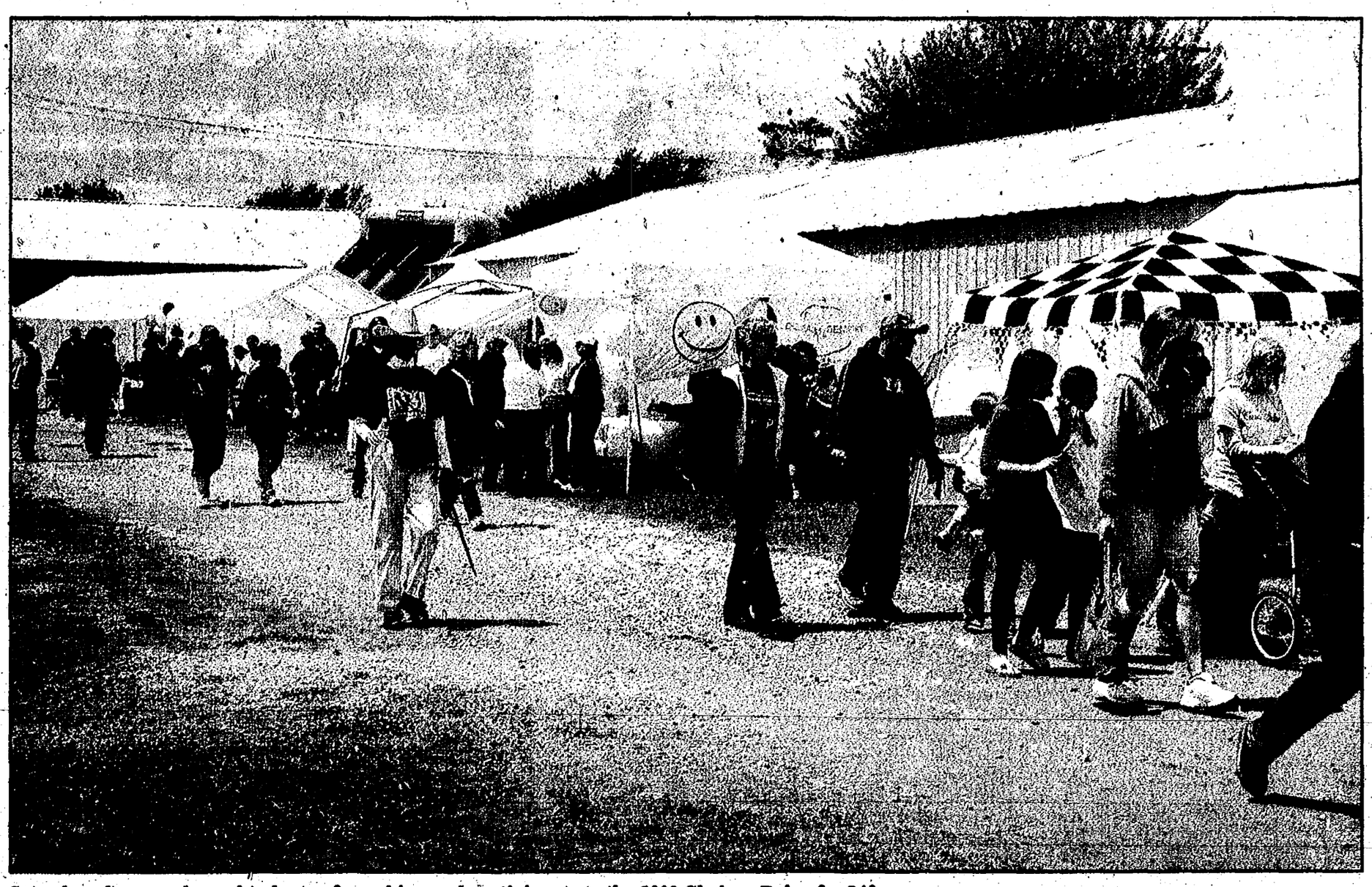
Guest Column

Chelsea's Relay for Life is a team effort

By Jessica Tchoryk
Special Writer



Saturday afternoon brought plenty of sunshine and participants to the 2009 Chelsea Relay for Life.

Walking through the entrance to the Chelsea Fairgrounds I heard the blaring of familiar oldies tunes – perfect to set a fun mood on a sunny, yet cool and breezy day.

The area where the tents were pitched wasn't overly crowded at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, so finding the red-covered awning that senior Sam Keene had set up through the National Honors Society wasn't too challenging. After signing my name to the list and sporting a neon yellow wrist band (a symbol that I was with team NHS), it was time to start walking.

The track was fairly small; it only took a couple minutes to complete one lap, but the music entertainment, dunk tank, inflatable slide for youngsters, and the company of friends while walking made the experience enjoyable and the time pass quickly.

One of the most interesting tents set up had a bra decorating contest, I can only assume to raise money for breast cancer research and awareness. My friends got quite a kick out of the slogan printed on a big white banner reading, "Big or small, love them all."

Throughout the hour and a half that we were there, we saw many people from the community that we knew – from church, to school, to sports organizations. People came to support the cause whether they were a cancer survivor, knew someone who was touched by the disease, or were just there to do what they could to help find a cure for the many that face, or will face, the fight against cancer.

It is due to the dedication and selfless desire of people to serve for such an immense cause that makes charities like the Relay for Life successful. People like Sam Keene, whose idea it was to set up an NHS walking team, and her willingness to dedicate her weekend to the cause and stay at the event for 24 hours.

When we were getting ready to leave, I was left with one lasting impression: Walkers were being asked via megaphone as they walked by, "how are you going to fight back against cancer?"

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another approximately 200 participated, helping to walk the track for a solid 24 hours.

It was hard and at times, it was miserable, but the experience is meant to remind people how hard and miserable fighting cancer can be. The participants stuck with it and were determined to fight back against cancer and everything that cancer can take from its' victims and their loved ones.

Relay is also a time to celebrate for those that have beat cancer and for the advances made in cancer research and education.

There was celebration with music, games, dancing and lots of fun. Not only did DJ Devin O'Brien provide emcee and musical entertainment for all 24 hours but several bands took the stage including Bull Halsey, Afternoon Round and The Cadillac Cowboys. Folk guitarist, Jerry Sprague, entertained while Jeff Boyer, The Magic Guy, put on one of his renowned magic shows for the kids and the young at heart.

Remembrance is another very important piece of Relay for Life. Remembering those lost to cancer and continuing the fight in their memory and honor is done through the annual luminary ceremony.

Rick Eder, Chelsea's Farm Bureau agent, read approximately 750 names during this year's 90 minute ceremony meant, not only as a remembrance, but also a sign of solidarity for those currently fighting cancer. The track was lined with white luminary bags decorated with the names of those honored.

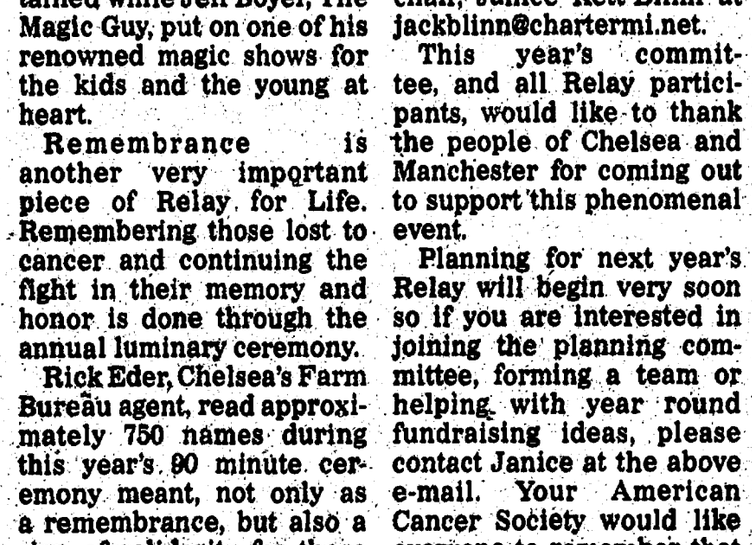
Many stayed lit well into the early morning hours, which some feel is truly a sign of the commitment and hope that Relay for Life gives to all of us.

Relay for Life of 2009 is "in the books" so to speak however the planning committee would like to remind everyone that the fiscal year for the '09 event does not end until August 31, 2009.

If you would still like to make a donation, please contact someone you know that is involved in Relay or contact event chair, Janice Kett-Blinn at jackblinn@chartermi.net.

This year's committee, and all Relay participants, would like to thank the people of Chelsea and Manchester for coming out to support this phenomenal event.

Planning for next year's Relay will begin very soon so if you are interested in joining the planning committee, forming a team or helping with year round fundraising ideas, please contact Janice at the above e-mail. Your American Cancer Society would like everyone to remember that they are here so that those who face cancer will be supported, that those who have lost their battle will not be forgotten and that one day, cancer will be eliminated.



Jason Zao is all smiles at Chelsea's Relay for Life.

Dexter's Relay

The Dexter Relay for Life takes place on Saturday and Sunday, June 20-21 on the track behind Cornerstone Elementary School on Dan Hoey Road. Everyone is welcome. There will be many family activities, food, music and just plain fun. Mark your calendar and plan to attend this community event.

To contact the American Cancer Society at their 24/7 cancer hotline, please dial 1-800-ACS-2345.

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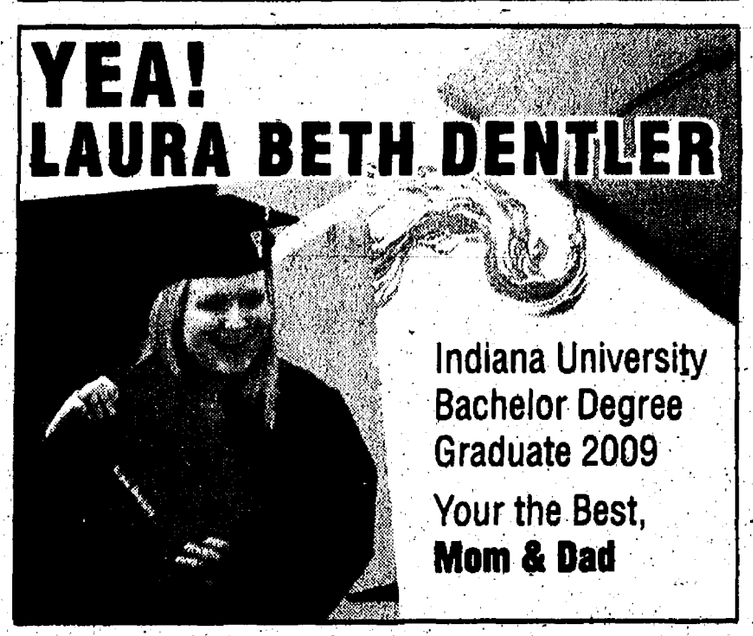

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Evidence of mythical creatures appear here

Mysterious house left on the front porch of the Garden Mill.

Upon opening the doors for business last Friday, Trinh Pifer, owner of the Garden Mill in Chelsea, discovered a mysterious house left on her front porch. The miniature house was made out of a 12-inch tree stump with a private entrance crafted from salvaged artifacts.

There is much speculation as to the origin of the house and the mythical creature that resides in it.

Master gardeners and fairy garden experts, Merrill Crockett and Rita Hermann of Old Friends, offered their opinion that the miniature house is most likely occupied by a gnome because they like to be a part of nature, which might explain why the house was left outside of a garden store. They are also known to be "recyclers" and have an artistic streak. Most of them are friendly enough to humans, but some of them can be mischievous.

After consulting with several local experts, many structural details were noted.

Josh Smith, a two-year intern at Dangerous Architects, noted the braided embossing on the tin panel of the door, typical of 1900's design elements. Lori Winans, from Winans Jewelry, a fourth generation jewelry store in Chelsea, observed that the window was fabricated from a salvaged lens of old reading glasses.

It also was speculated that the small white porcelain doorknob adorning the front door may have come from an old jewelry box.

Rick Detroyer, a local salvage metal artist, identified several components of the house. "Clearly, this is a craftsman trying to make it in the world," he said. "The front door looks to be constructed of an old hinged cookie tin."

Pifer also solicited opinions from fellow Chelsea Area Garden Club members regarding the tree stump house.

Mary Randolph, local resident and hobby arborist, confirmed that the tree stump was a 25-year old ash tree afflicted by the emerald ash borer. She also offered her opinion that the home could be occupied by a leprechaun. Although mostly associated with St. Patrick's Day, these merry little creatures like to live close to humans, but do not like to be seen. They can be very helpful and will exchange good luck and other treasures for goods they can use.

According to Pifer, there was also a note left with the house that said, "To whom it may concern, I have lived in the area for years, but due to toxic loans on my previous address, I am in need of new real estate. If you could find me a corner, I promise not to be in your way."

The note was signed by Ivan Reyorted, a name of perhaps Scandinavian descent. Many young children who saw the house over the weekend thought that it could belong to a brownie, which are invisible elves who live with families in houses and assist those who live there. Sometimes a child might catch a glimpse of them but they do not appear to adults.

Apparently, this is not the first time a mythical creature has left evidence in Chelsea.

Laura Staebler, local resident, also reported another mythical sighting in Chelsea last summer. After a big storm, a 90-foot pine tree had to be cut down from her property and her husband, Adon made a chair from the fallen tree. A week later, a miniature, hand-carved wooden end table magically appeared next to the chair.

"We always welcome creatuIf you would like to give your opinion on the origin of the mysterious house or the creature that lives in it, stop by the Garden Mill or submit them at www.thegardenmill.com.

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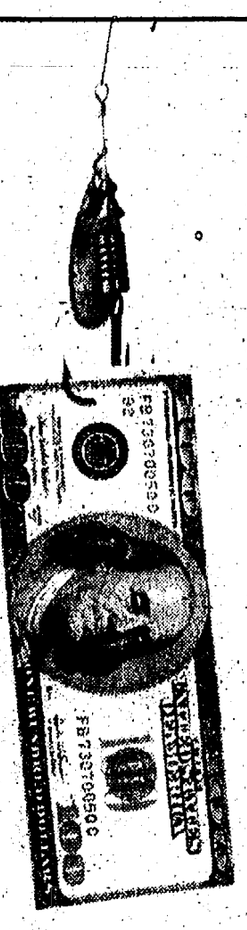

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Rachel Stubbs, a 3rd grade student at Pierce Lake.

ABOVE: Silver Maples residents Jackie Kupisz, Margaret Gillen, and Doris James created these collages with CCA guest artist Nicole Pangas Henry. RIGHT: Pierce Lake student Lexi Clark.

Silver Maples resident Al Mischley congratulates Beach Middle School student Samantha Jabara on her mixed media work, Amate Painting, that celebrates the culture of Mexico.

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says. These bikes have a knobby tire with a solid tread down the center, which allows the bike to roll well on hard packed surfaces, and it has tread for mild trail riding.

"They also come with a front shock for absorbing shock for comfort," he explained. "They are great for beginners and great for young riders."

Standard mountain-bikes offer many options and price points. They are more durable and made for trail riding. They come with shocks that are designed more for control than shock absorption and are built with adjustments for rider weight, as the pros explain it. The components are made of better materials for additional durability over the recreational counterpart.

Mountain bikes also come in front and full suspension designs, which is another thing to consider. This configuration determines where the shock absorbers are located. Riders who like their terrain dirty should go with full suspension for maximum impact absorbtion.

"These bikes will have you lean over more for better weight distribution for climbing and descending on the trail," Casey said.

Perhaps more suited for the casual rider or seniors, the "comfort bike" is designed to have the rider sit in an upright position taking all pressure off the hand and shoulders and back. The saddles are large and comfortable and most come with shocks on the seat post and fork. These can be ridden on local roads, dirt road and paths.

Road bikes are designed very precisely for long rides. They are made in many styles using many materials. They're the most visibly common type of bike in the Dexter-Chelsea area, noticeable for the dropped handlebars and skinny high pressure tires,

Road bikes come in various forms. The two main forms are road racing and sport road. Most of the weekend warriors folks see riding around are on lightweight and fast Tour de France style road bikes. Sport road bikes are the same except the frame and equipment are adapted to be more comfortable.

"The bikes have a reputation of being uncomfortable but in recent years with design and materials the bikes are as comfortable as we could have ever expected," Casey says. "These bikes are the lightest and most expensive on average in the store."

Those still on the fence at this point could consider hybrids. Hybrids bring elements of comfort and recreational mountain-bikes into one package, while sharing the same wheel size as the road bike. It's a good bike for long rides, but on the other hand they're built for milder conditions. It's a great bike for both dirt and road surfaces with some features of the road bike without the high cost.

Turck says the most common for of bicycling he sees is casual recreation, which is best, suited for the hybrid. "These bikes put the rider in an upright, comfortable position, enhanced with a comfy seat and shock absorbers ... hybrids are suitable for riding around the neighborhood, rails-to-trails paths, and campgrounds."

Mountain bikes are very popular in Dexter, according to Turck. They're similarly versatile and can be ridden "practically anywhere."

With all of that side: both bike shop owners feel that someone with no prior bicycling knowledge should be well armed enough to make a decision.

But first – riders need gear, and not just a helmet.

"Essential gear to manage your riding experience includes a tire pump, bike tool, spare tube, patch kit, and a seat bag to put those items into," Turck says.

It's not worth it to scrimp on these items to save money either, when you consider what these items are for – dealing with a flat, dealing with road damage or malfunction, replacing an unsalvageable tube or patching a salvageable one.

It's a long dull walk both ways on Dexter-Chelsea Road.

"Water bottle and cage are needed for hydration and it's a good idea to pack some nutrition bars for longer rides," Turck warns. Bicycling is fun, but it's still exercise so some of the same common sense called for at the gym applies.

Now repeat three times – helmet-helmet-helmet.

"Helmets are insurance against serious head trauma," he added. "Also, protect the eyes from bugs by wearing sunglasses, and protect your hands by wearing bike gloves. The padding in bike shorts surely helps keep you more comfortable. You can wear your regular shorts over the top of the bike shorts if you don't want to sport the spandex look."

Casey recommends a mounted computer unit that records mileage, riding time and speed. Some of them even come with navigation software and maps for the real out-of-the-way trips or for bicyclists who use their new wheels as an alternative to an automobile for commuting to work, school or other places of business in unfamiliar metropolitan areas.

Flashing lights become essential the later and darker it gets during preferred ride times.

So now it's time to ride. What is in store for the new bicyclist and where can they go?

"The cool thing about bicycling is that it's fun," says Turck. "You don't have to go far, or fast to have fun on a bike. There are also many health benefits of bike riding.

"Bike riding provides terrific cardiovascular exercise and high calorie burn, but with minimal impact on the body, compared to jogging for example. Bicycle exercise can help people with high blood pressure, diabetes, and weight control. Bicycling offers a great way for family bonding and family exercise too. Trailer buggies and pull behind bikes offer adults a chance to take the toddlers along."

Turck recommends for those seeking paved or improved paths the Hudson Mills Metropark path and the Lakelands Trail (Rails-to-Trails path) from Hamburg to Stockbridge.

The Hudson Mills Path is expected to connect to the Dexter village by the fall of 2010, and continue along Mill creek as part of the county wide initiative plan.

Mountain bikers enjoy the great Potowatomi Trail system in the Pinckney State Recreation Area, according to Turck.

"It was named top 50 in the country by Mountain Bike Magazine," he said. "But there are also great trails at Brighton and Island Lake Recreation Areas which are 30 minutes from Dexter. Island Lake is a good place for beginners."

Casey recommends, of course, Dexter-Chelsea Road and the downtown area, as well as echoing the suggestions Turck gave, while adding Falling Water Trail in Jackson for folks in that area or who don't mind a bit of a hike.

Asked why bicycling is so prevalent in the area, Turck attributes the fact to the proximity of the University of Michigan. He says that is what formed the core of the bicycling community, but something else is causing its growth over the past several years.

"There is a snowball effect happening, where more people are jumping on the cycling bandwagon for fun and fitness," he said "When gasoline goes back up we expect to see another surge in ridership as people are forced to make transportation decisions based on financial need, rather than health reasons, lifestyle reasons, or environmental reasons."

Bikes are also a great way to meet other people. Casey sold a girl a bike in Chicago 18 years ago and on top of a sale, got a wife out of the deal.

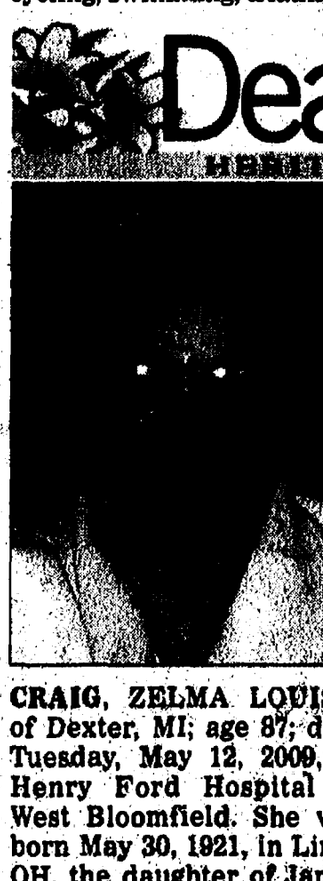
"I don't ever feel like I'm working out on a bike when I'm riding and it can be a great opportunity," he said.

Jeffrey Turck is a Michigan State University graduate, who co-founded the Michigan Mountain Biking Association. He worked for the Cannondale Bicycle Corporation as director before opening Dexter Bike & Sport, LLC in Dexter, where they promote cycling, swimming, triathlon and running.

Mike Casey started working at a bicycle store in Chicago at age 15 in 1980. After managing two top dealerships he moved to Chelsea 14 years ago with his wife. He worked for Trek, Schwinn, Bontrager, Klein and Yeti before opening Aberdeen Bike & Fitness in Chelsea in 2003.

The shop relocated earlier this year in January and changed its name to Aberdeen Bike & Outdoor. The shop carries kayaks and other outdoor equipment and clothing, in addition to bikes.

For more information on Dexter Bike & Sport visit www.dexterbikeandsport.com or call 1-734-426-5900, and for more information on Aberdeen Bike & Fitness visit www.aberdeenbike.com or call 1-734-475-8203.



Aberdeen Bike & Fitness in Chelsea has a wide variety.

Bicyclist resources

Michigan Mountain Bike Association

The Potawatomi Chapter is a 250 plus member branch of the MMBA. The group is a diverse collection of riders who's enthusiasm for mountain biking and dedication to local trails makes them an exciting group to belong to.

The group's busy calendar offers plenty of opportunity to participate in a broad variety of activities, as little or often as a bicyclist likes.

Named after one of the greatest trails in the state, the Poto Chapter helps preserve and maintain several local trail systems. In addition, they organize annual trips and events as well as weekly rides.

Those interested are encouraged to come out and join the group for a ride or meet its members in Ann Arbor for one of their chapter meetings. Those interested in helping with the trail can check the calendar for the next workday on the "Poto" or at Brighton.

Washtenaw Biking and Walking Coalition

The Washtenaw Bicycling and Walking Coalition promotes transportation options that make sense for a sustainable and livable community. The coalition is dedicated to increasing the quality and quantity of bicycling and walking opportunities in Washtenaw County through advocacy and education.

The WBWC is comprised of local organizations, agencies and retail stores, as well as individual cyclists and walkers.

WBWC meetings are generally held the first Thursday of every month, 7 p.m. at the Ecology Center, 117 N. Division St. (1/2 block north of Huron), Ann Arbor. They typically last 1 to 2 hours.

Ann Arbor Bicycle Touring Society

The Ann Arbor Bicycle Touring Society (AABTS) organizes group day trips for road and mountain bike enthusiasts. AABTS also plans out-of-state tours and publish a bimonthly ride calendar and newsletter. Annual dues are $15, family $20 (includes discounts at area bike shops and mileage recognition patches for minimum 500 miles/year).

There is no charge for nonmembers to participate in individual rides. For a 2009 new member or renewal membership form, visit the website below. The site also ahs an Information Center for the latest on ride captains' instructions, rules of the road, and more.

League of Michigan Bicyclists

LMB is a resource for bicyclists looking for guidance on a range of topics, ranging from "must-know" information for every bicyclist in the state, bike commuting and, for the more serious enthusiasts, tour training.

Members can network with each other throughout the organization, as well as learn about initiatives to promote bicycling and learn about trail initiatives around the state that need support.

Death Notices

CRAIG, ZELMA LOUISE; of Dexter, MI; age 87; died Tuesday, May 12, 2009, at Henry Ford Hospital in West Bloomfield. She was born May 30, 1921, in Lima, OH, the daughter of James and Bernadine (Wimmers) Howell. Zelma spent 17 years as a school bus driver for Dexter schools, followed by 15 years as a caregiver for two children of close friends. She was an avid reader and enjoyed knitting. She also enjoyed boating on Base Lake. On May 30, 1941, she married Robert Eldon Craig, Sr., and he preceded her in death on May 29, 1997. They were married 55 years. Survivors include her 9 children, Donald of Naples, FL, James (Pam) of Warne, NC, Joyce (Ted) Saski of West Bloomfield, Janet (Jed) Macey of Tigard, OR, Robert, Jr. (Diane) of Tawas City, Nancy Foust of Brentwood, TN, Bonnie (Dan Sylvester) Craig of Central Lake, Corinne Craig (John) Stolaruk of Michigan Center and Michael of San Diego, CA; 21 grandchildren; 24 great grandchildren; and a brother, Edgar Howell of Milton, FL. She was preceded in death by two grandchildren and her brother, Milton Howell. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Saturday, May 16, at St. Joseph Catholic Church in the Village, 3430 Dover St., Dexter, with Fr. Brendan J. Walsh presiding. A private burial will be at Oak Grove East Cemetery, Chelsea. The family received friends at Cole Funeral Chapel on Friday. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Joseph Catholic Church.

SCHNEIDER, DOROTHY MAE (RETTIG) Van BLARICUM; of Dexter, MI; was born April 2, 1916, in Scio Township to Albert and Effie (Chardon) Rettig; she died May 9, 2009, at the U of M Hospital with her family by her side. Dorothy was raised in the Ann Arbor area and graduated from University High School. On August 26, 1961, she married Kenneth Schneider, and he preceded her in death on December 25, 1996. Dorothy loved to crochet and made many afghans as well as baby hats for newborns at Motts Hospital. She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Harlan and Nancy (Arnold) Van Blaricum; her grandchildren, Bryan Van Blaricum and Heidi Madias; and her great grandchildren, Michael and Miranda Madias; also surviving are her brother-in-law, Royal Bennett; and sister-in-law, Mary (Parks) Rettig; and her stepchildren, Susan Cole and Robert Schneider; and their children. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her siblings, Walter Rettig, Elmer Rettig, Mabel (Rettig) Bennett and Alvin Rettig. Services were held at St. Andrews United Church of Christ in Dexter. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Andrews United Church of Christ. The Hosmer-Muehlig Funeral Home in Dexter provided services.

WARDEN, ROSE L. "Rosebud"; age 80; of Tecumseh; died Tuesday, May 12, 2009 at Herrick Hospital, Tecumseh. She was born August 13, 1928 in Zeigler, IL, the daughter of Henery and Lora (Delaisse) Monier. She was married to James Warden on September 5, 1976 and he survives. Rosebud was a homemaker who enjoyed wood crafting, jewelry making, and traveling. In addition to her husband, James, she is survived by one daughter, Connie (Richard) Frolich of Clinton; two grandsons, Joseph Moore and Shawn (Jennifer) Dreffs and their children, Rylee and Connor Dreffs; one step-son, Lee (Adriana) Warden of Dublin, TX; two step-grandchildren, Lori Rosa and Lynne Comstock; and their nine children. She was preceded in death by her parents, one brother, one half-brother, and one sister. Rosebud was dearly loved and will be greatly missed by all who knew her. Funeral Services will be held on Friday, May 15 at 11 a.m. at the Tecumseh Chapel of Handler Funeral Homes with Fr. David Hudgins of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Adrian, officiating. Rite of Committal to follow in Brookside Cemetery in Tecumseh. Visitation will be held at the funeral home on Thursday from 6 to 8 p.m. and on Friday from 10 a.m. until service time. Memorial contributions in Rose's name may be made to Lenawee County Department of Aging. Condolences may be offered to the family at www.handlerfuneralhomes.com

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Relay for Life: In photos

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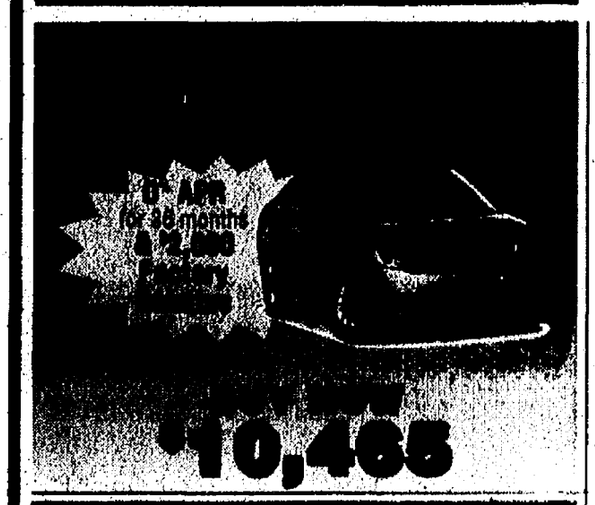

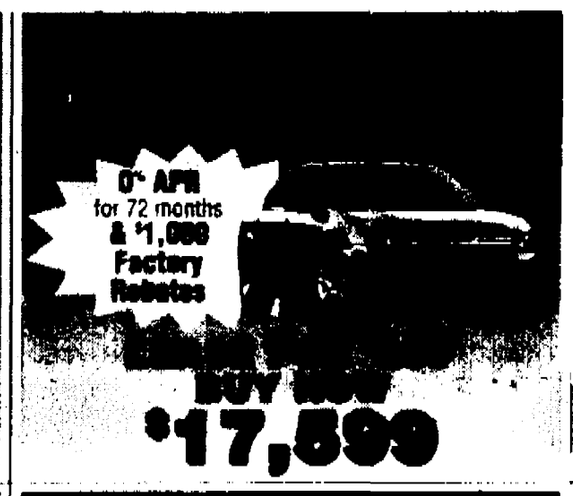

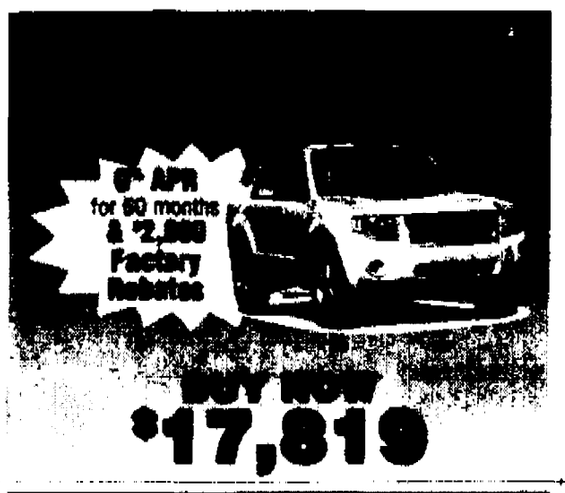

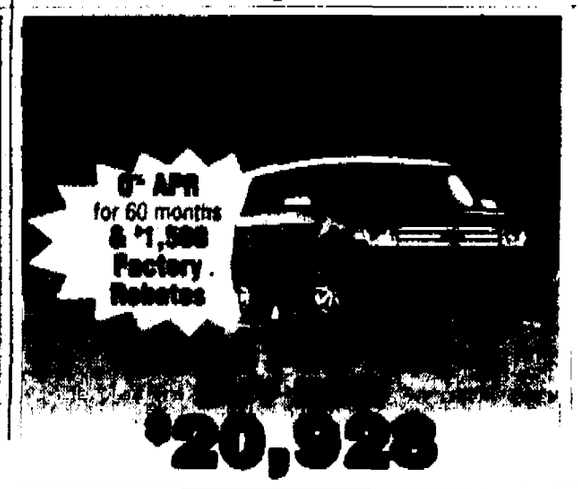

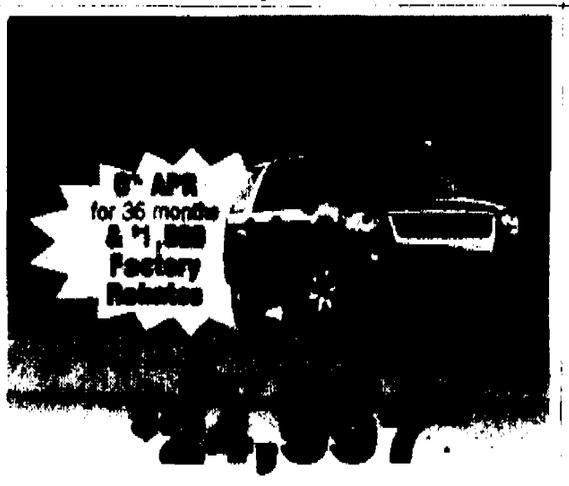

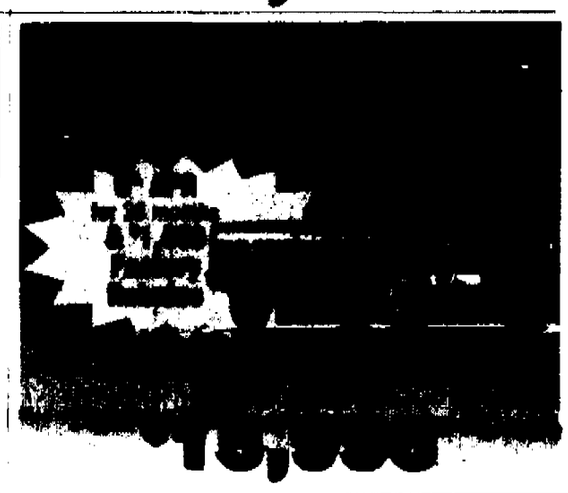

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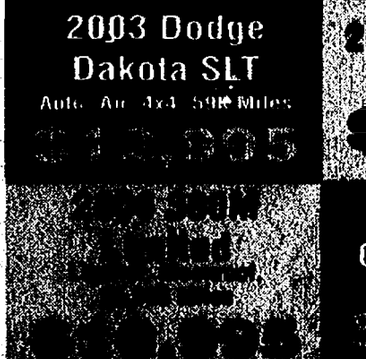

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Chelsea City Council, Chelsea City Planning Commission, Washtenaw County Road Commission we ask of you...What is the REAL plan?

