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DDA delays Longworth demolition

Members seek viable plan for historic building

By Lisa Allmendinger
Special Writer

Any changes to the Longworth complex have been put on hold until the spring while Chelsea's Downtown Development Authority, which owns the building, develops a

plan for the facility. Mike Jackson, president of the DDA, told the Chelsea City Council at its meeting on Sept. 28 that the DDA board has decided to wait until March or April to do anything with the building until there is a "financially responsible plan in place." The building has been empty for a long time said Mark Heydlauff, another DDA member, who added that the DDA has to look at not just the building but also the site. Private funding is needed to develop it,

he said. Several residents spoke about the importance of preserving historic buildings in the city including Michelle McClellan, president of Preservation Chelsea - Chelsea Connection Team, a group of activists who want to see the building rehabilitated rather than demolished. "The buildings of the Longworth complex have historic significance," she said, urging the DDA to work with the group to find a "win-win situation."

Jane Creswell said she'd seen Chelsea go through many changes since she's lived there and that the city would lose more than just a building if it were demolished. "We've become a casual downtown. Tourism is big, but historic tourism is even bigger," she said. She said that the Longworth building is more than just a building, it's "a spectacular asset to the community." Jackson said the DDA spent months speaking with the pres-

ervation group, and will continue getting input from interested residents as it develops a plan for the property. "Since the DDA has decided to prolong demolishing what's on the site, this is a wonderful opportunity to partner with the heritage groups," council member Cheri Albertson said. "Clearly, there is a strong community desire to be heard." Albertson said she's been attending DDA meetings for a

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Council puts moratorium on marijuana facilities

Chelsea latest city to grapple with state law

By Lisa Allmendinger
Special Writer

Although there are no applications or established medical marijuana dispensaries in Chelsea, the city council placed a 60-day moratorium on these establishments at its regular meeting on Sept. 28.

The moratorium was established while the Chelsea Planning Commission deliberates and sends a recommendation to the city council on a proposed zoning amendment that would prohibit dispensaries within the city limits.

"The intended purpose of this proposed amendment was to prohibit the establishment of medical marijuana dispensary clinics within the city as the sale and distribution of marijuana violates federal law," the agenda item summary states.

Currently, there are six commercial districts and one office district in the city in which under current zoning regulations these clinics would be allowed, the summary states. Jim Drolett, the city's planning and zoning administrator, said he's had a few calls inquiring about dispensaries, but the city has not had any formal applications.

He told the city council that it was "important" that both the planning commission and the city council move quickly to either prevent or regulate the location of the clinics within

the city. Chelsea, like other communities in the county and across the state, is wrestling with the issue of medical marijuana dispensaries approved by Michigan voters in 2008. Drolett wrote in his summary that "many of the communities that have allowed dispensaries are now experiencing the negative side effects." In addition, he wrote, "Unfortunately, because they granted permission through zoning, any attempts to now eliminate them is fruitless as once the clinic is established it becomes 'grandfathered in.'" On Sept. 21, the planning commission held a public hearing on the proposed text after which commissioners held a long discussion, said Cheri Albertson, the council liaison to the planning commission. The change, which would prohibit the establishment of the dispensaries within the city, was tabled until October. "The planning commission is having a difficult time getting their head around this," Albertson said, adding that the clinics are not true clinics because there is no medical supervision. Staff recommended that the city council place a moratorium on the establishment of any clinics in which caregivers are allowed to dispense marijuana for medical purposes. The planning commission is expected to send a recommendation to the city before the moratorium expires. Lisa Allmendinger can be reached at lallmendinger@sbcglobal.net or at 1-734-433-1052.

"Many of the communities that have allowed dispensaries are now experiencing negative side effects."



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Royal honor

Chelsea High School senior Jacki Dotts is crowned 2010 homecoming queen by outgoing queen Brittany Schmelz during the football game on Oct. 1.

St. Louis Center turns 50

By Joseph Yekulis
Guest Writer

Supporters of St. Louis Center in Chelsea experienced a wonderful day of thanksgiving on Sept. 19 as three events made up the celebration of 50 years of service and education.

The day began with a groundbreaking ceremony at St. Louis Center, followed by a celebration mass at St. Mary Parish, and concluded with an exquisite dinner at the beautifully decorated St. Mary Parish Hall. More than 300 people were in attendance at the event.

Members of the Servants of Charity congregation came from as far away as Rome, Italy; Chennai, India; Legazpi, Philippines; and Mexico City, Mexico; to join with their local brothers in celebration of this event. Of special note was the presence of the Father General of the Servants of Charity, Most Rev. Alphonse Crippa from Rome, who presided over the celebration mass with his Excellency Bishop Emeritus Carl F. Mengeling of Lansing.



Photo by Kelly Fisher. Board member Tim Patton of Ann Arbor, Administrator Fr. Enzo Addari, and Knights of Columbus Supreme Director Thomas Wegener participate in the groundbreaking of a new area.

Eight members of their sister congregation, the Daughters of St. Mary of Providence, were also in attendance from Chicago, Ill. A morning groundbreaking ceremony was held to bless and dedicate the construction of a new administrative/therapy

wing that will be built at the front entrance of the original building. This building will provide additional office space to replace interior offices that were meant to be used for storage space and will also provide

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Mayor to address State of the City

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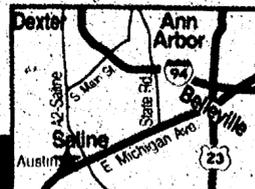
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What readers think

On Sept. 9, staff at Heritage Newspapers conducted a live Internet chat about medical marijuana and how these issues are affecting local communities. There were more than 30 people from the area who participated in the chat. Below are some of the comments. Please note that while some participants used their whole name to identify them-

selves, most relied on an alias.

■ Comment from Building Place:

"One of the issues for rural communities is the potential interaction between the medical marijuana law and the Right to Farm Act. I've already had a circumstance where one potential grower has been 'kicking the tires' to see if he could legally 'farm' marijuana in an agricultural zoning district."

■ Comment from Joe Semifero: "Another question for legislators -- how is the state going to monitor this? It was authorized at the state level and municipalities seem to have no control, so who will monitor like a Liquor Control Board?"

■ Comment from Building Place:

"One of the significant land use nuisance issues coming up is that caregivers can call themselves a 'home occupation' and possibly grow marijuana plants legally in their own home under many local zoning laws. This creates huge potential for problems in neighborhoods."

■ Comment from Joe Semifero:

"What matters is the potential for abuse, as is demonstrated by the Oakland County raids. In those cases, selling is alleged to have been done to undercover cops and people without cards. I have talked to my son and he personally knows people with a card and with no legitimate reason to have it. The abuse is the issue."

■ Comment from Sean Dalton:

"The disposal point is a very good one. I'm amazed that there isn't a part of the law that stipulates strict disposal of growing operation byproducts and waste in heavily sealed bio hazard bags like doctors offices use for all of their throwaway bandages, needles and other soiled materials. I wouldn't want that packed into Hefty bags and left on sidewalks in my neighborhood."

■ Comment from Jeff:

"In addition to marijuana, the dispensary also sells topical ointment and time release pills that are not available elsewhere. Very hard for the average patient to make."

■ Comment from Joe Semifero:

"I'm OK with having some way to dispense this. I think communities should determine where it is acceptable for each community. (The problem is NIMBY) And I think the law needs to be radically redone to eliminate the potential for abuse and to put in place a monitoring and penalty provisions."

■ Comment from Breanna:

"I guess my biggest concern is with the moratoriums themselves. I get concerned when I hear that townships are doing that, because it seems like it would be easy to do that for moral reasons as opposed to legal ones. What is to stop a township board from having a moratorium simply because they don't want marijuana around? It isn't really their call anymore to say whether it should or shouldn't be around, is it? That was what the law decided. Now it should be a matter of how, not if."

■ Comment from PC chair:

"I read this act to mean that a dispensary is not permitted. Activity (growing and distributing) must take place in a private setting. Caregivers can deliver the medication or it can be picked up by the patient."

■ Comment from jheri:

"Medical professionals must join in with local government to advise on what would be an appropriate form to follow for safe compliances... this seems to be the fine line every one is so worried about."

■ Comment from PC chair:

"These are all issues that local govts are dealing with. That is why they call moratoriums. To give them time to sort it out as best they can and decide what is best for their community. We are charged with protecting the health, safety and welfare of all residents."

■ Comment from peilopelo:

"I'm a caregiver and at the moment legal for 48 plants. The problem is and where the gray area comes in, is what do the caregivers do with their over-ages, the extra that grows. This is an economy they want to tax and profit from. Well, then, so do us caregivers."



James Lowell (left) and Darrell Semino of Ypsilanti's 3rd Coast Compassion Center are making efforts to educate people about the Michigan Medical Marijuana Act.

Got pot?

