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## School Board continues to trim budget

sy Crystal Hayduk The Chelsea Schools Roarr.
of Educction aynnuficed a Change to the board policy oncerning facility use rates
CHESEA April 12
Beginnin July 1 , there will be a change in
hours and an increase in ratal es. The recreation council will also be affected by the increase, in smaller increments ver the next three years rathe han one large increase this The board voted to approv
the lowest bidder Baseline he lowest hidder, Baseline Construction. for work at South According to Ron Livengood. dinector of operations, the lowest bid for the propect came nover budget by $\$ 11.162$. However he soun Meadows nore than $\$ \$ 00,000$ under bud. get, so some gym funds will be eallocated, hunds for construc on projects are made availabl The board is consider ase of 2004 bondmoney to purhase an integration appliance rom Level Data. Scott Wooster director of technology, said tha School District recommends. he appliance in order to to save tata entry time and eliminate he potential for errors.

Welton will meet with coach nearly May regarding cutndget Discussion will cente on the possibility of eliminating the two team concept at Beach Midde School; and usin
fundraising to keep ninth grad ports. They will also discuss pay and reducing supplies for oaches.

## "People often think that

 undrasing is the answer, bu he hard to ralse money whe husimessemy is down and Superintendent Doing well. said.
## I other news

 -Board President Laurel Mebevitt reported that the Chelsea Education Foundation ala event raised over $\$ \$ 4,000$ - A representative from state Rep. Pan Byrnes oflice will be at the Chelsea Senior Centera 30 a.m. Friday The public is invited to attend.Excellence in Fiducation Awar or integrating technology and eaching fiom the Michigan. The next board neeting is at 7 pin. April 26 in the buard. roomat the Washnington Street ducation Center
-May 4 is Election Day for two board seats. Crysta! Hayduk is a freelance

Orchestra show set
By Daniel La, The Chelseathouse Trchestra will present its nnial "Hometown Show"' at 7 mal Education Center The CHO consists of mus lans from Chelsea High o chool. Throughout the year and across the United States ersions of Celtic music to. audiences at festivals and other public and private venues.
Under the direction of Jed
ritzemeier: the CHO provides an eciectic mix of music and
movement with the majority the music derived from tradiHonal Ceitic sourres. The Beach Middle School tion of Nathan Peters, will ope the show with its own lively: ersion of fiddle music Tickets are $\$ 10$ for adults. àn an be purchased via stude anid an be purchased via e-mail at a.org or in person at Chelsea


## Longworth property to get new facelift

Dangerous Architects proposes reuše project to revitalize downtown By Danel la

Area residchts walking past Dangerous Architects' front door on Main Street in downCHELSEA
"We all know what an eve ne the complex has been for number of years. This pro posed project is a great example of adaptive reuse of downtown structures that will beneffit McElreath sor year
The Preservation Chelsea grupup that developed the plan pioposes the buildings be used for market, retail and entertainment space. with is a perfect fit for the sing They focus on local, sustainable food, art and entertainment. and are looking to expaind. their current operation"; said
Tom Girard, a member of Preservation Chelsea said. The Livery Building will house affordable urban edged studio apartments on the sec.
ond floor with a new thind flow roof garden and patio for ten. ants, and enclosed tenaint park. ing on the first floor Sharing a portion of the first floor of. The Livery Bullding will be The
New Craftsmen Workshop a cooperative workspace for local artisans to work their craft We re trying to create a

## lay that will add to the vitality

 our downtown." Girard said The future of the biuld tingshas been urcertain since the complex was acquired by the DDA. Athough community members expeessed support for preserving the buildings at a visioning session held in April
2009 , the DDA plarined during the summer to move forward with demolition of the Livery
which dates from the early which dates from the early
1900s and is adjacent to the Farmers' Supply.
In response a group of preservation:minded citizens. Coalition mobilized to halt the demolition, gathêring more than 700 stgnatures: The DDA then granted a stay of demol tion, and the Preservation: Thear was formed to develop an atternative plan for the complex.
This team includes Chelsea. citizens who have contributed
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architecture and design. construction, engineering project managenent historicbobilding
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Architects, developed a renderIng for an exciting adaptive
reuse project 10 be located at the former 1.sngworth Plating site which has been posted in
his front window for the past few weeks. A team of Chelsea residents has put forward a proDevelopment Authority which would renovate mostof the complex and make it a new
focal point that will help brid the curvent divide between Clock tower. great place to live, work and PLEASE SEE BUILDENG/3-A

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non-bbious ways teenagers a travel coffe in the insert ther signs and mug. Several rrentrends and stres of were also presented to the par "Prescription drugs ar the fastest growing drug of Nachazel of St. Joseph Mercy Health System said. Nachazel also told parents hat 90 percent of smokers.are the age of 21 . middle school and high school bout the dangers of smoking, here is a good chance we can n our communities," she said. Later in the workshop, health taff role played with the par. nts on how to engage their about drugs and how to overcome peet pressure. The presen ation ended with the parents nce again asked to identify rug paraphernalia in the mock "I think the mock bedroom is he best part of the program," ewis said. "The times have changed so much you woul things teenagers can come up with to abuse.
During the presentation students at Chelsea High School youth meeting to discuss peer pressure.
"They had this incredible dis. cussion about peer pressure and
it was interesting to see what was interesting to see what
students were pressured into at different age levels," Lewis said lewis said drug and alco. hol abuse is prevalent in the "It's incredible. At the

## BUILDING

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munication, fundraising. com. In Jation and organitang. Request for Provosal to mod relop the site. In February he group submitted the only At the March DDA meating. the March DDA meeting. neceived largelv due to the that the group proposed that he city continue to own the roperty during vetevelotop inen Preservation Chelsea has now nclude purchase of the property through a newly formed mited partmership. "Our team has worked dilleveryone in Chelsea. Many of us live and/or worts within a ew blocks of this structure. We all want what we feel is best rguments will be convincing arguments will be convincing ize how to best use the site," McElrath said.
"The proposal will create mixed lse facility that will
become an attraction not only fectme an attraction not on there but also for its historic alue and forward-thinking etic development, preserving Chelsea's historic character, adthering to green design prin iples and increasing the tax ase are more important than irand said. parking spaces, For more information about he Chelsea Connection,
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she said.
elementary level, tobacco has
already been introduced At the high school, students have noticed prescription druss becoming more prevalent.: Lewis also said Chelsea High ing in more risky behavior including anal beer bongs and vodka soaked tampons. "This was going on ata high.
school party just lat weeng," school. party yst last weekend,
she said-"It's shocking to hear. It's more shocking if parents. know about these activities and allow them to go on."
allow them to go on."
Cheryl.Phillips of St . Joseph "As a result, there are more
underage teenagers coming to
Mercy Heath System said anal tampons are more common
tand and than parents acknowledge. "Our youth falsely believe that they can get drunk and
parents won't smell the alcohol parents won' smet the alco
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## Kiwanians team up for Day of Service

Group aims to help locals in need of aid By bejerinive Alien

As a part of the Kiwanis International One Day of service four loca chapters converged at the Alpha Hous " shelter for homeless famiday of building wheelchair ramps for the Neighborhood Senior Services of Washtenaw
Members of the Downtown Ann Arbor Chapter the Morning Edition and the Ypsilanti Kiwanis Club chapers all helped with the event while the Saline and Milan leanup for seniors in the

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 respective areas. "This is one of the many Kiwanians around the on our international One Day of Service,"' said Linda Lawther, Ypsilanti Club mem. or and lieutenant governor "Today we're Neighborhood Senior Service by building wheelchatr ramy modules. We wanted to find a way to help seniors, as we're. generally an organization thaidoes a lot for children. So, this was our way of reaching out beyond our normal scope." Rob Reilly who was on ofe as a representative of Neighborhood Senior: Services, said he is thank
ful for groups such as the Kiwanis Clubs for volunteer ing their time. Volunteers help us keep cost down and allow us con
tinue to help those seniors whue to heed our assistance.:. Rellly said. "Our goal, as an organization, is to help seniors to be able to stay in their homes. We service all of Washtenaw County: Kiwanis
is building this modular ramp today which we will be able to take out into the field and finish it up at someone's home. This particular ramp they're building is going to be put Reilly said that the Neighborhood Senior Services operates on a grant rom Washtenaw County, so when the funds from the grant run out. thes won t be
able to continue with their perations. He pointed to that reason as to why he's so grate ful that the volunteers, which more than two dozen showed up for Satortay's project at" so many yolunteer hours. "This is what Kiwanians do. Lawther said. "We're glad we are able to reach out and help, especially in these tough conomic times
The Kiwanis Club is having ers Saturday, when it hosts its annual all-you cah eat pancake breakfast at the United Methodist Church on Washington Street in " held from 7 a m. to 1 p.m. All profits will go toward the Kiwanis Club's continued community service efforts. Jeremy Allen is a staff writer an be teached at fallen@heritage com


## Two newspaper executives promoted



> The Journal Refister CO. ovyner of Heritage Newspapers. has announced thes for two exicutives currently based in Michlgan
> Jerry Bammel 51 currenty sice president of finance now has the adde
responstblities of ceneral manager of JRC newspapers in Michigan Pat Eagan, 50; of Shelby Township. operations in Michizan, now has the added responsithilities of director of production for $J \mathrm{RC}$, based in Yardley.
> The appointments are effective immediately said Kevin Haedebryeck
senior publisher of Journal Register: Newspapers in michigan. "Jerry Pat and I have worked togeth: er successfuly on projects in Michigan
in the past and lam corifdent we can work together at the same effective level going forward, Haezebreck said
JRC is divided into a series of?

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Macomb Daily, the Dally Tribune in Royal Oak, the Advisor / Source and. Votce Newspapers in Macomb County and Morring Star publications based in Mount Pledsant. JRC is known as a eader in local news and Information
serving 992 communtties in 10 states JRC acquired its Michigan dluster in Ausust 2004 from former owner and publisher Frank shepherd, who ran the company as 21 st Century Newspapers, Inc.


Bammel carned a master's degree in business administration from wayne State University: In May 2003, he joined he company with the Independent. of The Macomb Daily Bammel had worked for 17 years with Gannett Co. Inc, in Michigan, Ne Michizan to begin his tenure with 21 to Century Newspapers, Inc. "My goal is to work closely with top Michisan management to continue th growth of our digital and print' publi-
forwand to my new responsibllities and moving the conpany forward Eagan, started at The Macomb Daily as a vehicle mechanic in May 1979 He Worked in maintenance and became Daily in 1990.
Under Shepherd's leadership, Eagan was promoted to vice president of oper ations for the Metro Detroit Group.
"Pat Eagan was the clear cholce to direct production Acrosis Journal Register Co.." sald William J. Higginson of JRC Prat has operating oftreer of JRC. "Pat has demonstrated strong
management skills and has the expe. management skills and has the expe understands all pspects of production and facilittes management, and he has a proven track record of providing excellent results vs. buisiniess plans. It is
with great pleasure and confldence that we announce Pat's appointment and: acceptance of these expanded respons:
Added Fagen; Im defnitey looking ing with other executivenges and wor tion employees of JRC. I welcome the opportunity":
Eagan lives with his wife, Gigi, and has a danghter, Christina, 31 ; son, Kain, 8,1 Ianden, 2 and Bryce, 4 weeks old.