What about environmental issues, grating issues, noise ordinance issues; diesel fuel fumes and air quality issues, landscaping plans, retention pond safety and security issues, draining and plane issues?

The neighbors who reside in close proximity to the yard already have their basement's flood due to the runoff from this industrial yard. Won't paving the entire site make the problem worse?

We need answers and we need them now. This should be a concern of the entire community as it affects all of us who cares about the future welfare of our fair city.

Robert and Lisa Garyple, Jill Frisbie, Fredrick and Suzanne Herendeen, Wendell and Sally Jackson, Don Richter, Allan and Kathleen Eales

TASERS

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simulation, participants found themselves in scenarios in which they had to decide in milliseconds whether to use deadly force.

Even though they know it's just a game, the folks going through the training exercise get a good sense of the high-intensity conflicts that police officers face each day on the job.

Now, magnify that by a thousand when it comes to real-life situations, and you can begin to see the difficulties inherent in modern-day policing.

That's why the Taser should remain an option for officers on the street.

Many of the deaths in which Tasers have been implicated are linked to health problems of the victims, or the fact that they are under the influence of illegal drugs.

Police officers are not mind-readers and they certainly are not capable of making a medical diagnosis in a dark alley when a criminal suspect — who may be armed — is resisting arrest.

Warren Mayor James Fouts reportedly has ordered a review of the use of Tasers by Warren's police. That may be prudent in lieu of the teenager's death. But after the review, we believe the Taser will and should continue to be an option for Warren and all police agencies.

As Bouchard notes, the Taser is another tool in the tool box available to law enforcement officers when trying to arrest someone safely.

And the safety of both the officer and suspect are always and should be top priorities.

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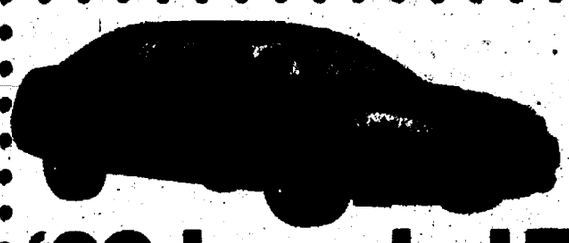

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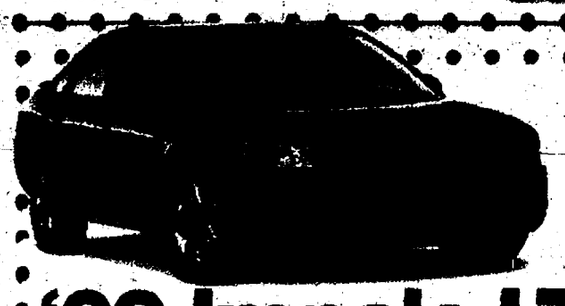

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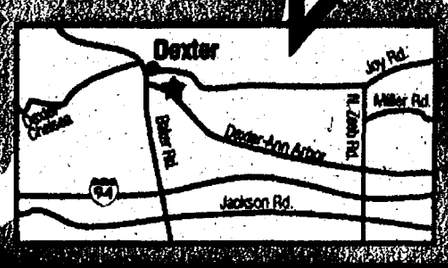

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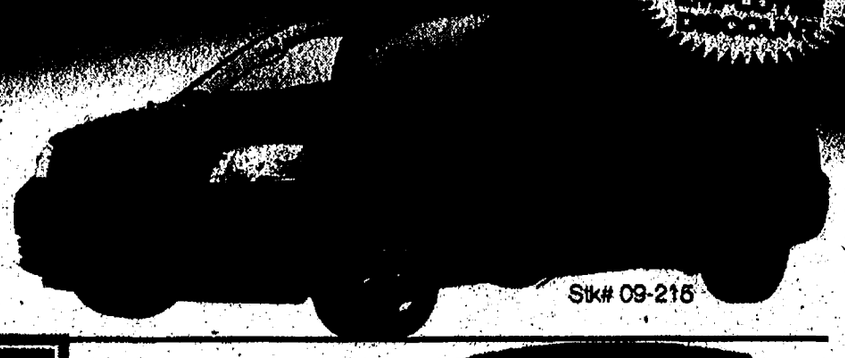

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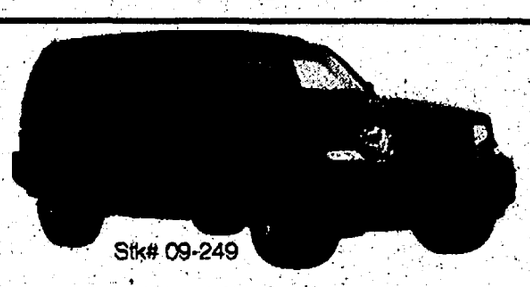

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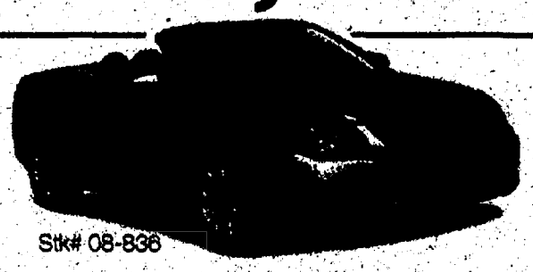

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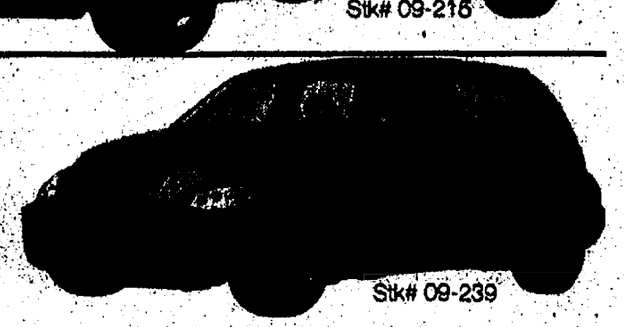

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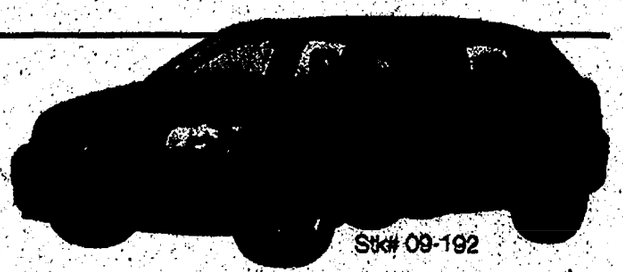

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McKune hosts first Comedy Showcase

The Chelsea District Library and the Ann Arbor Comedy Showcase will present the first Chelsea District Library Comedy Showcase. Enjoy top comedians and energetic acts right here in Chelsea for free.

The hilarity begins on Thursday evenings at 7 p.m. on the Library lawn. The A2 Comedy Showcase has selected first rate comedians with strong performance history and humor to share.

"We love comedy at the A2 Comedy Showcase and anything we can do to promote comedy anywhere is good for the comedy business. When asked to help out with the shows at the Chelsea District Library we had to jump on it to expose more people to stand up comedy. We wanted to be sure that the Library had quality shows to present to the public," says Roger Feeny, general manager of the A2 Comedy Showcase.

The headliners will be preceded by two opening acts. The dates are May 28, June 4, June 11 and June 18.

Mike Green kicks off the series on May 28 with his infectious enthusiasm and entertaining stories to keep the crowd in stitches. Mike has worked with such luminaries as Tim Allen and Jerry Seinfeld. He has a polished act that he has performed in 48 states.

Gary George, who will perform on June 4, has been described as a cross between Woody Allen and Bob Newhart and finds humor in offbeat situations.

Kevin McPeek will perform on June 11 with his wisecracking comedy and mischievous attitude. McPeek is a master at getting the crowd on his side, teaching them his signature asides ("buddy," "pal," "dud") and tossing good-natured insults when deserved.

Chili Challis will wrap up the Showcase on June 18. Chili is a former staff writer and current contributing writer for NBC's Tonight Show.

"The only thing better than live stand -up comedy is free, live stand- up comedy," Feeny said.

In case of inclement weather, shows will be held in McKune.

Garage Sale

Silver Maples of Chelsea, a non-profit retirement community, will host a Community Garage Sale on Thursday, May 21, and Friday, May 22. All money raised will be donated to the Silver Maples Employee Scholarship Program. Items are being collected for the sale from Silver Maples staff, residents, and volunteers and include furniture, collectibles, household wares, and plenty of other treasures.

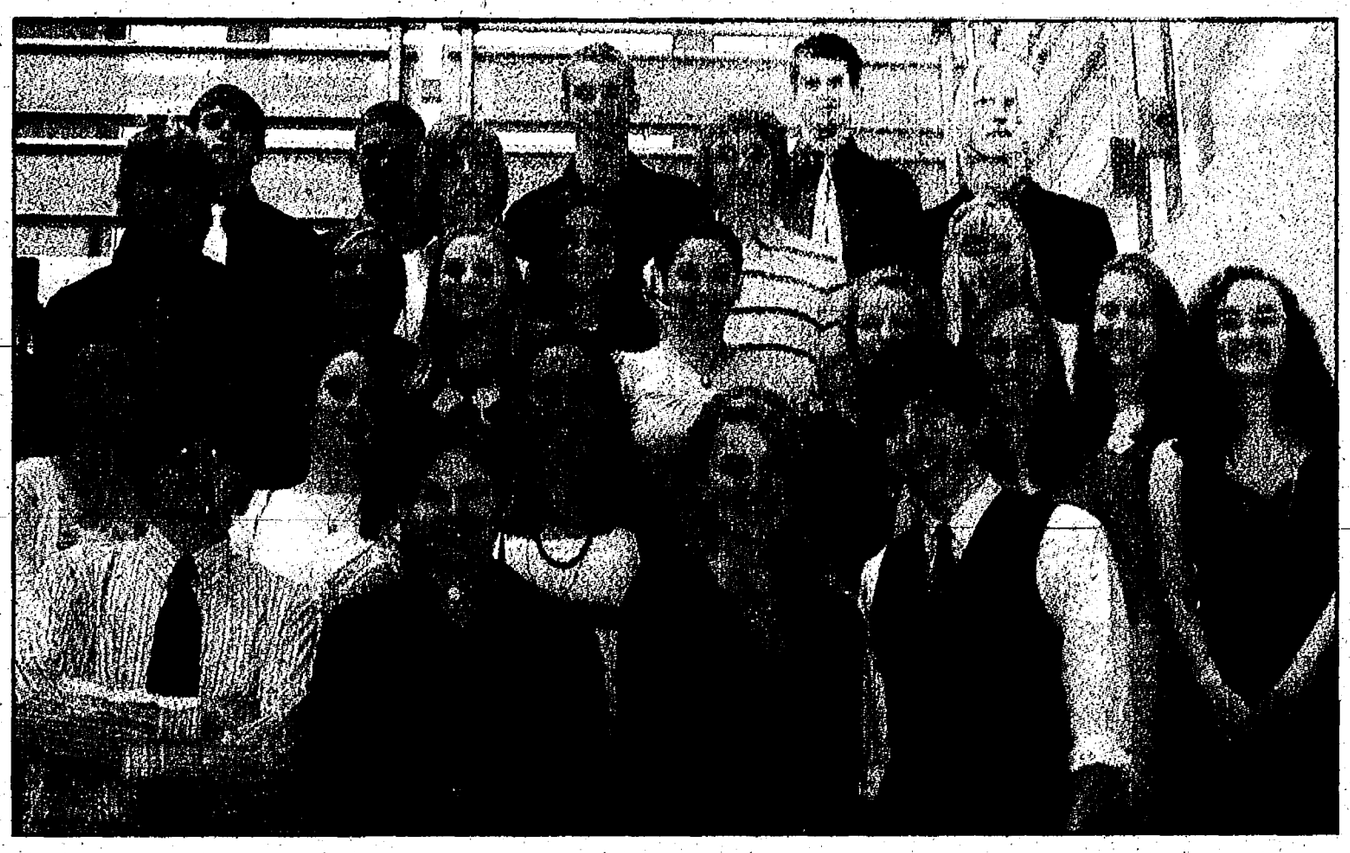
The Courtyard Café will be open and will offer garage sale customers who purchase $10 or more in merchandise a coupon for $2 off whole sandwich or $1 off the daily special. Customers who purchase $5 or more in garage sale merchandise will receive a coupon for a free fountain drink or chips. The Café offers grilled sandwiches, hot soup, fresh salads, ice cream, coffee, and more.

Sale hours will be Thursday, May 21, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Friday's hours are 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Most garage sale merchandise will be reduced to 50 percent off on Friday after Noon.

For more information, call (734) 475-4111.

Grade A

Chelsea High School students, faculty honored for excellence



Forty-nine students were honored at the 36th annual Cum Laude Awards Banquet on Wednesday, May 13 at Chelsea High School. These students nominated 37 educators as having been an influence in their achievement of academic excellence. This program is co-hosted by the Modern Mothers Study Club of Chelsea and Chelsea High School. The Modern Mothers served dinner and dessert to the honorees, their parents and nominated educators. The guest speaker of the evening was former CHS student and current teacher at South Meadows, Amy Doma.

Cum Laude

Kristin Angelocci, Michael Baker, Amy Bokros, Joel Boyce, Jenna Bumstead, Katlin Cottrell, Hannah Crowder, Brooke Ehman, Riley Feeney, Cameron Girard, Kimberly Hansen, Noah Hermann, Jack Hermann, Todd Kruse, Robert Kucinski, Katherine Lindauer, Margaret Amelia Raines, Audrey Ruikka, Krystin Schwarze, Anna Kateri Schwiebert, Claire Stephens, David Stratman, Jordan Veenstra.

Magna Cum Laude

Matthew Bach, Kendra Beeman, Rebecca Brezee, Benjamin Christie, Randall Cox, Ann Howe, Kelly Mavsal, William Murdock III, Sophia Pappas, Amanda Patton, Scott Rhodes, Nicole Saarinen, Kathryn Steklac, Michael Stratman, David Valek, Nicholas Weir.

Suma Cum Laude

Erin Benjamin, Kimberly Eckart, Stephanie Everard, Kayleigh Fletcher, Alyson Gines, Duncan Harris, Abby Lewis-Lakin, Zoe Rozsa, Sarah Shrosbree, Jessica Tchoryk.

Educators

Andrea Bareis, Andrea Bavineau, Mario Bearman, Mary Boyce, Rick Catherman, Pat Clarke, Heather Conklin, Dianne Crandell, Patricia DeYoe, Jed Fritzemeier, Shawn Hayes, Mark Helms, Steve Hinz, Heather Hugg, Sandy Inman, David Jolly, Toni Kinsey, Beth Kirton, Karen Kurcz, Marta Learman, Jenni Linde, Michael Lott, Laura Lutz, Caitlin McKeighan, Chris Orlandi, Marcy Ott, Matt Pedlow, Kim Potocki, Dawn Putnam, Robin Raymond, Rahn Rosentreter, Luman Strong, Eric Swager, Adam Taylor, Fred Ulisse, Karen Wineland, John Zaines.

Ministerial Message Our lives – straight or crooked paths?

By Mark Porinsky

In our Wednesday evening Women's Bible Study a few months ago we were discussing the Bible passage, "In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight" (Proverbs 3:6). One very fine Christian woman said, "Is that really true? Sometimes it seems that the paths the Lord leads you in are really crooked." She went on to cite people who lose their jobs and get relocated.

The answer, of course, is that God has a different way of looking at things than we do. What seems crooked to us might be perfectly straight to Him, and what looks straight to us often looks very crooked to Him. He has His spiritual and eternal purposes for our lives, and these might be quite different from the way our lives play out in the physical realm He might lead us down a very crooked road, physically, to keep us on the spiritually straight path.

I think of my family from the Czech Republic. My great-grandfather moved from there in 1891 (at the time it was called Bohemia, and was part of the Austrian Empire) and settled in New York for a brief time, then moved to Cleveland, and eventually to the Milwaukee area. He came, I strongly suspect, for mostly economic reasons: I think Bohemia was not a good place to earn a living, so he took a crooked path to America, the land of opportunity.

Two generations later his grandson, who is my father, came in contact with the message of Jesus Christ, and believed it, and is now with his Savior in heaven. His three children, my brother and sister and I, are believers in Jesus Christ, and so are his twelve grandchildren and a few great-grandchildren. It might have been a crooked path physically, filled with turns and many frustrations that I'm hardly aware of. But it led our family to the straight spiritual path of trust in Jesus Christ that leads to eternal life. This Christian faith would have been out of the question, humanly speaking, if my family had simply remained in their small town in Bohemia, enduring two world wars and domination first by Soviet communism and then by Czechoslovakian communism.

Your life might often seem to be a crooked path. You might have specific goals and dreams in mind, yet you have to watch helplessly as your life drifts farther and farther away from those goals and dreams. Think about this: Someone else might have other plans for your life, much better plans than you could imagine, plans that include an eternity of happiness with your God and Savior Jesus Christ. Your God wants you to be with Him forever. "In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight."

Mark Porinsky is the pastor at Faith Lutheran Church, 9575 North Territorial Road, in Dexter. For more information, log onto www.faithdexter.org.

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There are few things more exciting than the roar of 135 motorcycle engines starting up at once, but that was the thrill that several residents of St. Louis Center experienced on Sunday April 26 as the third annual "Blessing of the Bikes" ended on a high note after the riders received their "blessing" from Fr. Joseph Rinaldo, SdC.

More than 160 people were present at St. Louis Center in Chelsea to experience high energy Christian Rock music, tasty food and great camaraderie throughout the day on a beautiful Sunday afternoon.

According to event chair Sheila Fitzgibbons, the purpose of this event is twofold.

"By providing a place for motorcycle enthusiasts to come to on a warm spring day, not only do we generate great exposure for St. Louis Center to a new group of friends, but we also give ourselves another opportunity to raise funds for the Center, which helps to support our residents," she said.

Foresters Financial Partners, Inc. of Livonia was a first time corporate sponsor for the event.

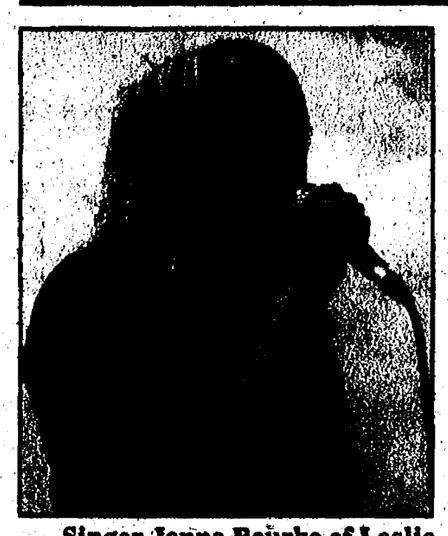
According to local rider and volunteer Lynn Farley, "Although we expected many more people this year, the feedback I got was that the previous day's thunderstorms and weather forecast for the day kept a lot of people away. It actually turned out to be a pretty nice day."

Nearly 30 volunteers were on hand to assist with parking, money collection, food and entertainment.

"The "Biker's Church Band did a great job entertaining the crowd," said Fr. Joseph Rinaldo. "Our newest addition this year was the group known as, Clowns Celebrating Christ, who also entertained our guests. Everyone who came had a great time, and the Lord blessed us abundantly."

Visit www.stlouiscenter.org for more information about St. Louis Center in Chelsea.

Lynn Farley of Chelsea (left) sells raffle tickets to early arrivals with the help of husband Art (right), former owner of Chelsea Motorcycle Supply.



Singer Jenna Rourke of Leslie performs the National Anthem.

Feng and Tony Morrow of Saline (above) show off their custom *Honda motor*cycle, complete with a Chinese dragon paint job.

Fr. Enzo Addari (left) poses with event co-chairs Sheila Fitzgibbons and Richard Ellison of Mason.

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Mostly sunny and warm	Partly cloudy	Partly sunny and nice	Nice with some sun	Times of sun and clouds	Chance of rain	Rain, heavy at times	Times of clouds and sun
77° to 83°	47° to 53°	73° to 79° / 47° to 53°	72° to 78° / 48° to 54°	66° to 72° / 47° to 53°	67° to 73° / 46° to 52°	64° to 70° / 46° to 52°	70° to 76° / 48° to 54°

ALMANAC

Statistics for the week ending Tuesday, May 19

Temperatures:

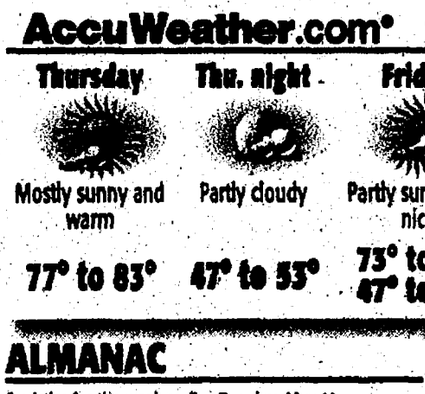
Normal high/low	71°/48°
Normal average temperature	59.4°

Precipitation:

Total for the month	1.40"
Normal for the month	1.80"

PAST WEEK'S TEMPS

Temperatures ● High ● Low



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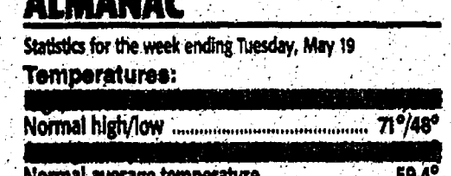

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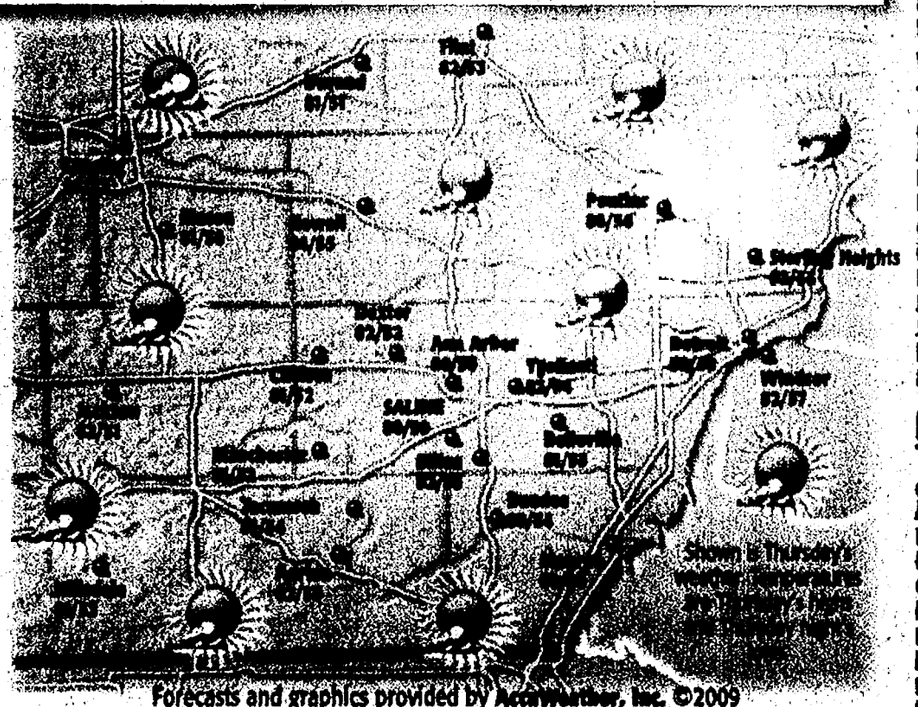

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SUN AND MOON

The Sun	Rise	Set
Friday	6:08 a.m.	8:56 p.m.
Sunday	6:06 a.m.	8:58 p.m.
Tuesday	6:05 a.m.	9:00 p.m.

The Moon	Rise	Set
Friday	4:24 a.m.	7:17 p.m.
Sunday	5:45 a.m.	9:49 p.m.
Tuesday	7:50 a.m.	11:50 p.m.

New ● May 24
First ● May 30
Full ● June 7
Last ● June 15

RIVER LEVELS

As of 7 a.m. Tuesday

Ecorse Creek	Flood stage	Current stage
Huron River		
Mallets Creek		
Mill Creek		
River Raisin		

LAKE LEVELS

Lake	Normal	Current
Lake St. Clair	575 ft	574.83 ft

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City	Thu. Hi/Lo/W	Fri. Hi/Lo/W	Sat. Hi/Lo/W
Ann Arbor	80/50/s	76/50/pc	75/51/pc
Bay City	79/53/pc	71/47/pc	72/50/pc
Flint	82/53/pc	74/48/pc	72/50/pc
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Hong Kong	86/77/sh	86/79/c	85/80/sh
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Rio de Janeiro	77/67/s	78/68/s	80/68/s
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Kansas City	80/59/pc	82/61/pc	79/62/pc
Los Angeles	74/58/pc	74/58/pc	72/56/pc
Minneapolis	68/52/c	69/53/pc	69/54/pc
New York City	87/64/s	85/63/s	77/61/pc
Philadelphia	87/60/s	86/62/s	80/62/pc
Pittsburgh	84/54/s	82/56/s	81/59/pc
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Wash., DC	80/57/s	84/62/s	84/65/pc

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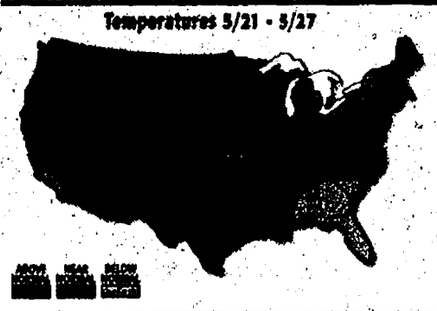

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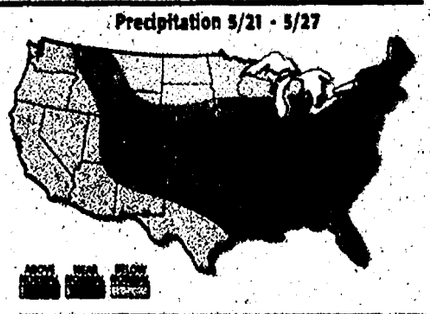

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Chelsea wins regional title

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

Chelsea's girls' track and field team captured a state Division 2 regional championship last Friday at Livonia Ladywood.

The Bulldogs bested the field placing first overall with a team score of 101.5 points.

Finishing second was Milan with 97 points, followed by Ypsilanti with 83.5 points, Carleton Airport with 75 points and Dexter with 69.5 points.

Sixteen teams competed in the regional.

"It was truly an amazing performance," said Chelsea coach Pat Clarke. "I just love this team and their attitude toward competing. We ran extremely well today. It was like a dream come true. Almost every girl on the team set a personal record to help our team to this gigantic win."

In field events, Lauren Dark finished third in the pole vault clearing a personal best 9-feet, two inches for Chelsea. With her performance, Dark qualified for the state meet.

Jenney Squires tied for eighth in the high jump with a personal best height of 4-9. Tessa Elwart recorded a mark of 4-6.

Victoria Kingsinger was regional champion in the long jump with a personal best length of 15-5. Teammate Christina Coffman was second with a personal best 15-4 measurement. Both qualified for the state meet.

"The girls entered the meet as the fifth (Kingsinger) and 13th (Coffman) seeds," Clarke said.

Meghan Smith was tops for the Bulldogs in the shot put with a heave of 28-10, while Ashlee Walker had a 28-7 for the Bulldogs.

In the discus, Marissa Elwart tossed an 87-0, while Zoe Sing had a 71-0.

Katrina Williams was fifth in the 100-meter hurdles in a personal best 16.7, while Jenna McGrath was eighth in a personal best 17.4 for Chelsea.

In the 300-meter hurdles, Williams was third in a personal best 49.5. Kingsinger had a time of 53.1.

Erin Benjamin broke the tape first in the 100 meters with a personal best and state qualifying time of 12.5.

Corinne Carpenter was third in the 200 meters in a personal best and state qualifying 26.4, while Coffman had a 28.7.