Cities struggle with new law

By Austen Smith
Heritage Newspapers

When Michigan residents in 2008 voted in a measure approving the use of medical marijuana for qualified patients, the state suddenly found itself on the front lines of a national legal and ideological battleground.

Residents, elected officials, planners and attorneys for many local municipalities are embroiled in debate and confusion over the Michigan Medical Marijuana Act, which was approved by more than 63 percent of the state's population.

It is an emotional struggle, pitting those who are trying to understand and reasonably enforce the law against those who see it as a basic healthcare and human-rights issue.

And for the time being, there seems to be little, if any, light at the end of the tunnel.



Politics aside, it is local government and residents caught in the trenches of this struggle as the legal nuances of the medical marijuana law will invariably shake out in the courtroom.

In the city of Ypsilanti, the first medi-

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cal marijuana dispensary in the entire state opened in January, thrusting into the hands of local officials the complicated issues of proper zoning and permitting, the statute's relationship with federal law and the Public Health Code, as well as the touchy subject of whether people want a dispensary in their neighborhood or Main Street area.

So far, the arrangement has been a success, said Jamie Lowell of the 3rd Coast Compassion Center, a nonprofit that offers medical marijuana to some 2,000 licensed patients, in addition to caregiver consulting, educational classes and advocacy.

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How does it all work?

By Austen Smith
Heritage Newspapers

To use medical marijuana in Michigan, a qualifying patient must start at the state level by submitting an application form that is available online along with a check for \$100.

Once that application is sent into the Michigan Medical Marijuana Program, a division of the Department of Community Health, a review of that application will take place over the next 15 days and then an acceptance or denial letter will be issued to the applicant.

Sounds simple enough, right?

But due to an overwhelming number of applicants that has led to a three-month backlog, the limited staff at the MMMP have allowed potential medical marijuana patients to use a copy of their completed application, along with a canceled check to the state, to serve as a temporary registration card while the application is pend-

ing.

Department of Community Health spokesman James McCurtis said the provision is acceptable according to the act and is necessary as staff members work through the lengthy backlog.

"If you don't receive a denial letter, you can use your application and the canceled check showing that you have submitted the necessary paperwork and that your application is pending," McCurtis said. "If you are using medical marijuana without either a registration card or those other things, then you would be breaking the law. It's not enough to have a doctor's recommendation and show that to a primary caregiver."

Here are some other frequently asked questions when it comes to the Michigan Medical Marijuana Act:

How and where do I get medicine?

The MMMA provides a structure for medical marijuana patients to establish a relationship with a designated caregiver, somebody who grows marijuana plants using raw materials purchased on their own.

The designated caregiver can grow up to 12 plants for each qualifying patient up to a five-patient limit. Patients are allowed to have up to 2.5 ounces of marijuana on them.

McCurtis said if a registered patient was caught with more than 2.5 ounces, then he or she would be breaking the law and wouldn't be able to rely on the MMMA as an affirmative defense.

In an interesting wrinkle, the caregiver doesn't necessarily need to be registered with the state as a patient; not all caregivers are patients and vice-versa. There is a separate process by which a state resident can apply to be a caregiver

only, but it's unlawful for that designated caregiver to use the marijuana grown for his or her patients.

Some people have wondered if there could be instances in which caregivers who are not patients are using their own product for recreational purposes.

"Then that person would be breaking the law," McCurtis said.

In addition, a caregiver must be 21 or older and have never been convicted of a felony drug offense, according to the statute.

How much does it cost?

Caregivers are allowed to receive "reasonable compensation" for medicine, a provision that may be open to interpretation, but McCurtis said caregivers are allowed to accept only enough compensation

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"We've been totally transparent with the city from the beginning. We've tried to work with them, we've had them up here and we've showed up at the various meetings," said Lowell. "The city has done a good job of gathering people together to research everything that they can. They have gotten information from several sources."

The building, located at 19 N. Hamilton St., is a historic structure in the city nestled comfortably in a residential neighborhood mostly occupied by Eastern Michigan University students. At one point, it was home to a funeral parlor and then served as headquarters for local Girl Scouts. Area resident and EMU teacher Darrell Stavros has owned the building since 1994, and he, too, now helps manage the center.

Despite signs that read, "Medicine and cash not kept overnight," and some educational materials posted on the outer doors, one would probably never realize while casually walked by that the historic structure has opened the doors for dispensaries across the state.

Of course, the first question most people ask when they do realize that the one-time funeral home is now a medical marijuana dispensary is: How does it work?

The 3rd Coast Compassion Center is, essentially, a private club for state-certified patients who can buy and use medical marijuana on site, and for caregivers who develop relationships with the collective and provide medicine. How the process works is that caregivers who grow more than what they need can bring that in and get it into the hands of patients who are currently without medicine.

Lowell describes it as a "dispensing collective" that is not meant to substitute the patient-caregiver relationship as prescribed in the law, but rather as a means to ensure patients have an uninterrupted flow of medical marijuana.

"We're not designed in taking over that caregiver relationship, and we make those relationships here, as well, sometimes," Lowell said. "Everything here is pretty small and controlled. There's no volumes of things going on here. And it is all well within all the parameters of the act."

As far as paying the bills, Lowell said they accept donations from the private club of people from 3rd Coast to offset costs of the building and pay salaries.

Security at 3rd Coast is tight, with cameras outside and a security guard checking identification at the door. Addressing universal concerns about dispensaries generating more crime because of the nature of the business, Lowell said that by occupying what was a vacant building, developing security and more foot traffic in the area, they have had a reduction in crime.

"This building hadn't been used for two years. We've created jobs. We've fixed up the house and outside," Lowell said. "To have a building that's functional with cameras and security guards, people going in and out, it reduces the crime. An empty house creates much more potential for crime."

At the same time, however, Lowell said he does understand area officials having reservations about the dispensary issue because it is such a foreign

concept.

"It is definitely a 180-degree turn for some of these people and that's part of the problem for these municipalities. It's just a totally different way of thinking," he said. "In their defense, they're not bad people nor really against use, but this is totally foreign thinking to them. This thing that they have been told for years is evil, now is suddenly being presented as good medicine and legal."

"The reality is, though, we are trying to figure things out just like everybody else. Some of the law enforcement and prosecutors, they have honest intentions and they are trying to figure things out, too. But there are people who are distinctly opposed, and that's it and it doesn't matter what the truth is."

Zoning changes and regulations being addressed by the Ypsilanti Planning Commission will have no effect on the 3rd Coast Compassion Center as it's grandfathered in, said Mayor Paul Schreiber.

Once planning commission members develop a list of recommendations, City Council will address the dispensary issue in earnest, but until then it essentially is a non-issue unless they are provided further guidelines from the state.

"What is going on is that we don't really have a lot of direction from the state," said Schreiber. "The planning commission is in charge of determining the proper areas to have dispensaries."

Schreiber admits that it is a fluid situation, thus prompting the city to OK a moratorium on medical marijuana-related businesses, namely dispensaries, until the issues can be sorted out at the planning level.

"The only reason we have (put in a moratorium) is because we don't want to have any radical changes while the issue is being discussed by planning commission," he said.

In Ann Arbor, officials are going through a similar situation, having approved a four-month moratorium on dispensaries in August and delaying a vote at planning commission Sept. 22 on a proposed medical marijuana ordinance that was characterized as too restrictive.

The moratorium ends Dec. 3, and for longtime advocates like resident Chuck Ream, who opened his own dispensary business several months ago on Packard Road, all eyes are focused on the proposed zoning and ordinance changes that could inhibit dispensaries and how they conduct business.

Ream was advised not to comment for this story based on advice from his attorney and the Med Mar Compassionate Healthcare of Ann Arbor Board of Directors. He said right now they need to focus on getting medicine into the hands of their patients.

The Ann Arbor area is home to, what is believed to be, approximately eight to nine dispensaries serving thousands of patients. City officials have said in previous meetings they are sympathetic to patients' needs and rights under the statute and hope to have an ordinance approved soon.

The temporary ban prohibits the start-up or expansion of any facilities on city property.

This does not apply to:
 ■ A dwelling where a qualifying patient resides and is cultivating up to the maximum number of permitted marijuana plants for personal use or possesses up to the maximum amount of marijuana permit-

Law vague on testing

By Sarah Rigg
Special Writer

Recent Michigan medical marijuana legislation has brought up many questions about implementation in a variety of areas, from zoning laws to patient confidentiality, but one issue that might prove to be especially sticky is how employers and employees will respond to the legislation.

The Michigan Department of Community Health has a "Frequently Asked Question" page (<http://tinyurl.com/bqfe2o>) dealing with medical marijuana, and it contains some information about medical marijuana at work.

Question: Can I use medical marijuana at work?

Answer: This is up to the employer. Even if you are a registered patient, your employer may still prohibit medical marijuana use in the workplace.