## Habitat for Humanity's local chapter to mark anniversary


sary celebration/Aundraiser
will help the organization will help the organization continue those successes and Right now, Washtenaw County is faced with a grow. ing number of foreclosed and abandoned homes, and Habita
is at the forefront of address. ing this challenge
Habitat, in partnership with its donors, partner fam lies-families currently in the Habitat program earning
sweat equity-and the local government is purchasing and renovating foreclosures in areas hit hardest by the . housing crisis. from the windows, mowing the lawn and breathing new life into abandoned homes," said Sarah Stanton, execu:
tive director of Habitat for Humanity Huron Valley, in a news release. "We have a commitment to stabilize property values and community will benefft ten. fold from investing ourselves in these areas that need us most."
The local chapter has grown from building six homes annuten homes in 2009, and the organization has plans to renovate at least 30 more.
Despite these high tions, Director of Developmen Theresa Finney Dumais maintains that the organization is optimistic about community
support despite the economic recession.
"People are realizing that everyone is hurting. including those in lower income brackets
than they are, and they really than they are, and they really
want to help each other. The economy has resulted in lower corporate donations due to competition for their tied up andways been the highest per. centage of those giving in our country, around 8 percent. Even if people canl give at
the same level, they are still
supporting their favorite orga-
nizations." nizations. Habitat officials stress that black-tie gala, but rather a business casual gathering with a live local band, free drinks and food, and the live and Furthermore, they're aiming for 350 to 400 guests this year and are hoping to exceed the
$\$ 100000$ that $\$ 100,000$ that past auctions have
raised raised, are a strength and pillar of the organzzation," Finney Dumais
sald. Giving anywhere from $\$ 5$ "Giving anywhere from $\$ 5$
to thousands every year really to thousands every year reall lucky to have a significant number of yolunteers and sup. porters who have continued to
support us since our founding support us since our founding.
in 1990 . We have a volunteer attorney for example, who has been with us for almost " 10 years now And Bob and branch and have stayed with it for 20 years.
Our volunteers and familiés do a tremendous amount of the
work and keep our organiza. work and keep our organiza
tion moving forward. During the Coming Home event, the organization is hon oring two long time support. ers, Robert and Connie Amick with, the Founders Award.
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lies, as well. Brian Stewart lies, as well. Brian Stewart,
who moved into a Habitat home in early 2009 , will attend the event with his family and will serve as the keynote speaker, giving a short testimonial.
He calls living in his new home with his wife and three children "a dream come true" and will share more about the positive impact of being Humanity of Huron Valley a the event:
The 20th Anniversary and
Annual Auction'to benefit Annual Auction'to benefit
families will be held from 6 to 9 pm . April 30 at the Morris Lawrence Atrium at Washtenaw Community College.
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Tickets are $\$ 50$ per person of
which $\$ 35$ is t tex deductible or reserve an eight-person table for $\$ 400$. For tickets and more information, go to http://www h4h.org.


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## $\bar{i}$ <br> -mom

Caring about parks makes sense

This spring: ere involved in way or planta, agarden program
With so mank mun and nomprotits facing dwinand nomprotits facing dwinto become more involved in our communities. You don't have to be a Master ardener or even hase any park xperience. here are more than 2,000 acre nd $16 \%$ parks in the city limits Thousands of volunteeis hap-
pily assist city staff to care for pily assist city staff to caire for marks.
Barks.
Because of this community involvenent each park has its own personality, and is
shaped by the individuals and families who ave made that space special to them
Volunteers plant flowers and thee maintain and clean up the trails rid areas f invasive species, paint and care for park ructures


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The list of possible activities
as variod as the parks them. selves. So even if there isn'ta formal program in your area can'tstart one. No local park near you? Then improvise.
Start an outdoor beautiff. ation, project at your local church. fire department. police
departmenthor town hall. Use your imagination.
As you are driving around take note of what area needs
to be spruced up in your com to be spru
munity.
Pick a spot, gather some friends or neigh bors and kick off the project May 15. That date is a red letter day on the Adopt Park calendar in Ann Arbo: noighbors and park lovers will beautify their favorite location: Events are planned at Allmendinger.
elize, Arbor Homley, Buture Oake, Esch, Hanove Square, Hunt, Huron Hills Golf Course, Kilburn, Lansdowne, Maryfleld Wildwood Northside, Redwood, Rose White, Vetera) Wurster parks.
If you live in Ann Arbor, a park near your home isn't listed, then contact the doppt-A-Park Program at 7946627 or ennai dapt-a-park a a2govorg and get something Even if you don tive in Ann Arbor there might be a program in your town. Call your ownship, village or city offices and find ${ }^{\text {out }}$ Take nake pride in your local park and ge
involved in making if a special place fo ou, your friends and your family. Make this spring the time you make your In this case, Caring Makes Sense. LisaAllmendinger can be reachicd ai 1 . herilage.com. Check out her daly blog at
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## A dog with geometry skills comes out on top

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McVEY.
After reading "How to Teach Physics to Your Dog" by Chad
Orzel I was startled to discover that my dog Dalai, is a master that my dog. Dalai, is a
of advanced geometry Just so cat owners don't feel ignored, I once tried to fifure out a metaphor for cats, but found them too ranidom. Napping cats appeared in odd places - on counters and keyboairds and in bags and boxes. The physical
space seemed to be the impor tant factor - dark, warm, safe or any combination of the thre But my dog loves geometry. both physical and temporal. Her
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in two hour blocks with the "bie walk "at six in the morning and
six in the evening. Within these six in the evening. Within these
neatly carved blocks of time. neatly carved blocks of time.
she explores her real passion.

## which is geometry,

 We noticed it when she was a upstairs office and niy daughte was downstairs watching television. Dalai would find a space. on the landing of the stairs andnap there It was the exact mid nap theie. It was the exact $m$
point between two peovle. If two of us were on the sa floor: but in different rooms. she would work out a geometric vantage point between us, often
in a completely separate room in a completely separate room.
So she was ready if one of us got it in our head to dig out the dog treats. It could happen Siting in the same room,


II NEVER FORGET BECAUSE I'M AN ELEPHANT...THAT AND A LOT OF STICKY NOTES...

## OUR TAKE Editorial Which comes first, the book or presidency?

The late President Ronald Reagan once observed that, "poditcs isn't a bad profession. If you succeed there are many rewards, if you disgrace yourself you can always write
book.
Actually, in presidential politics, the books tend to come Consider President John R Kennedy, Worrd War II vet: eran who wrote "Profiles in Courage" about political courag and won a Pulitzer Priza
House followed in 1900 .
Georgia Gov Jimmy Carter, a veteran and peariut farmer relatively unknown nationally introduced himself to the country in 1975 with his book "Why Not The Best?" He went on to a narrow victory over President Gerald Ford in
Bill Clinton released "Putting people First" in June 1992
ust a matter of months before defeating Prestident Ceorge H.W. Bushi.

George W. Bush released "A Charge To Keep" in 1999 prior ohis 2200 election to the White House And, of course. Barack Obama released "The Audacity of campaiion 10 ke ofl hls successtur two yar presiuential
That's not to say that you have to write a book to win the nace Reagan waited untll two years after he left offloe to -
And pianty of canditates have published books only to fin Sh in the alsoran catecory
R Hopubican Mike Huckabee who, llike clinton, is a native or hope, Ark. wrote "From Hope to The Higher Ground" in 2007 , but lost the GOP nomination in 2008 to Artzona Sen. John McCain. McCain released "Hard Call" in soen, but lost he general election to obam
For those seeking the country's highest offce however, il and to polish the policy points for the inevitable debates daring the campaign
Even in the new era of digital campaigns using, Webp pagos part in budding presidential campaigns. Already, some likely candidates in the 2012 presidential election are releasing books and making the rounds at book lgning events
Frrmer Alazka Gov. Saran Palin, McCain's running mate November with a stop in Grand Rapide
Mostrecently Michiggan native and Tormer Massachusett Govi Mitt Romney was at Bonders in Birmingham to discuss his new book "No Apology: The Case for American Greatmess," which owt
Romney was a 2009 presidential contender, winnlas 11 state Republican primaries, including Michigan's, before folding his campalgn and throwing his support to Mccain.
He's likely to make a repeat appearance in 2012, though no one has formally announced a presidential run yet. Democratic teket, mostof thetive noction wine take place on the epubilican sidee early in the campaigning and in states such as Michizgan with early primary dates.
Dessues Romney and Palin, other Republicans seen as Pawlenty Huckabee, Texas Congressman Ron Paul, Newt Gingrich and likely a few others:
In Mich an eye out for mone books to coine - and more stops IMichigan - als more candiddates get sertous about the presidential asplrations.

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 teachers, not warriors Recently on a flight to San ranco. ne of he ligh. service." 1 was surprised that anyone could confitise me for one of those "few good men:" It must have been the harrcut But what was more surpris.ing than the question was inablility torespond right away 1 amm a pacifist and antitmilita. rism activist yet ffelt honored by that statement. I ended up. compliment.
That incident got me thinking about the perceived importance Endisting in the in this country: Eilisting in the armed forces so one type of service. one that respect, however there are oth. ers, as well.
Teachers and firefighters also serve our country, as do the road Michlgan pottholes every sp These are important jobs that serve our country. Despite the: importance of these other fobs, focuses on the military and the jobs created from it. We can see this fixation during their debates on what projects to fund with taxpaye, Chambliss, R:Ga, has argued
to maintain funding the F .22
Raptor saying in the name of
$=95,000$ good paying jobss." What "95,000 good paying jobs." What
Senator Chambliss doesn't meition is that the Department unnecessary
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two of their schools to

## million.

However just last year people
in the city of Ypsilantip paid near ly 827 mililion worth of federal
laxes to the taxes to the milltary budget.
That's enough money to the two schools and to afford nearly 300 new elementary scthool teachers, according to calculations by National Prititities Project. Instead of should dimit Pentagon spendín Thankfuty there is something we can do about this situatton Write or call your
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money is yours and you can use youns of that.
Think about that while you are turning in your tax return today. urge you to tell them
that when they talk about cutting spending to get out of recession that they should start by defunding military spending. They should spend our taxes on makin
not warriors.