Olivia DeTroyer crossed the line first in the 400-meter run with a clocking of 58.1. Benjamin was second in a personal best 58.8. Both qualified for the state meet. DeTroyer's time is the best in the state in Division 2.

Megan Hall was the Bulldogs' best in the 800-meter run in 2:39.

Julie Beaumont paced Chelsea in the 1,600-meter run with a time of 5:51,

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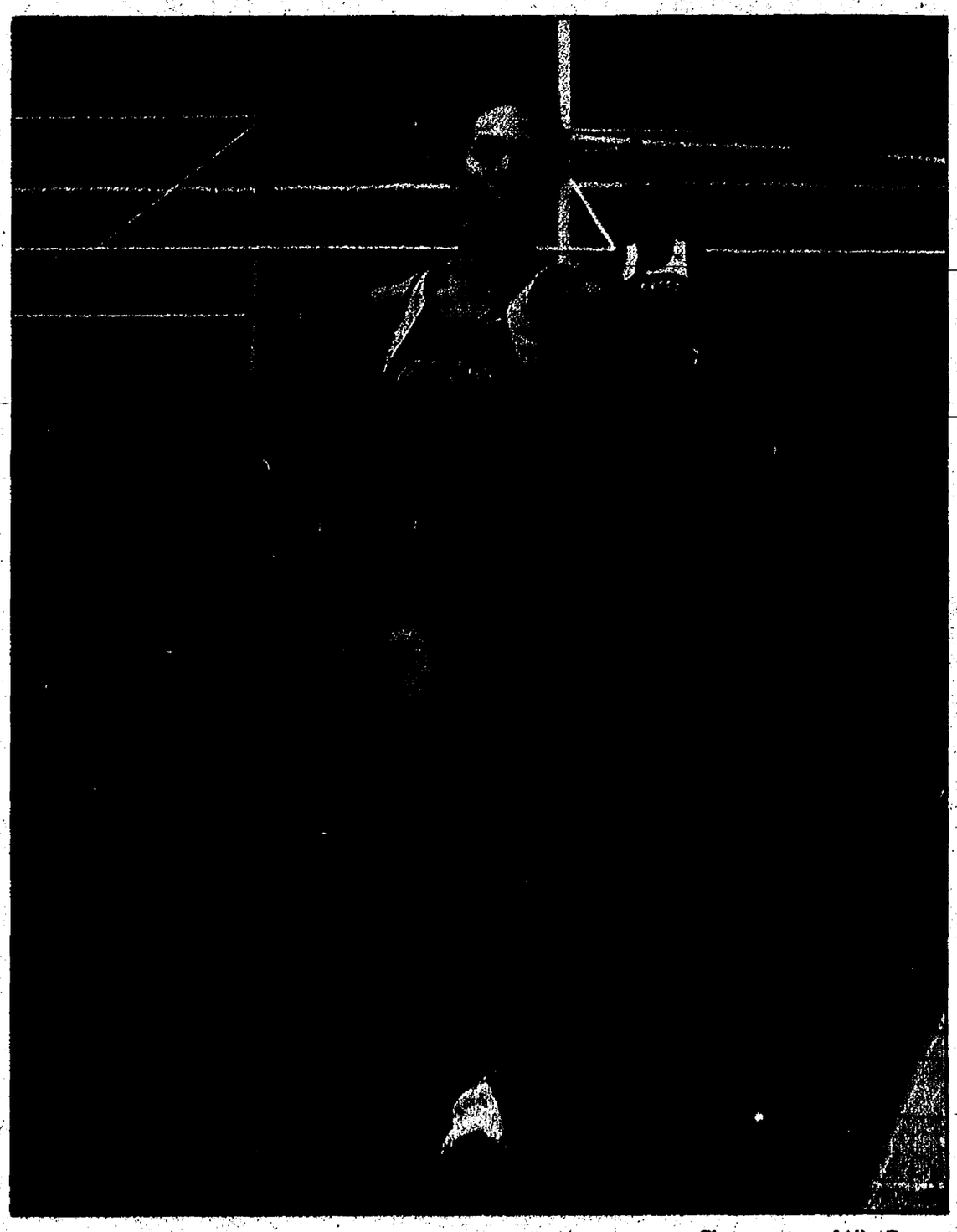

Photo courtesy of Alice Rawson

Chelsea's Katrina Williams and her Bulldog teammates captured a Division 2 state regional championship last weekend. Chelsea bested the field with 101.5 points.

Photo courtesy of Alice Rawson

Chelsea's Jesse Forner finished fourth in the pole vault clearing 12-feet, three inches at last weekend's Division 2 state regional meet.

Bulldogs third at regional

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

Chelsea's boys' track and field team placed third at last Friday's Division 2 state regional meet at Livonia Ladywood.

The Bulldogs accumulated 96 team points.

Winning the regional crown was Ypsilanti with 110 points. Carleton Airport was second with 99 points.

"We really exceeded expectations across the board," said Chelsea coach Eric Swager. "I had us figured for about 70 points and a fourth- or fifth-place finish. To score nearly 100 (points) and finish three points out of second is an amazing performance for this team."

In field events, Jesse Forner finished fourth overall in the pole vault clearing 12-feet, three inches. Landon Niesen was fifth with a mark of 12-3, while Noah Hermann was eighth with an 11-3.

Paul Ulisse was the Bulldogs' best in the shot put with a throw of 40-8.

Chris Ballow was tops for Chelsea in the high jump with a height of 5-7 and in the long jump with a measurement of 18-6.

Josh Rudd finished third in the discus with a toss of 127-11 for the Bulldogs. David Slusser added a 106-6.

In the 110-meter hurdles, Mason Borders finished fifth in 15.70, while Andy Nelson had a 17.4 for Chelsea.

In the 300-meter hurdles, Borders was fourth in 41.25, while Nelson had a 45.4.

In the 200 meters, Hermann stopped the clock in 25.3.

In the 400-meter run, Kevin Rosentreter crossed the line third in 51.9 for the Bulldogs. Riley Feeney was sixth in 53.1.

In the 800-meter run, Peter Wilke was regional champion finishing first in a personal best and state

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Bulldog Olivia DeTroyer placed first in the 400-meter run at last weekend's regional meet. DeTroyer's time of 58.1 is the best in the state in Division 2 heading into the final May 30 in Zeeland.

Chelsea hosts state-ranked teams

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

Chelsea softball hosted a round robin tournament last Saturday, welcoming traditional powers and state-ranked clubs Milan, Trenton and Dearborn Divine Child to town.

In Game 1, the Bulldogs (15-14) lost to Trenton, ranked No. 7 in the state, 4-1 in eight innings.

"We played really well," said Chelsea coach Bob Moffett. "Trenton is a good team."

Junior Kaley Dixon absorbed the loss from the circle for Chelsea. She recorded four strikeouts in the contest.

At the plate, sophomore Ellie Stoffer had a double and one RBI for the Bulldogs.

In its second game, Chelsea lost to Milan, ranked No. 2 in the state, 5-2 in eight innings.

"We were ahead 2-1 going into the sixth inning," Moffett said. "We gave up an unearned run and went into extra innings."

Dixon suffered the loss from the rubber.

Stoffer again hit well, connecting for two RBIs.

In the tournament's third game, the Bulldogs defeated Dearborn Divine Child 5-2.

Dixon was masterful from the circle, tossing a two-hitter and striking out 12 to earn the win.

Chelsea jumped on the Falcons early scoring all five of its runs in the first inning.

Junior Alyssa Prokos had a double and two RBIs, while junior Shelby Platt added two hits, including a two-run over-the-fence home run, her first roundtripper of the season.

Last Thursday, the Bulldogs split a doubleheader with Temperance

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Chelsea's Stevie Gregory connects for a base hit.

Chelsea fifth at regionals

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

Chelsea's girls' tennis team placed fifth at the state regional match last week.

Bulldog No. 1 singles player Alyson Gines qualified for the state final finishing second in the regional. Both finalists at No. 1 singles advance to the state championship. The state final is May 29 at East Lansing.

"Alyson went in unseeded and upset her way into the finals," said Chelsea coach Matt Pedlow. "She drove the Fowlerville girl crazy with her consistency."

In the regional final, Gines lost 6-4, 6-2.

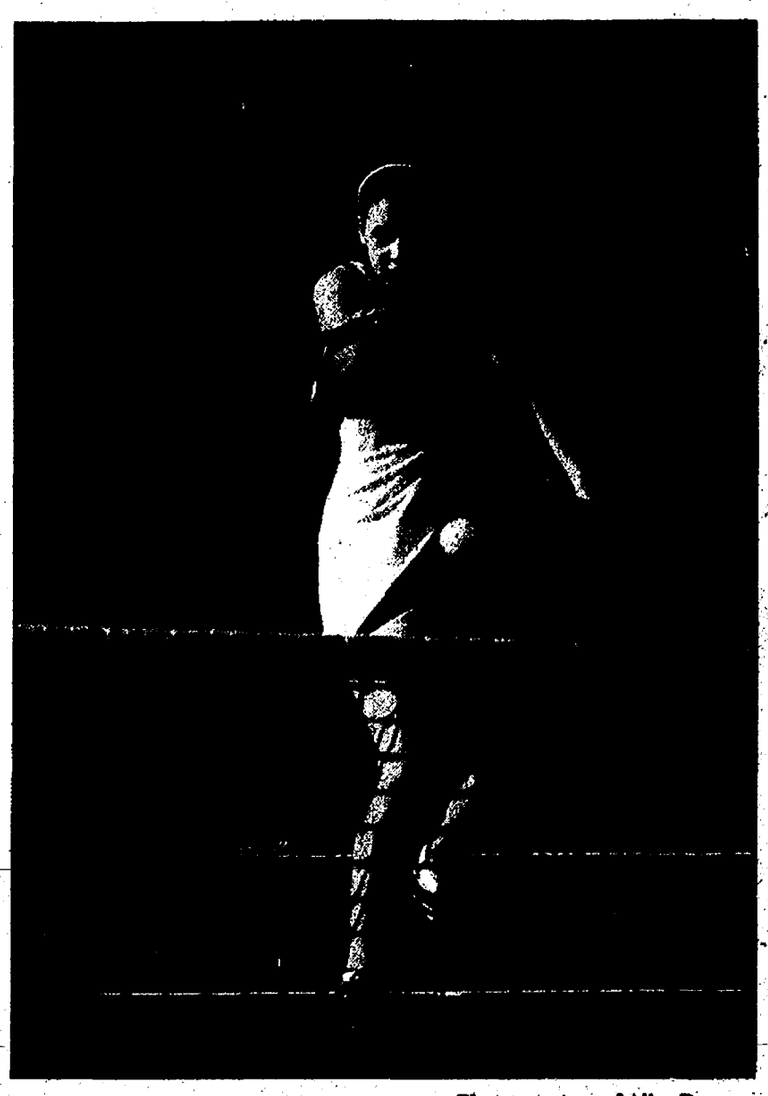
"Alyson is so hard to beat because she gets every ball back in play and girls that are used to booming the ball have a tough time against her," Pedlow said. "Throughout the year she has made a number of very good players look foolish as they talk to themselves, hit their racquet on the court and scream. Alyson is always so polite. She just smiles back."

At No. 3 singles, Alex Broekhuizen advanced to the regional semifinals before losing 6-4, 6-4.

"Alex was sick the first time she played the Western No. 3 singles, so I was interested to see how she would bounce back," Pedlow said. "She played the match of her tennis career, dominating throughout. It was great to see her play her last regional tournament with the quality of play she brought to her match."

At No. 1 doubles, the Chelsea duo of Diana Bach and Hannah Boshoven reached the regional final losing in a three-set marathon 3-6, 6-3, 6-2.

"After Bach and Boshoven went up 6-3, 2-0, I thought the match was over," Pedlow said. "The DeWitt (eventual champions) girls really began playing aggressive and attacking the net which put our girls on the defensive. They (Bach and Boshoven) played great throughout the regional tournament, however. During the first match, they were down 5-0 in the first set and came back and won the match. These two have proved to be very tough to beat throughout the year and they should do very well in the SEC (Southeastern Conference) tournament."



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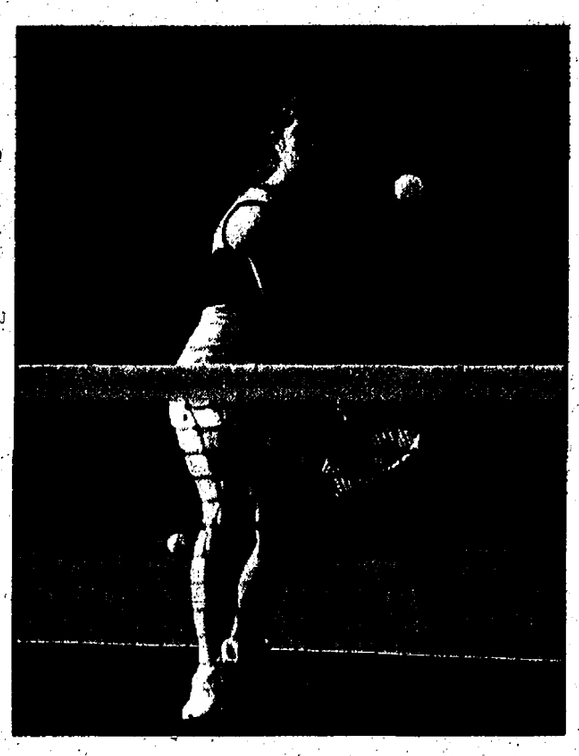
Chelsea's Alyson Gines was regional runner-up at last week's regional match. With her finish, Gines qualified for the state final May 29 in East Lansing.



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Bulldog Diana Bach and No. 1 doubles partner Hannah Boshoven finished their season as regional runner-up.

At No. 4 doubles, Sam Dault and Alysa Cremer advanced to the semifinals before falling to the eventual regional champions.

"Sam and Alysa have improved so much this year at No. 4 doubles," Pedlow said. "They play so aggressive and refuse to back down from any team. The Western (regional champs) match was close throughout and their win against Haslett was due to their net play. They just keep attacking the net and forced Haslett to try and lob into the wind. I look forward to these two playing doubles next year, as well."

Pedlow said he was proud of his entire team at the regional match.

"Overall, the girls did well and played some great tennis," he said.

Softball Standings

Monday Night	W-L
McCalla Feeds	1-1
Thompson's Too	1-1
Thompson's	1-1
Chelsea Ridge	1-1

Results – Chelsea Ridge 10, Th. Too 9, Thompson's 13, McCalla 12

Wednesday Night	W-L
Cottage Inn	2-1
Tattoo	2-1
Chelsea Lanes	2-0
GMI	2-0
Chel. Free Methodist	1-1
Mike's Deli	1-0
Arctic Breakaway	0-1
Motor City	0-1
Cleary's Pub	0-1
Chelsea Hospital	0-2
Klink's	0-2

Results – Che Free Meth 19, Tattoo 16, Chelsea Lanes 12, Cottage 9, GMI 23, Klink's 7, Cottage 20, Chelsea Hosp. 8

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Bedford losing the opener 4-1 and winning the nightcap 6-1.

In the first contest, Dixon pitched well in a losing effort, going the distance, striking out nine and walking none. At the plate, she had a double and one RBI.

Stoffer finished 2-for-2 for Chelsea.

In the second game, Dixon scattered four hits and fanned five to record the win from the circle. With the bat, she was 2-for-3 with a double and two RBIs.

"That was a really good effort from Kaley," Moffett said.

Also performing well offensively for the Bulldogs were sophomore Paige Erickson who finished 2-for-3, senior Stevie Gregory who was 2-for-2 with one RBI and Prokos who was 2-for-3.

Chelsea next hosts Pinckney Thursday at 4 p.m.

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MEDIUM #73

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Chelsea Twirlers

The Chelsea Twirlers held their annual spring recital recently. The program showcased twirling routines by beginner and advanced beginner students. Members of the Twirlers include, front row, Mikayla Koch (left) and Hailey Neal; middle row, Shainna White (left), Sydney Hines, Sydney Matusik, Rachel Stubbs, Jenna Sexton, Morgan Matusik and Cori Walworth; back row, Saline Twirlettes Haley Williams (left), Stacey Girbach, Dana Kalem, Chrissy Houle and Chelsea coach Stacy Rehmann.

Dexter-Ann Arbor Run May 31

The 36th annual Dexter-Ann Arbor Run will be held May 31. The 13.1-mile event will extend along Huron River Drive from Dexter to Ann Arbor.

The Ann Arbor Track Club will host the event. Hal Wolfe is the race director.

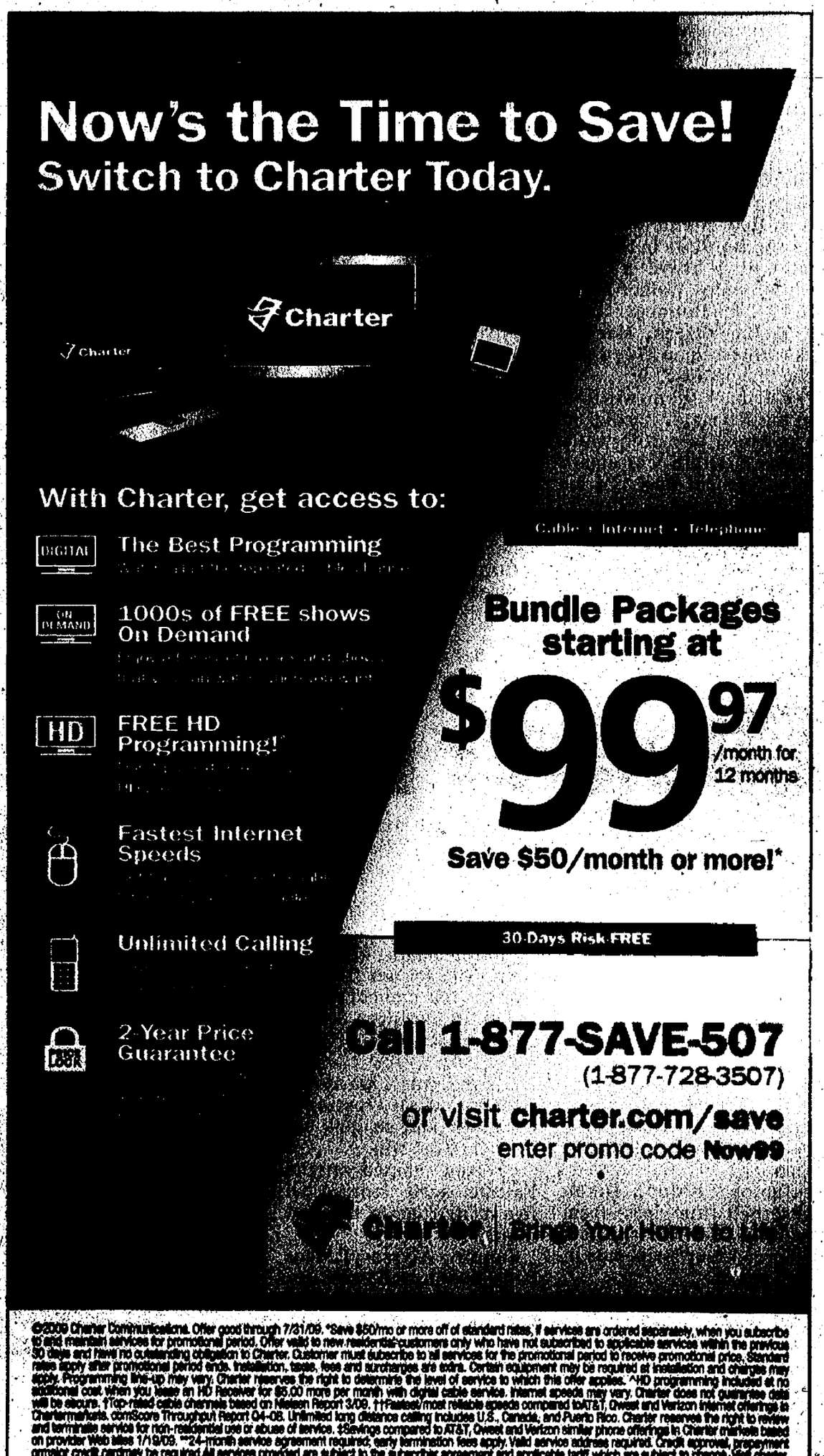
On May 29, the Soup Kitchen Stampede dinner party and charity benefit will be at the Holiday Inn near the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.

On May 30, the race expo and Kids Run will be at Ypsilanti High School from 2 to 6 p.m. The Kids Run is at 4 p.m.

On May 31, the 10K run/walk starts near Steiner School in Ann Arbor at 8:10 a.m. The half-marathon run begins at Dexter's Creekside Intermediate School at 8:50 a.m. The 5K run/walk starts near Forsythe School in Ann Arbor at 9:05 a.m.

The Dexter Community Band will play in the park in Dexter from 9 to 10 a.m. Fourth Wish Jazz Band will perform at Mile 4 at Pineview, while the Ypsilanti Community Band will play the course at Mile 9.

For more information, contact Wolfe at 734-487-5616 or at trunlikehal@yahoo.com or visit www.dxa2.com.



Chelsea clashes with rival

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

Chelsea's girls' soccer team lost to county rival Dexter 3-2 last Saturday.

"It was a disappointing loss," said Chelsea coach Chris Orlandi. "Our seniors have never beaten Dexter. But give them (Dexter) credit, they played a great game."

The Dreadnaughts opened the scoring with a goal 14 minutes into the contest for a 1-0 lead.

Forty-four seconds later, the Bulldogs answered as sophomore midfielder Anna Rode scored off an assist from junior midfielder Kelly Fournier tying the game at 1-1.

Eight minutes later, Dexter scored to retake the lead at 2-1.

At the 36-minute mark of the first half, Fournier tied the contest at 2-2 with a goal off a pass from Rode.

At the 51-minute mark of the second half, the Dreadnaughts scored the game-winner for the day's final 3-2 margin.

Dexter out-shot Chelsea 13-5 for the game.

"They defended us really well," Orlandi said. "Both teams, though, had plenty of offensive pressure. In the second half, we didn't get nearly as many quality scoring opportunities."

Last Thursday, the Bulldogs defeated Adrian 6-1.

"It was over quite early," Orlandi said. "In that type of game, you want to make sure you take care of business and you want to come out on fire."

Chelsea started strong, as sophomore midfielder Hailey Dixon scored four minutes into the game. Fournier assisted on the play for the Bulldogs.

Nine minutes later, Dixon scored off an assist from senior forward Brooke Ehman for a 2-0 Chelsea advantage.

At the 22-minute mark, sophomore defender Rachel Cooperrider scored for a 3-0 Bulldog lead. Ehman picked up an assist for Chelsea.

Five minutes later, Dixon scored her third goal of the day for a hat trick. Fournier recorded an assist for the Bulldogs.

Fournier scored unassisted on a free kick at the 32-minute mark for a 5-0 Chelsea bulge.

Eight minutes into the second half, the Maples scored cutting the Bulldog lead to 5-1.

Ehman ended the scoring with a penalty kick goal at the 57-minute mark for the contest's ending 6-1 tally.

Sophomore keeper Michelle Wellman earned the win in net for Chelsea.

The Bulldogs out-shot Adrian 8-1 for the game.

Chelsea closes out the regular season Thursday 5:30 p.m. at Ann Arbor Huron.

The Bulldogs begin Division 2 state district play 7 p.m. May 28 at Mason squaring off against the winner of the Jackson County Parma Western-Eaton Rapids first round contest.

The district final is at 7 p.m. May 30 at Mason.

JV Soccer

Chelsea's JV girls' soccer team tied Tecumseh 1-1 May 12.

"The entire game was very frustrating because the Bulldogs were unable to keep the ball in Tecumseh's end," said Chelsea coach Kirsten Smart. "We were looking a little sloppy and lazy."

The Bulldogs trailed 1-0 at the half.

"In the second half, the girls picked up their intensity and played more aggressive," Smart said. "We knew the Tecumseh defense was trying the defensive trap, so we were ready for it."

Beth Karschnick scored the game-tying goal for Chelsea. Tess Schuessler picked up an assist on the play for the Bulldogs.

Despite the tie, Smart said Chelsea still has room for improvement.

"We are struggling a little this season, but the girls keep trying," she said. "Most great teams are great because they know their teammates' strengths and weaknesses. That comes with time and years of playing together. As the season moves forward, we are looking more united."

Last Thursday, Chelsea defeated Adrian 8-0.

Scoring for the Bulldogs were Amber Plemens, Erica Fredericks, Chelsea Vincent, Dani Coleman, Katie Kingsley and Karschnick.

Last Saturday, the Bulldogs lost to Dexter 3-0.

"The girls played tough and improved from the last match against Dexter which we lost 4-0," Smart said.

Last Monday, Chelsea defeated Temperance Bedford 3-0.

Scoring for the Bulldogs were Lela Longworth, Megan Erskine and Plemens. Schuessler had an assist for Chelsea.

Kingsley earned the shutout in net for the Bulldogs.

Smart said Fredericks played her best game of the year against the Mules.

"She challenged the ball defensively without diving in and set up our offense for some great plays," she said.

Smart was pleased with her entire team's effort last Monday.

"The girls played their best yesterday," she said. "Finally, we are playing aggressive and united."

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while Danielle Dahl recorded a 5:58.

Courtney Maher had a 12:39 in the 3,200-meter run, while Jessi Battaglia had a 12:43 for the Bulldogs.

DeTroyer, Coffman, McGrath and Carpenter combined to finish second in the 400-meter relay in a state qualifying 51.2.

DeTroyer, Coffman, Benjamin and Carpenter placed first in the 800-meter relay with a school record and state qualifying clocking of 1:44.6. The time is the best in Division 2 heading into the state meet.

DeTroyer, Hall, Benjamin and Carpenter finished first in the 1,600-meter relay in a state qualifying 4:06.90. The time is tops in Division 2 entering the state meet.

In the 3,200-meter relay, Beaumont, Maher, Dahl and Hall placed fifth in 10:19.8.

"We were the third or fourth best team on seed times, but our girls responded to the challenge," Clarke said. "We beat a very good Ypsilanti team that was ranked fourth in the state and a fine Milan team that has some of the best distance runners in the state."

Clarke said Chelsea showed great improvement at the regional meet.

"We asked the girls to step up and compete today," he said. "They certainly accepted our challenge and peaked across the line-up. To win such a loaded regional was just an amazing accomplishment for this team. The coaching staff is very proud of this group of young women and their accomplishments and progress this season."

The Division 2 state meet is May 30 in Zeeland.

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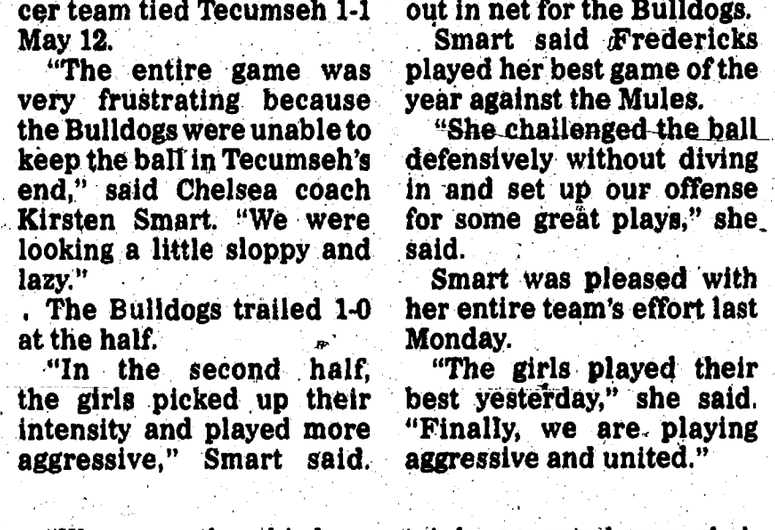

Chelsea Bowling

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Thursday 6:30 pm — *Chelsea Lanes* — Lanes 1 - 16

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2 - Chelsea Greenhouse Lane 5							
Daniel A. Schultz	193	42	7165	39	27.0	25.0	51.92 %
Derek E. Klink	193	33	5791	30	28.0	12.0	70.00 %
Robert G. Stanley	208	21	8893	42	32.5	23.5	58.04 %
Tony L. Weir	208	21	9302	45	27.0	33.0	45.00 %
Eric J. Stanley	204	23	9834	48	38.0	28.0	59.38 %
Daryl Mosher	171	63	4115	24	14.5	17.5	45.31 %
Jeff D. Grau	186	57	1993	12	4.0	12.0	25.00 %
3 - CFM Lane 12							
Ken M. Blane	154	88	7406	48	34.0	30.0	53.13 %
Craig A. Ferry	189	36	8541	45	30.5	33.5	47.66 %
Ron N. Ferry	185	31	8371	48	42.0	22.0	65.63 %
Daniel W. Allen	202	25	8513	42	30.0	28.0	53.57 %
Eric E. Beeman	209	18	9412	45	28.0	32.0	46.67 %
James J. Courdway	bk178	48	516	3	1.0	3.0	25.00 %
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David J. Gipson	223	6	10717	48	30.0	34.0	46.88 %
Jon D. Gipson	171	53	1940	8	6.5	5.5	54.17 %
Mike Lowe	214	14	9851	45	28.0	31.0	48.33 %
Todd L. Salyer	199	27	9563	48	42.0	22.0	65.63 %
Michael C. Gipson	218	10	10504	48	35.5	28.5	55.47 %
Benjamin W. Jones	219	9	9207	42	39.0	17.0	69.64 %
5 - Mark IV Lounge Lane 7							
Don Stiles	191	35	9179	48	39.0	25.0	60.94 %
Bryan K Bloomensaat	172	52	8293	48	38.0	28.0	56.25 %
Robert Keat	191	35	7477	39	32.0	20.0	61.54 %
Marvin L. Frinkle	210	18	9458	45	36.5	21.5	64.17 %
Aaron Tobin	218	10	10477	48	40.0	24.0	62.50 %
Michael G. Forman	bk174	60	0	0			0.00 %
6 - Parts Peddler - Dexter Lane 9							
Ron Henderson	187	39	7300	39	22.5	29.5	43.27 %
Ray Riddle	174	60	8392	48	36.0	28.0	56.25 %
Kevin M. Riddle	190	36	9158	48	32.5	31.5	50.78 %
Steven R. Riddle	216	12	9971	48	35.0	27.0	56.45 %
Michael T. Herbert	209	18	9428	45	34.0	26.0	56.67 %
Jeremy G. Bacon	bk203	24	1288	6	7.0	1.0	87.50 %
7 - Color Express Printing Lane 8							
Tracey M. Keezer	179	45	8616	48	32.0	32.0	50.00 %
Ellis M. Fryer	144	77	6508	45	23.5	36.5	39.17 %
David R. Torrice	158	84	7153	45	33.0	27.0	55.00 %
Samuel J. Trachet	144	77	6927	48	21.0	43.0	32.81 %
Joseph A. Torrice	193	80	4407	27	15.0	21.0	41.67 %
Aaron Trachet	156	84	4281	27	12.0	24.0	33.33 %
8 - Cleary's Pub Lane 10							
James C. Hughes	186	30	8857	45	27.0	33.0	45.00 %
Ronald W. Zatorski	188	37	9025	48	35.0	29.0	54.69 %
Jack R. Richmond	163	80	7858	48	38.0	27.0	58.46 %
Floyd M. Schulz	177	47	7982	45	25.5	34.5	42.50 %
Wesley E. Schulz	181	44	8714	48	38.5	25.5	60.16 %
9 - Vacant Lane 15							
James E. Branham	bk204	23	0	0		60.0	0.00 %
Ryan S. Brahnam	bk158	84	0	0		60.0	0.00 %
Jon W. Spaulding	bk153	69	0	0		60.0	0.00 %
Robert L. Helfacre	bk194	32	0	0		60.0	0.00 %
Ray L. Kaiser	bk214	14	0	0		60.0	0.00 %
10 - Government Cheese Film Lane 13							
Ron Bogdanski	128	91	6172	48	31.5	32.5	49.22 %
Martin K. Hicks	176	48	7403	42	27.0	29.0	48.21 %
Rob Taylor	170	54	7693	45	35.0	25.0	58.33 %
Patick T. Paul	187	38	8989	48	30.0	34.0	46.88 %
Ken Ransom	188	37	9088	48	38.5	25.5	60.16 %
Chad A. Ransom	bk141	80	939	6	7.0	1.0	87.50 %