Question: What should I tell my employer if I am subjected to a drug test?

Answer: The MMMA states that employers are not required to accommodate employees who use medical marijuana. You may wish to consult an attorney about whether to tell your employer that you are a patient in the MMMP. A patient may contact the MMMP in writing to ask the program to release information about the patient's registration to an employer.

Still, Anthony Freed, executive director of Ypsilanti-based Michigan Marijuana Chamber of Commerce, says that the law is "ambigu-

ous," and says the ambiguity is especially bad in regard to employment issues.

"There's no real way to sort it out," Freed said. "If you read the whole body of the law, it says employers do not need to accommodate (ingestion of marijuana)."

That portion of the medical marijuana act says: "Nothing in this act shall be construed to require... an employer to accommodate the ingestion of marijuana in any workplace or any employee working while under the influence of marijuana."

Freed points out, however, that another section says "you cannot be denied rights or have prejudice harbored against you. If firing someone with a (medical marijuana registration) card is not prejudiced, I don't know what would be."

That text, from the act's introduction, reads: "A qualifying patient who has been issued and possesses a registry identification card shall not be subject to arrest, prosecution or penalty in any manner, or denied any right or privilege, including but not limited to civil penalty or disciplinary action by a business or occupational or professional licensing board or bureau, for the medical use of marijuana in accordance with this act..."

It seems likely that employers and employees will be grappling with the implication of the act for years to come.

To read the entire text of the act, visit <http://tinyurl.com/2eyauz6>.

To read the state's FAQ list on medical marijuana, visit <http://tinyurl.com/bqfe2o>.

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tion to cover the cost of the raw materials and the production. He added that it's unlawful for caregivers to make a profit from distributing medical marijuana.

McCurtis said it's possible that some caregivers could be charging more, but that person would be in violation of the act. As for communal treatment facilities, such as dispensaries, they are generally set up as non-profit organizations and receive private donations to pay for things such as utility costs and property taxes.

The act itself is "silent" on the issue of dispensaries, McCurtis said.

The MMMP enforces the registration process, ensuring applicants are complete before issuing a registry identification card, terminating incomplete or fraudulent applications, and revoking cards if individuals commit violations of the act.

For more info on the Michigan Medical Marijuana Act and Michigan Medical Marijuana Program, visit the website, www.michigan.gov/mdch.

AT A GLANCE

GUIDELINES

- A patient must have a qualifying debilitating medical condition as listed on the Attending Physician's Statement.
- The MMMP cannot supply someone with seeds or starter plants, or give advice on how to grow medical marijuana.
- Your physician must be a medical doctor or doctor of osteopathic medicine licensed to practice in Michigan. A patient must have an established patient/physician relationship with his or her "attending physician." Other licensed health professionals such as chiropractors, physician assistants and nurse practitioners cannot sign the documentation.
- The MMMP cannot refer someone to a physician. The MMMP doesn't have a physician referral list.
- A patient, or designated primary caregiver, may grow marijuana. There is no place in the state of Michigan to legally purchase medical marijuana.
- The MMMP cannot find

From the Michigan Department of Community Health, Michigan Medical Marijuana Program.

- A total of 54,765 original and renewal applications received since April 6, 2009.
- A total of 27,755 patient registrations issued.
- A total of 6,832 applications denied — most due to incomplete application or missing documentation. Currently, staff is issuing registry identification cards for valid applications received at the end of May.
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parlors and massage parlors.

Can the city of Belleville do that according to the statute? "There is nothing in there that says we can't, and there is nothing in there that says we can," Day said.

Like the city of Belleville and other areas, Day said he believes most municipalities are doing their best to be proactive on the dispensary issue, but he is quick to point out that because of the vagueness of the law, he hopes that the state Legislature will step in at some point and create more defined regulations.

"(The state) could make it so that you could have a dispensary, and they could clean up this idea about the growing," Day said. "They could set up a more regulated distribution center, maybe something like what they have done with alcohol. And there are other ways of regulating, but

most communities aren't real sure of which way to go."

Day said despite the more stringent approach the city has taken regarding the dispensary issue, it has received backlash from residents afraid that officials are legalizing marijuana in their neighborhoods.

He hopes that public hearings regarding the zoning amendments, to be set in the near future, will clear up some of the misunderstanding.

"We've had a lot of people come out and say by passing these regulations that we're legalizing marijuana. We're not. It's still illegal," Day said. "But we have this law that provides for this structure and if we don't address some of these things, then what is to stop somebody from putting a distribution center next to City Hall

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This week's question

How do you celebrate Halloween?

- A. Go trick or treating
- B. Hand out candy
- C. Attend a Halloween party
- D. Shut off the lights and ignore it

GUEST COLUMN: Terri Blackmore

Michigan has the chance to lead in high-speed rail

The United States planned and built a national interstate highway system that transformed the nation's social and economic structure. It took nearly 50 years to accomplish this task. Despite massive federal investments since that time, today segments of the highway system handle volumes of traffic that exceed capacity and are near the end of their useful life.

Our current transportation network suffers from increasing congestion, bottlenecks and poor structural conditions. Roads over capacity, bridges with restricted load capacity, backed up airport runways and missing non-motorized infrastructure.

Clamoring for relief, the public is backing a push for high-speed and commuter rail as an alternative mode of transportation. Improved regional, intercity, and interstate passenger rail service could provide an important boost to Michigan's tattered economy by making the state a more attractive place to invest, live and do business. This effort is also able to reinvigorate the state's manufacturing base to supply equipment for high-speed rail. The planned Midwest rail system improvements would provide businesspeople in Detroit, college students in Ann Arbor and Lansing, and residents in Kalamazoo and Battle Creek a direct and convenient connection with Chicago and each other.

According to the Michigan Department of Transportation, Michigan needs approximately \$400 million in capital improvements to upgrade our rail infrastructure from the Detroit-Pontiac area to Kalamazoo. Further, this request is

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smaller than other states' because the infrastructure exists. MDOT estimates they could complete the upgrades in fewer than 24 months.

Policy and transportation planners across the globe have ranked the Detroit-to-Chicago rail corridor as the most viable route outside of the East and West Coast. Michigan alone is in the position of doing high-speed rail faster more cost-effectively than any other region. This first-in-nation status would attract business investment and tourism.

This possibility has allowed the world of politics to be set aside. For the first time in recent memory, Republicans, Democrats, Realtors, unions and the chambers of commerce all understand the economic benefit of this opportunity. Workers see thousands of good paying green jobs, businesses tout the potential for vast economic growth. Realtors predict stabilized neighborhoods and increasing home values, and the public benefits from a faster, easier way to travel.

Politicians as diverse as Sen. Debbie Stabenow and Congressman Mike Rogers R-8th District, have championed the huge potential economic benefits of high-speed rail in Michigan. If the Michigan

Legislature agrees to fund the 20 percent match necessary to complete this project, in 2012, Detroit to Chicago will be the first corridor in the nation to brag that we have achieved high-speed rail status from city to city.

The state needs to provide adequate funding for its entire infrastructure before it becomes too expensive to fix. Michigan must invest in maintaining its roads and bridges and invest in transit service and non-motorized infrastructure improvements. Transportation is the backbone of the economy, quality of life and the link to an improved future for Michigan.

Michigan has ranked near the bottom of nearly every economic indicator for too long. High-speed rail is a game changer for us — an opportunity to lead. If you are interested in new manufacturing jobs in Michigan, a more diverse economy, 21st century travel modes, I recommend you urge your local and congressional leaders to support the Michigan Department of Transportation to improve and expand passenger rail service across our state.

Terri Blackmore, executive director of Washtenaw Area Transportation Study in Scio Township, can be reached at 994-3127 or blackmoret@miwats.org.

GUEST COLUMN: Mark Quimet

Giving back to first responders is important

I met a man in Dexter the other day who told me he had enlisted in the service toward the end of World War II and was assigned to work on the Nuremberg Trials that prosecuted Nazi-war criminals.

As we talked, I realized that this unassuming veteran had played a role in a specific and important part of world history. He understood the breadth of it. But when I expressed my admiration, he was almost nonchalant.

"I was just doing my job," he said. "Like anyone else." He recognized the importance of his work, but didn't have his ego tied up in the belief that he was so important.

Recognizing a larger calling — and the fact that you happen to be part of it at that moment in time — is a great blessing in life.

Time after time, I am impressed by the valiant efforts of those who serve their countries, and by how humble they are about that service and their patriotism.

Veterans are folks who feel an obligation fulfilled by serving their country, and we owe them a great deal for their service in protecting us.

The same is true of first responders — police, fire, and emergency medical personnel. Their work is not just a job. They have a passion to serve. These highly profes-

sional men and women do a wonderful job protecting our communities as they rush out to help people who find themselves in precarious situations. Some of us owe them our very lives. How can that debt ever be repaid?