Rick Durance
Ann Arbor

## Lnpal teachers make a

 Afference in live9I write this letter with th Intention of lifing the spirits of the educators who are the heart
of Saline.
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me to the heart of why lamm
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with me.
Uper elementary brough me to the new Heritage school with Ms. Evans end Mrs. Kelle where my name lis stll brightly
painted on the cinderblock Middle school was short an sweet with great teachers: Mr .
and Mrs Bruckman, Mason wicker Karapas, Kliman Mabley Johnston, McNutt and Budnik. I remember feeling at ome in that square building: physical education walking math in the portables and enjo ing the air condititoning of cie Istarted bigh school sur: 1 started high school sur-
rounded by 85 female cross country runners and a fantastic group of coaches, and was: mmediately encouraged by countless staff members to
be the best could be All my teachers - from Townsend Breneman, Beastey Marcero and Schmier to Loveland, McGee, Koppleman and Mrand
 Senior year brought us into a new school with new expecta tions - the discomfort of some thing so sterile and new was Instantly warmed by the faimil
lar faces of the Hornet staff My battle with cancer was grected with encouragement from Mr Pike, Mr Hill, Mrs, Thomas and Mrs. Jonik their in the health of my own. If is my sincere hopo that th Saline teachers and hoptaff can. know how valuable they are to where to be.
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Comall is not representing residents As acity resident 1 dan'tdispute the need for a anew police station However. Itake offense
at the city council's methods to accomplish their version of the best size, location and scale of a new facility, The dominant issue here is he councis sele cratic process.
The primary function of any elected offcial is to fairly represent those who put them in office. Ms. Cheri Albertson has sion for not doing its oob, yet the council fails to do its own when they ymore or block the right of he public to communicate its wishes to them
A group of
istered voters - undertoock.the task of canvassing other regis. ter voters and securing ginough signatures on a petition request.
ing a city-wide election on this ing a.city-wide election on this
issue The council however. intends to see this petition aside and proceed at full spied. My signature on a ballot appication or checks made
out to the city are taken at fac value, but on a petition it somehow becomes invalid, Matters". such as the font size of a document manage to fiegate the spir it of the message it conveys. editor in the April 8 edition of the Ches sea Standard attempts to outine the merits of this proposal. If the information is
all true then the council should have no fear of the matter being put to a vote.
Whether the corner of Main and Summit streets will housse a
new police station or not it will new police station or int. ifr for
certainly be the ground $z e r o ~ f o r ~$ political suicide for any council mentber seeking reelectionaffer so willtrully disressecting the public he or she is meant to

Maura Robbins
Chelsea
Councll Ignores residential pettion Six hundred and fifty one Chelsea city residents sigmed a. petition to force the city to alitow them to vote on the s.5.5 million bond issue to pay for the epro-
posed new municipal building posed new municipar builang
The two line city response was. "The city reviewed thie peetition subumitted by your group and it does not comply with the applicable statutory therefare does not provide a lawful basis for a referendum election:" As directed by the city the Washtemaw County Board of
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Elections, and an attorney were Elections, and an attorney
contacted befor the petition was submitted. If you are concerned, and you wourd like to know why. 1 sug. gest you contact your city cour 7p.m. April28. Charlie Silkwort Charlie Silkworth

Public inpot nooud At the March 23 Chelsea City Council meeting, coun reported to the rest of counci that the Planning Commission had voted 4 to 3 to recommend against the city's rezouing request connecied

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council chamber.
In her comments, Ms. Albertson seemed to imply that marily an is this plan is primarily an issue to residents of Orchard and Summit streets. cism in the community beyon those who would Jive with this
project in their backyard. dam one of the people who gathered signatures petitioning the city to place the $\$ 2.5$. million bond needed to finance the police station and council chamber project to a vote.
We found eager support among a strong majority of
those with whom we spoke. My wife and 1 focused our eforts primarily in the Belser Estates neighborhood - far away from any "not in'my backyand" sen timent.
We knocked on many doors over several days and spoke
to chel

Voters at 84 percent of those Voters at 84 percent of those
homes signed the petition. I urge Ms. Albertson and the rest of council to get out and speak writh their neighbors as He have. Council needs to seek input to this mportant issue Rick Noble
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Collins to receive award


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## 'Sleeping Beauty' coming

 to Chelsea on April 24attended last wand teens attended last week's story time
at the Fexter District Lbrary the thexter Distrigt Library" of "Sleeping Beauty" and story DEXTER dancers the dance performances they the dance performances they
will be doing in their upcoming production: Children also participated in dance moves such as twirling. yumping and lifts. production of "Sleeping

M" shipboard and aircraf safety. An emphasis was also place The capstone event of boo camp is "Rattle Stations." This exercise gives recruits the skills and confidence they Battle Stations" is desiegned to galvanize the basict warrior attributes of sacrifice, dedication, teamwork and endurance in each recruit through the Dance Theare of Michivan performed a mini version of Sleeping Beauty"

ES Sayy Seaman Jessica . Schulz daughter of Dawn ake. recently completed CS vary basic training at Recruit raining Command: Great akes III program, Schulz completed a valiety of training, which ncluded classroom study and practical instruction on naial water safets and survival and
take place at 7 p.m. April 24 and 2. pm. April 25 at the Chelsea High School Auditorium. In addition, ch Palace at 1pmi April 25. For tickets and more infor. mation, visit www youthdance heate. org. or call 475-3070.
ary skills and the core values of honor, courage and comfavor was designed to take into account what it means to be a sailor: Schulz is a 2008 graduate of Chelsea High School. Our Pariviriritip

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## Lions Club to hold convention in Ann Arbor

More than 250 members to meet this weekend By Sheili Pirssove Arbor? Arbor?'
No it's not an escapee from
a aoo It's the District 11.Bl a zoo. It's the District $11 . \mathrm{Bl}$ Convention of the Lion's Club expecting to draw more than
250 Lions, Lionesses and Friday and Saturday to the Clarion Hotel in Ann Arbor "There will be over 40 ctubs from this district, which includes all of. Washtena County and then west to Battle Creek,' said Terry Walters of Dexter, the Lions' district governor.
There of the Lions' state 'and district projects, including Michigan Eye Bank, Project Kid Sight, Leader Dogs for the Blind pro
gram and Penrickton Center.
The event also will includ The event also will include a memorial service, Penny entertainment from the Saline Fiddlers.
Thiere will be more than eight project tables, opportu-
nities to bid on sits, recos. nize fellow Lions, Leos and. Lionesses for commitment to their club, community and
district and the opportunity district, and the opportunity to learn more about projects in Delegates will vote on the new district officers, constitution changes and other items on the business meeting. speakeris past International Director Ron Duffe of Wisconsin, who was elected to a two year term in 1998 .
As director he seived on the Headquarters Operations and Finance Committee and as its chairman 1999 to 2000. and was appointed to the International A member of the Roberts

Lions participate in a variety of projects ranging from cleaning up local parks to providing supplies to victims of natural disasters. The organization is especially known for working to end preventable blindness.

Lions Club, Duffe has been a Lion since 1972, and held many offices, including clüb presi. dent. zone chairman and dis.
trict zovernor He tas coordinator for the Wisconsin

## Ralph seeks county board seat

Alice Ratph will run for the District 11 seat on the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners: Ralph a Democrat, has ived in Ann Arbor for more han 30 years. She is a regisfrom Lavrence University of Wisconsin and the University of Michigan.
She also has been invotved with a variety of causes and organizations addressing. issues that include livability access and accountability co ronment.
Creating an Abundant Future in Washtenaw County is the theme of Ralph's cam: paign: Ralph said she believe can create abundance for can create abundance for
policy that ensures coverage of county. Ralph says that means mieeting crises with flexible and. durable solutions and effective services to lighten the burdens carried by supplementary programs and nonproft agencies." Additionally, she said that
means moving forward in the face of climate change and energy transformation with actions that open doors to just and sustainahle progress. responsibilities, future abun dance This is my version of thé triple bottom line for social economic and environmental accounting." Ralph said in a Ralph said her years of activ
ism have given her an under-
standing of authorities, and city and county governments. and that sustained progress can be achieved if the cities. townships and universities of Washtenaw County work One of her goals as a count commissioner would be to help overcome divisions and fturther increase collaboration among overnmental units
Another of Ralph county commissioner would be to reftresh comprehensive program and systems planning "Neighborhoods and com. munities can't meet the urgent priorities of a new economy
without collaborations without collaborations on local.
countyvide. regional and state countywide, regional and state
levels." Ralph said "Working together we thrive. Ralph is a current or past

## Students to join conference

Washtenaw Community
College will send 39 paritucipants to the 2010 SkillsUSA Michigan State leadership and
Skills Conference held at the Skills Conference held at the
Causeway Bay Hotel in Lansing Fiday through Sunday: Career and techuical sti dents from across the state whil gather and compete to see
who will be the best workers in Michigan's future. Top qualifiers will advance to the 2010 Nationa Leadership and Skills Conference June 21 through 26
in Kansas City Mo. More than 700 volunteer judges will critique student in 75 contests such as architectural drafting, cosmetology ing, video production and auto motive service techniology. Successful SkillsUSA mem

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bers will also campaign for the right to serve as a Skills $U$ Michigan state officer. Representatives from Lawrence Ferris State University and the International Academy of Design \& Technology will have. exhibits at the vendor expo to. interact with the students, to
help them becoine "Champions help them becoine "Champions
at Work." SkillsusA is a national non. teachers and industry, working together to help high school and college students enrolled in
career and technical education programs to excel by teaching employability skills such as. communication, problem solv. ing and leadership in conjunc. and service skills.



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Lions Mission to Mexico pro gram; served as director and resident of the Wisconsin director vice president and resident of the Wisconsin Past District Governors Organization: A recipient of numer: ccountant, served his district as leadership chairman and has been a committee member the USA/Canada Lion Lions Clubs Internationa is a volunteer organization dedicated to leadership devel apment through community ervice. There are 1.3 milion tries working to answer needs that challenge communities. Lions participate in a var ty of projects ranging from croving uplocal parks to of natural disasters. The orgaization is especially known for working to end preventable blindness.
leader in local groups includ ${ }^{-1 n g}$ - Former A2D2 Design Guidelines Advisory Committee Friends of the Ann Arbor Greenway - Ann Arbor the Commons District Commission District Commission.

- Dexter's Gordon Halt Management Advisory Committee.
- Women Progressive Activists, executive board. Arbor City Council in the Third Ward, which significant. ly overlaps District Il.