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Saline Area Soccer Association

SALINE STING (BOYS)				SALINE SWARM (GIRLS)			
Age	Date	Time	Field	Age	Date	Time	Field
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	Th 6-18-09	4:30-6:30pm			Th 6-18-09	7:00-9:00pm	
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	Tu 6-16-09	7:00-9:00pm	MRF C4		Tu 6-16-09	7:00-9:00pm	
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	W 6-17-09	4:30-6:30pm			W 6-17-09	4:30-6:30pm	
U 15 Premier / Select	W 6-17-09	7:00-9:00pm	MRF C3	U 15 Premier / Select	M 6-15-09	7:00-9:00pm	SRP West
	Th 6-18-09	7:00-9:00pm			W 6-17-09	7:00-9:00pm	
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				U 19 Open Premier	M 6-15-09	4:30-6:30pm	SRP Center
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Supplemental Tryouts Boys				Supplemental Tryouts Girls			
U8,U9,U10	Sat 6-20-09	9:00-11:00 am	SRP	U 8, U 9, U 10	Sat 6-20-09	12:00-2:00pm	SRP
U 11, U12, U13	Sat 6-20-09	3:00-5:00pm	SRP	U 11, U 12, U 13	Sat 6-20-09	6:00-8:00pm	SRP
U14,U15,U16	Sat 6-20-09	9:00-11:00 am	SRP	U 14, U 15, U 16	Sat 6-20-09	12:00-2:00pm	SRP

Fields Key: MRF – Maple Road Fields
SRP – Sandra Richardson Park

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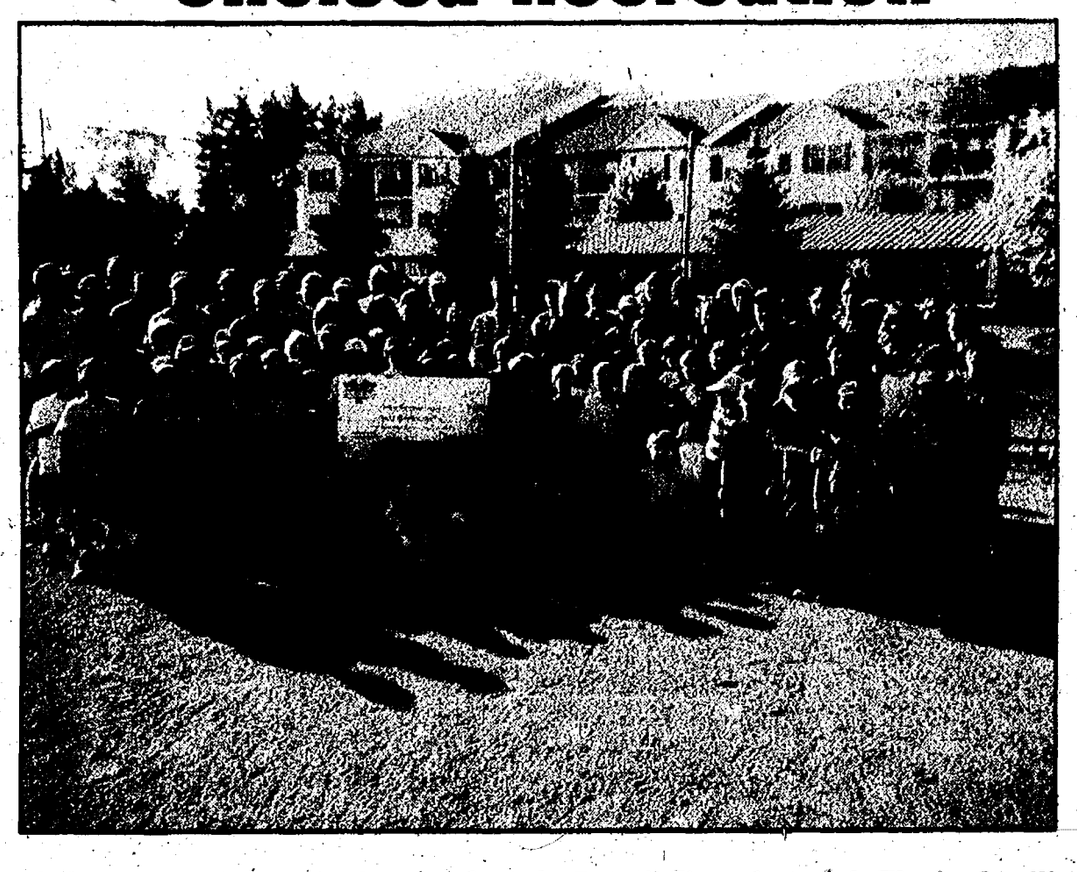

Chelsea Recreation received a grant from the Detroit Tigers last week. The funds will go toward improving recreation throughout the community.

Chelsea's own presents 'walkumentary' event

Chelsea's Felicia Hermosillo will present "The Walkumentary: Continental Divide & Beyond," a documentary about her long-distance hike along the Continental Divide Trail (CDT), May 26 at the Chelsea District Library.

On Nov. 6, 2006, Felicia was one of six hikers to finish an end-to-end hike that started five months earlier at the Canadian border and ended at the Mexican border. Join Felicia as she shares her 2,800-mile journey hiking the Continental Divide National Scenic Trail southbound through Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado and New Mexico.

Among an elite group of long-distance hikers who have hiked The Triple Crown (the entire length of the Pacific Crest Trail, Appalachian Trail and Continental Divide), Felicia quit her engineering job in 2002.

"I was moved to change my life because of the unhappiness that I felt in my heart everyday that I went to work knowing that I still had some adventuring to do," says Hermosillo. "I quit my engineering job and decided to go hike the Appalachian Trail to explore the mountains and my heart. What I found was that my smile came back almost as soon as I set foot on the trail and my life was changed forever.

"I found myself immersed in this simple existence of walking and breathing, surrounded by incredible people, experiencing random acts of kindness, taking in amazing scenery, and feeling so connected to the world.

"After finishing the Appalachian Trail I couldn't wait to go on another hike and then another. It was really easy after that first trail to keep planning hiking trips and each one left me longing for more time to explore the mountains, to walk on high ridges and through fields of lupine. In the end, with over 8,000 miles of hiking experience, I have both found myself in and lost myself to the mountains so many times – for that privilege I will forever be grateful."

In addition to The Walkumentary, Felicia will also be showing a slideshow and photos of her hikes along the Pacific Crest and Appalachian Trails. Join Felicia as she presents her documentary and talks about 7,500 miles worth of memories, Tuesday, May 26 at 7 p.m. in McKune.

Registration is required. Call (734) 475 – 8732 for more information or visit chelsea.lib.mi.us.

Teen volunteers needed

Feeling creative? Sign up to help with the Library's Summer Reading Program, "Be Creative at Your Library!" Join the Youth Service Group, a corps of volunteers that assists with youth and teen programs all summer long. If you like comics and superheroes, drawing or painting, the library is the place to be.

Always wanted to learn Bollywood dancing? Perform in a play? Learn the art of Henna?

Come to an orientation and training meeting, June 3 or June 10 from 3:30 to 5 p.m. to learn about all of the exciting programs and opportunities available. The Youth Service Group is a great place to make new friends, learn workplace skills, fulfill that community service requirement and have fun. Food will be provided, followed by a brief explanation of the Summer Library Program.

Also get a sneak peek at the great prizes to be given away all summer. There will also be a special Thank You Party for only Youth Service Group volunteers on July 30 from 2 to 4 p.m. Celebrate with pizza, ice cream, Guitar Hero and Rock Band!

Youth Service Group volunteers are for ages 12 and up or going into seventh grade. Tell eligible friends or sibs, bring your calendar and sign up for events and shifts you would like to help with. Call Karen or Edith at 475-8732 with any questions.

Photo contest

Natural Area Preservation announces its fourth annual photo contest. The contest is open to professional and amateur photographers with categories for adult, youth, and child. Categories are: Native Trees and Shrubs of South Eastern Michigan, and Stewardship (People Caring for Nature). Modest prizes will be awarded, winning photos will be printed on NAP's yearly calendar, and there will be a display of everyone's photos in the Ann Arbor District Library.

Photo submission deadline is Sept. 4. For details and an entry form, go to www.a2gov.org/NAPphotocontest or call 734-794-6627.

Chelsea splits with pirates

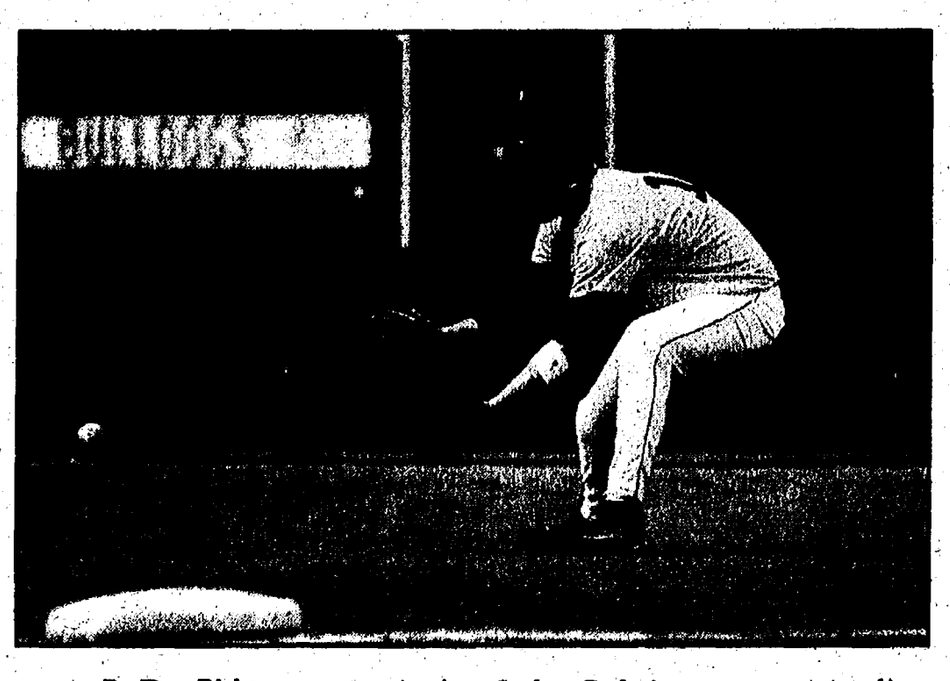

Photo courtesy of Burrill Strong

Chelsea Brett Caid prepares to field a grounder during action last week.

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

Chelsea baseball split a doubleheader with visiting Riverview last Saturday winning the opener 15-11 and losing the second game 11-9.

In Game 1, sophomore Charlie Hess picked up the win from the mound for the Bulldogs. Also pitching well against the Pirates were seniors Andrew Sensoli and Brett Everding.

With the stick, sophomore Brian Paulsen had a strong performance for Chelsea finishing with three hits and four RBIs.

Hess added a three-run bases loaded double, while senior Scott Rhodes had two doubles and two RBIs, junior Luke Dehring an RBI single and junior Drew Brown and Sensoli each singled for the Bulldogs.

In Game 2, Chelsea gave up six runs in the seventh inning to Riverview.

At the plate, junior Brett Caid led the way with two doubles, while Sensoli also had two hits, including one double and senior Jake Powell two hits for Chelsea.

"We should have won this doubleheader," said Chelsea coach Wayne Welton.

Last Thursday, visiting Temperance Bedford swept a doubleheader from the Bulldogs winning 20-1, 12-1.

The Mules are having an outstanding season with an overall record of 22-1.

In the first game, senior Randy Cox had a single, while Sensoli had a double and one RBI and Paulsen a double for Chelsea.

In the nightcap, Cox had two RBIs, while Sensoli had a single.

The Bulldogs committed nine errors in Game 1 and had four errors in Game 2.

Chelsea next hosts the Southeastern Conference tournament Thursday.

On Friday, the Bulldogs host Pinckney at 4 p.m.

On Tuesday, Chelsea hosts Brighton at 4 p.m.

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REGIONAL

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qualifying 2:01.7. Dominic Conybeare was eighth in 2:05.1, while Nick Hewitt had a 2:08 mark.

August Pappas was third in the 1,600-meter run with a clocking of 4:32.6, while Hewitt was sixth in 4:40.1.

In the 3,200-meter run, Pappas was second in a personal best and state qualifying 9:47.5, while Bryce Bradley was seventh in 10:11.

The 400-meter relay of Logan Yordanich, Forner, Giller and Newland placed first in a state qualifying time of 44.70.

In the 800-meter relay, Zak Giller, Joey Newland, Feeney and Forner placed fifth in 1:34.6.

The 1,600-meter relay foursome of Rosentreter, Forner, Giller and Feeney finished second in a state qualifying 3:29.9.

In the 3,200-meter relay, the Bulldog group of Rosentreter, Conybeare, Hewitt and Wilke broke the tape first in a state qualifying 8:10.2. The time is the fourth best in Division 2 heading into the state meet.

"This year's squad, unlike the girls' regional championship team, really has no superstars," Swager said. "In many ways, it makes our success all the more special. These guys just work really well together and give consistent great efforts."

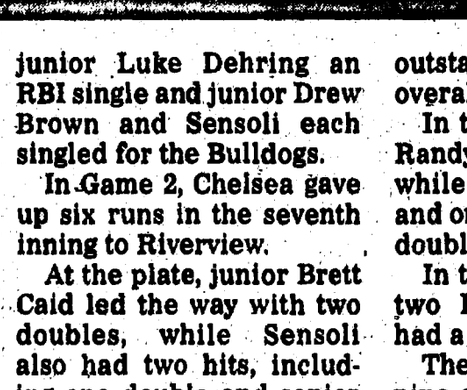

Photo courtesy of Burrill Strong

Brett Caid prepares to field a grounder during action last week.

Swager said he was proud of his three state qualifying relays.

"All three had to drop time and perform perfectly to make it," he said. "I am very happy with their focus."

Swager said Pappas and Wilke, who qualified as individuals in the 3,200-meter run and the 800-meter run, respectively, performed at a high level last Friday.

"Both of them toughened up and ran lifetime bests when it really counted," he said.

Swager said he wants to see continued improvement as his squad prepares for the state meet.

"To earn a state medal in these events will be extremely tough and a monumental task, but certainly within reach if we execute at our best," he said.

The Division 2 state meet is May 30 in Zeeland.

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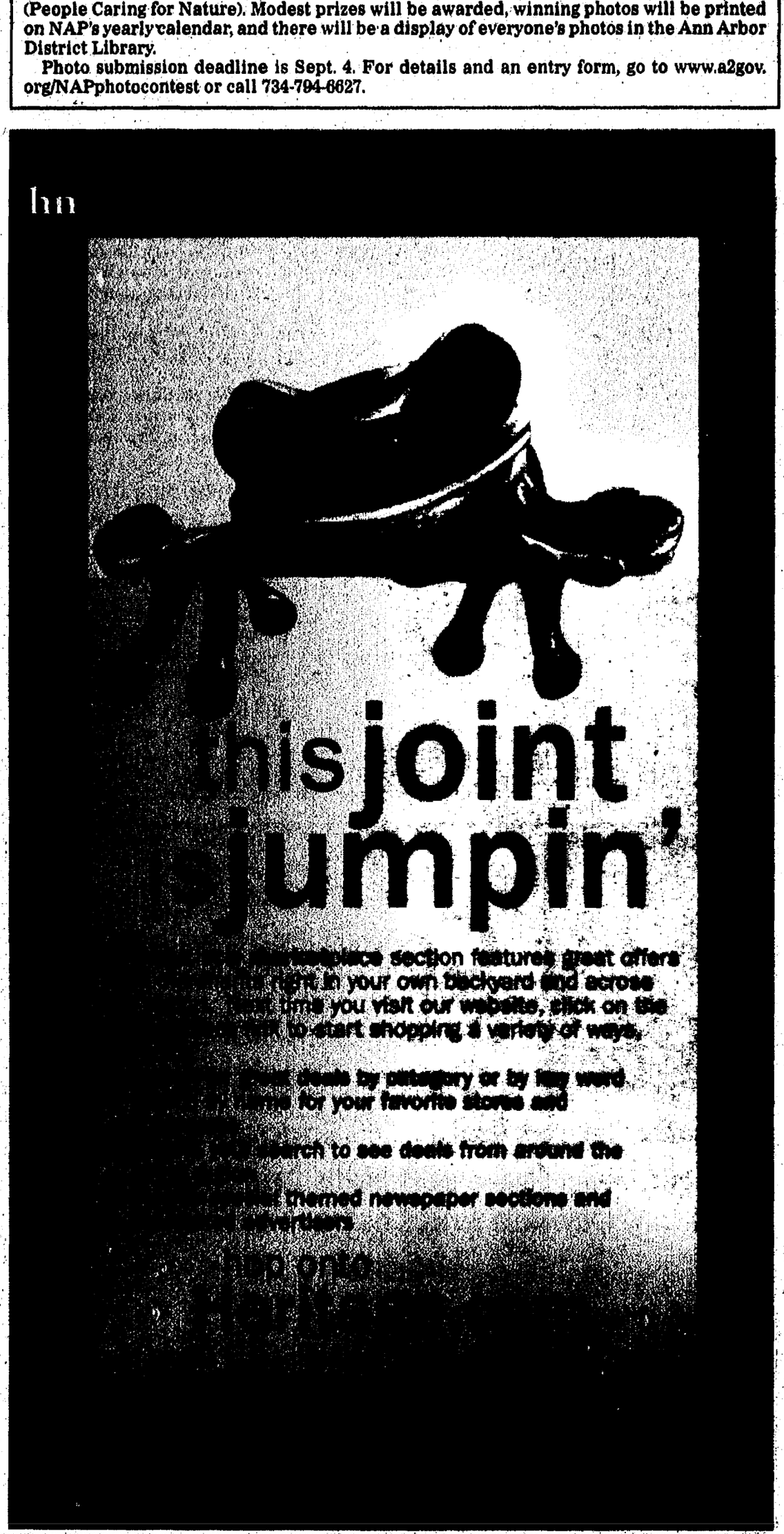

Area Calendar

Chelsea

Chelsea District Library
For more information, call 475-8732

June 12 Summer Reading Kickoff; noon-2 p.m.; Library Lawn; Drop-in; For all ages. Register for our Summer Reading Game: Get Creative at Your Library. We'll have lots to do: play on the moonwalk, eat snacks, do crafts, play superhero games and draw comics with real artists!

June 12 Summer Reading Kickoff Show; 2-3 p.m.; McKune; Drop-in; For all ages. Join artist and illustrator Tom Woodruff, as he takes us on an exciting expedition to find elusive creatures lurking in the library. Through storytelling and audience participation, we'll watch as a story unfolds right before our eyes. Tom Woodruff will have his books and prints available for purchase after the show.

June 12-13: Kids Read Comics Convention; Friday 4-11 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; McKune, Kidspot, Library Lawn; Registration; For all ages; Free. Explore the wonders of comics, graphic novels, animation and the creative spirit at the first Midwest comic book convention just for kids and teens. Attend family friendly events such as artist discussion panels, comic workshops, movie screenings and meet real live comic artists.

Chelsea Senior Center
Lunch served Monday through Friday at noon. For additional information and reservations phone the center at 475-9242.

Tomorrow – Bingo 9 a.m.; Quilting Block of the Month 10 a.m.; Exercise with Kelle at 10:30 a.m.; Fish and Chips lunch at noon; Euchre 12:30 p.m.; Wii Fun and Fit 1 p.m.; Wood Carving 1 p.m.

Monday, May 25 – Senior Center Closed for Memorial Day

Tuesday, May 26 – Crafts 10 a.m.; Chicken Pot Pie lunch at noon; PATH Class 1 p.m.; Wii Choice 12:30 p.m.; Euchre 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, May 27 – Golfers meet at Reddeman Farms 9 a.m.; Ping Pong 9 a.m.; Bridge Class 10 a.m.; Fit and Fun Exercise 10:30 a.m.; Fried Chicken lunch at noon followed by Memorial Week fun with Fred Walker 12:45 p.m.; Square Dancing 12:30 p.m.; Pinochle 12:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 28 – Stained Glass Class 10 a.m.; Computer Club 10 a.m.; Beef Goulash lunch at noon; Chelsea Area Bridge 12:15 p.m.; Knit and Crochet 12:30 p.m.

Chelsea Center for the Arts
Chelsea Center for the Arts is located at 400 Congdon Street in Chelsea. For more information, call 734-433-2787 or log onto www.chelseacenterforthearts.org.

Dexter

Artistica
Dexter's fine gift and art gallery features only Michigan artists and their unique work. It is located on the corner of Broad and Main streets in beautiful, historic downtown Dexter. It is owned and operated by local artists Jill Love, Lisa Wandres and Pam O'Hara. For more information, call (734) 426-1500.

Dexter Senior Center
7720 Ann Arbor Street. Call (734) 426-7737. Lunches are complete - main dish listed Tomorrow: 8:30 a.m. - Swimming, Wylie Pool; 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 - Exercise; 11:30 a.m. Lunch - stuffed steak; 12:45 - Bingo.

Monday: Center closed for Memorial Day

Tuesday: 10 a.m. - Lifestyle Fitness ; 10 - 12 - Rug Hookers;11:00 - Tai Chi-11:30 Lunch - Cabbage Rolls ; 12:00 - Spanish; 1:00 - French..

Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. Swimming, Wylie Pool; 9:00 Yoga/Medicare Assistance, Nurses Footcare; 11:30 - Lunch - Marinated Pork Chop; 12:30 - Watercolor Painting; 1 p.m. - German; 5:15 p.m. Lifestyle Fitness.

Thursday, May 28: 9:30 a.m.- Eucre; 10:00 a.m. - Lifestyle Fitness; 11:00 Knitting Club; 11:30 - Lunch - Brunswick stew ; 12:30 Scrabble, 1 p.m.- Mah Jongg.

Friday, May 29: 8:30 a.m. - Swimming, Wylie Pool; 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 - Exercise; 11:30 a.m. Lunch - Stiffed Steal; 12:45 - Bingo.

Dexter District Library
The Dexter District Library is located at 3255 Alpine Street in Dexter. All Library programs are free and open to the public. For more information, call 734-426-4477.

Sunday, May 24 and Monday, May 25: Library is closed for Memorial Day

Wednesday, May 27: 4:30 p.m. Drop-In "Book Snackers" Book Discussion Group for grades three through five.

Thursday, May 28: 7 p.m. "Vegetable Gardening 101." Improve your green thumb!

Saturday, May 30: 1 to 4 p.m. Drop-in Wii Sports and Snacks for ages 10 and up in the lower level meeting room.

Area

May 23
Ann Arbor City Club's first Classic Automobile Show.

A mix of vintage, classic and performance collectible cars. Saturday, May 23 (noon to 6 p.m.) Free admission. Food and beverages for sale. Located at 1830 Washtenaw Ave., Ann Arbor.

For more information, log onto www.annarborcityclub.org.

Thursday, May 28
Hoppy Hour, a wine tasting and silent auction to benefit the Great Lakes Rabbit Sanctuary, will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. at Spotted Dog Winery, 108 E. Michigan Ave., in Saline. Tickets are $20 and may be purchased online at www.rabbitsanctuary.org under the "events" section. For more information, e-mail www.michelle@rabbitsanctuary.org.

Parks

Eddy Discovery Center: Waterloo For more information, call the Eddy Discovery Center at 734-475-3170.

BUZZING THE HIVE: 2 p.m. Sunday, May 31. Join us for a fascinating look into the lives of honeybees with educator and beekeeper Jane Levy. Observe an actual hive, and learn how the bees build the hive and work together to make honey. Children and adults will enjoy this program with its hands-on activities.

ROCKHOUND BASICS: 2 - 3:30 p.m. Sunday, June 7. Discover what you can learn about ancient Michigan from looking at a rock. Geologist Larry Bean will show you how to "read" the story told by rocks and help you to identify specimens at a local quarry. We will meet at the Discovery Center before driving to the quarry to do some collecting.

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NOTICE

DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING NOTICE

Tuesday, May 26, 2009

AT 7:00 P.M.
AT
DEXTER TOWNSHIP HALL
6880 DEXTER-PINCKNEY RD.
DEXTER, MI. 48130

AGENDA

1) Washtenaw Parks Recreation & Commission, Preliminary & Final Site Plan
2) Review Master Plan
3) Review Zoning Ordinance Amendment 34-7

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LIMA TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING
MAY 11, 2009
SYNOPSIS OF UNAPPROVED MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. and opened with the Pledge to The Flag. Present were Supervisor Unterbrink, Clerk Bareis, Treasurer Havens, Trustees McKenzie and Laier. Also present several residents and guests.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Laier to accept the minutes of the April 13, 2009 regular meeting, April 29, 2009 and May 6, 2009 special meetings/work sessions as submitted. Motion carried.

Motion by Unterbrink supported by McKenzie to amend the Agenda adding WATS (Washtenaw Area Transportation Study) request for public meeting on June 11, 2009, 7:00 – 9:00 p.m., CACA extension to complete parking lot, CACA/Lima Township Lease Agreement. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's report was received.

The Zoning Administrator issued five final inspections.

Motion by Unterbrink supported by McKenzie to enclose with the July tax bill, a township newsletter including notification that we plan to demolish the house and barn at 11440 Jackson. The newsletter to be completed by June 15. Motion carried.

Motion by Laier supported by Bareis to schedule a public hearing on the proposed Blight Prevention Ordinance for June 8 at 7:00 p.m. Motion carried.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Laier to table any action on Application #09-001 Article 4, and Article 14, and obtain information on R-2A text change and blank pages 4-18 and 4-19, and Article 5, question as to whether it is legal as written. Motion carried.

It was the consensus of the Board to accept the request of WATS (Washtenaw Area Transportation Study) to hold a public meeting on Thursday, June 11, 2009 from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Motion by Laier supported by Bareis to grant Leonard Calus a one year extension for his private road variance, parcel G07-10-300-001, expiring June 11, 2010. Motion carried.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Laier to support the Zoning Administrator's draft copies of the notification of sign ordinance violation and notice of vehicle violation, as presented, at his discretion. Motion carried.

Motion by Laier supported by Bareis to support Resolution #2009-04 to Establish Procedures and Guidelines for FOIA Cost Recovery. All Ayes. Resolution declared adopted. (A complete copy is available at the Township Office.)

Motion by McKenzie supported by Laier to authorize the Supervisor and Clerk to sign the Washtenaw County Road Commission Contract, utilizing matching funds. Motion carried.

Motion by Laier supported by Havens to table for further information, the request from the Chelsea Area Construction Agency for a five year extension on the requirements of the site plan and waiving any bond requirement. Motion carried.

Motion by Unterbrink supported by Havens that no action be taken, on the proposed CACA Lease Agreement. Ayes: Havens, Unterbrink and Bareis. Nays: Laier and McKenzie. Motion carried.

Motion by Laier supported by Unterbrink to pay bills as presented, plus normal utility bills as they occur. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 9:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Arlene R. Bareis, Clerk

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

On the adoption of the budget for the fiscal year 2009-10 and the 2009 tax rate on non-homestead properties that will be at 18 mills and the 2009 debt levy on all properties 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 Monday the 1st of June, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. in the Creekside Intermediate 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 2009-10. **THE PROPERTY TAX MILLAGE RATE PROPOSED TO BE LEVIED TO SUPPORT THE PROPOSED 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, taxpayers, and property owners in the Dexter Community Schools 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 Education of the Dexter Community Schools, Counties of Washtenaw and Livingston, Michigan.