That's why several years ago, as co-chairman of the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners, I began sponsoring luncheons, coffee and ice cream specifically for first responders and veterans.

I started these get-togethers as a way to thank our veterans and first responders for their priceless contributions, and to answer a nagging question I've had for quite a while: What can I do

for them, when they've given so much?

Just as I enjoy regular visits to American Legion posts, these gatherings give me the chance to talk to some of the finest people in our community. That opportunity means I get more out of it than they do.

I recently finished by last first-responders gathering and want to thank everyone who attended the event. I was happy to pick up the tab, and look forward to seeing everyone next time around.

Washtenaw County Commissioner Mark Quimet, R-1st District, can be reached at 1-734-585-6957 or mark@markouimet.com.

OUR TAKE: Editorial

Muslim community should be transparent

Amid the ongoing debate over the construction of a mosque/Islamic center near ground zero in New York, U.S. Muslim groups have said Americans of all faiths have the right to build houses of worship where they please.

The statement was made recently as part of a New York summit to discuss the proposed Islamic community center. It called for tolerance and decried "ethnic bigotry."

We certainly agree with the statement about all faiths having a right to build where they please. And the call for tolerance and rejection of bigotry is equally supported.

But we have to take issue with what appears to be a generalized view — expressed by both Islamic and non-Islamic individuals and organizations — that implies, if not outright labels any opposition to the center whatsoever as racist.

Not everyone or every group is racist if they oppose the proposed community center. Admittedly, there are those who are bigots and are using the controversy to promote prejudice and hate.

But not everyone. So it's disturbing to see such simplified conclusions in this now heated and complicated debate. We are particularly concerned with many of the Muslim moderates who seem to reach this conclusion. They must remember that the freedom of speech and the freedom of religion that they are espousing goes both ways.

Differences of opinion do not automatically mean one person is a racist, or in this case, Islamophobic. We wish the Muslim community would remember this when they are so adamantly defend their right to build the mosque where they wish.

It has never been denied that they have this right. We've only suggested that it would show some sensitivity and be a token of goodwill from the Muslim community to its non-Islamic neighbors if they chose another location.

Actions always speak louder than words and while the terrorist attacks have been denounced, moderate Muslims have not done much else to show they abhor the killing. Here is a chance for them to take an action that would support their non-violent rhetoric.

We like the stated purpose of the proposed center — to promote understanding and goodwill with non-Muslim. They could do this with the center located elsewhere.

In the meantime, we urge those of the Islamic faith to continue the efforts to educate non-Muslims about their religion.

The groups in New York have called for a "National Week of Dialogue," with a focus on the weekend of Oct. 22 through Oct. 24. It said Muslims will hold open houses at their places of worship to promote understanding.

The summit included the Islamic Society of North America; the Islamic Circle of North America; the Muslim Alliance of North America; and the Council on American-Islamic Relations.

We've editorialized many times that only through understanding can we fight and defeat the ugly forces of bigotry and racism.

The more transparent and open the Muslim community can be — without violating its basic ideals, standards or religious restrictions — the more accepting their non-Muslim neighbors will be of their faith and of their culture.

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Your Voice: Letters to the Editor

Walberg is our hope for real representation

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Unlike Schauer, who will say one thing and do another, opponent Tim Walberg isn't afraid to give a straight-up answer on his position on tough issues and stick to it.

Tim Walberg is a man of integrity who we can trust to work for our district's best interests.

I hope he gets elected so that our district, our state, and our nation has hope for real representation.

David McKee
Riga

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"IN MY DAY THE PHONES DIDN'T HAVE APPS..."

CCA to host autumn jubilee

On Oct. 23, the Chelsea Center for the Arts will host its annual autumn jubilee fall fundraiser titled "Shades of Blue." Highlights of the evening include live music and dancing, a live auction, silent auction, student showcase, and raffle.

Money raised will support music and art education, community arts programming, scholarships, and numerous free activities and family days.

"Shades of Blue" will be held at Union Hall, 7920 Jackson Road in Ann Arbor from 6:30 p.m. to midnight. Tickets are \$100 per person, and \$120 after Oct. 13. Tables of eight are \$720. Tickets can be purchased at the CCA.

This year's theme welcomes the rhythms and melodies of the deep southern blues with live music by the John Lawrence Band. This

lively party attracts approximately 200 guests from the Chelsea area each year, and guests are encouraged to wear their favorite dressy blues outfits.

Auction items include private music lessons, original art work, getaways and tours, event tickets, jewelry, and many other items and services. The Student Showcase features performances by Chelsea High School junior Lottie Prenevost, and Kaci Friss, Western Michigan University freshman and CCA alumnus.

In addition to CCA's music and arts programming, a portion of the proceeds will also support CCA's scholarship and tuition assistance program. Beginning this year, the scholarship and tuition assistance program will help underwrite select visual art classes in addition

to providing private music scholarships in an effort to defray the cost of classes and private lessons.

"The arts play an essential role in the vitality of our community and our quality of life," said event chairwoman Melissa Johnson. "Programs offered by the CCA help unleash creativity and build social bonds. They are an important part of what makes the Chelsea area special, and I'm excited to be able to help promote this cause."

The CCA is dedicated to developing, fostering, and promoting music and visual art in Chelsea and the surrounding communities. CCA is the only professionally staffed arts center in Washtenaw County outside of Ann Arbor, and manages and maintains space for an art gallery, teaching studios,

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River Gallery exhibit opens

Local artists Jill Ault and Sue Holdaway will be featured in a new textile exhibit at the River Gallery in Chelsea through Oct. 30. The exhibit, titled "On the presence of water," will feature several original pieces of art.

"My childhood was spent on the shores of Lake Huron, walking the beach and swimming. Transparency in it's many forms - air, glass, and especially water - is seductive," Ault said. "I'm interested in pattern - as a repetition of a motif. Think of waves and pine boughs. I work with pattern produced by the hand, not by mechanical means."

"I love how a motif is repeated identically at first glance, but on examination is a little bit different with each repetition. This new body of work expresses my history, my love of pattern and the reverence I have for water."

Holdaway-Heys said water has always been a part of her life, and she relates to landscapes with water on a personal level.

"Moving water is both tentative, malleable, and may twist and shift. Color and light inspire me to create moods and emotions in my work and, hopefully, will stir the moods and emotions of the viewer as well," she said. "With this body of work, I hope you will not only see, but feel, the changing qualities of moving water just as I have throughout my life."

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October 11	SPARK Central	3pm - 5pm
October 13	Ypsilanti Library - Whittaker Rd	6pm - 8pm
October 14	Washington St. Ed. Center - Chelsea	11am - 1pm
October 14	Pittsfield Township	6pm - 8pm
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October 18	Manchester Village Offices	11am - 1pm
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October 20	Dexter	6:30pm - 8:30pm
October 25	Saline City Hall	6pm - 8pm
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October 26	A2 Dist. Library - Malletts Creek	6pm - 8pm
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 A COUNTYWIDE TRANSIT PLAN

Dr. Rob Steele (left), the Republican candidate for the 15th Congressional District that covers eastern Washtenaw County, talks about the issues with a Saline resident last week during the Impact 2010 policy conference in Ann Arbor.



Local leaders attend Impact

By Art Aisner
Special Writer

More than 200 area leaders in business, government and education got a glimpse of the issues and people that will dominate the Nov. 2 general election at the Impact 2010 conference Friday in Ann Arbor.

"This year's election is a watershed election, possibly the most consequential of this decade," said Phil Power, founder and president of the Center for Michigan. The nonprofit organization partnered with the Ann Arbor/Ypsilanti Regional Chamber of Commerce to host the annual public-policy forum at the Kensington Court hotel in Ann Arbor.

During his keynote speech, Power outlined how voters will elect an entire new leadership team, from governor to the secretary of state. Half of the House of Representatives and 29 of 38 state senator positions also will be filled by newcomers this year. The impact is enormous and could define the state for the next half century, Power argued, as those elected officials will be tasked with redrawing congressional districts following the 2010 U.S. Census. They also could have a hand in rewriting the Michigan Constitution and tax policy.

"The people who come into office are going to be largely inexperienced. That may be good; that may be bad," he warned.

To help leaders from all professional disciplines learn about the issues that voters will decide at the polls, the organizers assembled panelists from across the political spectrum and even provided visits from high-profile candidates at the top of each major party's ticket.

The Constitutional Convention

Michigan law dictates that every 16 years, voters get the opportunity to vote on whether to redraft the state Constitution. For the first time in more than 30 years, there is serious momentum toward reopening the document.

If passed, the measure, known as Proposal 1, would mean another election within six months to elect 148 delegates from State House and State Senate districts to form a Constitutional Convention. That group would convene over several years and redraft the entire Constitution. More than half of the electorate would have to approve the new document for changes to take place.