There are more than 14.500 members in more than 500 ubs throughout Michigan District $11 \mathrm{~B} \cdot 1$ pas close to eessfully continued its theme of "Move to Grow," Walters aid. The EDexter Lions Club, nid Dexter Lions. Richard Hrich and Jeff Turck gat lub started, extending an opportunity to get more youth avolved in community ser.
The Manchester Llons, and Lions Fred Best and Ed: terling worked hard to get a new club in Clinton As of $\begin{array}{ll}\text { new club in Clinton: As of } & \text { iance wrter She can.. } \\ \text { March } 25, \text { the district complet- } & \text { be reached at } \\ \text { ed the extension of the clinton } & \text { bingley } 5 \text { yanoo com. }\end{array}$

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## Local doctor pens book on county bike routes

By Steven Howard.
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We book on bike routes
Washtenaw County Joel
Howell was an authority
the subject. the subject:
White develo ing his career.
within both the - medical school and history department
the University of
Michigan, Howell said he spent. much of his free
time mad biking inme mad biking
in area.
Now. Howell said friends and colleagues have often solicited adyice from him over the past 25
years on the best places to years on the best places to
ride knowing he had accumu. lated a wealth of knowledge on the subject. It was in these solicitations
Howell said that he got the idea to write "Washtenaw
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Long betore he wrote the book o
County, ,
Many parts of Ann Arbor - The route maps connect are covered, with trips north
along Dixboro Road and west via Huron River Drive. Longer rides extend. out to
Chelsea and Manchester, even Chelsea and Manchenter, veven
reaching dast Lansing on one reaching East La
particular jaunt. Those willing can even follow maps straight to Hell

County Bike Rides. "People would get sent to
me and ask me where to ride me and ask me where to ride. he said, prompting him to question: "Wh

## Beware of the dangers of a personal loan

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will be necessary it basically sars that if you don't fulfill all the terms in the agreement, the lender has the right to fareclose or repossess the property.
Even if a friend or relative mikes an offer of help. It's prover for the an offer of help. It's proper for the
borrower to take the initiative to structure the arrangement in a way that's responsible and beneficial to both. If a relative is drawing income
from the loan special provisions should be made for prepayment and other contingencies.
The most important thing to
remember and plan for: When two remember and plan for: When two people who are close to each other most valuable thing really isn't the money its the relationship. This column is provided by Yeo \&
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## Briarwood Mall receives recycling award



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Addressing a packed house Miday LS Rep Mark Schauer tive question-and answer ses. son with construents about the Health Insurance Reform legis. lation at the Washington Street
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The meetung was one of sel. ral Schauer has held through: at the area in the past two
Wexks shaue wad he s still combathe muth and half truth
At at tom hall in tilldale. Schatier said he sas asked
about he greernient instaling merrichips in peoble
"tr ndiculows have oblicathen to my censtutuents: preven the tacts. he said.
The facts. shauer said, are The facts schauer said, are
that the nes law mproves.
 credits and assistance to 16:000. families and 1,1 in small businesses to heip them afford coverage extends coverage to
x) 000 insured restents and wi) 000 insured rewidents and preexisting medical conditions can obtam healthcare coverage. With most of the audience at ir near retirement age. Schauer
spent most of his time focus. spent moxt of his time focus
ing on Medicare benefits for seniors: semots on Stedicare will continue to have that program avail.
athe to them fo the foreseable future." he caid
receive a so peroent discount
on all brand-name drues and in percent discount on generics while they are in the so called doughnut hole Beginning in 2011, Seniors on Medicare can receive free Meiness care.
Reid McCarthy of Chelse thauked Schauer or cor voting on the legislation. Reforming Medicara Part D will save my clientsa lot of
money" Mccarthy said. "lus money Mccarthy said. bust
want to say thank you for your Vrooks Cone of Chelsea said he doesn't agree with the new legislation. ${ }^{\text {. }}$
Teceived alot of criticism recelved alot of criticicm
on how hey rainaded this bill through the system. Congressman Schauer's oan
Web site has 43 veople voicing their opinion against it," he s said "I want to know what ult mately factored into his yote Chelsea resident Marsha Towne also expres
tion with Congress.
Im ashamed of our gow. ernment This legislation was partisan and it was bullied and
pushed throuth br our presi. pushed through
dent.". she said.
Schaver acknowledged that voting for the legislation in the face of adversity was not easy I have never listened so hard in my life. This healthcare bill was dellberated, analyzed and
reanalyzed for 14 months." he reana "izedieve it was Teddy Roosevelt in 1908 that sug. Roosevlt mexes do something
gested Congre provide health care for


Americans. Every president
since then both Reperid since then, both Repubbicant and Democrat: has pushed for healtheare reform
One resident, wh old daughter has asthma and was denied healthcare coverag because of a preexisting condi tion , thanked Schauer for his
vote.
"For all the young people out
there who have prevesting there who have preexisting con ditions and cannot get health
care: thank you, she seid " care: thank you," she said. "I in the bill and some things still need to be worked out. but it is a step in the right direction." To learn mere about the healthcare bill or to contact Schauer vi
house.gov:
Danel La can be reached at
429.7380 or dau@hertage com
A MIND IS A TERRIBLE THING TO WASTE.
same month in 2009 :
In February 2009, the road commission received about. $\$ 1$ i24 in state transportation funding: in February 2010, milion Puri said a reduction of Pumi said a reduction of
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is about $\$ 189.87:$ less than in is aboul
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FOOTBALL, TRACK, SOFTBALL HIGHLIGHT BUSY EMU WEEKEND

YPSILANTI, Mich. (EMUEagles.com) The EasteIn Michigan University campus will be packed
attletic contests this weekend. April 16.18
atrletic contests this weekend. Aprll 16.18.
The men's and women's track teams and the softball squad will get things rolling on Fridity and Saturday anic the football teammill close things out Sunday
Friday. April 16, the softball team will hosi Mid-Amen San Con
sity field
Aity Fleld on Friday at the Olds-Marshall Outdoor rack, the menso and women's the olds will be home for the first day of
mor the EMU Twlight Meet.
Saturday, April 17, the softball squad will play thost to MAC-rivat Akron in a 2 p.m. single game at Varsity fiel and the two track teans return to the Otds. Mars shall Ou
door Track for the second day of the EMU Twilight Meet: door Track for the second day of the EMU Iwilight Meet:
Head Coach Ron English's football squad will take ove Head Coach Ron Englishs football Squad will take over
on Sunday. April 18 , when the Eagles host the EMU Greenon Sunday. April 18, when the Eagles host the EMU Gree
White Spring Intrasquad Game beginning at 2 pm Rynearson Stadium. Admission is free.
Prior to the football kickoff, the EMU Athetics Depart - ment will host the second annual Equipment Garage Sale The sale will begin at 1 pm and be held in conjunc tion with the spring game from football jerseys to cleats mentorabitia collectors and the most ardent EMU support: ers will be able
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used Eagle geat. Addifionally, lia Weintraub from 1050 WTKA radio w be hosting a live broadzast from 1:30 pom unti $3: 30$ p.m. For more information on the sping ganie oi the garage
sate, contact the EMU Marketing Office at 734.4878109.
Fridey-April 16 (Varsitiv Field)
Softhball
EMU vs. Ohio (OH)
Men's and Wamen's Track (Olds-Marshall Track) EMU Twilight Meet, 3 pm Field Events-Begin at 3 p.m. with the womens hammet
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Saturday - April 17 iVarsity Fleld Softhall

Men's and Women's Track (Olds-Marshall Track) EMU Twilight Meet, 10 am
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Sunday - April 18 (Rynearson Stadium) Football
EMU Athetics Department Garage Sale 1 p.m.
EMU Green-White intrasquad Serinimage opm

## Aspartame name change cause for concern



## dicton

You really can't change your body wthout changing what ou put into your body. That's why this time we $n$ taking a break from talking Family Chiropractic in Dexter which continues to go very well) to discuss sorrething that has interested me for authilite now - aspartame, an FDA with a questionable reputation Reading about high fructose corn syrup was my firstrea exposure and awareness of chemicals that are put in our
There are studies that go
either way Some experts. describe the way high fructose corn symp - which deesnt
occur naturally but must be syuthesized in a sterile labor tory is digested in the body. as inducing fat production and berng hard on the liver. Frighteningly enough, high
fuctove corns as digesting similarly to alco. hol.
Luckily it's easy enough to spot high fruktose corn syrup most foods that contain the substance, which is quite a number of them (nostly condiments: sweets. "fat free foods, low carbohydrate foods and many 1 would
and would want to know if high fructose corn syrup were going bs any other name.
In the rase of aspartame also Gand now aminosweet, that ver thing has happened. Opponents to aspartame side effects. including headache change of vision convulsions seizures nauset. vomiting and joint pain.
Some studies have correlated the introduction of aspartame tory nice and an merease in cancer rates in that same group of rodents.
Luckily I dont consume any I don t use the non white sugar packets in my coffee (which1 don't have often because it's bad And for flik
Way which makes this that ing all the more disconcerting In not very extrene in my dietary beliefs. I don't conform to any strictir sercaldiet and I'm not a memb When it comes to artificial materials replacing basic nutritional building blocks in my food I draw the line, particu alizes. - If you're reading this and are concerined. 1 would encourage youto run a search on Google and read some of what tye read There's no point in regurgitat. ing it here.

One thing I can attest to that
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means more to me than any study tye read is my persona rohibition on high fructose orn syrup.' The resuits have been very positive. Within a wreek of avoiding condiments, bever-
ages, breads and other items
in my cupboand and tridge with high fructose corn sy fup isted as an ingredient, I saw' a atigue and I noticed thition in gym visits were yied ding beite
results move than likely in-
the case of the latere because my body's fat production fell With the remoral of high fruc lose corn syrup in my system.
While the FDA takes lumps for allowing some of this stuff

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tm grateful that the federal government makes listing such ingrudients mandatory is very important and the reason Im writmg this column.

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## Area residents enjoy A2's Festifools

## Hourlong parade attracts families, the curious

 By Austen SmithHereritage Nowspaburn
Ann Arbor's Main Street was invaded by a parade of fools. on Sunday as the wonderfully whimsical Festifools delighted. ocal families with giant papier máche puppets, theatrically Oolishness.
Festifols started in 2007 and has grown, every year, includin his event, which co-founder Mark Tucker estumated was
last year's. He said there were about 100 participants in the parade that
marched up and down Main marched up and down Main Washington for about an hour. "There are so many new (puppets) that Ididn't even And. Tucker said Sunday ut, next year they will be participants ... because creativity is something we all have, so we've got to take care of it. We Tuve to nourish that."
Tucker credited the weather for the large turnout.
as well.
 student Shoshana Hurand became inspired by giant. Tucker observed while study-
ing in taly At that time Tucker ing in italy. At that time Tucker
served as the creative directer served as the creative directer
for the Michigan Thanksgiving Day Parade. He now teaches. art through the University of Michigan Lloyd Hall Scholars Mrogram. of Tucker's students
Many built their own floats and participated in Sunday's event. According to its Web site Festifools is one of the larg est giant puppet shows in the
world. The event has drawn volunteer help from University of Michigan students and the city of Ann Arbor On Sunday Mayor John Hieftje and hilis caricature--like, papier mache head enioyed the good weather as they chatted up local families at the parade.
a "The city loves this project this whole thing," he said.
Hundreds of community volunteers and students have worked diligently throughout the winter to create the 10 - to 15 foot-tall animated puppets.
for more information. visit For more information, visit
the Web site wwwestifools.org or e-mail startprojectra umich. edu. Contact Austen Smith at 429
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## More Than Just a Hospital



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## Children's author addresses capacity crowd

Chris Van Allsburg has penned 'The Polar Express' and 'Jumanji'

By Steven Hitward
Celebrated children's author Chris Van Allsburr spoke to a full house a the University: of Michigan Museum of Art Thursdax discussing his sifife and career and describing the
compositional process that went into creat, went into creat?
ing some of his most beloved. literary achieve ments. bestrthaps author of "the Poiar Express" and
which bounth won the caldeoott Medal and were later turned int Major motion
pictures $V$ Van pictures. Van Allsbury's writ. ing carrevr has spanned more picturie books, as well as sev: eral other collaborations. Van Allsburg said he attend.
ed Oof M as an undergraduate before moving back East to fir: ther his sculpting career.