Dexter Community Schools
Counties of Washtenaw and Livingston, Michigan
Kim Covert, Secretary, Board of Education

Published May 21, 2009

DEXTER VILLAGE COUNCIL
SYNOPSIS OF ACTION TAKEN AT THE REGULAR MEETING
MONDAY, APRIL 27, 2009

CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
The meeting was called to order at 7:30 by President Keough in the Dexter Senior Center located at 7720 Dexter Ann Arbor Rd. in Dexter, Michigan
ROLL CALL: President Keough, Carson, Cousins, Fisher, Semifero, Smith, Tell
APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES
Motion Tell; support Smith to approve the regular Council minutes of April 13, 2009 with the following correction: I-5 Replace the word contamination in President Keough's report to excessive debris and organic top soil.
Unanimous voice vote for approval
APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA
Motion Smith; support Fisher to approve the agenda with the addition of L-6 Water and Sewer Use Ordinance Amendments to New Business and to move J-2 and J-3 off the consent agenda to L-7 under New Business.
Unanimous voice vote for approval
PUBLIC HEARINGS
Drinking Water Revolving Fund
Christine Cale of Orchard, Hiltz & McCliment opened the Public Hearing at 7:39 pm reporting on the means of improving the existing water system, increasing capacity and the reliability of the system.
Jon Rush of 7930 Fifth Street, Dexter inquired what the Dexter Community Schools is charging for the new well field. President Keough responded that the easement for the well field is $40,000 payable in $10,000 increments over four years with the first payment already made.
The Public Hearing was closed at 7:57 pm.
Motion Tell; support Smith that the Village of Dexter formally adopts the Project Plan for the Water Systems Improvements and agrees to implement the selected alternative (Alternative 2 for increase in capacity and Alternative 1 for upgrade of the water mains). Be it further resolved, that the Village Manager, a position currently held by Donna Dettling, is designated as the authorized representative for all activities associated with the project referenced above, including the submittal of said Project Plan as the first step in applying to the State of Michigan for a Drinking Water Revolving Fund Loan to assist in the implementation of the selected alternative.
Ayes: Cousins, Fisher, Smith, Semifero, Tell, Carson and Keough
Nays: None Motion carries
CONSENT AGENDA
Consideration of: Bills and Payroll in the amount of $98,864.08
Motion Fisher; support Smith to approve item 1 of the consent agenda as presented.
Unanimous voice vote for approval
OLD BUSINESS-Consideration and Discussion of:
Motion Carson; support Fisher to authorize the Village manager to spend up to $6000 to refine the concept as presented by Mr. Cousins with phases and costs.
Ayes: Smith, Semifero, Tell, Carson, Fisher, Cousins and Keough. Nays: None Motion carries
NEW BUSINESS-Consideration of and Discussion of:
Motion Semifero; support Smith to officially adopt the Gazebo as the Village logo, minus the light poles and with trimmed grass.
Ayes: Semifero, Tell, Fisher, Carson, Smith and Keough Nays: Cousins Motion carries 6 to 1
Motion Fisher; support Smith that the Village of Dexter is committed to encouraging local suppliers and contractors to submit bids for Village projects and to continue its efforts to purchase goods and services from local vendors.
Ayes: Tell, Carson, Cousins, Smith Fisher, Semifero and Keough.
Nays: None Motion carries
Motion Semifero; support Carson that the Dexter Village Council hold a public hearing on Monday, June 8, 2009 at 7:30 pm at the Dexter Senior Center, 7720 Dexter-Ann Arbor Road, Dexter, Michigan, for the purpose of hearing public comment regarding the proposed 2009-2010 water and sewer rates, proposed 2009-2010 Millage Rate and the Proposed Fiscal Year 2009-2010 Budget.
Ayes: Carson, Cousins, Fisher, Smith, Semifero, Tall and Keough.
Nays: None Motion carries
Motion Tell; support Semifero to set a Public Hearing on May 26, 2009 on the Water & Sewer Use Ordinance Amendments.
Ayes: Cousins, Fisher, Smith, Semifero, Tell, Carson and Keough.
Nays: None Motion carries
Motion Semifero; support Smith to approve the request of the Dexter Soccer Club and the Dexter Knights of Columbus to place up to 15 signs at the following locations: 2 at all entrances to the Village - Baker, Central, Dexter-Ann Arbor, Main Street; Baker/Main, Monument Park and 1 near each of the 5 schools; and for the period of May 29 to June 15 for the Dexter Soccer Club and May 13 to May 23 for the Knights of Columbus.
Ayes: Smith, Semifero, Tell, Carson, Fisher, Cousins and Keough. Nays: None Motion carries
ADJOURNMENT
Motion Carson; support Smith to adjourn at 11:02 pm. Unanimous voice vote for approval
Respectfully submitted, Carol J. Jones, Clerk, Village of Dexter
Approved for Filing: May 11, 2009
The minutes in their entirety may be viewed at the Village Office at 8123 Main Street, Dexter MI or online at www.villageofdexter.org
Published May 21, 2009

NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATIONAL MEETING
ON PROPOSED WATER, SEWER AND REFUSE RATE INCREASE

Notice is hereby given that the Dexter Village Council will hold a public informational meeting Monday, June 8, 2009 at 7:30 p.m. at the Dexter Senior Center – 7720 Ann Arbor Street, Dexter, Michigan for the purpose of hearing public comment regarding a proposed Water, Sewer, and Refuse Rate Increase

Water Rates	Current Rates	Proposed 3% Increase
Ready To Serve Monthly Fee	$6.14	$6.32
First Meter Per 1,000 Gallons	$2.77	$2.85
Second Meter Per 1,000 Gallons	$3.74	$3.85
Sewer Rates	**Current Rates**	**Proposed 3% Increase**
Ready to Serve Monthly Fee	$5.31	$5.47
Per 1,000 Gallons	$6.54	$6.73
Other Charges and Penalties	**Current Rates**	**Proposed Change to Penalty**
Penalties on Late Charges	5% Cumulative	2% Cumulative
Turn-on and Turn-off Charges	$35	$35
Meter Calibration Charge	$35	$35
Water Only Meter 1 Inch	$250	$250
Refuse Rates	**Current Rates**	**Proposed $2.50 Increase**
Monthly Charge	$15	$17.50

The chart below illustrates the impact the proposed rate adjustment will have on a family using 10,000 gallons of water during a 2-month billing cycle. The overall increase during a 2-month billing cycle would be $8.48 each billing cycle or $4.24 per month. The overall percent increase is 5.5%.

WATER- 3%	Current	Proposed
Ready to Serve Charge	$12.28	$12.64
Commodity Charge 10,000 gallons	$27.70	$28.50
SEWER- 3%		
Ready to Serve Charge	$10.62	$10.94
Commodity Charge 10,000 gallons	$65.30	$67.30
REFUSE – $5 Increase	$30	$35
	$145.90	**$154.38**

Donna Dettling
Dexter Village Manager

Published May 21, 2009

Synopsis of the
CITY OF CHELSEA
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
Tuesday, April 28, 2009
Washington Street Education Center

Call to Order
Present: Council Members Present: Feeney, Lindauer, Martinez-Kratz, Anderson, Holmberg, Hammer, Albertson, City Manager John Hanifan, and Clerk Royal
Absent:
Others Present: Christine Linfield, Nancy Anderson, LuAnn Koch, Jim Payeur, Kristin van Reesema, Jim Drolett, Kim Garland

Mayor Feeney called the meeting to order at 7:10 pm.

Pledge of Allegiance

Public Hearing
1. Renewable Energy Plan and Energy Optimization Plan

Mayor Feeney opened the Public Hearing at 7:11 pm.

Kristin van Reesma asked questions regarding Chelsea's compliance with the requirements of the plan.
Mayor Feeney closed the Public Hearing at 7:13 pm.

Approval Of Consent Agenda

MOVED Hammer SECONDED Anderson to approve minutes, bills, and traffic control orders. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Approval of Regular Agenda
MOVED Albertson SECONDED Lindauer to approve the regular agenda as presented. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Council Business
1. DDA Bond Authorization Resolution
MOVED Hammer SECONDED Albertson to adopt the resolution authorizing the issuance of bonds in an amount not to exceed $995,000. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

2. Zou Zou's Request for Outdoor Seating
MOVED Lindauer SECONDED Holmberg to allow Zou Zou's Coffee Edibles & Art's request for outdoor seating on W. Middle Street with Zou Zou's providing the City with the $1 million certificate of liability insurance. Said approval would be from this approval date through November 15, 2009 and that Zou Zou's maintains the garbage receptacle at the northwest corner of W. Middle St. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

3. Chelsea Area Fire Authority Dispatch Agreement
MOVED Lindauer SECONDED Hammer to approve the Dispatch Services Agreement with the Chelsea Area Fire Authority from July 1, 2009 to June 30, 2010. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

4. Budget Amendment – Environmental Services
MOVED Holmberg SECONDED Albertson to approve the budget amendments to pay for the Canopus environmental sampling services as required for site preparation at 305 S. Main St. paying invoice from the City's Capital Project fund. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

CLOSED SESSION
MOVED Hammer SECONDED Albertson to go into closed session at 8:00 p.m.for the purpose of attorney/client confidential discussion. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

ADJOURNMENT
MOVED Hammer SECONDED Anderson to adjourn at 8:43 pm. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

APPROVED: May 12, 2009

NOTE: This is only a synopsis of the Regular Council Meeting. The minutes in their entirety may be viewed at the Clerk's Office at 305 S. Main St., Chelsea, MI or online at www.city-chelsea.org

Respectfully submitted, Teresa Royal, City Clerk

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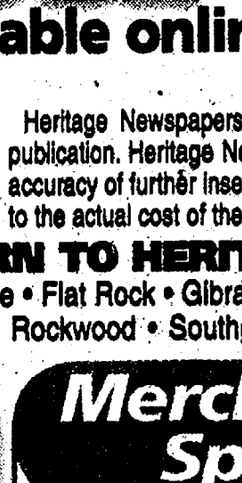

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Garage/Rummage Sales 736

ALLEN PARK 15211 Demean, Out of business. New items 50-90% off. On Allen Rd. across from Thunderbowl. May 20-23, 8-6pm. 48101

ALLEN PARK, 18645 Pinecrest, Wed.-Sat., 8-?, odds & ends. Everything must go!

ALLEN PARK 2 Family Holiday Garage Sale 3906 & 3914 Roger May 21 - May 25, 9-5 Lots of Stuff!

ALLEN PARK: 2 FAMILY SALE! 6781 Osage, May 21-22; 9-5pm. May 23; 9-1pm. Lots of toys (little tykes, radio flyer horse), baby girls clothing (12mo.-2T), high chair, pack'n'play, stroller, car seat, bed rails, antique china cabinet, large curio cabinet, 2006 paddle boat, fishing down riggers, tons of books (well known authors), small kitchen appliances & misc. household. ALL ITEMS IN LIKE NEW COND.

ALLEN PARK 9439 Marlborough, Sat. only 10-3. Kids clothes, kitchen cabinets, misc. items

ALLEN PARK 9669 Becker, May 23, 9-6pm. Clothing, appliances, household items and more.

ALLEN PARK: Mega Yard Sale! 10547 Reeck, May 21-23; 9-5pm. 4 Family. A little bit of everything

BROWNSTOWN 23378 Wagonwheel Dr., May 20-21, 9-3:30pm. 3 Family Sale. Lots of children's toys and clothes, household items and more.

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Garage/Rummage Sales 736

BROWNSTOWN: Bridgewater Sub/Estate Sale, Arsenal Rd., Betw. West & Van Horn, Fri. & Sat., June 5 & 6; 10-5pm.

BROWNSTOWN, HUGE 4 Family, 5/21-5/23, 9a-5p, 25544 Van Horn (between Telegraph & Inkster)

BROWNSTOWN: SMITH Creek Sub Sale. Off of Telegraph betw. West & Van Horn (48134). May 23-24; 9-4pm.

BROWNSTOWN: SPRING GATE Sub Sale. Vreeland & Allen. May 23rd; 9-6pm. 6+ Families! (48183)

BROWNSTOWN: West Lake Village Sub Wide Sale at West & Telegraph behind CVS Plaza (48183). May 23 from 8-4pm.

CHELSEA - 16990 Helm Rd., off old US 12 & Sylvan, May 21-22, 8-2pm. Lots of misc. items!!

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CHELSEA - 16991 Winters Rd., I-94 to Calmbach, 1/2 mile N. to Winters, May 22-23, 8-5pm. Huge Moving Sale! Lots of stuff!

Garage/Rummage Sales 736

CHELSEA: 7191 Webbs Landing (at North Lake off N. Territorial & North Lake Orchard Dr.), May 22-23; 9-5pm. HUGE Garage/Barn Sale. Model home furnishings, lamps, pictures, accessories, porch furniture, '96 Ford Econo Van, lawn tractor, custom made cabinets & too much more to list.

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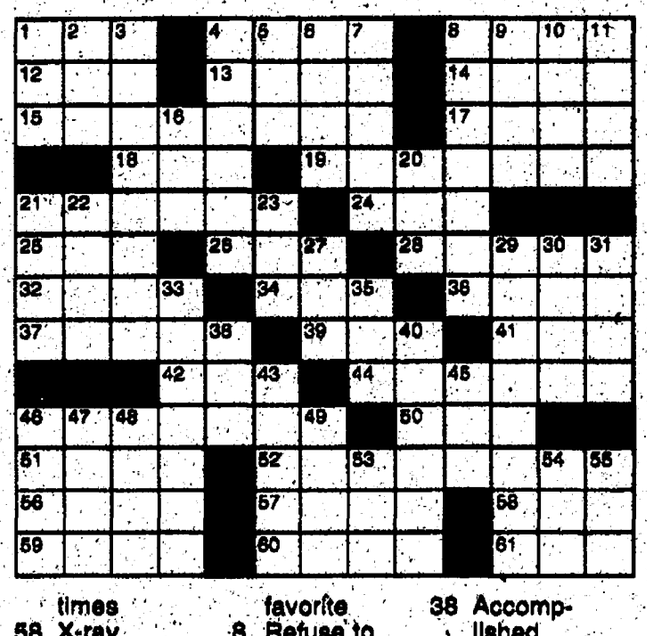

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46 Cabbage salad
47 The O'Hara estate
48 Congregation's cry
49 Manicurist's concern
53 Rotating part
54 Man-mouse link
55 Set of equipment

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Garage/Rummage Sales 250

DEARBORN: 3421 Pardee, May 22-23; 9-5pm. May 24; 10-2pm. Adult & kids clothes, little tykes, V-tech toys, household & lots more.

DEARBORN - 48128 "Buckingham Street Sale" May 22-24, 9-4pm. Off Telegraph betw. Ford Rd. & Cherry Hill.

DEARBORN HTS.: 4685 Universal, May 21-23 from 9-4pm. FIVE FAMILY GARAGE SALE!

DEARBORN HTS.: 4708 Williams (off of Van Born), May 21-23; 9-4pm.

DEARBORN HTS.: Estate Sale, 814 Charlesworth (at Cherry Hill & John Daly), May 20-21; 9:30-5pm. *Eclectic Mix!* Collections: BOOKS, newer Santa's, rughooking wool, wall art. Furniture, china, clocks, whales, pewter, crystal, model cars, model ships, electronics, baskets, gardening, Musial oils to the basics. No Early Sales.

DEARBORN: MULTI-FAMILY Garage Sale on 3700 Block of Vassar (48124). May 22-24; 9-4pm. No Early Birds.

DETROIT - 5183 Lonyo, May 21 & 22 10-5pm., May 23rd 10-2pm., 7 family sale: No pre-sales! Lots of new, used, & vintage items.

DEXTER: 11750 Jackson Rd., Sat. May 23 from 9-5pm. Multi-Family Sale. Furniture, kids clothes & misc.

PLACE AN AD 1-877-888-3202

DEXTER 6530 Huron River Dr., - May 22-24, Fri. 9-7, Sat. 9-4, Sun. 9-4. Huge 3 family garage sale, tools, camping and fishing gear, electronics, furniture cameras, sports, gear, comic books, collectibles, clothes, household items, board games and lots more.

DEXTER: 9700 Island Lk. Rd. May 22-23; 9-5pm. Books, crafts & supplies, Hallmark ornaments & miniatures, symbols & lots and lots of misc. items.

EARLY HOLIDAY DEADLINES
Classified Will Be Closed

In observance of Memorial Day, our Classified Dept. will be closed on Monday, May 25, 2009.

Deadline for Sunday, May 24th's News Herald and Press & Guide editions will be 12:30 p.m. on Friday, May 22.

We will resume normal business hours on, Tuesday, May 26, 2009.

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FLAT ROCK 3 Family Annual Sale, household, toddler bed, toys, great kid clothes & much more, May 21-23, 9a-5p, 24675 E. Huron River Dr.

FLAT ROCK, 4 families. Lots Of Everything! Sat. May 23, Rain Date June 13th 27050 Will Carleton

GREGORY 11251 Hadley, May 23-24, 9-5pm. Children's toys & books, clothing, misc. items.

GREGORY 5 family garage sale at 1 big location 12890 Hadley Rd. 5/21-23 9-6, collectibles, antiques, tools, baby stuff, household misc., toys, jacuzzi

GROSSE ILE, 21647 Canterbury, 5/23, 9a-4p, misc. household items, children's clothes & toys

GROSSE ILE 25212 Old Depot Ct., May 22, 9-3pm. Household items, patio, gift set, golf clubs.

LINCOLN PARK 1260 Marion , May 21-24, 9-6pm. Lawnmower, baby toys & misc. items.

LINCOLN PARK: 1578 Howard, May 23-24 from 9-5pm. *HUGE* Office Furniture Sale. Desk, chairs, file cabinets & so much more!

LINCOLN PARK 2980 Pingree, Fri. - Sun., May 22-24, 9-5pm. 2 + families. Lots of misc. items.

LINCOLN PARK 3026 Ferris, 48146. 5 family yard/estate sale. May 21-23. Thurs - Sat. 9-5. Too much to list!

LINCOLN PARK: 4140 High (off Goddard), May 23-25; 9-2pm. TV, foosball table, boys/girls clothes, much more!

LINCOLN PARK 526 & 507 Kings Hwy. May 21st - 23rd, 9-4pm. Baby, kids, household & more.

LINCOLN PARK 530 Kings Hwy., Wed. May 20 - Fri. May 22. Big Estate Sale. Reasonable Prices.

LINCOLN PARK, Rummage Sale, May 22, 9-4, *Dix United Methodist Church*, 1911 Horger, corner of Dix & Southfield.

LINCOLN PARK, Yard Sale, Sat., May 16 & Sun., May 17th, 1630 Mill St.

LINCONL PARK 3 family sale, 858 Cleveland, Thur.-Fri. 9-5. Women's clothes household goods.

MANCHESTER, 311 W. Main, Multi-family Garage Sale, Fri., 5/22, 10a-4p, Sat. 5/23, 9a-3p.

MANCHESTER HUGE mill family sale Fri. May 22 & Sat., May 23 9 am - 5 pm. 5179 Lima Center Rd. corner of Lima Center & Pleasant Lk. Rd. across from Freedom Township Hall

MANCHESTER, LARGE Garage Sale, May 22-25, 310 E. Duncan, 9a-4p. Victorian Christmas decorations, trees, bird houses, angels, snowmen, furn. & clothes.

MELVINDALE, 17641 Robert St., May 17-20, 8-5pm, Ind. buffer, comm. copier Something for Everyone!

MILAN: 11352 Dennison, Thur.-Sat. 9-6. Toys, books, tools & tool boxes, clothes, housewares.

MILAN: 762 Blue Bird Lane, May 22; 8-4pm. May 23; 8-1pm. Multi-Family Garage Sale.

MILAN GARAGE SALE
14553 Dorline Rd.,
1/4 mile off of Plank Rd.
May 14th, 15th, 21st, & 22nd
9-5 p.m. Rain or Shine!

NEW BOSTON 37855 Cottonwood Ct. Whispering Willow Sub., May 22-23, 8-6pm. Instruments & prom dresses.

RIVERVIEW - 14015 Heritage, May 20-22, 9-3pm. Miscellaneous Items and more!

RIVERVIEW 18621 Hill Top Lane, Sun., Noon-4pm. Moving Sale, Misc, and Furniture. Crown Point Condominiums

RIVERVIEW 4 family garage sale, 14309 Dundee, Sat. May 23rd. 9-4pm.

Riverview Forest, 19467 Coventry Dr., (Enter off Sibley to Stonewood-turn right at 2nd stop sign), May 22 & 23, 8-3, Computer hutch, cameras, golf clubs, much more!

RIVERVIEW, lots of home decor, some designer brand clothing, 5/22, 9-?, 5/23, 9-5, 17756 Smith

ROMULUS: NEW Faith Chapel 19498 Middlebelt, 1/4 mile S. of Sibley, **Gigantic Church Garage Sale,** Quality items and bargains galore Friday & Saturday June 5-6; 9-4pm.

SALINE: 4998 Willow Rd. betw. Jordan & Macon Rds. 5/22 8a-3p, 5/23 8a-12p Antiques, 71' Malibu

SOUTHGATE, 12317 Irene. May 23, 24 & 25, 9-5. Outdoor Estate/Moving Sale. Tons of furniture, books, toys, kids stuff, craft supplies, aquariums. Much more! Bargain Prices!

SOUTHGATE: 13108 Leroy, 5/21-22, 9-5. Bikes, tools, books, lawn tools, CD's, Disney tapes, lots misc.

SOUTHGATE, 14215 Helen, Fri. & Sat. 9-5. Attic treasures, vintage jewelry, glass, household, yard & children's items, tons of jigsaw puzzles.Nice NASCAR collection.

SOUTHGATE, *GIANT 4 Family Sale*. DEALS GALORE, May 21-22, 9-5, 16251 McCan btw Eureka & Pennsylvania.

SOUTHGATE - **Super Estate Sale** -16311 Richmond, S of Eureka. Fri/Sun May 22-24, 9-4pm, Won't Want To Miss! Furniture, china, household items, collectibles, glassware, books, clothes and much more! Clean and in great condition.

S. ROCKWOOD: 10462 N. Dixie, May 22-24; 10am-? Huge Sale! 100's of items, not junk.

ST. JAMES Church Annual Garage Sale May 29th 8am to 5pm May 30th 8am to 2pm Tons of Collectibles, household items, furniture, clothes, books. 11005 W. Michigan Ave. Saline

TAYLOR 10877 Barga, May 22-24, 12-6pm. Washer/Dryer, dining room table set, video games, and more.

TAYLOR 8055 Sloan, One Day Only May 23, 8-6. Great Items!

TAYLOR 9752 Sil Dr., May 22-23, 8-4pm. Estate Sale. Furn. Collectibles, tools and much more.

TAYLOR, Estate Sale, 23341 Irvin, May 21-25, 12-6 daily, lots of tools, collectibles, prom dresses & more!

TAYLOR, Moving Sale, 6430 Bailey, Fri, 5/22 thru Mon, 5/24 9a-5p, Subdivision by Taylor Senior Center off Ecorse Rd. & Ames Hwy

Taylor Moving Sale, 8057 Katherine, May 19-23, 8-3, baby clothes & items, antique oak desk, small furniture & knick knacks

TAYLOR - Multi family garage sale. May 21-22, 9-3. Baby/kids items, household. No early birds

TRENTON 2830 Longmeadow May 22 - 23, 9-5pm. Household furnishings, furn., - bar equipment, TV's, exercise equipment, others & tools.

TRENTON: 2845 Parkwood, Sat. May 23 from 9-5pm. GIANT Family Garage Sale!

TRENTON 3232 Grange, Fri., May 22, 9-4 Collectibles, Barbies w/NIB

TRENTON, Faith United Methodist Church Spring Rummage Sale, Thurs. May 21 10-4, Fri May 22 10-Noon $2 bag day. Something for everyone! 2530 CHARLTON 734-671-5211

TRENTON, Thurs.-Sat, 8-5, May 21-23, clothes, books, puzzles ,home,misc. 2341 Westfield

VENDORS NEEDED Flea Market, $15 Table, Sun., 5/31, 8a-5p, Taylor South Little League Heritage Park 734-287-8142 or adelong@comcast.net

WOODHAVEN: 18934 Forest Hill Dr., May 22-24; 9-4. Tools, toys, furniture & misc. items.

WOODHAVEN 22356 Woodstock Ct., Thurs.- Sat., 9-3. Household goods, interior door & much more!

WOODHAVEN - Block sale, Colonial Dr. & Ct., May 23rd, 8-4pm., Heritage off West Rd. or Cabot off Van Horn.

WOODHAVEN Large Yard Sale. Thurs-Sun 9am-6pm (5/21-5/24). 25064 Reeck off Van Horn btw. Fort & Allen

WOODHAVEN: Woodpointe Sub off West betw. Gudith & Telegraph 23114 Leighwood, Thurs. only 9-5.

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Wyandotte, 1075 Poplar Ct., May 20-22, 8-4, Huge 4 Family Sale. Something for Everyone!

WYANDOTTE: 1209 Oxford 3 blocks S. of Northline Betw. 12 & 15 St., Fri. & Sat. May 22-23 10-6.

WYANDOTTE - 1484 21st Street, Fri. May 22nd 10-2pm. All jewelry, 50 years of collecting!

WYANDOTTE - 1810 Superior Blvd, May 16-17; 10-6pm. Clothes, household items.

WYANDOTTE - May 22, 23, 9-5pm, 865 Lindberg. Tools, organ, old records, dolls, much more.

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Legal Notice 1050

Publication Of Notice Of Corporate Dissolution
Notice is hereby given that SALSARITA'S GREEN OAKS CORP., a Michigan corporation (the "Corporation"), has dissolved effective on April 15th, 2009. All persons with claims against the Corporation are requested to present them in accordance with this notice. Claims must be filed with the Corporation at the following address: Todd R. Branch, 18530 Mack Ave., Ste. 544, Grosse Pointe, Michigan, 48236-3254. Each claim must include the name and address of the claimant, the basis for and amount of each claim (in sufficient detail to permit the Corporation to make a reasonable judgement whether the claim should be accepted or rejected), and the date or dates on which each claim arose. Each claim against the Corporation (other than a claim asserted by a claimant who receives written notice of the dissolution by mail, which notice specifies the applicable deadline for submitting claims by known claimants) will be barred unless a proceeding to enforce the claim is commenced within one year after the publication of this notice.

Published May 7, 14, 21 & 28, June 4, 11 & 18, 2009

PUBLIC NOTICE

On May 26th, 2009, the Van Buren Township Police Department will conduct a public auction of impounded and abandoned vehicles. The auction will begin at 10:00am, at J&T Towing and Storage, 287 Industrial Dr. Belleville MI, County of Wayne, where the following will be offered for sale to the highest bidder.

1993 FORD PU 1FTCR10A2PTA06473 09-4736
1994 MERCURY 4D 1MEPM36X8RK65256609-7782
1989 HONDA 2D 2HGED7367KH554994 09-8051
1986 VOLVO 4D YV1AX8843G1168641 09-8547

Upon completion, the auction will move to Great Lakes Towing and storage, 42350 Van Born Rd. Belleville MI, County of Wayne, where the following vehicles will be offered for sale to the highest bidder.

1995 DODGE PU 1B7HC16Z7SS236822 09-7342
1995 FORD 4D 1FMDU34X5SUA97458 09-7602
1995 HONDA 2D 1HGEJ1121SL004960 09-7877
1996 FORD TK1FTHKZ6F9TEA81674 09-8354
1995 MERCURY 4D 2MELM75W2SX699156 09-8414
1997 MERCURY 2D 2G1WX12XXV9228843 09-8591
1996 DODGE 4D 3B3ES47C9TT293574 09-8819

All vehicles are sold in "as is condition." Bidding on all impounded vehicles will start at the amount due for towing and storage. Vehicles may be deleted from this list at any time prior to the start of the auction.

Leon Wright, CMC
Van Buren Township Clerk
Published: On or before May, 21st, 2009

Published May 21, 2009

AUGUSTA CHARTER TOWNSHIP
Introduction of Amendment to Water Sewer Ordinance

Please take notice that the Augusta Charter Township Board of Trustees will **consider additional revisions to the adopted ordinance amendment for utility rates to include fees for customer requested services and the public water dispenser rates** related to the Augusta Township Utility Ordinance at the Board of Trustee's meeting to be held on Tuesday, May 26, 2009 at 7:00 pm at the Augusta Township Meeting Room at 8021 Talladay, Whittaker MI 48190.

Copies of the Amended Ordinance Resolution are available at the Township Hall or on line at www.augustatownship.org. Written comments regarding the proposed amendment should be directed to the Augusta Charter Township, at 8021 Talladay Road, PO Box 100, Whittaker, MI 48190.

The Charter Township of Augusta encourages persons with disabilities to participate and will provide necessary auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tape of printed materials being considered at the meeting to individuals with disabilities upon seven (7) days notice to the Township.

Kathy Giszczak, Clerk
Augusta Charter Township

Introduced: May 12, 2009
Published: May 21, 2009

Miscellaneous for Sale 2100

17FT. BOW Rider, 1986, nice, $1800. 6 HP Evinrude w/tank $750. Pop up camper, $700. 16'x6.5' trailer, tandem, needs deck, $300. Mobile Office trailer, 16ft. $200. Log splitter, 4"x27" cyl. fits 3point hitch $400. 40ft. Tower w/hinge base, $400. 8ft. Western plow blade, $300. 12,000 lb. Fork truck $1800. Leave message. 734-777-2682

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4 NEW Rims, 20x8.5 6-135 Vagare, V15 Smack 6 Chrome + 35. $500. 734-341-0585

4TIRES, LT285/65R-1 8/E1, 125R BFG All Terrain. Transferable Warr. 5500mi, $1,000. 734-341-0585

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6 FEET Tall Lighted Show cases, $250 /each. 313-295-6901

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TV, WEIGHTLIFTING set, refrigerator, lamp, & antique furniture for sale, call Ben. 734-755-3696

Musical Instruments 2200

LOCAL MUSIC collector, paying cash for 50s & 60s, 45s & LPs. Rock, soul, Motown, blues, call Rob. 734-777-6047

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Musical Instruments 2200

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CLAVINOVA Keyboard & Disks, paid $8,000, asking $2,200/best. 734-676-3797

Musical Instruments 2200

GEORGE STECK Walnut Piano, $300. Console, good condition. 734-676-8623

Sound Proof Whisper room, 4'x6'x6.5'. Schectar bass, Nashville Telcaster, Yamaha digital drums & misc. 734-308-3452.