Experts predict the process could take up to three years and cost \$45 million.

That's too costly in terms of dollars and time when the state's dreary economic climate needs critical attention, argued panelist Diane Byrum, the for-

mer Democratic leader in the state House.

"This would hit the 'pause' button the Michigan economy," said Byrum, now a political consultant and Michigan State University trustee. She has represented Ingham County in several capacities for 25 years.

"Michigan can't afford this and there is no fatal flaw that can't be remedied under the current constitution."

Byrum said she also feared that reshaping the social arguments of the past 30 years, such as abortion and gun rights, would further worsen Lansing's political gridlock and attract national special interest groups to meddle in state affairs.

Panelist Robert LaBrant, the senior vice president for political affairs for the Michigan Chamber of Commerce, agreed and urged a "no" vote Nov. 2.

He said the measure is premature and that there has been no formal preparation for a constitutional convention. The state Legislature has not allocated funding for a special election or a public awareness campaign, and there are no campaign-finance laws in place regarding the convention-delegate process, he said.

But all those elements can be addressed once the people have spoken, according to panelists that support Proposal 1. Both state Sen. Tom George, R-Kalamazoo, and John Logie, the former mayor of Grand Rapids, said a constitutional convention should be looked at as an opportunity to modernize and improve how the state operates.

"You have to view this as whether the benefits outweigh the risk," said George, who was among five candidates who sought the Republican Party nomination for governor in the August primary.

"Sure there's risk to doing this, but there's also a risk to doing nothing and sitting on our hands, hamstrung by our Constitution."

Logie, an attorney for more



than 40 years, argued that the cost of the convention is minuscule to Michigan's \$20 billion budget. He also said it would be a worthwhile investment if constitutional changes could be made to improve the business environment by revisiting tax codes, and improve government efficiency through school district and municipal consolidation.

Crowd reaction was mixed. "We need changes, but if you're able to make the changes through constitutional amendments, I'd like to do it that way," said Dexter resident Steve Feinman. "I don't want to open the box because there is no eraser."

Others saw the value in making fundamental changes to avoid structural deficits in critical areas, such as education. "Under the current system, we do not know the future of education or taxes in this state, which makes this whole 'pause' argument rather vacuous," said Glenn Nelson, an economic consultant from Ann Arbor.

"The current system is giving us enormous uncertainty, which is hurting the state badly."

Taxes, taxes, taxes

It's not often that officials with the Michigan Education Association and the Michigan Chamber of Commerce agree on anything, much less public policy. But on Friday, Chamber CEO Richard Studley and the MEA's Doug Pratt were two of the strongest proponents of significant changes to the state's tax code.

"We are putting out more than we are taking in, and that's the definition of unsustainable," said Pratt, director of public affairs for the state's largest public school teachers' union. "We have to take a step back and analyze if the tax incentives we're giving are still

working."

Studley agreed and added that little is being done to measure the true impact of tax loopholes, such as the incentives designed to attract the film industry. He said Michigan businesses absorbed a 22 percent tax increase to pay for the movie industry's tax breaks.

"It's a boondoggle and a complete waste of time and money," Studley said. "We don't focus on the results, and have gone way overboard in what's wrong and what's right."

Panelist Charles Ballard, an economics professor at MSU, said Michigan's biggest problem is an antiquated sales tax that doesn't account for many service-oriented businesses that now account for more of the recent job growth than any other sector in the state. He also proposed taxing pension benefits for retirees and adopting a graduated income tax based on what citizens make.

The five-member panel all agreed that Michigan's future tax structure would differ greatly depending on which gubernatorial candidate wins the seat in November.

The candidates

Both the Republican nominee Rick Snyder, of Ann Arbor Township, and Democratic Virg Bernero, the Lansing mayor, were invited to speak to the large afternoon audience immediately preceding a candidate mixer.

After a rancorous dispute over debates and joint public appearances that simmered last month, neither candidate showed. However, both campaigns sent their respective choices for lieutenant governor.

State Rep. Brian Calley, R-Portland, said he and Snyder have crafted a simple tax policy that reduces the barriers for small businesses to succeed. He said the state also needed to implement a new philosophy

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or next to a school?"

Is Medical Marijuana legal?

Even with a voter-approved referendum law, a set of guidelines allowing for the exchange and use of medical marijuana and non-profit businesses springing up in a number of areas across the state — answering the question of whether medical marijuana is "legal" in the state of Michigan is still challenging, at best.

To complicate matters, a recent opinion on an Oakland County medical marijuana defense case written by Judge Peter O'Connell argues that there are a number of contradictory areas in the act and prescribed violations of the Public Health Code.

In his opinion, O'Connell makes it clear that his interpretation of the act, which is in no way legally binding, is that the MMMA does not legalize medical marijuana. It simply sets forth a broad set of guidelines for patients with debilitating illnesses to be protected from prosecution under the law for possessing and using marijuana.

"...the MMMA does not create any sort of affirmative right under state law to use or possess marijuana," O'Connell states. "Although these individuals are still violating the Public Health Code by using marijuana, the MMMA sets forth particular circumstances under which they will not be arrested or otherwise prosecuted for their lawbreaking."

The problem with the act, O'Connell further states, is that it's "inartfully drafted," and has created confusion at all levels of government. O'Connell advises residents to be wary of taking liberties with the act.

"Accordingly, the confusing nature of the MMMA, and its susceptibility to multiple interpretations, creates an untoward risk for Michiganders. Reading the statute carelessly or out of context could result in jail or prison time for many of our citizens," O'Connell said.

Attorney John Day agrees, for the most part, with O'Connell's conclusions, but cautions that the opinion itself is merely advisory, at best, and will have very little effect on future litigation.

From the city of Belleville's standpoint, they are concerned with how the act will impact zoning and ordinance amendments that could open the doors

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AN EAGLE EYE VIEW

EMU MEN'S CROSS COUNTRY TEAM LIVES UP TO EARLY EXPECTATIONS

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YPSILANTI, Mich. (EMUEagles.com) - The Eastern Michigan University men's cross country team is the favorite to capture the 2010 Mid-American Conference Championship and Head Coach **John Goodridge's** charges have lived up to that expectation with strong efforts thus far this fall.

The Eagles have won all three meets in which they have run, including the **John Goodridge Running Fit Detroit Titan Invitational**, the **Western Ontario International** and the prestigious **Notre Dame Invitational**.

Eastern will face another stern test when it travels to Rochester, Mich. this weekend, Oct. 8, to run in the Michigan Intercollegiate hosted by Oakland University. All of the state's Division I teams are expected to compete.

The Eagles are searching for the 2010-crown after narrowly falling short of their fifth consecutive Mid-American Conference Championship in 2009.

Heading into his 10th season as Head Coach **John Goodridge** is confident in the resilience of this squad, which placed second last season behind Kent State University.

"Last year, our four-year streak of winning the MAC Championship ended," said Goodridge. "The guys took that loss very seriously. They are not lacking for motivation to bring the championship back to Ypsilanti."

Senior captain **Matt Hammersmith (Wolcottville, Mich.-Prairie Heights)** looks to lead the Eagles into the 2010 season. In 2009, Hammersmith helped the Eagles by placing second at the MAC Championship (28:18.6). His time was good for a 10th place finish and second team All-MAC honors. Besides earning an Academic All-MAC nod, he also picked up EMU's Most Improved Runner award along with teammate **James Hughes (Manchester, Mich.-Manchester)**. Hughes, a sophomore, also garnered second team All-MAC accolades after placing ninth at the MAC Championships with a time of 26:12.6.

Terefe Ejigu (Mount Cook, Wellington-Wellington College New Zealand) is coming off of a stellar freshman season, being awarded All-MAC second team honors, as well as All-Region accolades after finishing 25th (31:49.98) at the Great Lakes Regional in 2009. Ejigu will be joined by teammates **Austin Hendrix (Sylvania, Ohio-Northview)** and **Cole Sanseverino (Monroe, Mich.-Monroe)**, who both placed 33rd and 54th, respectively, at the 2009 MAC Championship.

Senior **Ransom Brown (Coldwater, Mich.-Coldwater)** will bring experience to this year's team, as will juniors **Serge Anderson (Belleville, Mich.-Belleville)**, **Justin Huey (Canton, Mich.-Plymouth)**, **Nicholas Immell (Dublin, Ohio-Dublin Coffman)**, **Andrew Pfeiffer (Clarence, N.Y.-Clarence)**, and **Wes Stoodly (Fenton, Mich.-Flint Powers Catholic)**.