University of Michigan. I went
on to the Rhode sland Schood on to the Rhode Island School
of Desimn: he said indicating or Design." he said, indicating
he then found studios space in. a old and draty buidding. Vran Allsburg said the indus. trial space was fine to scullut in
during the day because the teat during the day because the heat
was on for other tenants but - was on for other tenants, but - $P$ cold on winter UI2. $\int \quad \begin{gathered}\text { cold en winter } \\ \text { evenings then }\end{gathered}$ View VIde0 athome in the ,uman online drawing." he said. Though initially he created images void of textual accompaniment. Van Allsburg said the nature of his illustrations begged viewers to ask ques-
tions of what was going on inside of them. He described the phenom-
enon as "narrative hooks."
"I was fascinated how you
can trigeer those narrative Can trigger those narrative
impulses." he said "\$o this impulses. he said "So this
was my first step as a writer vas my allsburg step asad his witere
Van then sent his illustrations to a prominent publishing house. They liked them, so they
sent back prewritten stories for him to illustrate. He said the subject matter of the traditional juvenile plothines were not to his ink didn't do it for me, "he said, indicating his desire was to cre ate narratives with a bit more $\because$ edge. create his own textual content to accompany his often irrev. erent and fantasy-inspired images
Van All Vian Allsburg said he asked himself a simple question: when I was 8 or 9 years old?" Now, more than a quarter of a century after his writing
and illustrating career began . Van Allsburg has set to work on another children's book that

Taylor, purported to be the
first woman to go ver Niag first woman to go over Niagara
Falls. Van Allsbiurg delighted
audience members and audience members attend. ing Thussday's decture with a sneak peek of illistrations for the book, saying he decided to go with honntiction this trime
because fabricating stories because fabricating stor
requires a lot of effort. "I get tired of trying to make things up all the time." he
Joked an Allsburgs daughter,
Sophia who is a freshman a Sophia, who is a freshman at U
of $M$ and attended the lecture. said she is finding as much inspiration in Ann Arbor as
her father did. "I'm welcome here It's a nice place to be." she said. "I came here where he has his history,
but where I can create my oum but where l can create my own
history too." history too.
Van Allsburg and a listof his books, visit www chrisvanalls. burg.com. Sieven Howard can be
reached at 429.7380 or showard Aneritage com. Read his blog at http:/Meritagewest-
staftiog.blogspot.com.




## WineFest fundraiser to be held May 8

Wine Fest 2010, the Ann
Arbor Art Center's ammua fundraiser: will he held $\mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$ May 8 at the University of Michigan's North Campus owned by Pfizer. The space was selected because of its unusual layout. expansive windows. upscale fim
ishes and high ceilings, which are needed to accommodate the largescale art installation pieces that will be on display throughout the venue accord ing to a news release from the The art created under the direction of BIGthink, an art education technology collaborative from mazoo. al event will include an interna tional whe tasting, a gourmet strolling supper, and first-class
silent and live auctions silent and live auctions. the event is laurence Feraud owner and winemaker at Domaine du Pegau, a winemak: er from Chateauneuf du Pape
in France She has been chosen


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by Robert Parker of Wine Advocate as a Wine Perso
of the Year. In conjunction with WineFest. Feraud will also host the wines of Chateauneuf du Pape will he paired with a gourmet meal prepared by Chef Robert Underwood of
Mediterrano Restaurant The Wediterrano Restaurant. The place at $6: 30$ pme May 6 at Mediterrano Restaurant in Ann Arbor. EThe WineFest event chairs are Tom Root and Thisi Morrell
owners of Zingerman's Mail Onder The honorary community chairs are Rich and Karen Brown.
"It is an an organization that has beern an organization that has been
focused on their mission for over 100 years. We are just a small part of helping that mis:
sion by hosting Wine sion by hosting Winefest 2010."
Root said in a news release. General tickets for WineFest are $\$ 100$. Patron level tickets are $\$ 200$ and include a private reception with Laurence.
Feraud starting at 6 p.m.
raserved seating a a special tast-
ing glass and an advanced preing glass and an advanced pre-
view of the auction items with " "buy it now" option. The cost
of the WineMaker of the WineMaker Dinner is
$\$ 150$. \$150.
Fund hunds raised by WineFest

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Straub advances to
national tournament
Courtenay Ackiey
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In late March, while many
sudents students at Chelsea High schron werepacking for their
spring break vacations or fin. ishing homework assiguments; senior Dayid $S$ traub was pre
paring to face one of his worst pearings pubaicic speeneof his. the CHS forensics team and the competition to qualify for the national tournament was March 27. Forensics is is aco. crasen rama intervet ingand in other statecations known in other states as "individual
events." Ranging from dramat ic interpretation to informative speaking. forensics covers all the bases for people interested in the art and science of cam munication nament, held by quatififier tour. Forensics Leagués Michigan district in Holland, determines the single representative in each category hat will be sent
from Michigan to the national tournament in Kansas City: Mo As other teenagers were letting go of their respon. sibilites in preparation for
their spring break, straub tirelessly prepared the minu: tiae of hisspeech. For hours he with the help of Chelsea Drama and Speech Coach Kim Potocki, reviewed his recorried
speeches, practiced expressive hand gestures. and even prac. ticed his speech using several sophomore English classes as Wheith arrived all of lis his hard work and effort paid off Straub earned the highest scorre possible in the conpetition and sweyt the tournament become the Michigan district's 2010 representative in Original Oratory This would not have been the Chelseas school disistrict and the community
While Straib was the only

By Manyag Grant
The Japanese art of Origani s coming to the bexter Pione Arts Fair on Aprill 17 at Creekide intermediate than 50 artists including Origami artist Beth Johnsion: The traditional art of paper colding was first developed in ancient Japan. Through the and evolved into modernart form: Johnsot started doing Origami as a child. Years later: atter pursuing a carer menvi onmental policy. she decided ochange carters and make ar art classes and began looking at Origaml as something more
than a hobby:
Recently, Johnson began patterns and has gone through what she describes as a "creative explosion." She, like many other coltemporary rized the tradistional art form and has found many new appli cations for Origam: Johnson is excited to attend he Dexter Ploneer Art Pair
here artists are given autulque

Larry G. Skiles. Jr, an Ann Arbor financlal advi. or for the financial services irm Edward Jones, recen Washington. D.C., to seek egislatoon to increase sav ngs and enhance retirement security
Skiles was one of 57 finan cial adylsors chosen from among the firm's hearly 12,00 who traveled to Washington. C. to lobby on behalf of

## Origami artist to appear at Pioneer Art Fest .



Creative Origami art like this owr will be on display at the
Pioneer Ant Fest April 17 in Dexter.
opportumity to demonstrate heir techniques and interact basis on tone-on-one Johnson and othee:local
artists will demonstrate their craft at the Pioneer Art Fair Creekside Intermediate Schill at Creekside Intermediate School

Which have been diminished in the current recession. We appreciate the opportunity to communicate the tors, especially those here in Ann Arbor and make sure hey are heard on Capitol Hill." Skiles said. Edward Jones provides vidual investors in the United States and throuth its amfle. ate in Canada.
bewesy
Irdividual thvestors.
Skiles is a member of the Skiles is a member of the irm's grassroots task force the investment concerns of individual investors to local state and national lawnakers While meeting with legisla ors, Skiles discussed how. Task Force supports tax incentives that encourage people to rebuild and retain
thetr retirenent accounts.


David Straub, a eenior at Cheisea High School, wif represent to compete at the national qualifying tournament, he and the seven other members of the high school forensics team travel all over the state to compete in evgnts. The benefits of
this club are many and various: ranging from increased self. courfidence to an increased abil ityto communicate and express one's ideas and creativity of the Chelsea forensice pro gram has in recent years been threatened, first, by the cancel lation of the school-provided forensics class, and now by a
lack of financial means to me. ister for and provide transwor tation to the far-flung forensics events. This lauded program launched by Bill Coleius, has
provided students in our com. munity with the opportunities to excel and nurture their talents in ways that they would "I have seen kids coming that have heen absolutely transformed by their experience. Young people who no on else would think twice about the world that through hard. work and dedication, they can achievé their dreams." Coach
Kim Potocki said Kim Potocki said: In lieu of official district jumped at every fundraising opportunity available to them. even opening the door to dona tions from the community team: it intends to keep on being just as busy as ever. For those interested in sup. porting the CHS forcensics
team donations can be sent team, donations can be sent
to Chelsea, High School, 740 N . treer Road. Chelsea MI 48188 Corstenay Ackley is a studen at Chelsea High School and a guest write

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## Dexter Community Band hosts spring show April 25

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will present the last coneert of
the $2009-2010$ season on April 25. The concert begins at 3 p m in the Dexter Center for the Performing Arts at Dexter High
School. The hi The corner of Shield and Parker Roads. All Dexter Community Band concerts are free and open o the public
concert is a special spalute to America The 80 piece concert band under the direction of Bill Gourley will perform Morton
Gould's "American Salute" and "Variations on America" by Charles ves. In honor of the opening baseball season, the band will play "National Game"
by John Philips Sousa: by John Phillips Sousa. work for symphonic band from "Ficopular Broadway musical "Fiddler on the Roof," will bring back memories of the wedding dance and the popular "To Life" dance.
The childhood song, Funiculi-Funicula": has been dious band arrangement by Lious band arrangement by Dance" composed by University of Mchigan School of Music graduate rany different sections from the band