Pets 2020

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Pets 2020

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CHIHUAHUA PUPS Very Tiny, Shots, $300-$450. 734-225-4211 734-586-2655

Pets 2020

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FORECLOSURE NOTICE RANDALL S. MILLER & ASSOCIATES, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Mortgage Sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Michael Fellia and Catherine Fellia, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as a nominee for FMF Capital LLC, Mortgagee, dated July 27, 2005, and recorded on August 1, 2005, in Liber 4496, Page 185, Washtenaw County Records, said mortgage was assigned to U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for the registered holders of Aegis Asset Backed Securities Trust, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-5 by an Assignment of Mortgage dated February 8, 2008 and recorded on February 22, 2008 in Liber 4666 on Page 641, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of TWO HUNDRED EIGHTY SIX THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY NINE AND 73/100 DOLLARS ($286,859.73) including interest at the rate of 6.390% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the Circuit Court in said Washtenaw County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 10:00 AM on June 18, 2009. Said premises are situated in the Township of Pittsfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit(s) 51, of Briar Hill, a Condominium according to the Consolidating Master Deed thereof recorded in Liber 4206, Page 106, Washtenaw County Records, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan No. 120, and any amendments thereto, together with an undivided interest in the common elements of said condominium as set forth in said Master Deed, and any amendments thereto, last amended by amendment recorded in Liber 4371, Page 121 and as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1978, as amended. 3653 Barry Knoll Unit 51 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. Dated: May 21, 2009 Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Assignee 43252 Woodward Ave., Suite 180 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302 (248) 335-9200 Our File No. 256.00217 ASAP# 3116143 05/21/2009, 05/28/2009, 06/04/2009, 06/11/2009

FORECLOSURE NOTICE RANDALL S. MILLER & ASSOCIATES, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Mortgage Sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Steven A. Thompson, Sr. and Vickie L. Thompson, husband and wife, to New Century Mortgage Corporation, Mortgagee, dated February 19, 2002, and recorded on April 23, 2002, in Liber 4118, Page 994. Said mortgage was re-recorded to correct the legal description on August 21, 2003 in Liber 4301, Page 411, Washtenaw County Records, said mortgage was assigned to U.S. Bank N.A., in its capacity as Trustee for the holders of Morgan Stanley Dean Witter Capital I Inc. Trust 2002-HE1 Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2002-HE1 by an Assignment of Mortgage dated July 1, 2003 and recorded July 15, 2003 in Liber 4283, Page 87. Said assignment of mortgage was corrected by Affidavit dated January 16, 2007 and recorded January 26, 2007 in Liber 4604, Page 595, Washtenaw County Register of Deeds, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of SEVENTY THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY FOUR AND 54/100 DOLLARS ($70,854.54) including interest at the rate of 10.750% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the Circuit Court in said Washtenaw County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 10:00 AM on May 28, 2009. Said premises are situated in the City of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: The North 54 feet of the East 140 feet of Lot 39, Morse's Addition, as recorded in Liber 67 of Deeds, Page 382, Washtenaw County records. 430 Second Avenue The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. Dated: April 30, 2009 Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Assignee 43252 Woodward Ave., Suite 180 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302 (248) 335-9200 Our File No. 256.00306ASAP# 3075452 04/30/2009, 05/07/2009, 05/14/2009, 05/21/2009

FORECLOSURE NOTICE This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by: Randall F Roe, A Single Man to InterBay Funding LLC, Mortgagee, dated June 15, 2005 and recorded September 19, 2005 in Liber 4508 Page 251 and subsequently modified, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage was assigned to: Bayview Loan Servicing, LLC, by assignment dated January 30, 2006 and recorded February 23, 2006 in Liber 4540, Page 227, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Six Hundred Eighty-Three Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-Nine Dollars and One Cents ($683,679.01) including interest 4% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue, Circuit Court of Washtenaw County at 10:00AM on June 11, 2009 Said premises are situated in Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Parcel I: Lots 360 through 365, both inclusive, Devonshire Subdivision No.3, as recorded in Liber 8 of Plats, Page 4, Washtenaw County Records. Parcel II: Lots 454 though 457, both inclusive, Devonshire Subdivision No. 4, as recorded in Liber 8 of plats, Page 23, Washtenaw County Records. Also the full width of the 20 foot vacated alley South of Lots 360 through 365 and North of Lots 454 through 457. Commonly known as 1902 East Michigan Ave, Ypsilanti MI 48198 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 or MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later. Dated: MAY 11, 2009 Bayview Loan Servicing, LLC Assignee of Mortgagee Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No: 09-09613 ASAP# 3102846 05/14/2009, 05/21/2009, 05/28/2009, 06/04/2009

FORECLOSURE NOTICE RANDALL S. MILLER & ASSOCIATES, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Mortgage Sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Sam A. Lacorato and Anneke B. Burell-Lacorato, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as a nominee for Mandalay Mortgage, LLC, Mortgagee, dated April 17, 2006, and recorded on April 24, 2006, in Liber 4552, Page 992, Washtenaw County Records, said mortgage was assigned to HSBC Bank USA, N.A., As Trustee for the registered holders of Nomura Home Equity Loan, Inc., Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2006-HE3 by an Assignment of Mortgage dated October 27, 2006 and recorded on November 9, 2006 in Liber 4591 on Page 813, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of THREE HUNDRED FORTY FOUR THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED SEVENTY NINE AND 43/100 DOLLARS ($344,479.43) including interest at the rate of 8.630% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the Circuit Court in said Washtenaw County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 10:00 AM on June 11, 2009. Said premises are situated in the Township of Pittsfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 169, Hickory Pointe Subdivision No. 3, as recorded in Liber 32 of Plats, Page (s) 91 through 98, Washtenaw County records. 5144 Hickory Pointe Boulevard The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. Dated: May 14, 2009 Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Assignee 43252 Woodward Ave., Suite 180 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302 (248) 335-9200 Our File No. 256.00359 ASAP# 3103126 05/14/2009, 05/21/2009, 05/28/2009, 06/04/2009

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

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Default has occurred in the conditions of a mortgage made by TIMOTHY B. POWELL and CATHERINE POWELL, a/k/a Catherine M. Powell, husband and wife (collectively "Mortgagor"), to GREENSTONE FARM CREDIT SERVICES, FLCA, a federally chartered corporation having its principal office at 1760 Abbey Road, Suite 200, East Lansing, Michigan (the "Mortgagee"), dated August 13, 2004, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Washtenaw County, Michigan on August 20, 2004, in Liber 4416, Page 766 (the "Mortgage"). By reason of such default, the Mortgagee elects to declare and hereby declares the entire unpaid amount of the Mortgage due and payable forthwith.
As of the date of this Notice there is claimed to be due for principal and interest on the Mortgage the sum of Two Hundred Thirty Thousand Three Hundred Eighty Four and 09/100 Dollars ($230,384.09). No suit or proceeding at law has been instituted to recover the debt secured by the Mortgage or any part thereof.
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in the Mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, and to pay the above amount, with interest, as provided in the Mortgage, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law, and all taxes and insurance premiums paid by the undersigned before sale, the Mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder at the main lobby of the Circuit Courthouse, Huron Street entrance, located in Ann Arbor, Michigan on Thursday, June 4, 2009, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. The premises covered by the Mortgage are situated in the Township of Freedom, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, and are described as follows:

The West 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 36, T3S, R4E, Freedom Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, except the Easterly 50 feet of the North 1/2 thereof, excepting therefrom land deeded to the Township of Freedom by deed recorded in Liber 129, Page 540, described as: commencing at the intersection of the North and South 1/4 line and the highway running East and West, now known as Saline-Waterworks Road, thence South 160 rods, thence East 8 rods, thence West 4 rods, thence North 160 rods, thence West 4 rods to the place of beginning, this land is to be used for public highway in the Township of Freedom, County and State aforesaid, being all in Section 36 of Freedom.

Also excepting therefrom land deeded to the Board of County Road Commissioners recorded in Liber 341, Page 572, Washtenaw County Records, described as: a parcel of land in the Southwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 36, T3S, R4E, Freedom Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a pipe in the South line of Section 36, T3S, R4E, Washtenaw County, Michigan which pipe is 66 foot North 88°49'39" East of the South 1/4 corner of said Section 36; thence North 0°49'39" East 401.0 feet to a pipe; thence South 17°45'41" East 418.16 feet to a pipe in the South line of said Section 36, which is the North ¼ corner of Section 1, T4S, R4E, thence South 88°49'39" West 133.4 feet along the South line of the aforesaid Section 36 to the point of beginning, exclusive of that portion contained in the present right of way.

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Dated: April 30, 2009 GREENSTONE FARM CREDIT SERVICES, FLCA

Mortgagee

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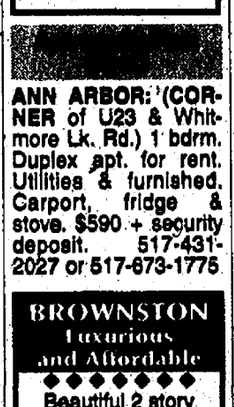

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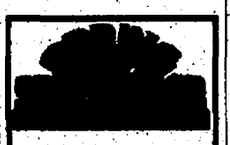

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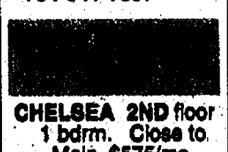

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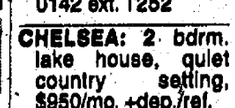

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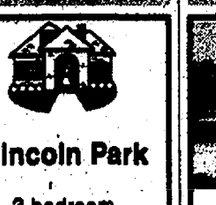

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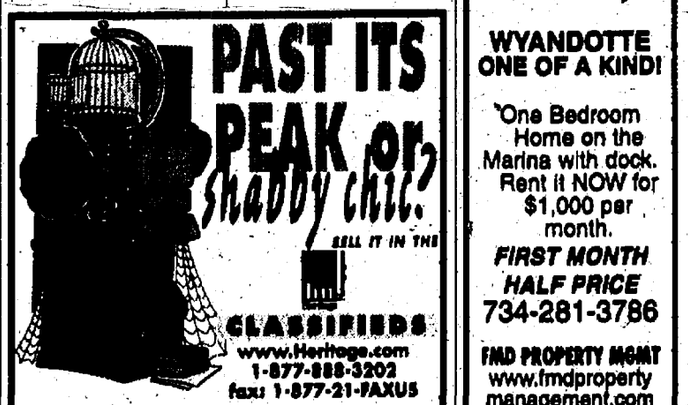

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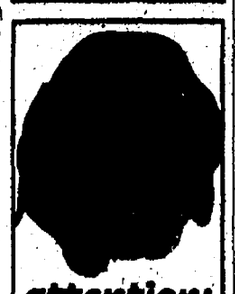

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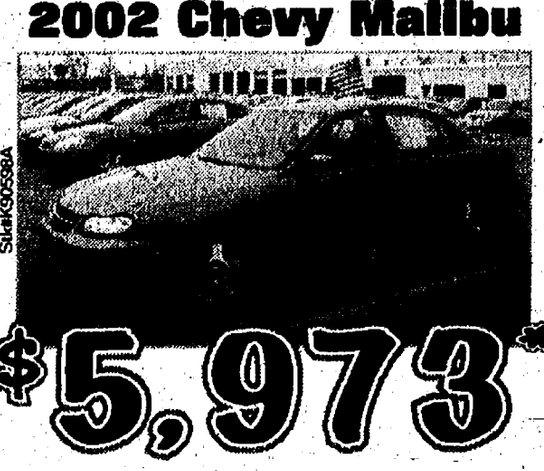

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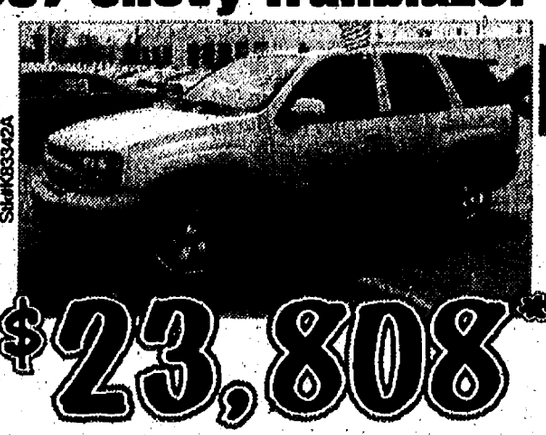

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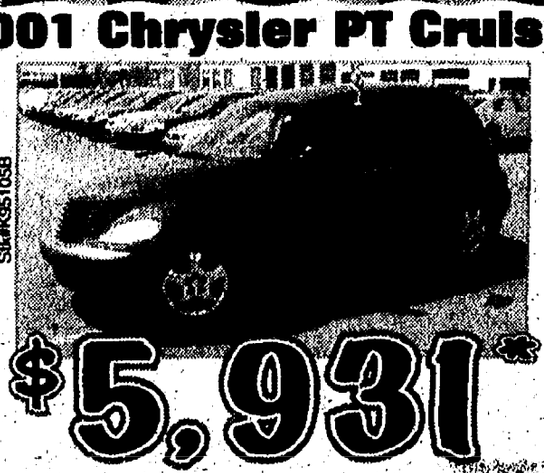

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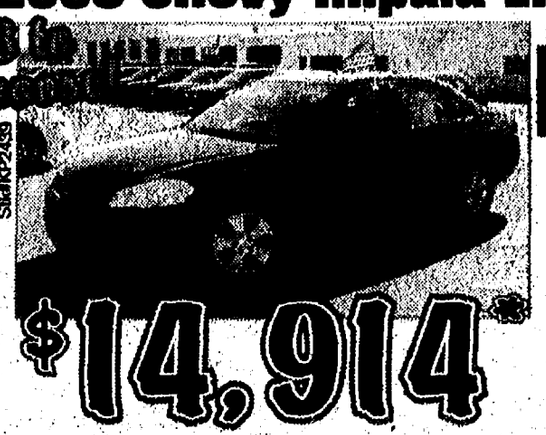

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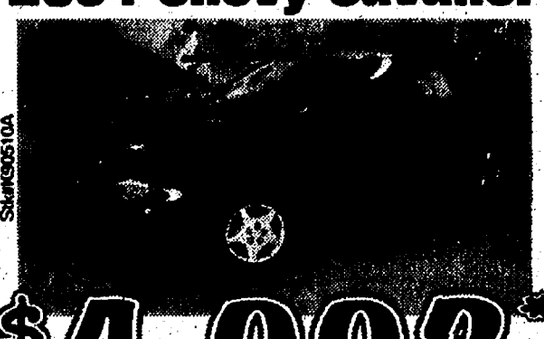

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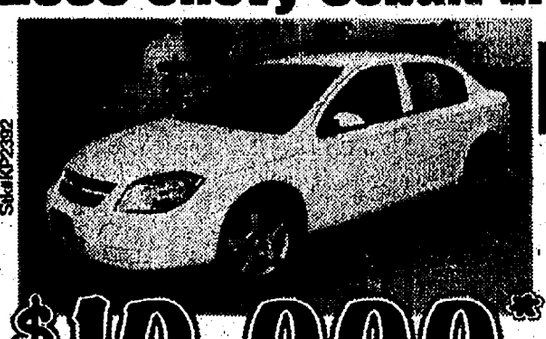

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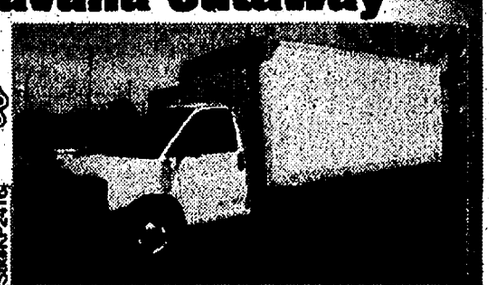

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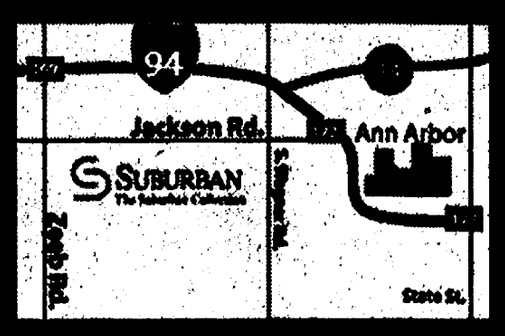

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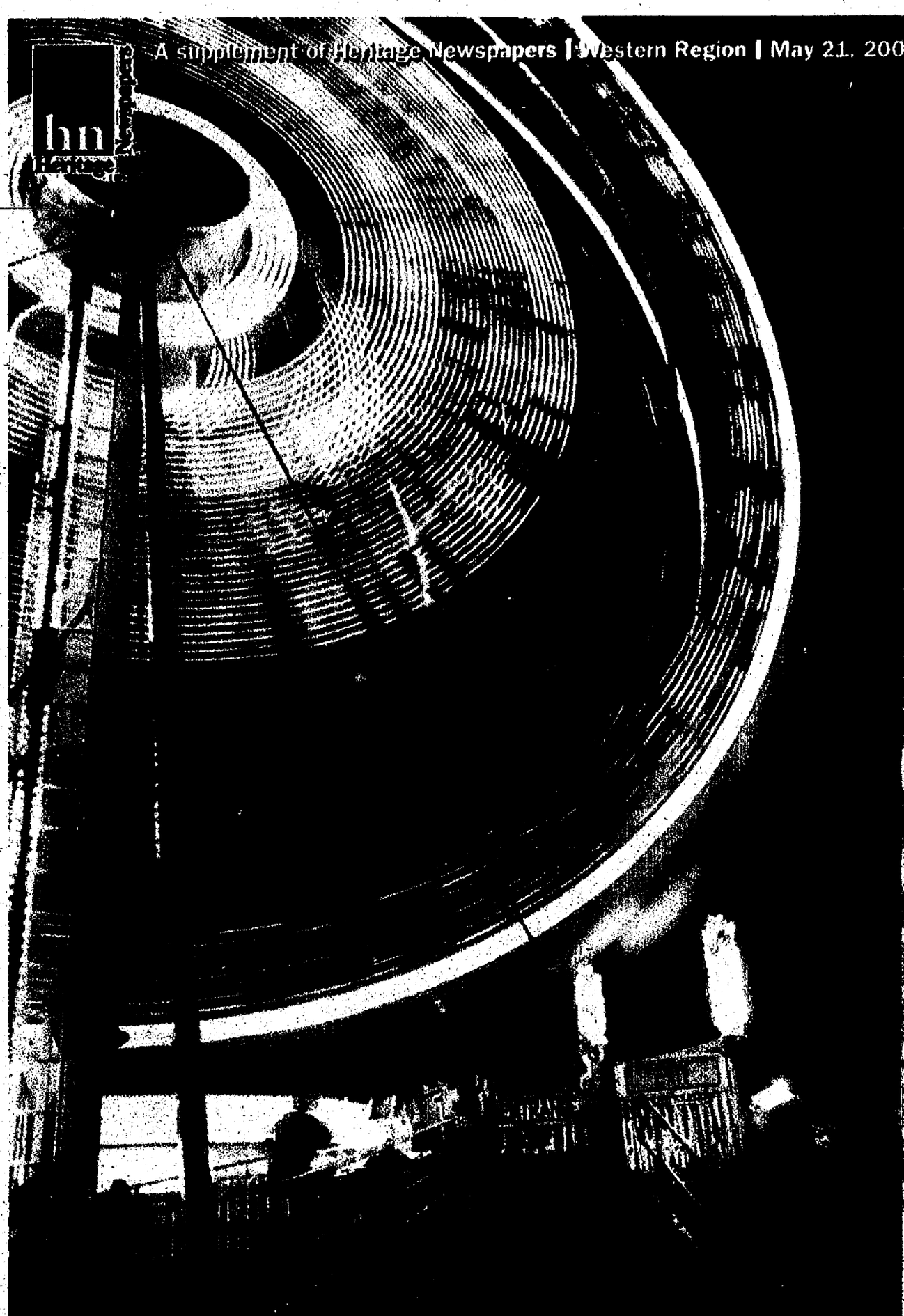

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MANCHESTER

People flock to town for annual chicken broil

Event to be held in downtown Manchester July 16

In what could rival a feast fit for kings, 400 area volunteers are poised to converge on Alumni Field July 16 for the 54th annual Manchester Chicken Broil.

"We purchase 12,500 chicken halves from a company in Georgia," event spokesman Karl Racenis, said. "They slaughter them the night before the broil and ship them up to us. It's all fresh. Nothing is frozen."

The annual event was started in 1954 by The Exchange Club, a local businessmen's group, which experimented with a new method of cooking developed at Michigan State University, where chicken halves are slowly broiled over charcoal and basted with butter just before serving, he said.

"This has been going on for quite some time now," he said. "Now we have a system in place where it goes rather smoothly and we are able to serve a chicken dinner every few seconds."

The annual event was started in 1954 by The Exchange Club, a local businessmen's group, which experimented with a new method of cooking developed at Michigan State University, where chicken halves are slowly broiled over charcoal and basted with butter just before serving.

To prepare for what has now become one of the village's biggest claims to fame, Racenis said it takes four fire pits, nearly six tons of charcoal, 250 pounds of butter, almost two tons of cabbage and 13,000 dinner rolls to serve thousands of chicken lovers across the state.

"We get people from all over," he said. "Some have relatives that live here and others who have lived here but have moved away, come back for the broil."

Racenis said the event draws crowds from Ann Arbor, Jackson, Saline, Lansing, Chelsea and most of the southeast corner of the state.

"In the context of promotional things, we have put advertising in a number of newspapers and informational pamphlets in area cities," he said. "We are trying to get as many people as we can."

Racenis said the committee is expecting a fair amount of traffic from Ann Arbor this year as patrons from the Ann Arbor Art Fair will be in town.

"If the weather is nice, we'll serve a lot of chicken dinners," he said.

To cook all the chicken in a timely fashion and cook it thoroughly, chicken halves are placed on four fire pits.

"The pits are each 150 feet long, which are filled with charcoal and topped with metal grids on which the chicken is slowly cooked," he said. "We have committees who cook the chicken, chicken testers, coleslaw committees, serving committees, pit committees and a host of other volunteers. It's a really well-oiled machine."

The all-volunteer chefs have been participating in the broil for over 20 years, he said.

"The whole thing is monitored by the Washtenaw County Health Department. They inspect the chicken before any of it goes out to the public."

While it is well-known that the Manchester Chicken Broil runs from 4 to 8 p.m., the day starts long before that time and ends long after the gates have closed and the fires have burnt down to their embers.

It's at about 10:30 a.m. that the chicken halves are delivered by truck to Alumni Memorial Field, Racenis said. The charcoal is lit an hour later by members of the Manchester Fire Department and the cooking starts at around 12:15 p.m.

Racenis said the chickens cook for roughly an hour and 45 minutes. While they cook, they are rotated often and basted with a salt mixture and melted butter.

The chicken is only half of the magic of the Chicken Broil, however.

From the beginning, the secret recipe coleslaw — the other half of the combination — has held a special charm for many Manchester Chicken Broil fans.

"Is it a secret? Sure it is," Racenis said. "Only a few people know the full recipe and it's not your typical run-of-the-mill coleslaw recipe everyone knows how to make."

Racenis said 84 crates of cabbage and 1,100 pounds of radishes are used in the secret side dish.

Once the gates open at 4 p.m., Racenis said one meal is served every few seconds.

"Last year, we sold upward of 10,500 to 11,000 dinners and we usually end up with 500 or 1,000 chicken halves left over," he said. "Some of that is used at the worker party after the broil and the rest is given to an area organization who can use it."

The 54th annual Manchester Chicken Broil will be held July 16 at Alumni Field. The annual event requires four fire pits, nearly six tons of charcoal, 250 pounds of butter, almost two tons of cabbage and 13,000 dinner rolls to serve thousands of chicken lovers across the state. Visit www.manchesterchickenbroil.org or call 1-734-657-3690 for more information.

Most of the proceeds from the event are donated to a local organization or project.

"Our committee meets in May and charitable organizations present their case as to why they need the money and the committee decides from there," he said. "To my knowledge, no beneficiary has been spoken for yet. There are a lot of worthwhile groups out there who are in need of funding, so the process is never easy."

Reese said he is pleased with the turnout from volunteers this year.

"Everything is well organized," he said. "The biggest thing we face now is getting the field and charcoal pits ready. There's only four days after the fair to get the chicken broil set up."

Rain is also a big factor in planning the event, he said.

"In the 54 years, I think it has rained twice," he said. "Two years ago, it rained the night before, but all the volunteers came together and got it ready to go by serving time."

Racenis said he credits the good weather to the weather committee.

"Our weather committee is made up of local clergy from the area who prays for good weather," he said with a laugh. "They have done an excellent job, so far."

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Three summer events are traditions in Chelsea and Dexter.

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One of the highlights of the summer in Chelsea is the Chelsea Summer Fest July 25 through 25.

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Also on tap is the Chelsea Commnity Fair, which brings summer to a close. This year's fair is Aug. 25 through 29.

Three events are the highlight of summer in Chelsea and Dexter — Dexter Daze, an annual festival that draws visitors from all over the area, set Aug. 14 through 15; Chelsea Summer Fest, July 25 through 25; and Chelsea Community Fair, which brings summer to a close Aug. 25 through 29.

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Celtic festival draws big crowds to Saline

Annual event set July 9-11 at Mill Pond Park

Drawing more than 10,000 people to the area for food, fun and fine fare, 2009 marks the 14th annual Celtic Festival taking place July 9, 10 and 11 at Mill Pond Park.

The Saline festival began as a result of the sister-city relationship between Saline and Brecon, Wales. It is a volunteer organization comprised of an executive committee, event chairs and many volunteers.

The group meets monthly at City Hall and has an office in City Hall at 100 N. Harris St. Although the festival began as a one-day event, it has grown to include many days and evenings.

The festival officially opens July 10 with Pub in the Park.

The Celtic Parade begins at 10 a.m. July 11 at Saline Middle School and proceeds to Mill Pond Park, where opening ceremonies will be held at 11 a.m. that day.

The festival will be held from 10 a.m. to midnight July 11 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. Festival-goers may catch a demonstration of how to wrap and wear the great kilt, or hear about cooking or crafts.

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.

The Celtic Festival rugby matches are being held July 9. Matches begin at 5:30 p.m. with the Washtenaw

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The 14th annual Saline Celtic Festival will be held July 9, 10 and 11 at Mill Pond Park. A parade begins 10 a.m. Saturday at Saline Middle School and proceeds to Mill Pond Park, where opening ceremonies will be held at 11 a.m.

SUMMER FUN

BEAUTIFUL IN BELLEVILLE

ALL SUMMER

Belleville Farmers' Market is held 7am 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. every Saturday and Sunday throughout the summer at Victory Park in downtown Belleville.

Music in the Park is held 3 p.m. every Sunday from June 26 to Aug. 16 at Victory Park.

MAY

25 — Memorial Day Commemoration held at Veterans' Memorial on High Street. The annual Thunder Rolls in Belleville motorcycle ride will start 11 a.m. at Wayne County Community College Parking lot and ending at the Veterans' Memorial for the ceremony which will start about 2 p.m.

The annual Memorial Day Pancake Breakfast will be [illegible] a.m. at Willow Run Airport behind Yankee Air Museum.

JUNE

19 through 21 — The 33rd Annual National Strawberry Festival is making a triumphant return to Main Street this year after a one-year hiatus at the Belleville High School Athletic Fields.

20 — The annual parade down Main Street starts 11 a.m. For more information, call 697-3137. Visit the Web site www.national-strawberryfest.com.

27 — Fireworks at dusk at Beck Ball Fields in Van Buren Township; rain date June 24.

JULY

5 — Bugles across America at Veterans Memorial on High Street.

17 through Aug. [illegible] Main Summer Nights Concerts held 7 p.m. every Friday in Van Buren Park.

17 through 19 — Thunder Over Michigan featuring the Blue Angels at Willow Run Airport, for more information visit www.yankeeairmuseum.org.

AUGUST

3 through 9 — Wayne County Fair held at the fairgrounds on Quirk Road. For more information, call 697-7002.

9 and 10 — Thunder Over Michigan Air Show is held at the Willow Run Airport and Yankee Air Museum. This year's event will feature a battle re-enactment that will take place in a field adjacent to the Air Museum on both days of the show.

28 through 30 — Cruzin' the Park car show and swap meet held at Lower Huron Metropark on Haggerty Road.

MARVELOUS IN MANCHESTER

MAY

23 — Blues & Ribs Fest sponsored by the Manchester Men's Club at the Manchester American Legion Hall. For information, call [illegible].

25 — Memorial Day Parade at 1 p.m. along Main Street in Manchester.

JUNE

Sandbox fill sponsored by the Manchester Men's Club.

4 — Community Business Expo sponsored by the Manchester Area Chamber of Commerce. The event takes place from 3 to 7:30 p.m. on Adrian and Ockrow streets.

10 — Manchester Chamber of Commerce and Community Resource golf outing Kindreiser at Rustic Glen Golf Club. Call 1-734-476-4666.

11, 18 and 25 — Gazebo Concerts at 7:30 p.m. in Wurster Park.

JULY

3 — Fireworks sponsored by the Manchester Men's Club at Carr Park.

2, 23 and 30 — Gazebo Concerts at 7:30 p.m. in Wurster Park.

7 — Manchester Community Fair Parade at 6:30 p.m.

7 through 11 — Manchester Community Fair at Alumni Memorial Field.

[illegible] — Manchester Garden Tour from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

[illegible] — The 56th annual Manchester Chicken [illegible] 6 p.m. at Alumni [illegible].

AUGUST

1 — Riverfolk Music & Art [illegible] at Carr Park.

6 — Gazebo Concert at 7:30 p.m. in Wurster Park.

8 — The 19th annual Volleyball Tournament sponsored by the Manchester Kiwanis Club at Carr Park.

YOWZA IN YPSILANTI

ALL SUMMER

Crossroads Music Series: From 7 to 10 p.m. every Friday through Aug. 29 at the corner of Washington and Michigan Ave. For more information please call 734-485-4120.

MAY

23 — Ypsilanti Pops Concert starting 2 p.m. at Riverside Park, featuring patriotic music and more, presented by the Ypsilanti Symphony Orchestra

25 — Memorial Day Parade processional starts 9 a.m. and goes through downtown. For more information, call 483-4444.

30 — Dressed on Washington Street at North Washington Street, two shows from 3 to 5 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m., Dressed on Washington Street is a presentation of modern design fabrics and textiles by local students and fashion professionals.

JUNE

7 — [illegible] Show at Riverside [illegible] Town.

18 — Ypsilanti Community Band concert at Riverside Park

JULY

3 — [illegible] parade presented by Ypsilanti Chamber and Lakeshore [illegible] starting at dusk, rain date July 5.

4 — The Ypsilanti Fourth of July Parade, Procession begins 11 a.m. starting at Wallace and ending at Rice [illegible] in Depot Town.

10 and 11 — Michigan Brew Fest at Frog Island Park and Riverside Park in Depot Town. Visit the Web site www.mieivisitor.org.

16 — Ypsilanti Community Band Concert at Frog Island Park

17 through 19 — Thunder Over Michigan featuring the Blue Angels at Willow Run Airport, for more information visit www.yankeeairmuseum.org.

24 — The Shadow Art Fair from noon to midnight at the Corner Brewery at Forrest and Norris Streets. Find great art and other items made by local artists.

24 and 25 — Michigan Brewer's Guild Summer Beer Festival from 5 to 9 p.m. July 24 and from 1 to 6 p.m. July 25 at Riverside Park in Depot Town. Visit the Web site www.michiganbrewersguild.org.

AUGUST

7 — Kelley Miller Circus at Riverside Park

21 through 23 — The 31st annual Ypsilanti Heritage Festival throughout Depot Town, Riverside Park and Frog Island Park. Opening reception from 7 to 10 p.m. Aug. 20 at the Ypsilanti Historical Museum, 220 N. Huron. Visit the Web site www.ypsilantifestival.com.

29 — Annual Fire Truck Muster from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Riverside Park.

SENSATIONAL IN SALINE

MAY

25 — The Saline Memorial Day Parade will be held from 10 to 10:30 a.m. on Michigan Avenue. It will be hosted by the Saline American Legion. Visit www.salinelegion.org for more information.

JUNE

12 — Summer Music Series will kick off in Saline. Jesse Fatter will perform from 7:30 to 9 p.m. on South Ann Arbor Street. For more information, visit www.cityofsaline.org.

19 — Movie in the Park will be held from 6 to 11 p.m. in Mill Pond Park. For more information, visit www.cityofsaline.org/parks

19 — Summer Music Series will feature The Hummingbirds from 7:30 to 9 p.m. on South Ann Arbor Street. For more information, visit www.salinechamber.com.

20 — Family Magic Show will be held from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Liberty School in Saline. For more information, visit www.cityofsaline.org/parks.

21 — Sportscars to Saline will be held from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on North and South Ann Arbor Street. For more information, visit www.[illegible].org.

26 — Summer Music Series will feature [illegible] Big Band from 7:30 to 9 [illegible] South Ann Arbor Street. For more information, visit [illegible].org.

JULY

9 — Rugby Football will be played from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Hyne Field as part of the Saline Celtic Festival activities. For more information, visit www.[illegible]saline.org.

[illegible] Pool & the Park will be held from [illegible] to 11 p.m. at Mill Pond [illegible]. For more information, visit [illegible]saline.org.

[illegible] Series continues [illegible] 8 p.m. on South [illegible]. For more [illegible]

[illegible] Parade will [illegible] to 11 a.m. [illegible].org.

11 — Saline Celtic Festival will be held from 11 a.m. to midnight at Mill Pond Park. Visit www.cityofsaline.org for more information.

24 — Movie in the Park and Family Campout will be held from 6 to 11 p.m. at Mill Pond Park. Visit www.cityofsaline.org/parks for more information.

24 — Summer Music Series will feature the Saline Fiddlers from 7:30 to 9 p.m. on South Ann Arbor Street. For more information, visit www.cityofsaline.org.

31 — Summer Music Series continues with Justine Blazer from 7:30 to 9 p.m. on South Ann Arbor Street. For more information, visit www.cityofsaline.org.

AUGUST

7 — Saline Summerfest will be held from 5 to 11 p.m. on North and South Ann Arbor Street. For more information, visit www.salinesummerfest.com

8 — Saline Summerfest continues from 8 [illegible] p.m. on North and South Ann Arbor Street. For more information, visit www.salinesummerfest.com

14 — Summer Music Series will feature Annie and Red Clarke from 7:30 to 9 p.m. on South Ann [illegible]. Visit [illegible] more information.