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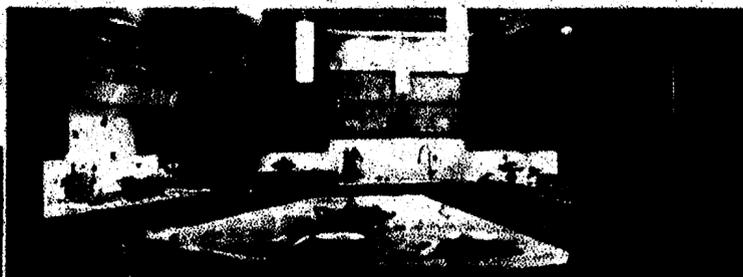
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Coalition kicks off campaign to reduce infant mortality

The public is invited to join the Coalition for Infant Mortality Reduction and its partners on Monday as they kick off the 3X More Likely campaign.

The event is from noon to 1 p.m. at the Washtenaw County Public Health Department, 555 Towner St., Ypsilanti.

The campaign addresses African American women's health and infant mortality in Washtenaw County. Speakers will include Washtenaw County Administrator Verna McDaniel and Susan Lee of Washtenaw County Public Health.

There will also be an unveiling of the new media campaign, including billboards and interior bus signage, to draw attention to the problem of the high rate of infant death in the local African American community.

The coalition received REACH grant funding from Genesee County to raise awareness of this problem, which is most prevalent in ZIP codes 48108, 48197 and 48198.

"In Washtenaw County, black infants are three times more likely to die than white infants before their first birthday and

more than two times more likely to be born premature or low birth weight," said Marcia Dykstra, Washtenaw Area Council for Children and 3X More Likely campaign coordinator in a news release.

"Many of these deaths and preterm births are preventable."

One of the goals of the Coalition for Infant Mortality Reduction is to reduce racial disparities in infant mortality and in low birth weight and/or premature delivery.

"At the kickoff, we will introduce members of our team of

hair stylists and faith-based community health educators who will help spread the word to women in the African American community about ways to prevent infant deaths and stay healthy," said Kelly Stupple, child health advocate for Washtenaw Success by 6 and Washtenaw County Public Health.

"We're also planning to highlight a helpful but little known free health insurance plan available to women ages 19 to 44 in Michigan called PLAN FIRST! Regular check-ups and family planning are

two important tools women can use take control of their health."

PLAN FIRST! gives income eligible women the opportunity to receive free family planning services such as clinic or gynecologist visits, pap smears, birth control prescriptions, contraceptive supplies and devices, lab tests and treatment for STIs.

For information on how to apply for PLAN FIRST, visit your local Department of Human Services or Public Health Department, or call 1-800-642-3195 or go to www.

healthcare4mi.com.

In addition, Washtenaw County Public Health is partnering with the national Text4Baby campaign.

This campaign aims to provide pregnant women and new moms with information, via a free text messaging information service, to care for themselves and their babies to help them lead the healthiest life possible. Sign up by texting BABY to 511411 or Bebe to receive messages in Spanish.

For more information, contact Kelly Stupple at stupplek@washtenaw.org.

Tips on avoiding deer-car crashes on the road this fall

October and November are the two most dangerous months in Michigan for crashes between deer and vehicles, and motorcyclists face especially steep risks.

Vehicle-deer crashes can cause more than just damage to the outside of the vehicle. The 61,486 crashes last year resulted in 1,571 injuries and 10 deaths among drivers and passengers.

In 2009, all 10 deer crash fatalities involved motorcyclists. That is why the Michigan Deer Crash Coalition has developed new safety tips for motorcyclists.

"Motorcyclists are vulnerable to deer crashes as they travel Michigan's roadways," said Lori Conarton of the Insurance Institute of Michigan and Coalition chair.

"Reducing the number of injuries and fatalities from these types of crashes is a priority for the coalition."

The organization suggests that motorcyclists should:

- Be alert for deer whenever they ride. Deer-vehicle crashes happen in urban, suburban and rural areas.

- Slow down. Decreasing speed gives a motorcyclist more time to spot an animal and react.

- Cover the brakes to reduce reaction time.

- Use high beam headlights and additional driving light when possible.

- If riding in a group, spread

out riders in a staggered formation. If one rider hits a deer, this will lessen the chance that other riders will be involved.

- Wear protective gear at all times.

In 2009, Michigan experienced an increase in the number of total vehicle-deer crashes. According to the Michigan State Police Criminal Justice Information Center, there were 61,486 deer-vehicle crashes in 2009, up from the 61,010 crashes reported in 2008.

However, officials note that many crashes also go unreported, so actual crash numbers are much higher.

In 2009, Kent County once again topped the state's counties in the number of car-deer crashes with 2,164 crashes.

The remaining top nine were Oakland (1,947), Jackson (1,877), Calhoun (1,659), Montcalm (1,641), Lapeer (1,455), Clinton (1,428), Genesee (1,420), Eaton (1,384) and Ottawa (1,300).

A statement from the MDCC said that all motorists should be concerned about deer whenever they are behind the wheel and should drive defensively, because deer can appear at any moment. The organization also urged all drivers to wear seatbelts.

The MDCC says motorists can help avoid dangerous encounters with deer by heeding the following tips:

- Watch for deer especially at dawn and dusk.

- If you see one deer, approach cautiously, as there may be more out of sight.

- When you see one deer, watch for more. Deer often travel single file, so if you see one cross a road, chances are more are nearby waiting to cross, too. When startled by an approaching vehicle, they can panic and dart out from any direction without warning.

- Be alert all year long, especially on two-lane roads. Watch

for deer warning signs. They are placed at known deer-crossing areas and serve as a first alert that deer may be near.

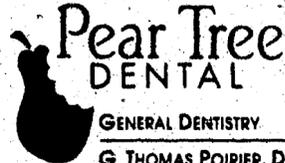
- Slow down when traveling through deer-population areas.

The goal of the MDCC is to

increase awareness of the affiliation of groups representing law enforcement, traffic safety, insurance, natural resources, higher education and strategic regional planning in the public and private sectors

to increase awareness of the problem among the driving public and reduce the number of deaths and injuries occurring each year on state roads.

For more information, visit the coalition's website, www.michigandeercrash.org.



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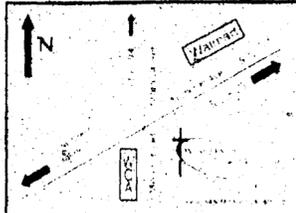
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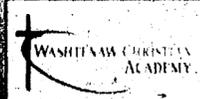


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Newspapers win 16 awards

Heritage Newspapers West grabbed 16 awards in the Michigan Press Association's 2010 Better Newspaper Contest, including six first-place wins. Six of the eight weeklies took home prizes in the annual contest, which was judged by the Minnesota Newspaper Association, competing in Class C Weekly with a circulation between 4,001 and 10,000. In all, there were 3,341 entries submitted by 126 Michigan newspapers.

Grabbing first place for design was The Dexter Leader. The Ypsilanti Courier took third. Judges noted "solid fonts and outstanding front pages inside" for the Dexter paper, as well as "eye-catching graphics."

The Chelsea Standard took first place for local columnist with Terry Jacoby's entry. Judges commented on Jacoby's engaging writing style and said his work was well written.

Another first place was captured by The Manchester Enterprise in the category of news photo for Daniel Lai's "Fire Department Open House" submission.

Also in photography, The Dexter Leader grabbed first place for Lisa Allmendinger's "Behind the Scenes" submission, while freelancer Tom Perkins' "School Days" took honorable mention.

Sports also took home a first with Don Richter's "Adventures in sports writing" column in



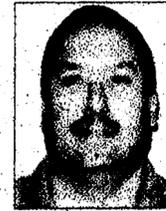
Terry Jacoby



Don Richter



Jana Miller



Dave Merchant



Krystie Dunham



Daniel Lai

The Saline Reporter. Judges stated, "This guy is good. A conversationalist and a storyteller." Also in the sports column category, Jana Miller received third place for "Ready, Set, Sports" in The Saline Reporter.

Richter continued to bring home top awards in sports

by capturing first place in sports writing in The Milan News Leader with "Big Reds Overcome." Judges noted, "Richter's good. Every one of his stories made our finals pile." Richter also received honorable mention in the sports writing category for "What a game" in The Milan News Leader.

Dave Merchant and The Ypsilanti Courier took home second place in sports feature for "Power Forward." Judges commented, "Strong and creative writing through the entire piece."

Second place in sports coverage went to The Milan News Leader. The lifestyles section

in The Saline Reporter also took second place, while The Milan News Leader grabbed honorable mention in the same category.

In news enterprise reporting, former Saline Reporter staff writer Krystie Dunham grabbed honorable mention for "Back to School."

Heritage Newspapers named Agricultural Communicator of the Year

The Heritage Newspapers West group, which includes seven weeklies in Washtenaw County and one in Wayne County, received the Agricultural Communicator of the Year Award Sept. 23.

The award was presented by the Washtenaw County Farm Bureau and its Communications Committee at a dinner at the Farm Council Grounds near Saline.