- The Dexter Community Band is sponsored by Dexter community education for

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Hotline to ald Boy Scouts during rummage sale In preparation for their summer rummage sale, has set up a rummage sale pick up hotline to allow resi. dents to donate items for the summer sale.
The scouts can be reached will collect books, games. househoid items, tamps, microwaves, cameras, tools. dishes, pots and pans, musidishes, pots and pans, m.
calinstruments, refrig. erators, televisions, toys and carpeting.
The rummage sale will take prace from $9 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. to 9
p.m. June 18 and 9 am to noon June 19 in the gym, cafeteria, hallways and front lawn of Creekside Intermediate
Baker Road:
Proceeds from the sale help fund the troop's yearly trips, merit badge, rank advance ment work and community Some items will sold, including hot wate tanks, curtains rods, ma tresses, sinks, commode PRUE E AO

CHS Concarto Concertsat for Iater this month The Chelsea High School Concerto Concert will take place April 28 :
Nineteen CHS students will perform a musical sele
tion from the band, cholr or orchestra
The concert begins at 7 p . m. and doors will open at 6:30
p.m. The event is free and
open to the public. The performers from the CHS band include Abby Ingall, Lorna Blocksma
Brian Bazydlo, Chance Brian Bazydlo, Chance
Seymour, Hannah Boshoven Sarah Wolpoff, Jon Skidmore and David Adrian. Performers from the CHS chotr include Ashlyn
Brinklow and Kaci Friss The orchestra perfor mance will feature Graham Emberton, Nickolas Forsch Joseph Gunden, Miriam: Hallinger, Peter Kinsey, Kate
Lewls-Lakin Viktor Rozsa. Ryan'Sanders and Tristan Weber:
In order toqualify to per form, students must recelve a superior " 1 " rating at Solo
\& Ensemble competition and gain director approval. The performers will be ac
companied by the CHS band companled by


Dexter Communlty Band thumpet section preperes for the Aprlil ${ }_{25}$ concert. Pictured are johm Schumectien, Gall Ferguson Stout, David Teigen and Andy Jurczak.

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Chelsea
(Below) Tara Vesprini leads students in a music activity at ihe Chessea District Library


## HERITARE <br> Entertainment

## 'Little Shop of Horrors' a gem of a show

By Angie M Laa
Gardeners beware The Performance Netwerk in Ann Arbor is going green in a big way with its lat.
est production of Little Shop of Horrors." "Little Shop of Horrors.". the 1982 Of-Broadway musical about a man school theater programs, began life as a 9960 film, perhaps most notable. for featurine a brief performance by a young Jack Nichorson
The musical's score was created Ashman and Alan Menken, shortly to PLAV factuctu become duo of Walt Disney Studios, respon sible for such hits as "The Little" Mermaid." "Beauty and the Beast," and "Aladdin." The musical recently received a big budget
on Broadway in 2003 . The Faustian plot chronicles the adventures of a meek flower shop clerk, Seymour Krelborn (Jason Richards), who adopts an unusual
specimen of plant that mystriousl appears following a total eclipse, He names it Audrey Il after his co.Worker and crush, the beautiful-but-self. esteem-challenged Audrey (Courtney Myers), who is in a refationship with
an abusive dentist (Aaron T Moore). The plant's uniqueness attracts some attention, but it doesn't really seem to flourish until Seymour acc
blood. At first, Seymour himself pro
vides nourishment. But as Audrey II grows, it demands much more. - Jason Richards makes an enjoyable strong, clear tenor and giving the character a personality beyond that of the old nerd cliche. His attraction o Audrey seems genuine and heart. elt, especially in their big love duet. Myers could have added a little more vulnerability to her portrayal or Audrey, but she delivers a fine vocal performance, especially in her wistful
solo "Somewhere That's Green B.J. Love as Mr. Mushnik

- Seymour's boss - is grumpy but endearing, and the Greek chorus, con sisting of three highly talented young Hamilton, and Diviin Hufn provide beautiful harmonies.
Arguably the hardest working actor in the cast is Aaron T. Moore. Who characters, including the sadistic Dr . Orin Scrivello. Moore plays Scrivello with such wicked glee that despite the haracter's incredibly nasty personal ty, he's fun to watch
This production's handling of the es the merits of occasionally re-imag. ining shows that have been around for years. Traditionally, Audrey II, has been played by a male actor with onstage by a kuge puppet resembling a Venus flytrap. This production takes itin a different direction, not only
 of Horrors."
also allowing her to physically replace the puppe piant. It all adds to the campy fun, and ultimately "Little Shop of Horror Weekly performances are Thurs though May 9. Saturdays at 8 p.m., Sundays at $2 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m} .$, with $3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$

Tickets are priced at $\$ 28$ to $\$ 44$ with discounts under age 16 .
under age 16 .
Tickets may be purchased by calling 663.0681 . or online at www.performancenetwork.org.
Angie M. Lai can be reached at tarriax yanoo

## 'Date Night' a movie with all the right moves



Every now and again, a movie deliv ers exactl/ what it prumises based on
what you are able to learn from the trailers. TV commercials and newspaper adds And sometimes that is a good thing, evenif the movie promises only a light that, perhaps. more than a few married suburbanites can relate to

Date Night," starring the marvelousty pared Steve Carrell and Tina Fe is that movie.
go to the movie theater and you couldn't go to the movie theater and not see some teen vampire movie or star-driven
overcooked drama or a movie that is a special effects blow-up of a comic
book, "Date Night" gives stressed-out husbands and wives a delectable slice of
their tives that goes down smooth with no bitter attertaste.
Carrell and Fey have an unmistakable onscreen chemistry that just works in the setting of a couple of overachiev-
ing professionals whose weekly date night gets turned on its sar in a wholly unpredictable and Inoffensive plot twist involving the mob, the District Attorney Carrell's quirky de is on full display and Fey's knack for physical comedy is simply fun to watch There are several scenes where the other's complimentary acting abilities
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They are believable as a long married ous and implausible freives in a danger. ous and implausible fraud scheme that
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ame time. supporti eturn to playing an organized crime boss by Ray Liotta and a fummy and mostly shirtless Mark Wahiberg, who daced comic relief that Carrell and Fe play off of effortlessly
"Date Night" is a silly romantic comedy at heart that plays upthe subtagether long enough to know that they
are still in love remain each others best friends and remain able to find the humor in every sitiation. Surprisingly. the obligatory yet inventive car chase scene doesn't deter from that. Go into the theater expecting to be entertained, but not challenged, Laugh does without the risk of being offende by them Face only a sprinkling of noisy special effects that add to the plot instead of being a distraction. and not leave dreading the inevitable money grabbing sequel.
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## Two nonprofits merge operations



 'Fame'hits Riverside's stage April 22 Leotards. legwarmers, of the 1990 s will be all the rage when Dynamic Stage The Musical" April 22 through April 25 at the Riverside Arts. Center in Ypsilanti. Set in a New York perform-
ing arts school ing arts school. Hame follow hard work as they search for the success that will make them "live for ever:" Fame" features many Washtenaw County It's directed by Kyle Farr with musical diree tion by Kylee Phillips and chor graphy by Craig Nichols. the lead role of Carmen Diaz, Gary Clayton plays Jack and Linzi Joy Bokor plays the role
Sherman.
Other cast member
include Caleb Kruzel

## Ann Arbor Symphony Orchestra to perform

## The Ann Arbor Symphon

 Orchestra's Season of: splash of musical color in Musical Portraits" 8 p.m. Aprit24 at the Michigan Theater The concert celebrates he landmark opening of the ye Center's Brohm Tower, an nnovative faclity that expands the University of Michigan care research and education and diabetes research In addition, the winn of the Sight and Sound. Competition will be announced and performed
True to the concert's title, feature a feast for the eyes and ars Mussorgsky's "Pictures at an Exhibition" is an imaginary troll through an art gallery, by a unique melody
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winning film composition will be performed live by the Añ Arbor Symphony Orchestrat the Michigan Theater during the concert April 24 . A preconcert lecture cover. take place frum 7 to 730 mm on. the madin floor of the Michigan Theater: Lecturers will include concertmaster Berofsky maest Film Festival Exiecutive Director Donald Harrison.
Tickets rathe from s stita 89 and are available by calling
 Suite 470, from 9 a m to 5 pm . Morday through Friday and. from 9 am. to 1 pm . the day of the concert Ticketsialsis may be com. If there areany remaining tickets they will be aval able at the Michigan Theater box offce starting at $6 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. the tay of the concert.
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## Krausse leaves legacy in Chelsea

Local doctor cared for ill patients during 44 year medical career | By Alan West |
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For 44 years, Dr Charles Krausse of Chelsea embodied Cumern the spirit $\therefore$ commu. tor. Upholding the Hippocratic Oath in his everyday life. Krausse became a friendly face for many of his patients. cial person, his wife vildred "Millie" Krausse said. "My husband and I went to Dr Krausse his entire career. Barbara Fredette of Chelsea
Krausse retired in 2005 at
age of 85 . He died March 17 . "He was a very loving, caring person." Fredette said. Her son Shannon's favorite
memor of Krausse involves a time when he fell ill on a Saturday and the dector still


Michigan University admissions deparment thought he encouraged him to get one. John Keusch' a tong time. patient and friend, said that Krausse began to take his high school classes while he was in the military

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 becater in his life. Krausse became somewhat of an icon inChelsea. Chelsea.
his fomeral people came to his funeral. I think everyone
in Chelsea pretty much kner him.' Millie said.
When the couple was younger: they traveled to South An Salvador and Costa Rica, and attending seminars in San Diego Calif. everr year glanted a huge every year planted a huge
Warde. had far more vegetables
than we really needed. He grew them. and I had to pass them
out. I did the freezing too." Milliesada:

While still practicing medicine, patients would call ofter They would ask him to come and do surgery and he never hesitated," she said. Mille saided she was a widow when she married Krausse in her own. I methim when he first: came to Chelsea. He was just a great husband. We got along very well. People always said
that he had three loves. medi: cine Millie and his garden." she said. Doctors Diane Howlin and Rêbecca Patrias were treated to Krausse's hospitality when take up practice, Millie said. "He took them out for a meal and a weleoming (chat)," she
said said.
How Horlin remembers the meal that the three shared together. the next genery welcoming to the next generation.". she said
Howlin added that Krause Howlin added that Krausse
treated his patients with kind treated his patients with kind-
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Mccalla, who norked with Krausse for 25 years and 18 years respectivelys shared their stories of fond times with the "He worked many Saturdays," Boyce said: "He was a nice guy to work with. felt bad when he passed away" Boyce said that many of his
15 minute appointments turne into 30 to 45 minute appointments because he took his tim with his patients.
"He didn"t rush through like so many do today", she said.
McCalla said she worked with Krausse until a few years before his retirement.
"He was the best boss I" "He was the best boss I've
ever had", she said "He was a ever had, she said. "He was a
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She herself was a patien of Krausse's long betore
she worked for him and She worked for him, and she went over the handlebars of her bike and got a three inch gash. "He stitched me un." she said. "It's funny that started out as a patient and ended up. working for him.
Keusch, a former attorney for Chelsea, said that Krausse
was a good subject for a story was a good subject or a story. as he was inchelsea," he said "He was not one of those in and out guys that have limited time. He was very patient. He
always felt that when the tim came for the visit to end, it was the patient and not the doctor who ended it."
Keusch said that Krausse
also paid him house call visits also paid him house call visits When he needed it.
"He was $m y$ doctor for years He was real personal.": Keusch said. Alana West can be reached
at mmagwestsbbgbal net


## GENEROUS GIFT

Kathleen Griftiths, presidemt and CEO of Chelsea Community Hospital (right), accepts a check from Ron Yonkoskt (left) director of volunteers and Nancy Harvey CCH auxiliary president (center) he Auxilfary donated $\$ 24.000$ to help fund the hospital's. new chemotherapy infusion center which will generous donations from the community the Auxiliary special events and community efforts.