[illegible] — Movie in the Park will be held from 6 to 11 p.m. in Mill Pond Park. For more information, visit www.cityofsaline.org/parks.

21 — Summer Music Series will feature Mocpodstraps 7:30 to 9 p.m. on South [illegible]. Visit www.cityofsaline.org for more information.

[illegible] through 11 — Community Fair [illegible] Washington Park. Country Grounds. For more information visit [illegible].org.

12 — Saline Homecoming Parade from noon to 1 p.m. along Michigan Avenue. For more information, visit, www.saline-

CHILLIN' IN CHELSEA

27 and 28 — Waterloo Farm Museum [illegible] Celebration [illegible]

[illegible] — Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce [illegible]

[illegible] and 7 — [illegible] Painting Art [illegible]

[illegible] through Sept. 3 — Chelsea Sounds & Sights on Thursday Nights

21 through 28 — Chelsea's 175th Anniversary Celebration

[illegible] — Chelsea's 175th Anniversary Celebration Parade

JULY

24 and 25 — Chelsea SummerFest

AUGUST

10 — Chelsea Community Hospital Golf Classic

28 through 29 — Chelsea Community Fair

29 — Fair Parade 1 p.m.

MAGNIFICENT IN MILAN

JULY

[illegible] — Backstreet Cruisers will hold car show in [illegible] evening.

[illegible] Memorial Day Parade at 9 a.m. in downtown, starting at the [illegible].

JUNE

3 through 6 — Milan Community Fair will be held in Wilson Memorial Park. Call 439-2694 for details.

5 — Milan fireworks over [illegible]. For more information, call 439-2694.

5 — Rotary Chicken Barbecue will be held in downtown Milan as part of the Milan Community Fair.

AUGUST

Milan Blue Grass Festival at K.C. Camp grounds. Dates to be determined.

1 — Backstreet Cruizers annual Car Fest in Wilson Memorial Park. Call 439-4010 for details.

9 — The second annual Milan Community Picnic will be held [illegible] p.m. Call 439-7932 for food and other details.

The ninth annual Milan Area [illegible]mber of Commerce Golf [illegible] will be held. Call 43[illegible] location and [illegible]

7 through 12 — Community Fair [illegible] Washington Park. Country Grounds. For more information visit [illegible].org.

12 — Saline Homecoming Parade from noon to 1 p.m. along Michigan Avenue. For more information, visit, www.saline-

DAZZLED IN DEXTER

JUNE

12 and 19 — [illegible]

20 and 21 — Dexter Relay for Life

JULY

10, 17, 24 and 31 — Dexter Summer Series

24 — Dexter Area Chamber of Commerce Golf Outing

AUGUST

7, 21 and 28 — Dexter Summer Series

14 and 15 — Dexter Daze

CHELSEA

Special events, entertainment on tap

Chelsea to mark 175 years; Thursday night is full of fun

Chelsea will celebrate its 175th anniversary of its founding this summer with a community celebration scheduled June 25 through 28.

The four-day commemoration will include a number of family-friendly, inexpensive and old-time fun events.

The Chelsea 175th Anniversary Planning Committee has been meeting since last November and plans are under way for the upcoming celebration. Scheduled events include a parade, ice cream social, community chicken broil and a square dance, to name a few.

"The 175th (anniversary) will be an extraordinary celebration of our history and pride. We have a great committee of volunteers that are working very hard to make this celebration come to life, and to make it something special for Chelsea," said Eddie Greenleaf, owner of Chelsea Lanes and executive chairman of the 175th Anniversary Planning Committee.

The celebration will begin with opening ceremonies June 25 in conjunction with Chelsea's Sounds and Sights on Thursday Nights. Along with other events, the evening likely will include the opening of the buried time capsule from the 125th anniversary in 1959.

Friday will be Industry and Youth Day. Tours for residents are being arranged with local businesses throughout the day. The Chelsea Teddy Bear Factory is one business already scheduled and also lends itself to the youth activities.

"Our coordinator for Youth Day did a great job with Summer Fest Youth Day and I expect she will do a fine job with this day also," said Lynda Collins, chairwoman of the events committee and owner of Thompson Pizza in Chelsea.

Agriculture Day is planned for June 27. Festivities will begin downtown with merchants and farmers' market merchants discussing plans

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A record number of performers packed The Common Grill for the 2009 Sounds & Sights auditions in April as 89 different acts performed on one of three stages. Now in its fifth season, Sounds & Sights on Thursday Nights has grown from a one-performer show five years ago to an expected 10 to 12, playing at various outdoor locations around downtown Chelsea each Thursday.

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Football Club match, followed by the women's Detroit Rugby Football Club vs. the Combined Flint Sirens Rugby Football Club/Ann Arbor Women's Rugby Football Club and then the men's clubs of Detroit and Flint.

All the rugby matches are free.

Rugby is an exciting sport full of contact and skill. Played throughout Celtic communities worldwide it is the fore runner of American football.

After the matches, fans can join the players at the local restaurants and pubs in celebration of the matches and good sportsmanship.

Friday evening is the time for the festival's Pub in the Park. The evening is full of music, food, drink and entertainment. This year, the group Tartanic brings hard-driving Celtic music. Other events will be going on at the festival grounds such as highland athletics demonstrations, historic entertainers and much more. The cost is only $5 at the gate.

Workshops in a variety of Celtic musical instruments taught by professionals who will be performing at the Saturday festival are popular.

July 11

7 a.m.: Bus service at the official hotels.

8 a.m.: Bus service begins from designated parking lots.

8:30 a.m.: Competitive Highland Dance begins.

10 a.m.: Festival Parade from Liberty School to Bennett Street and Mills Road.

11:30 a.m.: Welcoming Ceremony.

Noon: Performances on Red Dago Stage, Brecon Stage and Dance Stage.

All day, starting at noon:

Historic re-enactments

Millie the Mill Pond Monster

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9 p.m.: Music in the Red Dragon Tent.

11:30 p.m.: Last bus leaves the festival grounds.

Midnight: End of festival.

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The Belleville National Strawberry Festival, set June 19 through 21, is returning to Main Street after a one-year hiatus. The festival attracts more than 200,000 people from threughout Southeastern Michigan with free entertainment, attractions and events, not to mention every type of strawberry treat imaginable. For more information, visit the Web site www.nationalstrawberryfest.com.

BELLEVILLE

Strawberry festival set

Annual event returning to Belleville's Main St.

This year's Belleville National Strawberry Festival, set June 19 through 21, is making a triumphant return to Main Street after a one-year hiatus, in which the vendors and games moved to the Belleville High School Athletic Fields.

The variety of events taking place over three days of the National Strawberry Festival appeal to the young and young at heart.

The festival's history dates back to 1976, when a local farmer approached area community leaders with the idea of starting an annual event promoting the strawberry crops. With the assistance of the Belleville Area Chamber of Commerce, local strawberry growers and St. Anthony's Catholic Church, the Belleville National Strawberry Festival began that same year.

With the vision and goal of assisting Belleville's community service organizations with its fundraising efforts, the National Strawberry Festival has successfully raised funds for more than 40 community

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for possible contests, such as watermelon seed-spitting and husband-calling.

The parade through town begins at 1 p.m. and will make its way to the Chelsea Fairgrounds.

Sunday will be Interfaith Day and closing ceremonies. A burial of a new time capsule from this year's anniversary is being organized, as well.

For more information, e-mail Chelsea175@hotmail.com.

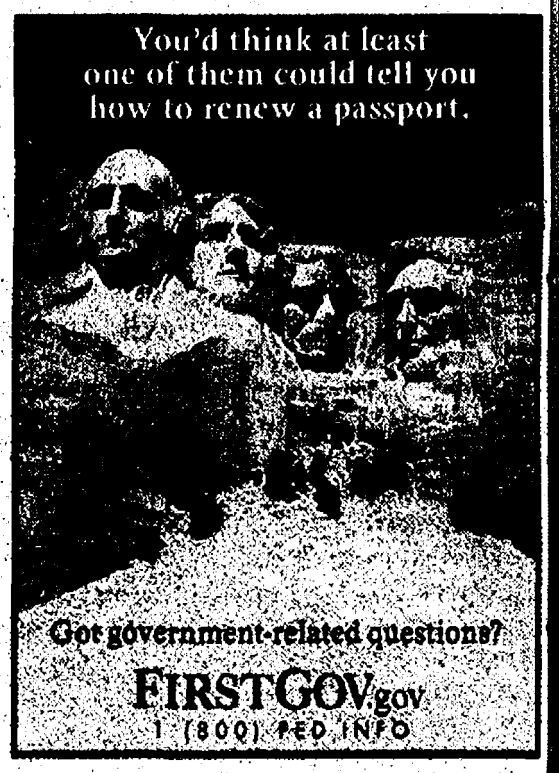
Sounds & Sights Thursdays
All summer long in Chelsea

A record number of performers packed The Common Grill for the 2009 Sounds & Sights auditions in April as 89 different acts performed on one of three stages.

In all, more than 300 performers auditioned for a chance to be included in the 2009 lineup. Musicians from as far away as Milford, Dundee, Lansing, Royal Oak and Grand Rapids came to try out.

"We thought last year would be hard to top," said the restaurant's owner, Craig Common. "Fortunately, we added a third stage this year and, through experience, we've become more organized. The word has definitely spread through the musician circles across the state that Sounds & Sights is a cool place to perform."

Now in its fifth season, Sounds & Sights on Thursday Nights has grown from a one-performer show five years ago to an expected 10 to 12, playing at various outdoor locations around downtown Chelsea each Thursday.



SALINE

Summerfest offers crafts, vendors, entertainment

Downtown Saline center stage for Aug. 8 event

Whether you're a craft connoisseur, a music maniac or an auto aficionado, this year's Saline Summerfest is sure to offer something for people of every taste and disposition.

All day Aug. 8 in downtown Saline, community members are invited to have fun and participate in all that Saline has to offer. Art Trapp, director of downtown development, said Summerfest is a great chance for local residents to discover and re-discover the place they call home.

"We're inviting people to come and see Saline and appreciate it for what it is. But, on the other hand, we're offering something that isn't ordinarily available — a chance for people to get together and celebrate summer," Trapp said in kicking off last year's event.

For kids, the festival offers no shortage of fun, with activities in the past ranging from remote-control car racing to face-painting. On the front lawn of Union School, a watermelon eating contest, sack races, balloon tosses, an inflatable moonwalk and other activities have taken place.

For those interested in Saline's olden days, a historical trolley tour has been offered in the past, carting residents to some of Saline's most famous historical sites, including Curtiss Mansion and the Saline Depot Museum. Members of Saline's historical society have provided insightful commentary along the way.

Participants 18 and older try their luck Vegas-style at Casino Night, which has been held in the past and sponsored by the Saline Rotary Club. There also has been a blackjack challenge. The money betted is fake, but the tournament is still competitive.

Also in past years, the automobile-inclined have gotten their fix as more than 125 vehicles roll down North Ann Arbor Street as part of the Saline Street Machines event. Always a fan-favorite and highlight of the Summerfest, restored vintage vehicles are given awards such as Best of Show, Best Custom and Best Paint Job. The car show traditionally takes place from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Those willing to get their toes tapping will surely get their fill listening to the local and national musical groups scheduled to perform at Summerfest.

For kids, the festival offers no shortage of fun, with activities in the past ranging from remote-control car racing to face-painting. On the front lawn of Union School, a watermelon eating contest, sack races, balloon tosses, an inflatable moonwalk and other activities have taken place.

If squash and broccoli renditions of Sesame Street's "Bert and Ernie" sound intriguing, then you may want to consider entering in the Vegetable Art Contest, sponsored by Saline's Two Twelve Arts Center, and traditionally held during Summerfest. Prizes are usually awarded for the most creative works of art crafted with only fruits and vegetables. For more information, contact the Two-Twelve Arts Center at 944-2787.

The art-hungry who didn't quite get their fill from Ann Arbor's massive art fair may be inclined to check out the more than 50 crafters stationed on South Ann Arbor Street. Additionally, local merchants and restaurants will be opening their doors to customers looking for sales and discounts.

Trapp hopes that everyone who comes to the Summerfest finds something that suits them, whether they're a longtime Saline resident or just enjoying downtown for the first time.

"We've done a combination of both reaching out to our own community and inviting others in the surrounding Ann Arbor area to come to Saline and see what it's all about," Trapp said. "It's basically just a big community gathering at the end of the summer for the community to celebrate summer and have a little fun."

More information and a detailed schedule of events are available at www.salinesummerfest.org, or by calling 429-7429.

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service organizations. For three days each year, the Belleville National Strawberry Festival transforms the town of Belleville into a strawberry wonderland.

The festival attracts more than 200,000 people from throughout Southeastern Michigan with free entertainment, attractions and events, not to mention every type of strawberry treat imaginable.

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The Milan Community Fair comes to town June 3 through 6, nearly a month earlier than in past years. The annual fair parade kicks off the celebration at 6:30 p.m. June 3 from Paddock Elementary School. For more information, visit www.milanfair.com.

MILAN

Fair will arrive early

Tradition and old-fashioned fun are again on tap for residents and visitors as the Milan Community Fair comes to town June 3 through 6.

In the past, the fair has been held later in the month, but planners say they hoped to attract more families who might otherwise be on summer vacations.

"Also, we have to work with the carnival vendor's schedule," said Brook Spelling, vice president of the Milan Fair Board.

"We have a strong and dedicated team on the fair board, and I am very proud and honored to be able to work with them. Together, we will turn this fair around and make it what it used to be."

The annual fair parade kicks off the celebration 6:30 p.m. June 3 from Paddock Elementary School.

Skerbeck Brothers Shows will bring its carnival rides and games to the midway located in Wilson Memorial Park on Wabash Street next to Ford Lake.

The Backstreet Cruizers Car Club will be back, bringing classic cars to Wilson Park on Thursday evening and plans for the Rotary Club's annual chicken barbecue are under way for 5 p.m. Friday.

The Friday night fireworks over Ford Lake next to Wilson Memorial Park are scheduled to light up the sky starting just after 10 p.m.

For more information, visit www.milanfair.com.

LODI TOWNSHIP

Jubilee Celebration to be held July 3-5

Community to mark anniversary with variety of events

Lodi Township will hold a three-day Jubilee Celebration to recognize the 175th anniversary of its founding in 1834 and local leaders want area residents to mark their calendars now.

The celebration will be held July 3, 4 and 5 at the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds near Saline. Volunteers are needed to help organize events.

A game of bingo will kick off the jubilee, followed by dancing to the New Horizons Band July 3.

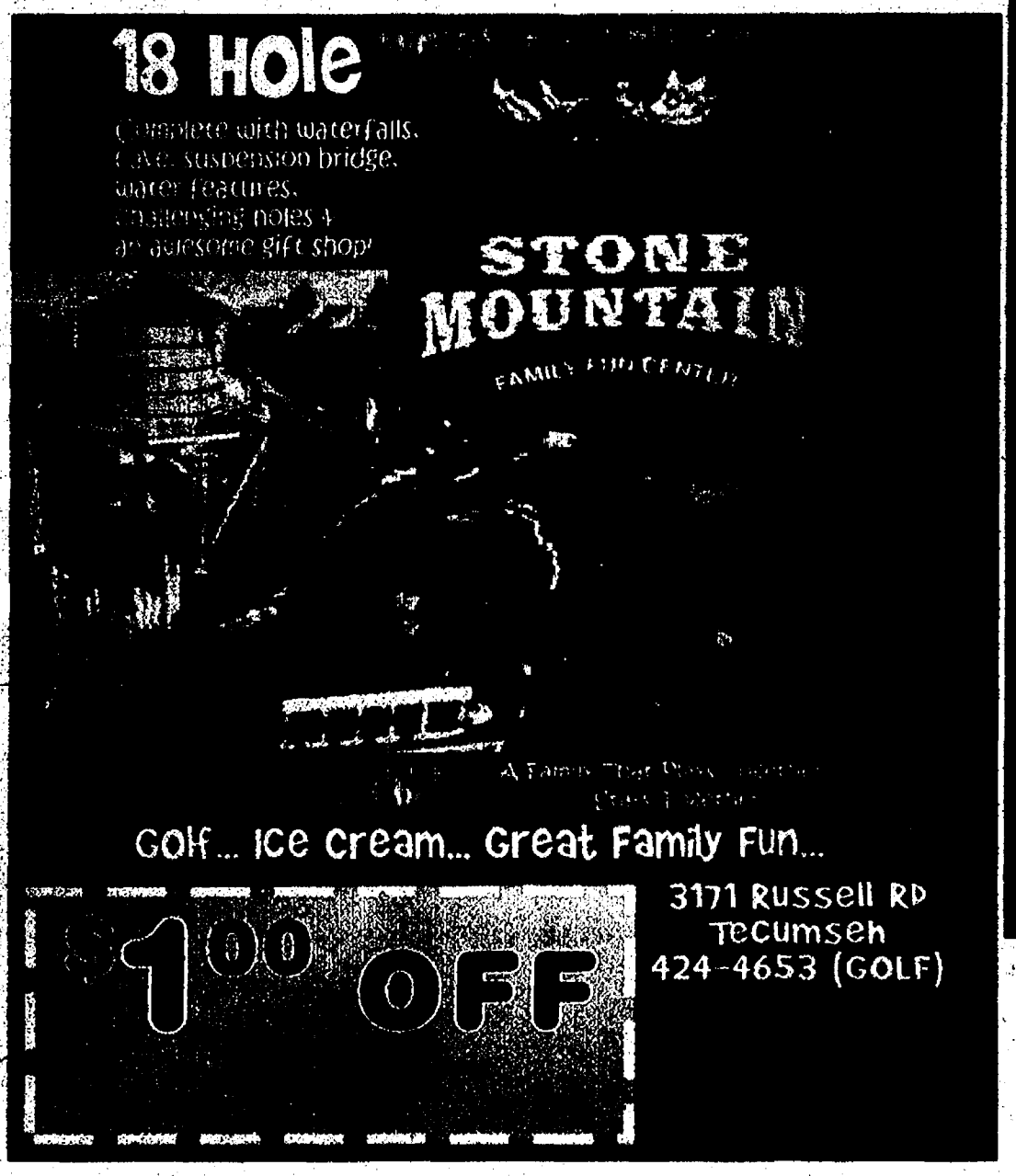
On the Fourth of July, a free picnic lunch for Lodi Township residents will be held, with a nominal charge for nonresidents. Among the activities planned are an antique car show, lawn mower racing, children's games and prizes, tug-of-war competition, local artisan demonstrations of weaving, blacksmithing and basket weaving, as well as a historical photo display, silent auction and 50/50 drawings throughout the day.

Late afternoon will feature a barbecue and evening square and line dancing to Luke Schaible's Band.

On July 5, there will be educational tours given at a number of local historic farms, as well as the Lodi Cemetery, established in 1827, and the historic old town hall, the third oldest in Michigan.

All profits received from the three-day celebration will go to the restoration of the old town hall.

The Lodi Township Jubilee Committee is in need of many volunteers to work the events. For information, call Peg Canham at 944-2922, or e-mail macanham@comcast.net.



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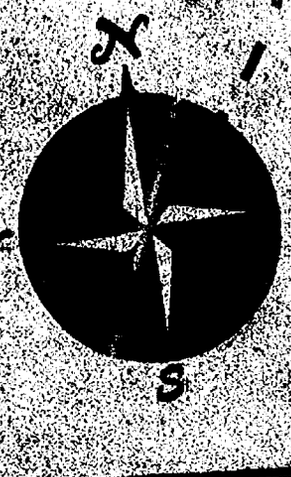

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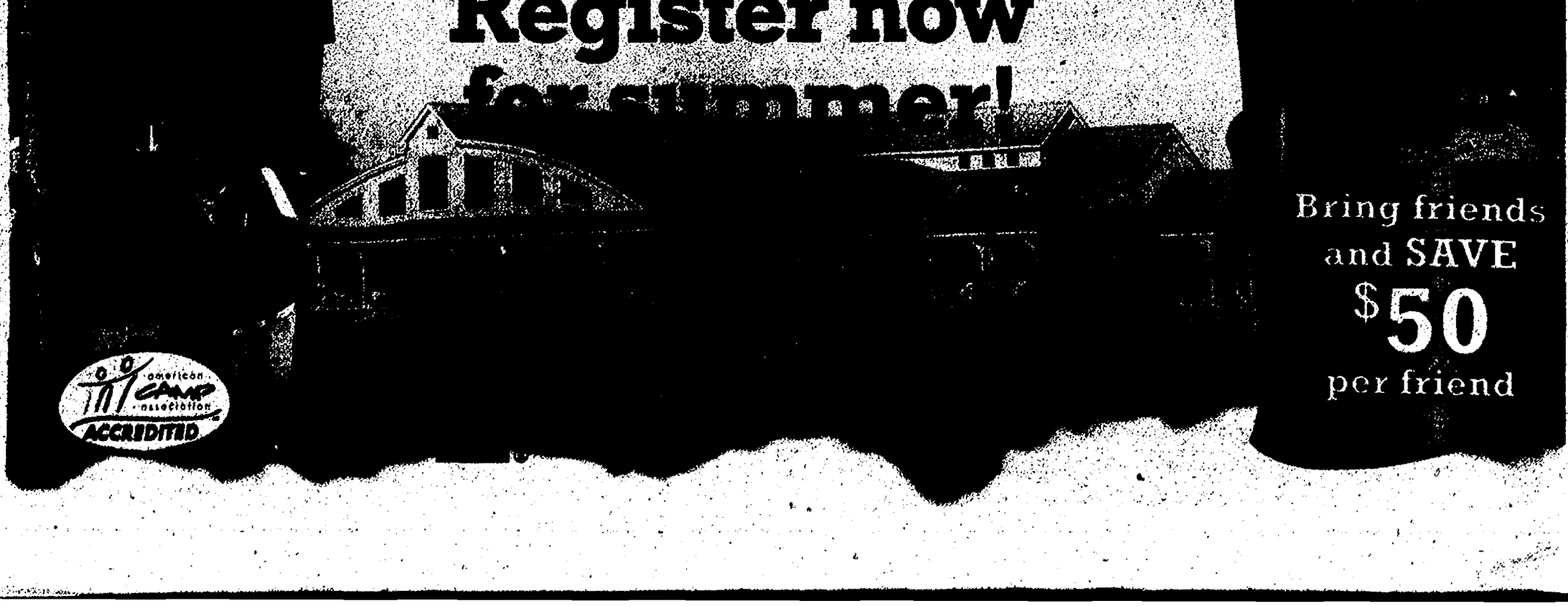

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MICHIGAN LOTTERY — PACKAGED LIQUOR — DOUBLE COUPONS TO 50¢ — OPEN 6 AM TO MIDNIGHT 7 DAYS A WEEK

Sale prices effective Wednesday May 20 thru Tuesday May 26, 2009

Regular or Bun Size
BAR-S HOT DOGS
1 lb.
69¢

USDA Choice Premium Beef
T-BONE STEAK
$5.99 LB.

AUNT MILLIE'S HOMESTYLE BUNS
Hamburger or Hot Dog
8 ct.
SAVE $8.00 on 4
4/$3
LIMIT 4 per customer with $25 additional purchase

SEYFERT'S POTATO CHIPS OR TORTILLA CHIPS
Selected Varieties
8.5 - 12 oz.
SAVE $1.00
$1.00
LIMIT 4 per customer with $25 additional purchase

FAYGO PRODUCTS
Selected Varieties
12 Pk. 12 oz. Cans
(plus deposit)
SAVE $1.50
$2.00
LIMIT 4 per customer with $25 additional purchase

SAVE $1.20 ea.

Florida
BI-COLOR SWEET CORN
8/$2

SAVE $2.11

Red Ripe
SEEDLESS WATERMELON
$4.88 EA.

DON'T MISS OUR WEEKLY AD ON OUR WEBSITE WWW.COUNTRY-MARKETS.COM

Suggestions? Comments, Looking for a Specific Item? Send your requests or comments to: marykennedy@country-markets.com

DOUBLE COUPONS

You can get DOUBLE COUPON SAVINGS this week at Polly's Country Market. Bring in your manufacturers' "50¢ OFF" or less coupons and get double the savings (Not to include retailer, cigarette/tobacco products, Polly's Country Market Coupons, free or coupons exceeding the item value). You must purchase the products in sizes and quantities specified. Limit one coupon for any particular item. Additional coupons for identical items will be redeemed at face value.

We reserve the right to limit quantities. Some items not exactly as pictured. Not responsible for typographical errors

PROVIDING YOU THE LOWEST GROCERY BILLS!

POST CEREAL
Cinna-Graham Honey Comb 14.5 oz., Waffle Crisp 13.75 oz., Golden Crisp 17 oz., Honey Comb 14.5 oz., Alpha Bits 13.5 oz., Fruity Pebbles 13 oz., Cocoa Pebbles 13 oz.

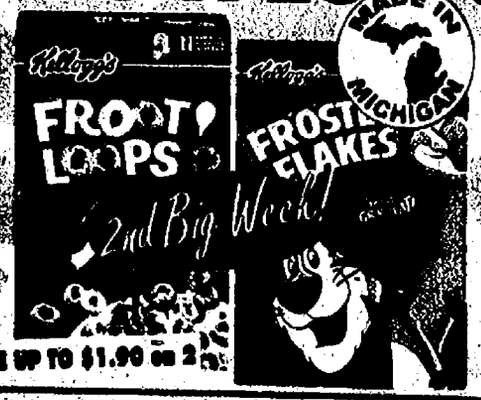
2/$4

SAVE $3.50 on 2

KELLOGG'S CEREAL
Corn Pops 17.2 oz., Froot Loops 17 oz., Frosted Flakes 23 oz., Rice Krispies 18 oz., Corn Flakes 24 oz., Frosted Mini Spoon Size Wheats 24 oz., Special K 12 oz., Smacks 12 oz., Apple Jacks 12 oz.

2/$6

SAVE UP TO $1.90 on 2



MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE
31.5 - 34.5 oz.
Selected Varieties

$6.00

SAVE 3.90

MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE IS BEING DOWNSIZED. BUY LARGER SIZE WHILE YOU STILL CAN!

JIF PEANUT BUTTER
28 oz. Family Size
Crunchy or Creamy

2/$6

SAVE $1.30 on 2

JELL-O GELATIN OR PUDDING
.6 - 6 oz. Family Size
Selected Varieties

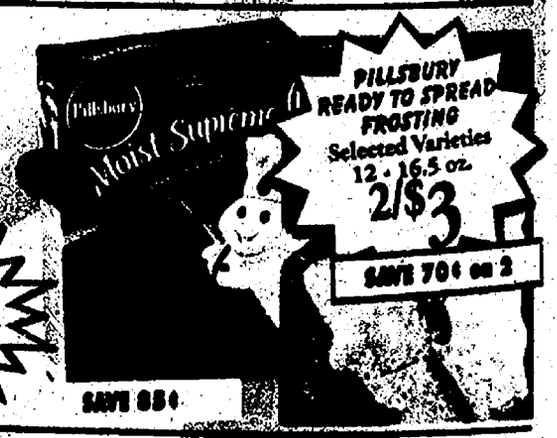
$1.00

PILLSBURY CAKE MIX
18 - 18.25 oz.
Selected Varieties

$1.00

PILLSBURY READY TO SPREAD FROSTING
Selected Varieties
12 - 16.5 oz.
2/$3

SAVE 70¢ on 2



MINUTE MAID JUICE DRINKS
10 Pk.
Selected Varieties

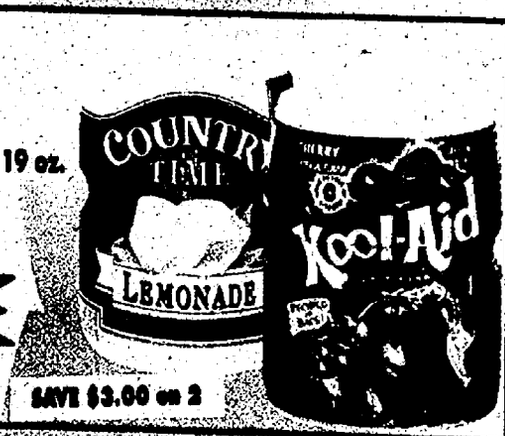
2/$4

SAVE $1.98 on 2

COUNTRY TIME LEMONADE & KOOL-AID
Makes 8 - 12 Quarts • 19 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$4

SAVE $3.00 on 2



ARIZONA TEA
1 Gallon
Selected Varieties

2/$5

SAVE $1.50 on 2

SUMMER TIME SPECIALTIES!

OLD SOUTH PICKLED OKRA
16 oz.
Hot or Mild

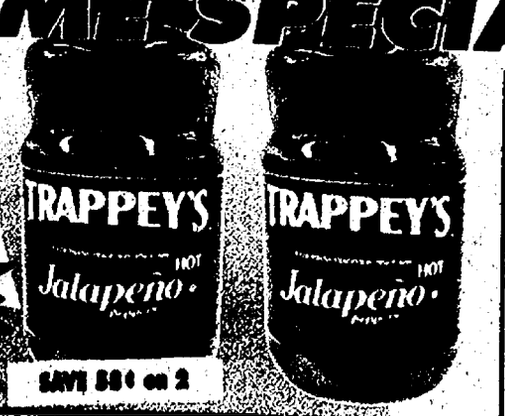
2/$4

SAVE $1.50 on 2

TRAPPEY'S JALAPENO PEPPERS
12 oz.
Sliced or Whole

2/$4

SAVE 58¢ on 2



MEZZETTA PICKLED BABY CORN
16 oz.

2/$5

SAVE $1.98 on 2

BELLVIEW PEPPER RINGS & GARLIC PEPPERONCINI
32 oz. Value Size
Selected Varieties

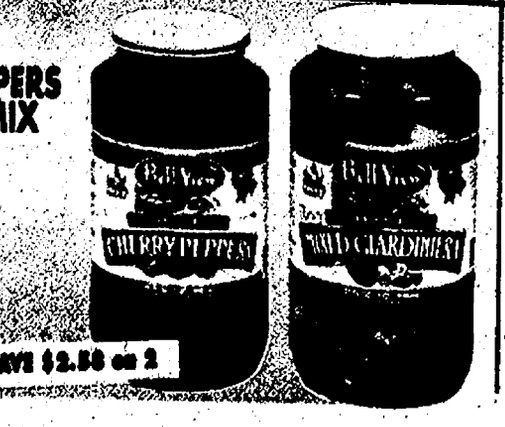
2/$5

SAVE $2.50 on 2

BELLVIEW HOT CHERRY PEPPERS & GIARDINIERA MIX
32 oz. Value Size
Selected Varieties

2/$6

SAVE $2.50 on 2



BELLVIEW HOT & SWEET CHERRY PEPPERS, HOT MIX, HOT & SWEET PEPPER RINGS, HOT SLICED JALAPENOS & FANCY SWEET MIX
32 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$7

SAVE UP TO $3.38 on 2

THAT'S THE BOTTOM LINE!

SWEET BABY RAY'S BBQ SAUCE
18 oz.
Selected Varieties

4/$5

That's Only $1.25 Per Bottle!