"I'm delighted to announce that we have chosen Michelle Rogers and the Heritage West newspaper staff as the 2010 Agricultural Communicator of the Year for their contributions toward helping educate the non-farming public about agriculture," said Kathleen Siler, a member of the Communications Committee in a communication via Facebook.

Siler said the strength of a media-oriented organization,

its approach and direction to the news, and the collegial support demonstrated among team members is a philosophical value fostered, mentored and modeled from the top.

"With this in mind, we asked reporter Lisa Allmendinger to describe Managing Editor Michelle Rogers' leadership role in covering agriculture-related issues and events in our county," Siler said.

Allmendinger said Rogers understands the importance of the farming community to the townships, villages and cities in Heritage's coverage area.

"Always encouraging of agriculture, farming, land, water and natural resources stewardship, I've never heard her put the kibosh on a story that has any of these themes. In fact, she takes the time to help nourish 'seedlings of ideas' so they will grow and flourish," Allmendinger said in a written statement.

"In farming terms, Ms. Rogers cultivates the report-

ers who cover all of western Washtenaw County and encourages them to plant the best possible stories that her experience has shown will be of interest to the readers. She's willing to explore a variety of issues and ideas of interest to our readers.

"Always encouraging of stories that involve farming, farm animals, 4-H, FFA and the business of agriculture, Ms. Rogers shows her support of this important local industry by suggesting stories that will educate, entertain and interest the newspapers' readership."

"The agricultural coverage in the Heritage West newspapers is truly a team effort, and Ms. Rogers enjoys guiding her reporters through the plowing, tilling, planting and harvesting phases of agricultural operations, whether they include the best practices for starting a small garden or explaining the risks involved in running a 4,000-acre commercial business."

Siler said Heritage

Newspapers consistently demonstrates a respect for covering agriculture-related issues and events.

"It's apparent in articles, blogs, photos and online stories with imbedded videos," she said. "It's seen in its commitment to the Adopt-A-Farm series. It's there in the organization's leadership and is tangibly demonstrated in its advocacy for farmers. Washtenaw County Farm Bureau is proud to honor this news organization with its 2010 Agricultural Communicator of the Year Award."

Rogers credits the Washtenaw Farm Bureau and its Communication Committee, stating that two-way communication between the two organizations as the key to achieving success. She encourages farmers, business leaders, local

officials, residents and community groups to share their story leads and news to help the

newspapers' she runs continue to reflect all facets of life in the communities they cover.

SOS leader earns honor

New executive director praised for hard work

Faye Askew-King, former SOS Program and Services director, has been recognized for her work.

The interim executive director for the past several months, she came to SOS in 1993 and has expanded all of SOS's programs for children, including the introduction of the Early Risers research-based prevention program and two nationally-recognized children's programs, according to a news release from SOS.

Askew-King was awarded the 2008 Lisa Putnam Award by the Michigan chapter of the National Association for Social Workers for her work in the area of child welfare. She also created the SOS Consumer Advisory Board, expanded SOS's employability support services and initiated a Women's Leadership Training for homeless mothers.

"It's important that this agency strives to attend to its mission. The key word in our mission is partnership," Askew-King said. "I think we've worked really hard to establish partnerships with consumers, as the lead agency for the Family Support Network, and as one of the founding members of the Washtenaw Housing Alliance. I see SOS contributing more to our existing partnerships."

The newly appointed executive director is looking forward to the bright future of SOS. "New and exciting ventures are happening at SOS," she said. "SOS was named the single point of entry for people dealing with housing emergencies in Washtenaw County, and we've developed a partnership with Salvation Army to increase efficiencies in both of our food programs."

SOS Community Services provides comprehensive services for at-risk and homeless families in Washtenaw County. Services include but are not limited to temporary shelter and transitional housing, educational and employability support services, life-skills train-

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Marijuana has positive benefits for treatment

I've read all the conservative views on the medical marijuana issue and want to add a positive opinion. My daughter is 42 years old and has had Lupus since she was a teenager. Her mother died of the same disease at 26 years old. She has had debilitating pain for years along with multiple joint replacements and chemotherapy.

She's had pain pumps and various medications with serious side effects. She now takes medical marijuana in an edible form, not regularly but when she wants it. It has helped her with the pain and being able to sleep, not to mention appetite. After seeing how this has helped my loved one, I now know why the people of this state voted overwhelmingly to make it legal.

The side effects are nothing compared with the legal pharmaceuticals she was taking. We should just legalize it altogether, save bunches of taxpayer money and take the petty bickering out of it.

Michael Gross
Dexter

Transportation survey online

I thought it would be helpful to have a survey on the new transportation system at Dexter Community Schools. I put together a Google documents survey that allows parents to comment on and rate different aspects of the plan individually and leave suggestions or ask questions in a constructive manner.

The survey isn't perfect, but it's a way to contribute your ideas and let the schools know what's working and what isn't. I will send the results to the transportation director, and hopefully it will help them continue to make improvements parents care about.

The link is best if viewed online as a clickable link, but if you have the patience to type it in, you can find it at <https://spreadsheets.google.com/viewform?formkey=dGdMZGhUk9XZVc3U0ZqeWxXaTVZent6MA>.

Please pass it along to anyone you think would be interested in responding. You might also be able to find this letter online at www.heritage.com and you could click the link there.

I'm hoping the survey responses will be honest and helpful.

I also have an e-mail account set up for feedback on or suggestions about the survey. Don't hesitate to e-mail questions to transportation.poll@gmail.com.

If you're wondering why I care so much about the schools, it's because I have five children in the Dexter school system (from a Bates first grader to a junior at Dexter High School). If you don't count Cornerstone, I have a child at every school building this year, so I can see the issues from several perspectives. My older three kids are happy with their new start time, but the younger two are really struggling with it. I do understand the need for budget cuts in areas outside the classrooms. I would rather see transportation cuts than teacher, program, or resource cuts. But I also think feedback from parents is essential to the success of the new transportation system. Parents, please take the time to respond to the survey whether you are in favor of, against or indifferent to the changes this year.

Barbara Read
Dexter

Schauer wrong for 7th District

Please stand with us to reject the disgusting campaign being run by U.S. Rep. Mark Schauer's political machine. Mr. Schauer, District 7, is obviously ashamed to run on his ultra-liberal record, and therefore is using the Democrat's old tactics of trying to scare voters with false accusations, distortions, and words taken out of context by his opponent, Tim Walberg.

Haven't we had enough of his kind of garbage? The truth and differences are obvious: Walberg supports a balanced budget amendment, while Schauer voted for House

Speaker Nancy Pelosi's budget that will increase the national debt by over \$1 trillion each year.

Walberg received the "Taxpayer's Hero" award from Citizens Against Government Waste, while Schauer voted for the \$862 billion stimulus package that wasted taxpayers' money and failed to reduce unemployment.

Walberg has stated he will work to repeal Obamacare and replace it with common sense, patient-centered reforms.

Schauer voted for, and helped author, the trillion dollar Obama-Pelosi government takeover of health care.

Walberg has never voted for a tax increase and understands that reducing taxes across the board encourages hard work, investment, and job creation.

Schauer voted for the national 'cap and trade' energy tax, over \$500 billion in tax hikes in the health care bill, and even introduced a bill to raise the income tax by 18 percent.

We must send a message to Washington that we have had enough and we want our country back. We need a common sense conservative. Tim Walberg will listen to our concerns and represent our beliefs of low taxes and less government.

Please stand with us.

Peg Canham, Margaret O'Connor, Robert and Christine Crowner, Lodi Township, Darcel and Mary Tolle
Dexter

Schauer should listen to district

U.S. Congressman Mark Schauer repeatedly ignored the residents of District 7, when he refused to hold town hall meetings during the time frame that Congress was considering the passage of the federal health care legislation.

Every attempt that I made to communicate with the congressman during this time frame was responded to with the "party line" of justifications as to why we should support the health care legislation.

While I wrote very specific suggestions that I believed would improve the "unread and unavailable" legislation, the only responses that I received were the same talking points that were being made by the administration, President Obama, and the congressional leaders, Speaker Nancy Pelosi and Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid.

The congressman was unwilling to talk with his constituents. Why? Was it because the meetings would have been contentious?

Was it because he could not reasonably support his position of voting for this legislation? Was it because he and the leadership did not want to be bothered by the input of the American people?

In one canned response from the congressman's office, they said that this legislation was necessary because of the large number of jobs that were being lost in Michigan. Many people in the district and the state were unable to afford health care because they lost their jobs and could not find employment. Congressman, this is not a health care problem, it is an employment problem.

The increased costs and the uncertainty associated with the new health care legislation has yet to be fully defined by the government regulatory agencies. The as yet undefined business risk not only applies to existing employees, it applies to potential employees. When the risks are unknown, a business will too often postpone making expansion and growth decisions.