## Students compete in Olympiad

Editur's note This article is being reprinted again due to an March Standard and Dexter Leader
On March 20 . the Science Middle School competed the Hillsdale College Region9 Tournament against 14 other middle schools.
Then team competed in 23 dif ils and anatomy to experimen tal design and student-made The BMS The BMS team came in sec. Michigan State University on May 1 in the state tournament Both the middle school team and the Chelsea High School eam will compete at the state history. Boone and Nichola Arons won sixth place in. compute Lis, samantha rin Koch won sixth place In Experimental Designi $J J$

Duncan Kaylin Zocharski,
Samantha Jabara and Audrey Timberlake won sixth place in Pentathlon.:
Katie Dewyer and Samantha Jubara won fith place in Junkyard Challenge; Devon.
Gosnick and Kelly Bertoni wo fifth place in anatomy: En Lin and Colleen Bertoni won fifh place in Disease Detectives
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and Carrie Williams in Shock and Carme whams in Shock Colleen Bertoni in Dynamic Planet. Glanet medalists for Chelsea were Kelly Bertoni and Daniel Carrara in Can't Judge a
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Students at Beach Miodide Sctiool in Chelsea display theit
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Jean McKm, Carol Strahle Ryann Skrypec, Duane Moss.

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The Chelsea Education Foundation supplied grant money for the team. The Chilsea Education

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Samantha Marie Inverarity The best man was Garth of Chelsea and Gerrick Charles Baize of Grasslake, brother of Baize wed on Dec. 19, 20093t the groom.
Church in Chelsea.
The bride is the daugh ter of Doinna and Joseph Arbor and John and Judy Inverarity of Lawrence. Kan, The groom is the son of Charles "Mike" and Karen The bride wore a strapless
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## Global warming topic of professor's lecture



Dr. Henr: Pollack profes sor emeritus at the University
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Geological Sciences spoke to
about 35 people at the Chelsea District Library on Aprils.
He discussed his new book "A World Without lce," which

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Field hockey of dreams
Dexter forms new varsity program;
Chelsea could be next as sport grows

By Terry Jacoby
When the Washtenaw Whippets were cre ated six years ago, the goal was always to break up the team and create programs in girs ferd Saline players were the first to depart from the Whippets, forming their own junior varsity and varsity programs. The Hornets had 50 girls on the $J V$ and varsity This coming fall will be the first year that Dexter players go solo, and team organizers are confident that the roster could reach 35 to 40 pla ers, enough for both JV and varsity teams.
The Whippets are now down to a roster feat ing players from Chelsea and Manchester featur ing players from Chelsea and Manchester.
The goal now is to get Chelsea to form its own
varsity program," said Whippets coach Roxy
Block. "We will have seven returning plazyers Brom Chelsea. We need to get out and promote the team ard the sport through indoor clinics and other ways. The middle school recently added field hockey to the physical education program so We expect that to telp create interest." the fall and has been encouraged with the interest already created in Dexter.
-"Field hockey is one of the best ins sports out there," Flocken said. "It's a lot of fun and peopers inteuld check it out."
School can sierested in playing for Dexter High
the Dexter Area Library Even though June 2 at the Dexter Area Library Even though the sign-up is stilla few months away and the season doesn't ofticially start until August, players have already


Cheleocis. Nate Udell is one of several pitchers with the potential to step up and be the Buldiogs' ace for this season.

By Terty Jacoby
The Chelsea baseball team began its season recently In sunny Florida, and the
outlook for the test of this season appears to be bright for the Bulldogs. The annual trip to Florida is a chance to
play a little ball and bond as a play a little ball and bond as a
team It's something longtime team. It something longtime
cooch Wayne Welton has been doing for years. It was a great experience," Welton said "We " brought 21 players and nine
coaches. Kveryone had a ball coaches. Leryone had a ball.
We played some baseball, we prayed some basemals.
watched a couple of the best high schiool teams in the country play and even. watcied the Tigers play the The Bulldogs are coming of a 15.21 season in which
they invroved enough during
 the season to win a district
title before losing to Mrilan in a reytonal game : Milan in "Last year was not what we're used to," Weiton said. "But we got better every. day and our bard work was
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The Bullldogs have plenty
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 -(H) vs. Stockbridge 430 p.m., today -(H) vs Saline, May 3 $-(H)$ vs Sainn, May 3.- (H) CHS quad, May 8 - Ar Dexter May 24 and getting at bats will be a challenge this year,". Welton
said "Our roster will change almost on a daily basis as we bring sophomores up and. send them back down The key is getting them playing
Welton admits this is a good problem to have: "We have depth and com petition and that's goodi," he sald. "We are two deepa have a groiup of gays who have a group olmost any where,
con the field It's good to have

Cholces." Would like one of his talented pitchers to step
up and become the ace of the up and become the ace of the staff.
We have a lot of candibe that pitcher we need to win us a ballgame when we need it most,", he said, "We have a deep pitchimg staff so
hopefuly one or two can step hopefully one or two can ste
up and be that go to guy" up and be that go- to nily"
While the Bulldogshave youth on their side the team dnes have some experienced players to lean on this season: Senior Brett Caid is a
starter back from last years starter
team.
"Bret could be that No. 1 pitcher", Welton said "He us and has had a yeet of season He's a right handed pitcher who willallso play please see basebalur


Kelly Fournier beats MHlan qoelle Erin Jenna to give Chetsed a
Rode, Fournier lead CHS to win
By Terry Jacoby
The last few weeks have fea. tured more than a few suimmer Unfortunately for the Chelsea girls' soccer team, their schedule and these warm temperatures havent exactly been on the same page.
Fortunately for the Chelsea girl's soccer team, the Bulldogs haven't let the chill in the air bother them in the least. league-ovening soccer game
with Milan on Thursday a few
hours and moved to the football hours and moved to the football field where the turf wasit
effected by all the rain that had effected by all the rain that had
fallenover the previous few fallenover the provinus few
days. The delay didn't seem to bother the host Buldogs who sconed twice in the first half and two more times in the
second half in a dominating to second half in a dominating
victory: Chelsea goalie Michelle :. Welman had to make only two saves the entire game as the
Chelsea deferse time Chielsea defense tubined away.
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## CHELSEA at DEXTER

When: 11:30 a.m. Saturday (JV at 10 am . ) ONLINE: Story/video right after the game

## Columnist explains the thrill of the hunt


"Our defense played reall Kell. Sald Chel
The Buldorgs defense was led
by junior Rachael Eopperrider. reshman Emma Doty and sophomore Jessica Ruikka: And semior captain Sarah Bingel "Sarah was hurt and didn't play until (Thursday) and I. hought she played a strong. going to be a big part of our uccess on defense this year." Milan coach Leah McGrath. Who knew going into the game the was impred with the uuldous. Ehelsea plays at a lev Milari hopes to get to someday. We actually played them be er than we have in the past.", atter and catching we re gettin ve're not there yet. They are a Mchry good team.
McGrath said a slow start
poved costly for the Bia Red
roved costly for the Big Red
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## BASEBALL

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first base and DH. He's a good bat Ahe muddie of our lineup, Nigel Schuh.
He came on stronig for us last year and is another good bat for s." Welton said. "He will play lef Selief",",
Senior catcher Shane Tojenowski will give the Bulldog "xperience bohind the prite ". aught some key games for us las veart," somelton sey said.
The Buliftogs also have a tal nted groip of funiors including by Nate Udell.
"Nate is a three year varsity
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at the top of our rotation" Wetton ild. "He can play anywhere in the Nearexting a lot from Nate
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Welton sadd 'He will pitch and
ven catch at times for us.
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switch to second base this year.
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Rick Taylor kneets naxt to the firet deer he ever hervested:
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How can it be that a cow has less value than a deeq, bear or
other wild animal? How can it be that the public turns a blind eye at how chickens and turkeys are raised in the condition they're in? Have you urkey farms? Quite frankly, Ifeel lucky that Im eating healthier than most people Talk about organic food.
Trust me when I tell you that hunters have been eating? organic for quite a long time, long before it became trendy Im not trying to convert nyone into hunting. But, ars raised through licensing saves forests, wildifife habitat and animal populations. I brought up Bambi earlier
to make an important point
regarding true wildlife behav or I find it endearing that we. as a people. look at wildlif
with such beauty. However. with such beauty. However,
wildife is far more brutal. han the animated movies we ve seen as children. Most people look at Hippos ane of the cutest amima Christmas song that says I want a Hippopotamus for Christmas.
This sounds cute doesn't
t? The reality is Hipoos kill more people in Africa than any other anitmal on that coninent, Go ahead and read tha ine again if you have a hard ime belleving it - it's true.
Ever wonder why a mother bear is so protective of her cubs? It's because the adult male bear knows she'll go into heat again if he kills the cubs
and eats them. He also knows

Criven N trem wion
The Bulldogs defeated visiting Milan 10 in a juntor varsity game at Chelsea gameand were in their half of the fleld 90 percent of the game," Chelsea coach Kristin Hendricks sald. "We are start. ing to understand our positioning on the field and are playing m Rowland and Kristen Boknos als Merkel on detensa, Olivia Maddie Perry helped contro played well on the defensive end lo great shots on goal and kept the pressure on Milan. way they battled to pull out the win". Hendricks proud of the
didn't help, and we wien used to play
ing o a turf field,
he sadd: It also took us awhile to figure out
hat (Anna Rode and hat (Anna Rode and eally good and that w need to know where.
hey were at all times they were at all times.
They already had go
on the board before we figured that out." While the defense
was doing it's job against the Milan offense the Chelsea offense was creating plenty