SAVE $3.00 on 4

BUSH'S BAKED BEANS
28 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$3

SAVE 90¢ on 2

KRAFT SALAD DRESSING
16 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$3

SAVE $2.90 on 2

HEINZ THICK RICH PREMIUM KETCHUP
40 oz. Value Size

$2.00

SAVE 99¢

HOLSUM KING SIZE WHITE BREAD
24 oz. Loaf

$1.00

SAVE $1.75

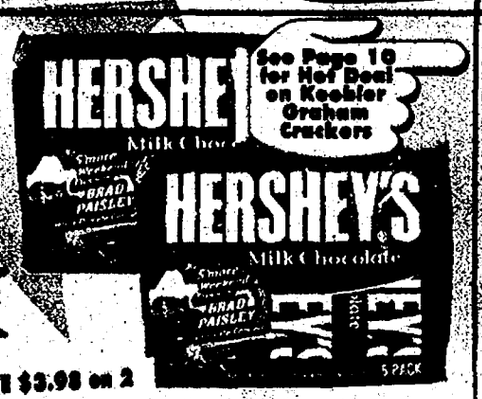
KRAFT MIRACLE WHIP OR MAYONNAISE
32 oz.
Selected Varieties

$2.95

SAVE $1.80

HERSHEY'S CHOCOLATE BARS
6 ct.
Selected Varieties

2/$5



SAVE $3.98 on 2

JET PUFFED MARSHMALLOWS
10 - 10.5 oz.
Regular or Miniature

$1.00

SAVE 35¢

KELLOGG'S RICE KRISPIES TREATS
8 ct. Family Pack
Selected Varieties

3/$4.98

SAVE $2.52 on 3

SUMMER-TIME SALE! ...2ND BIG WEEK

VLASIC RELISH
9 - 10 oz.
Selected Varieties

$1.00

SAVE 89¢

VLASIC SPEARS
16 - 24 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$4

SAVE $1.90 on 2

OPEN PIT BBQ SAUCE
18 oz.
Selected Varieties

$1.00

SAVE 68¢

DEEP WOODS OFF
4 - 6 oz. or 1 ct.
Selected Varieties

2/$8

SAVE $3.04 on 2

RAID
14 - 18 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$7

SAVE $1.78 on 2

KINGSFORD CHARCOAL
17 - 18 lb.
Selected Varieties

$6.99

SAVE $1.07

MAKE OUR FAMILY BRAND YOUR FAMILIES BRAND!

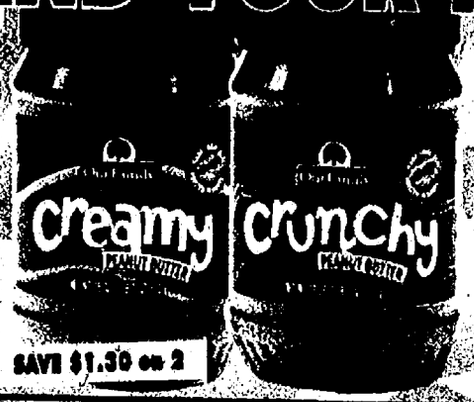
OUR FAMILY GRAPE JELLY
32 oz.

2/$3

SAVE $1.00 on 2

OUR FAMILY PEANUT BUTTER
18 oz.
Creamy or Chunky

2/$3



SAVE $1.50 on 2

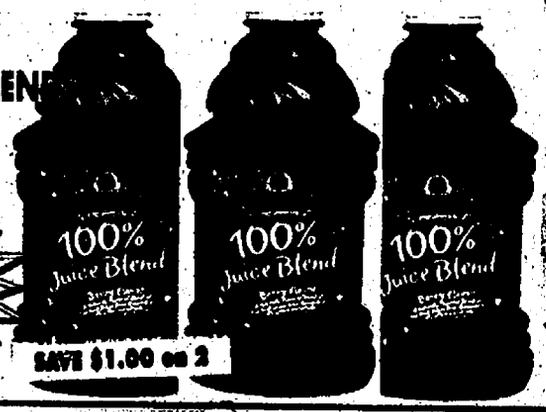
OUR FAMILY APPLE SAUCE
6 Pk.
Selected Varieties

2/$3

SAVE 80¢ on 2

OUR FAMILY 100% JUICE BLEND
46 oz.
Selected Varieties

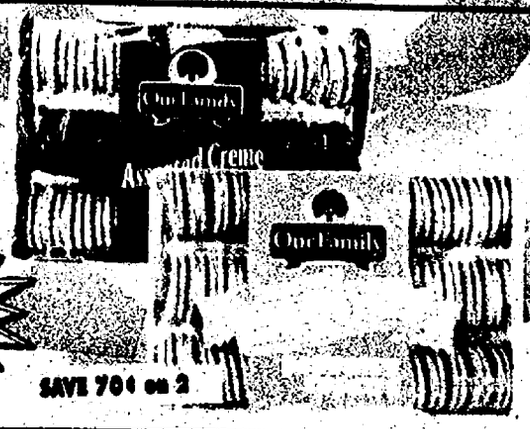
2/$4



SAVE $1.00 on 2

OUR FAMILY COOKIES
32 oz.
Selected Varieties

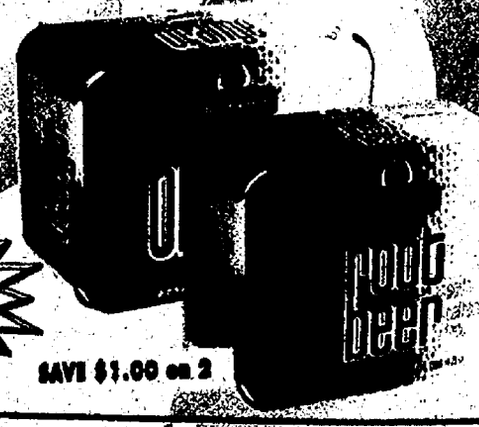
2/$4



SAVE 70¢ on 2

OUR FAMILY POP
12 Pk.
Selected Varieties
(plus deposit)

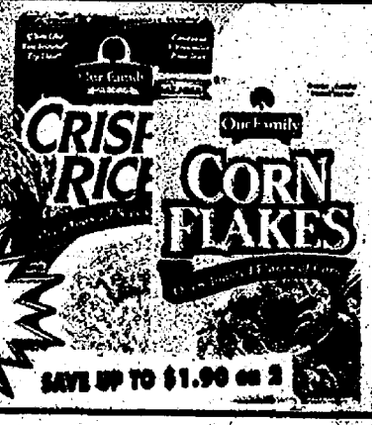
2/$4



SAVE $1.00 on 2

OUR FAMILY CEREAL
10.6 - 20 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$4



SAVE UP TO $1.00 on 2

OUR FAMILY TOASTER PASTRIES
11 oz.
Selected Varieties

4/$5

SAVE $1.00 on 4

OUR FAMILY COFFEE
11.5 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$4

SAVE $1.50 on 2

OUR FAMILY APPLE JUICE
64 oz.

$2.00

SAVE 35¢

OUR FAMILY MANDARIN ORANGES
11 oz.

2/$1

SAVE 30¢ on 2

OUR FAMILY BAKED BEANS
28 oz.
Selected Varieties

$1.00

SAVE 68¢

OUR FAMILY SQUEEZE MUSTARD
20 oz.

4/$3

SAVE $1.60 on 4

OUR FAMILY PASTA SAUCE
26 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$3

SAVE 50¢ on 2

OUR FAMILY GRADE A LARGE EGGS
1 Dozen

$1.00

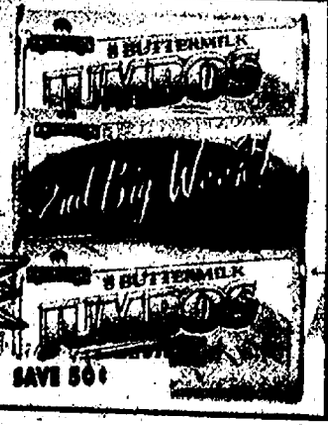
OUR FAMILY ORANGE JUICE
64 oz.
Original or Plus Calcium

2/$4

SAVE $1.70 on 2

OUR FAMILY JUMBO BISCUITS
16 oz.
Selected Varieties

$1.00



SAVE 50¢

OUR FAMILY AMERICAN CHEESE
12 oz.

$1.00

SAVE 95¢

DAIRY & FROZEN SAVINGS!

MINUTE MAID CHILLED LEMONADE
64 oz.
Selected Varieties
$1.00

COUNTRY MARKET BAGELS
18 oz.
Selected Varieties
$1.00
SAVE 25¢

KRAFT AMERICAN SINGLES
12 oz.
2/$3
SAVE $1.90 on 2

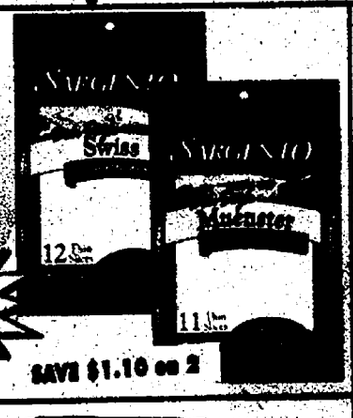
BANQUET VALUE MEALS
5.75 - 10.25 oz.
Selected Varieties
5/$4

KRAFT COOL WHIP
8 oz.
Selected Varieties
$1.00
SAVE 60¢

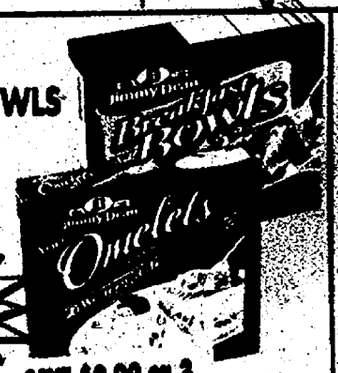
KEMPS, PILLSBURY & CARIBOU PREMIUM ICE CREAM
56 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$5
SAVE $2.90 on 2

BAREMAN'S SOUR CREAM & CHIP DIP
16 oz.
Selected Varieties
$1.00
SAVE 35¢

SARGENTO PREMIUM DELI SLICED CHEESE
6.67 - 8 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$5
SAVE $1.10 on 2



JIMMY DEAN BREAKFAST BOWLS & OMLETES
7 - 8.6 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$4
SAVE $2.00 on 2



STOUFFER'S PARTY SIZE ENTREES
57 - 96 oz.
Selected Varieties
$10
SAVE $2.75

YOPLAIT YOGURT
4 - 6 oz.
Selected Varieties
5/$3

DANNON SMOOTHIES
4 Pk.
Strawberry or Mixed Berry
2/$5
SAVE $2.90 on 2

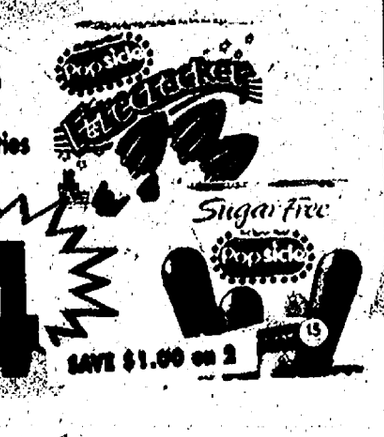
COLE'S GARLIC BREAD
10.5 - 21 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$4
SAVE $1.00 on 2

TOMBSTONE PIZZA
16 - 29.5 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$10
SAVE $3.27 on 3

SUNNY DELIGHT
128 oz.
Tangy Original or Smooth
2/$5
SAVE 98¢ on 2

NESTLE COOKIE DOUGH
16 - 19 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$5
SAVE $1.50 on 2

POPSICLE ICE TREATS
12 Pk.
Selected Varieties
2/$4
SAVE $1.00 on 2



HOMEMADE PREMIUM ICE CREAM & SHERBET
48 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$6
SAVE $2.70 on 2

We Carry Only USDA Choice Beef, The Best in Town. Don't Be Fooled By Select Beef or Lower #1 Grades.

USDA Choice Meats at Low, Low Prices!

We Carry Hormel All Natural Pork & Amish All Natural Chicken

USDA Choice Premium Beef **PORTERHOUSE STEAK** $6.49 LB.

Hormel Natural Choice Pork **PORK STEAK** Family Pack $1.19 LB.

Star Ranch Natural USDA Choice Angus Beef **BONELESS RIBEYE STEAK** $8.99 LB.

Seafood Road Show
Fri., May 22, 11 am - 7pm
Sat., May 23, 10 am - 6 pm.
Brooklyn & Parnall Stores Only!

Hormel Natural Choice Pork **BACK RIBS** $3.49 LB.

Everyday Low Prices!

Amish Farms All Natural Chicken **WHOLE FRYERS** $1.19 LB.

Amish Farms All Natural Chicken **CHICKEN WINGS** Family Pack $1.79 LB.

Everyday Low Prices!

Hormel Natural Choice Pork **WESTERN STYLE SPARE RIBS** Family Pack $1.29 LB.

Hormel Natural Choice Pork **BOSTON BUTT PORK ROAST** $1.09 LB.

Fresh USDA Government Inspected **CHICKEN LEG QUARTERS** Sold in 6-10 lb. Bag $.59 LB.

Ground Fresh Several Times Daily **FRESH GROUND CHUCK** Family Pack $1.99 LB.

Amish Farms All Natural Chicken **CHICKEN GIZZARDS** $1.29 LB.

Amish Farms All Natural Chicken **SKINLESS CHICKEN BREASTS** $2.39 LB.

Deli

ECKRICH ROAST BEEF, ITALIAN BEEF, CORNED BEEF OR PASTRAMI $6.99 LB.

ECKRICH NATURAL CASING FRANKS $4.99 LB.

STOUFFER'S MACARONI & CHEESE $2.89 LB.

GARDEN FRESH CHIPS & SALSA Selected Varieties 16 oz. 2/$6

Boars Head available at Chelsea, Dexter, Saline, Adrian-W. Maumee, Brooklyn, Ferguson, Parnall & Spring Arbor

BOARS HEAD TAVERN HAM $6.99 LB.

BOARS HEAD TURKEY Regular or Salsalito $7.99 LB.

CADY CREEK SWISS CHEESE $5.99 LB.

GRANDMA'S SALADS Selected Varieties $6.79 LB.

KETTLE BAKED BEANS $3.69 LB.

DELALLO X-SHARP CHEDDAR $3.99 LB.

DELALLO GOLD VIRGINIA OR HONEY HAM $3.99 LB.

SAN MARZANO HARD SALAMI Pre-Sliced Hard $4.99 LB.

BOARS HEAD MUENSTER CHEESE $5.59 LB.

Lunchmeats

JOHNSONVILLE FRESH GRILLING BRATS & SAUSAGE Selected Varieties 19.76 oz. 2/$7

ECKRICH ALL MEAT FRANKS Selected Varieties 1 lb. 2/$7

KOEGEL'S FOOT LONG HOT DOGS $2.79 LB.

KOWALSKI NATURAL CASING STADIUM KIELBASA OR FRANKS 2/$7

ECKRICH GRILLERS Selected Varieties 1 lb. 2/$5

OUR FAMILY SLICED LUNCHMEATS Selected Varieties Excludes Beef Bologna 2/$3

CARL BUDDIG THIN SLICED TUBS Selected Varieties 10 oz. 2/$5

OSCAR MAYER BACON Selected Varieties 12 - 16 oz. 2/$6

OSCAR MAYER FUN PACK LUNCHABLES Selected Varieties 10.55 - 13.2 oz. 2/$5

BOB EVANS ROLL PORK SAUSAGE Selected Varieties 16 oz. $2.39

CLAUSSEN PICKLES Selected Varieties 20 - 32 oz. 2/$6

ORGANIC & NATURAL FOODS!

KASHI FRUIT & NUT GRANOLA & CEREAL BARS
6.7 - 8.4 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$5
SAVE $2.00 on 2

NATURES PATH GRANOLA
11.5 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$6
SAVE $1.90 on 2

WHOLESOME ZERO ORGANIC SWEETENER
6.2 oz.
$6.00
SAVE $1.99

KOEPPLINGER HEALTH & ALL NATURAL BREADS
16 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$3
SAVE $1.40 on 2

BLUE DIAMOND NUT THINS CRACKERS
4.25 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$4
SAVE $1.00 on 2

GARDEN OF EATIN' MULTI GRAIN TORTILLA CHIPS
9 oz.
Sea Salt & Everything
2/$4
SAVE $1.00 on 2

GARDEN OF EATIN' FIESTA TORTILLA CHIPS
22 oz.
Blue or White
2/$6
SAVE $1.00 on 2

AMY'S ORGANIC SALSA
17.5 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$7
SAVE $2.90 on 2

BLUE DIAMOND ALMOND BREEZE
32 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$3
SAVE $1.00 on 2

ORGANIC VALLEY MILK
64 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$6
SAVE $1.50 on 2

AMY'S POCKET SANDWICHES
4.5 - 5 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$4
SAVE $1.00 on 2

AMY'S MEAL BOWLS
9 - 10 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$6
SAVE $2.50 on 2

FRESH BAKERY!

Fresh Baked
FRENCH BREAD
16 oz.
$1.19

Fresh Baked
HAMBURGER OR HOT DOG BUNS
8 ct.
$1.59

GLAZED YEAST RINGS
12 ct.
$3.49
SAVE $1.00

Fresh Baked
MINI TURNOVERS
6 ct.
Selected Varieties
$2.49

PATRIOTIC COOKIES
15 oz. • 12 ct.
Selected Varieties
$2.99

MINI MUFFINS
12 ct.,
Selected Varieties
$3.59

HOME & HEALTH CARE SAVINGS!

BOUNTY BASIC PAPER TOWELS
1 Roll

2/$1

SAVE 88¢ on 2

HEFTY FOAM PLATES
20-60 ct.
Selected Varieties

2/$4

SAVE $1.38 on 2

T-SHIRTS
Selected Varieties

10/$10

SCOTT NAPKINS
120 ct.

$1.00

SAVE 42¢

WINDEX
26 - 32.5 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$5

SAVE $2.14 on 2

PUREX LAUNDRY DETERGENT
44 - 50 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$6

SAVE $3.90 on 2

ZIPLOC STORAGE ITEMS
4 - 100 ct or 8 - 36 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$4

SAVE $1.56 on 2

SCOTT BATH TISSUE
8 - 12 Pk.
Selected Varieties

2/$10

SAVE $4.70 on 2

SUAVE PRO OR KIDS SHAMPOO
12 - 14.5 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$4

SAVE 58¢ on 2

EDGE & SKINTIMATE SHAVE GEL
Selected Varieties

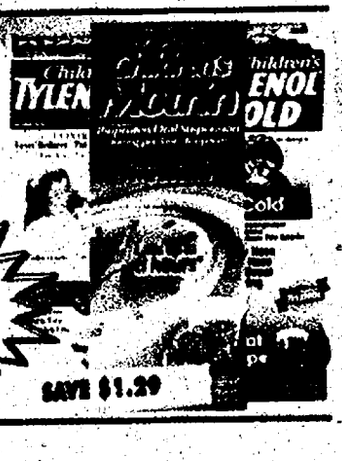
2/$5

SAVE 78¢ on 2

TRESEMME STYLING AIDS
9 - 11 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/$6

CHILDREN'S TYLENOL OR MOTRIN
4 oz.
Selected Varieties



$5.00

SAVE $1.29

PET CARE SAVINGS!

9-LIVES CANNED CAT FOOD
5 Pk. 3.5 oz. Cans
Selected Varieties

3/$4.98

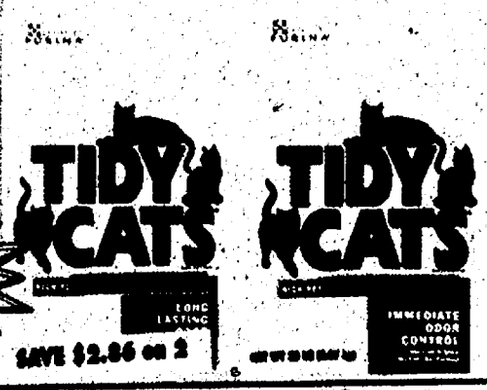
SAVE 27¢ on 3

NUNN BETTER GOURMET DRY CAT FOOD
16 lb. Value Size
Selected Varieties

$8.00

SAVE $1.75

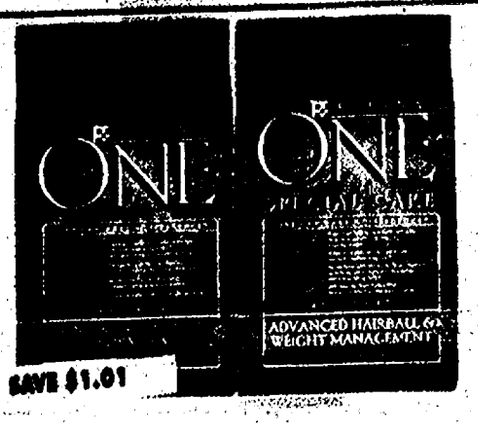
TIDY CATS CAT LITTER
20 lb.
Selected Varieties



2/$6

SAVE $2.86 on 2

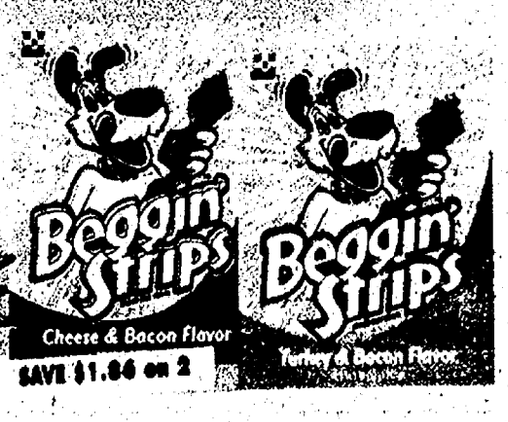
PURINA ONE CAT FOOD
3.5 lb.
Selected Varieties



$5.99

SAVE $1.01

PURINA BEGGIN STRIPS
6 oz.
Selected Varieties



2/$5

SAVE $1.86 on 2

PURINA DOG CHOW
17.6 - 20 lb.
Selected Varieties

2/$20

SAVE $3.80 on 2

SNACK & BEVERAGE SAVINGS!

PEPSI-COLA PRODUCTS
12 Pk. 12 oz. Cans or
8 Pk. 16.9 oz. Bottles
Selected Varieties
(plus deposit)
2/$6.78
SAVE $2.23 on 2

NESTLE PURELIFE WATER
24 Pk.
2/$7
SAVE $2.98 on 2

COCA-COLA PRODUCTS
12 Pk. 12 oz. Cans
Selected Varieties
(plus deposit)
2/$5.98
LIMIT 4
COMPARE THE BOTTOM LINE!

FRITO LAY LAY'S POTATO CHIPS
10.5 - 12 oz.
Selected Varieties
$1.75
SAVE $1.00

KEEBLER CRACKER SALE
Cheez-It, Club, Townhouse & Graham
9 - 16 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$4
SAVE $3.00 on 2

FRITO LAY TOSTITOS 20% MORE
10.87 - 15.62 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$5
SAVE $2.38 on 2

SEYFERT'S PRETZELS
12 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$3
SAVE $1.00 on 2

PEPPERIDGE FARM GOLDFISH CRACKERS
6 - 8.5 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$3
SAVE $1.00 on 2

POWERADE ISOTONIC SPORTS DRINK
32 oz.
Selected Varieties
5/$4
SAVE $1.00 on 5

GATORADE
8 Pack
Selected Varieties
2/$10
SAVE $2.50 on 2

PRINGLES SUPER STACKED POTATO CHIPS
4.9 - 6.42 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$3
SAVE 30¢ on 2

SNYDER'S FLAVORED PRETZEL PIECES
10 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$4
SAVE $1.50 on 2

7-UP PRODUCTS
2 Liter
Selected Varieties
(plus deposit)
5/$6
That's Only $1.20 per Bottle!
SAVE 75¢ on 5

7-UP PRODUCTS
12 Pk. 12 oz. Cans
Selected Varieties
(plus deposit)
$10.98
That's Only $3.66 per 12 Pack!
SAVE $2.07 on 3

NABISCO SNACK CRACKERS
7 - 10 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$4
SAVE $2.00 on 2

NABISCO CHIPS AHOY COOKIES & RITZ CRACKERS
14 - 16 oz.
Selected Varieties
2/$5
SAVE $2.00 on 2

SOBE LIFE WATER
20 oz.
Selected Varieties
$1.00
SAVE 25¢

AQUAFINA WATER
24 Pk.
16.9 oz. Bottles
$10.98
That's Only $3.66 per 24 Pack!
SAVE $4.77 on 3

WINE CELLAR

PKNT WINES FROM CHILE
750 ml
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)
$5.95
SAVE $3.04

BERINGER FOUNDER'S ESTATE
750 ml
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)
$6.95
SAVE UP TO $3.30

HAYES RANCH CALIFORNIA WINES
750 ml
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)
$6.95
SAVE $3.04

BOGLE & MENAGE A TROIS
750 ml
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)
$7.95
SAVE UP TO $3.55

ARBOR MIST FRUIT WINES
750 ml
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)
2/$8
SAVE $1.90 on 2

SUTTER HOME WINES
1.5 Liter
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)
$8.95

UNDEMAN'S WINES
1.5 Liter
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)
$9.75
SAVE $3.00

BELLA SERA ITALIAN WINES
1.5 Liter
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)
$9.95
SAVE $5.00

SPIRITS

BIG BUCKET MARGARITA MIX
96 oz.
Selected Varieties
$6.95
SAVE 40¢

FINEST CALL COCKTAIL MIXES
1 Liter
Selected Varieties
2/$7

KESSLER AMERICAN BLENDED WHISKEY
750 ml
(plus tax)
$8.93

JIM BEAM STRAIGHT BOURBAN
750 ml
(plus tax)
$16.98

ABSOLUT SWEDISH VODKA
750 ml
(plus tax)
$19.97

TANQUERY PREMIUM GIN
750 ml
(plus tax)
$19.98

CHRISTIAN BROS. BRANDY
750 ml
(plus tax)
$10.63

CAPTAIN MORGAN SPICED RUM
750 ml
(plus tax)
$15.98

THE BREWERY!

MICHIGAN BREWING BEER
6 Pk. 12 oz. Bottles
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)
$6.95
SAVE $1.30

ARBOR BREWING COMPANY BEER
6 Pk. 12 oz. Bottles
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)
$7.95
SAVE $1.00

LEINENKUGEL'S BEER
6 Pk. 12 oz. Bottles
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)
$5.95
SAVE $0.

BLUE MOON BEER
12 Pk. 12 oz. Bottles
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)
$11.95
SAVE $1.35

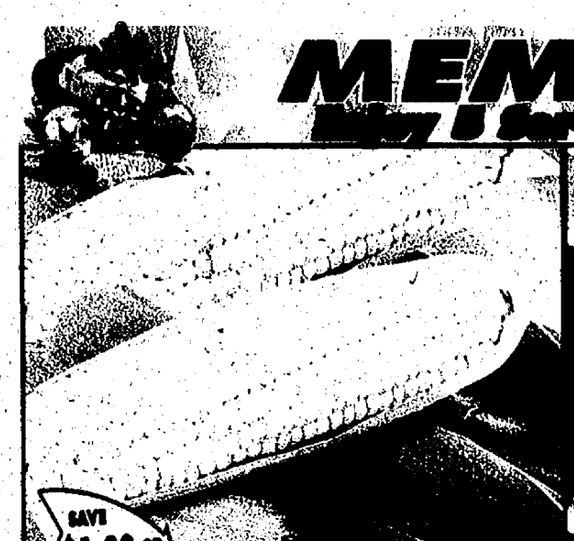
BUDWEISER BEERS
15 Pk. 12 oz. Cans
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)
$9.25
SAVE $1.10

BUD LIGHT LIME BEER
12 Pk. 12 oz. Bottles
(plus tax & deposit)
$10.50
SAVE $1.45

MILLER, COORS & LABATT
18 Pk. 12 oz. Cans
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)
$10.95
SAVE $1.00

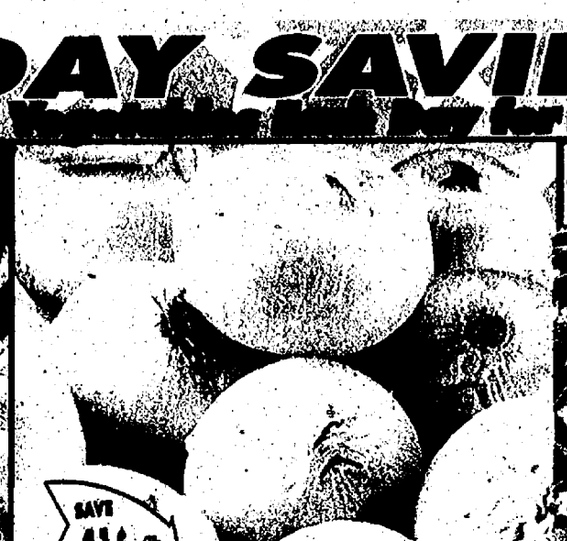
RED DOG BEER
30 Pk. 12 oz. Cans
(plus tax & deposit)
$12.95
COMPARE THE BOTTOM LINE!

MEMORIAL DAY SAVINGS!



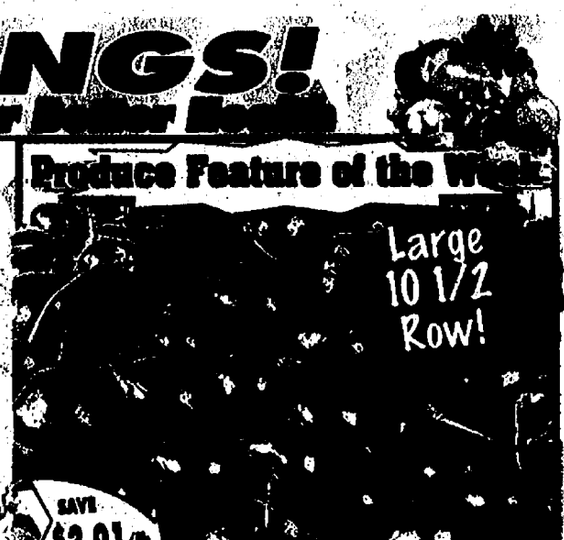
Florida
BI-COLOR SWEET CORN
2/$2

Red, Ripe
SEEDLESS WATERMELON
$4.88 EA.



Genuine Sweet
VIDALIA ONIONS
58¢ LB.

Produce Feature of the Week



California New Crop
SWEET CHERRIES
$4.98 LB.

Canadian
HOT HOUSE TOMATOES
$1.19 LB.

Greener Selection or Classic Romaine
DOLE SALADS
15 oz. Family Pack
2/$5

Aunt Mid's
WHOLE MUSHROOMS
8 oz.
2/$3

Fresh Floral Department
May not be exactly as illustrated

Red, White & Blue
BOUQUET
$4.99

Idaho
POTATOES
10 lb.
$2.88 EA.

Tropical
GOLDEN PINEAPPLE
2/$5 EA.

Washington State
Red, Gold or Granny Smith
APPLES
3 lb. Bag
$1.98 EA.

Organic Produce

Organic
OUR WORLD SALADS
All Varieties
8 oz. Clamshell
2/$6 EA.