Wh. ${ }^{2}$ and 1 called for a number called for a number
of offside penalties earty in the game as the Big Reds vere trapping the aggressive Chelsea forwards. And
when they were ting shots off, Mulan goalie Erin Jenna was making some nice saves.
The Bulldogs kept the pressure on and Anna Rode got the Bulldogs on the board with a goal at $28: 35$ of the first half with an assist rom Kelly Fournier: It was a Milan scoring came.
great individual effort by Rode tho came down on the lef side he goal. The Milan goalie bleto get her hands on the ball but couldn't pull it in as Rode egained control, kept her com posure and placed her shot into urner, captainis, made it 2.0at 19:48 with an assist from junior Chley Chrisman. good as it gets, especially this arly in the season. Sophomore atelynn Stehlix came down th niddle of the fleld with the ball hen two Milan defenders con. to her left to an open Fournier. The senilor made a nice move cutting between two Milan, defenders, and pushed the shot he net, just inside the post. Rode scored her second of the game at 32:08 with an assist
from Cooperrider to finish the
"Im very happy with how ae played overall." Smart said
I think we were more confl. I think we were more conff. dent and more aggressive than Milane." and dominated the ention
if he kins the male cub there will be less compettion later in life. Coyotes, lions, tigers, chee
tahs, hyenas and wolves will work toepther to kill animals of all sizes. Furthermore, they'll begin to feedon their prey before they're even dead ing on the hindquarters first furthest away from the heart. You get the idea. I could go on for hours, but I hope you get
the point that wid animals. practice survival of the fittes every single day Disease and starvation kill do -it's just the way it is in he wild.
I didn't know who Fred Bear was untill began hunt ing. Fred Bear was arguably all time." fred was an inventor, wildlife conservationist and also a hunter. He knew. that a properly placed arrow would kill a deer within mer seconds. Have you ever. cut razor sharp arrow does the same thing. Trust me, l've cu my fingers too many times there's a medical term shock.: Your heart and lungs work in'a vacuum. It's similar 0 siphoning gas.
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The hose will carry fluids. but will stop working when.
air is added to the hose Well the same can be said for the heart and lungs. An arrow tor ullet). Whl stop Ane emcient passes out and dies as a resul red Bear knew this and has always maintained, "The death I bestow upon an animal star kinder than what natur It's a powertul and accurate statement. So much so that
it gives me comfort when 1 choose to hunt. So, why do Thunt?
I hunt for many reasons.

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because it's in my DNA to because it's in my DNA to
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as we should But why do as we should. But why do the
get a free pass from society get a free pass from society, doesn't it?
My primal reason doesn't carry weight with some people, trust me. I know But
there's another part of us that's primal. Any guesses as to what that is? That's right, it's sexual reproduction Talk abou primal. Think about the
actual act and how you felt or how your partner felt. Imagine not practicing nature's, way
of reproduction, but rather using test tubes and a Petri dish. You can still make a baby same is it? My point is simple - you shouldn't be made to feel guilty for your primal feelings. Trust me. it's worked
well for our species for yearsand years.
Hunting also provides the
means for a healthy diet. Of means for a healthy diet. Of vegrse, yiles, too
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## Chelsea track teams open with easy wins

 By Terry JacobyThe Chelsea boys' and giris' track teams got off to an easy start on TTuestdyy easily defeating young Ann Arfor Skyline:-
The new Ann Areor school has only freshmen and sophomo The new Ann Atbor school has only freshmen and sophomor competing
"The boys' team won $100 \cdot 77$ while the gits' team won 12588 Erte Swager "We are far from being in shape and ready to compete at the leval we wiant, but there were some encouraging stigns." Sevaral Mreshmen stood out for the Bulldogs.
Michael Hovater and Travis Welss' perffrm
"Michael Hovater and Travis Weis's' performances in the vault are wonderful for their first varsity meet ever" Swager
sald "Shane McGrath did well in the hurdies, as did Zach Rabbitt and Berkley Edwards in their events. Chriftian Vosters had a very nice long jump as well.
"Other performances at or near lifetime bests were Chris Stewart in thie high jump, and the tough 400 by Alex Cuper His
effort shows the result of training hard during the of season Senlor Nick Hall won both the discrus ( 100 feet, 11 Inch and the shot put ( 424 4) while Prul Ulisse was second in both th discus (94-11) and shot put (41). Junior David Slusser took thind In both events
In the high fump, sentor Chris Stewart took first ( 56 ) and the lonig jump (18.8) with senior Cody Adams third.
The Bulldogs ssept the top thres spots in the pole vault with
Hovater (Irst ( 106 ), Weise second (10) and Jake Dye thint 9 ) Hovater Irst ( (006), Weilss second (10) and Jake Diver third (9). Cheisea also swept the top three spots in the 110 hurdles with Jund (19) and James Rebuldela third (20), Borders also took firs
In the 300 hurdes (43.). Logen Yordanich, Chris Ballow and Berkley. Edwards was firs and Alex Cuper won the 800 relay in 1 minute 39.6 seconds. The tearn of Spencer Cone, Dyer, Brent Aksamit and Chrts Stewart won the 1800 relay.
Cuper was firest in the 400 dash and Bryce Bradluy was first in the 3200 rum.
The boys and gtris will run April 13 against Tecumseh and

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The Chelsea girla' team defeated Skylline Izs-8, winning every spring break but our in the season and just one day atter sald. "We had a good first meet with a lot of youni kids who learned how to perform well.
Sentor Christina Contman won the lonig jump with a lifetime ously hold by Edie Harook had stood for 24 years.
"We must continue our improvement and eliminate mistakes If we are to continue to be successful," Clarke sald. Junior Lauren Dark won the pole vauth at 96 and freshman Grace Sauers ran on three winning relay teams.
Ratrina Willims won both the 110 hurdies 117 the 300 hindles ( 58 ), Cor rimpe Carpenter woll both the 100 dash (13.2) and the 200 dash (27.3); Danpelle Dahl won both the 1600 run (5i54) and the high fump (44).
The Bulldiogs stept the digcus with Marlssa Elwart taking (04-10) They also swopt the shot put with Sing first (28-4), Meako
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# Senior reaching new heights 

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Robert Garnier from France was thind.
This was a fantastic ending, week." Booth said. "My wife and Dew into Seattle to discover all. hree of my vautung poles were roken in transit. In Ramlioops, he only option was to nen' an either length or weight. With a lay's practice this worked well nough that in competition, to quote my wife 'the jumps were stayed up at the key times
The previousday; Booth's jum of 4 :eet 4 inches moved him om seventu hane prelmany gainst a dozen competitors for Russia. Canada Germany Japari Sweden and the USA. : Neary 2.00 athetes represen. his scenlic aasis community of 70,000 , tucked between tuy) moun ain ranges about 200 miles west Varicouver The athletes cym. nd field events at range of track River University during the first week of March.
Broth grew ip in Mio where. according to him. he picked oke vauting and long junnping: nough to be a top three sprinter and only a couple of us wanted owork hard enough to learn the


## pole vauts.

It turned out to be a great deci and league records and school and leapue records and placed. He went to Eastern Michigan Univesity where he was recruited for the gymnastis team. "As team captain and a regula exercise and vaulting I had a pri may commitment to that sport. o) with the seasons overlapping. untibor sealsons " Rooth said two My highlight was earring a. thiut place flisish in the PAC Conference my funior year with "126 vautt"
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body conditioning. "About six years agol was ncouraged by one of my gymcompeting in the Michlyan Senior Olympics," he said "I signed upfor the $5 K$ run. bench press, and was looking for a third
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## These shoes are made for running

By Crysial iapocik

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attainable goal was to walk three tmes a week.
Acconring to those pho give advice about goal setting, Ishould have been speciffc regarding tume at that point yet.
lam happy to report that for the month of March, Idid walk thre squeezed in 20 minutes, but some days I managed upto an hour After the first few longer waik ing sessions. I noticed some linge ing discomfort on the side of my amily at dinners "Iknow what you need mommy" ssaid my energetic rew shoes. Then you'll be able to un really fast -like me!"' Ihad my doubts that new shoes mould make this non-rumner nen : rast. And I Woula need ajet pack to
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The Chelsea varsity water polo ream defeated Portage Northem $10-4$ on April 8. This was the firs match of the season for the Bulldoggs. Donna Prieskom (top) gets reacty to toes in one of her the J beam won 13 Fb .

## From the blog

It's been a crazy month of April so
far and we are only nine days in Just hast Friday was playing poif with my son wearing shorts and da
golf shirt and wiping sweat off my forehead after one of my ripping if: yeardy On Thursday I was standing on the track ar Che sea High schroo wearing mynemberrig fust how painfula a tame sococr ball can feel on frexing leg didn'thearone complaint trom any or the Chelsea or Milan soccor players
about how oodd ti was - they fast plyyed haurt and didt't tee tis bother them Now as a former socore player! promise M Yont make fine of the base cancelled because it was too cold and countless times growitry un socorer. players are just tougher than basebball players The socoicr players proved it I was looking forwart to watching the baseball tiam play in a double. header and then head over and watch hescocer game in was going to be the
perfect afternoon But Mother Nature Interfered. Well, it's spring after all The gris moved the game to the evening and turned the lights on a
the football fietal The Bullioys pro vided plenty of electricity witha very well plaped 40 win still it was fieez Its been quife a week in the. sports wornd The Yankeesi Red Sox marathon on Sunday night to start
the baseball season, Duke holdng of Butter with that dramatic ending tn indianapolit and Tliger proving hh's
still Typer with a gol club in his hand But Fred Couples and Tom Watson. atrop the leadertboart? You cant's script It any better:
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started getting ready for the "We started a conditioning program that meets twice a week and we are getting 5 to 20 girls per session, so hat's very encouraging," staid ently plays goalie at Central Michigan University "There also has been strong interest the middie school level. ry encouraged with the esponse:"
That coaching staff Which includes three former University of Michigan play: eacting.
"Our job will be to prepare he girls for the games and it we teach them out onto the field," Flocken said "We will have 12 girls with experience playing with the Whippets. rand new the sport." Following last season. Dexter formed a club sport oard and in January voted frm a Dexter program. ning since then," Flocken said. "By the response we ve already gotten, we are expec ing a varsity and junior varsity program in our first
There are now 23 teams in he Michigan High School Field Hockey Association. High school games are played
with 11 players on each side "We owe a lot to the " Whippets for helping cr ate-an interest in Dexter. Flockers said.
The Whippets will also have their registration meeting at
6 p.m. on June 2 at the WSEC cafeteria. The Whippets is open to stuidents from both helsea High School an

## Starting early

Both Dexter Community ducation and the Chelsea Recreation Departiment will ost fold hockey leagues this month for students in grades 3 haws 8 . There will be th rades five-six: and grade evenelght Each team will practice once a week and play six games against teams rom Chelsea.
"We had four teams in the all in two age groups so we re hoping to build on that, said Jempte Greeley, a recreA lot of these players had never been in a team sport so was a new experience for many of them. Keely Tamer, who played taught at the collegiate level will help run the program. Players from Dexter can sigh upat www.onlinedexter: Saturday The cost is $\$ 60$. The Chelsea Rec teams will be divided into two categories grades threefive and grades six.eight.
begins Saturday and will run through May 22.
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