As details become known, we see how this legislation is already increasing our costs, both individually and for businesses. These increasing costs are serving to increase the number of lost jobs as our businesses become less competitive in world markets.

The congressman's campaign literature says he is working to create jobs in Michigan and America. The passage of the health care legislation has resulted in increased cost per employee today. This increase is four years before the individual health care benefits (if they actually occur) may be realized.

These costs are currently being paid, and will continue to increase, by businesses. We in Michigan depend on these businesses to increase the number of jobs such that our economy can recover.

The bottom line is that Congressman Schauer's support of this legislation has served to decrease jobs in Michigan and America.

The bottom line is that Congressman Schauer supported and voted for health care legislation that is not supported by the vast majority (58 percent) of Americans; has served to limit the growth of jobs; may have served to decrease the number of jobs; and has significantly increased our national debt.

Congressman Schauer's actions demonstrate that he does not know who he works for.

He went into his office and locked the door rather than discuss the health care legislation with us. It is time for Congressman Schauer to find a new office to hide in. It is time to vote him out of our office.

Tim Kelley
Sylvan Township

Redevelop Chelsea, don't tear it down

Having lived in Chelsea for nine years, I've watched the improvements in downtown Chelsea by the Downtown Development Authority and hoped that the Longworth complex would become a positive part of downtown similar to the clock tower complex. Instead, I am seeing that the DDA is losing patience and planning to demolish what some apparently see as a blight on downtown Chelsea.

The DDA does, after all, represent business owners whose primary purpose is profit, and a side benefit to the rest of us is an attractive downtown which is designed to attract

customers and hopefully not degrade the surrounding residential area.

The Screw Works is a blight, but has been purchased and we can anticipate redevelopment as economic conditions improve. The proposals for the redevelopment of the Longworth seem reasonable, but lack funding as can be expected during these difficult economic times.

Downtowns thrive as they diversify, attracting some to the Purple Rose who may also stop at the Common Grill or any of the other stores, and restaurants downtown.

That is why the summer Thursday evening music program, car shows downtown, and the fair parade and farmers market on Saturdays and Wednesdays exist.

Redevelopment of the Longworth to a property that would attract more people to downtown Chelsea is no different and could be a positive similar to the clock tower complex now or hopefully, the Screw Works in the future.

Demolishing those buildings for parking is a negative move showing no hope for the future. That kind of thinking is not what made Chelsea what it is today and could continue

to be tomorrow.
Robert Dahlem
Chelsea

Longworth property should be saved

I have been a resident of Chelsea for over 15 years. Our family moved here from Oakland, Calif. in 1995. My kids have grown up here and attended Chelsea schools.

I was recently asked to contribute my graphic design and advertising skills to an effort to save the Longworth property from demolition. I decided to spend the time on this cause largely because of the fondness that our family has for this town and this community.

I'm sure the Downtown Development Authority has the good intentions of Chelsea in mind with its efforts to destroy the buildings in question. That being said, any efforts to eliminate part of the architectural, historical and cultural history of our community are worth opposing for obvious reasons.

I hope that writing this letter in some way can contribute to the demolition of the demolition, as it were.

John Pappas

Chelsea

Keep history intact

I am writing this letter to express my disagreement with the city's decision to continue to destroy our old historical buildings, specifically the Livery building of the Longworth complex.

James Grau
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EMU grad's book is twisted fairy tale

By Kurt Krug
Special to the News

With his "Princess" series of novels, Eastern Michigan University alumnus and science-fiction/fantasy novelist Jim C. Hines has blown up the Disney stereotype that princesses in fairytales live "happily ever after." In these books, Hines has taken Cinderella, Snow White and Sleeping Beauty — the three main protagonists — away from their Disney trappings and gotten them back to their fairytale roots, which are pretty dark. In short, Hines has reimagined the three in what has been called the "Charlie's Angels" of the fairytale set. That holds true with his third

novel in that series, "Red Hood's Revenge" (DAW, \$7.99), which was recently released. In it, the three protagonists battle Little Red Riding Hood, whom Hines revamped into a deadly assassin. The book opens with the introduction of Roudette, also known as Red Riding Hood. She has set a trap for Princess Danielle (Cinderella), but her real target is Talia (Sleeping Beauty)," says Hines, 36, a 1999 EMU alumnus who lives in Holt with his wife and two children. "As events unfold, we're drawn into Talia's homeland of Arathea," Hines says. "We learn more about her background, and the real reason behind the fairy curse that left her asleep for a hundred years. There's

plenty of action and lots of twists." Hines said Roudette is a dark reflection of Talia. "Both Roudette and Talia lost their families and pretty much everything else. Both had to learn to fight to survive — Talia using her fairy gifts, and Roudette using the magic of the red cape she inherited from her grandmother," Hines said. "But Talia was fortunate enough to find friends, whereas Roudette faced the world alone. Whether she chose isolation is another question. By the end of the book, I think each one recognizes paths not followed in the other." Hines mentioned the Red Hood in the first novel, "The



Stepsister Scheme." It was a total throwaway line that he

didn't plan on revisiting, but fans kept insisting he introduce the character. "It's one of the lines people kept quoting, and the more I thought about it, the more I realized Red Hood would be a great character to explore, and to pit against my three princesses," he said. Hines is currently hard at work on the fourth and final installment of the "Princess" series — "The Snow Queen's Shadow." In it, Hines will be wrapping up the open plot threads from the three books. The novel is scheduled for release in 2011. The "Princess" books have sold fairly well, according to Hines, each one better than the

last — a trend he hopes will continue. "Red Hood's Revenge" got me my first starred review in Publishers Weekly, which was a nice little milestone. But I think my favorite part of this book and the whole writing process isn't the reviews or the sales so much as it's the e-mail and comments from individual readers who write to tell me how much they enjoyed the books, or how much a particular story or character meant to them. It's a wonderful feeling," he said. Visit the author at www.jimchines.com. Kurt Krug is a freelance arts, and entertainment writer. He can be reached at kurt513@core.com

SOS Community Services holding fundraiser

Area non-profit celebrates 40th anniversary

By Jana Miller
Special to the News

When SOS Community Services began in Washtenaw County 40 years ago, it was a student group led by Eastern Michigan University students that offered peer counseling and a crisis line. Forty years later at its anniversary celebration, the SOS Community Services nonprofit organization can celebrate coming into its own as a much larger and more unique service to the community. It's now an organization that focuses on helping individuals with housing-related needs, and last year 4,719 different people received food, crisis help, and a place to call home. "We have a housing crisis center with emergency food, hygiene items, referrals to other community resources, and act as a point of access for shelter in the community," said Chelsea

Clark, Community Relations coordinator at SOS Community Services. "For families that come in to the housing crisis center and who access our shelter programs, they're able to receive other services such as support finding employment, pursuing educational goals, and children's services." To commemorate 40 years of service in the community, SOS Community Services is hosting a fundraiser called "Filling Empty Bowls for 40 Years." It will take place from 4 to 7 p.m. Sunday at the Earhart Manor on Concordia University's campus. "We hope to raise awareness and a renewed commitment to ending family homelessness in Washtenaw County," Ellen Offen, SOS Development director, said in a press release. "Thousands of people in Washtenaw County have had their lives enriched through their experiences with SOS." Those who attend the 40th anniversary celebration can enjoy food, live music from the Community High School jazz band, and a silent auction of many ceramic bowls. Some of the ceramic bowls

that will be on display were made by the homeless and at-risk children from SOS programs. Other bowls were donated by well-known potters and artists, some of whom are local artists. "It will be a nice opportunity to celebrate the volunteers we've had over the years, but also a really good opportunity to raise awareness of what we do," Clark said. "We will have some information on hand, so people can learn a little bit more about us and what we do." The work that SOS does in Washtenaw County has become more and more important in recent years with the state of the economy. Clark said that last

year alone the housing crisis center received 7,843 requests for service. "That represents a 22 percent increase for us, so housing assistance and food needs have risen," Clark said. "We do our best to help out and assist the founding members of the Washtenaw Housing Alliance. "SOS has not only endured, but triumphed as one of the early nonprofits of Washtenaw County," said Faye Askew-King, SOS interim executive director, in a recent press release. "We have a long history of volunteerism and community involvement." SOS organizers hope the Empty Bowls Fundraiser will recruit new volunteers, thank previous volunteers, and spark the community to do something about family homelessness. "We are a lifeline for homeless families," Clark said. "Even if people are unable to come, they can still make a contribution on our website." To find out more about volunteering, making a donation, or participating in the silent auction at the Empty Bowls Fundraiser, visit www.soscs.org, or call 485-8730. If you need help with housing, call the SOS housing crisis line at 484-4300. To sign up for volunteer services, call 961-1210. Copy editor Jana Miller can be reached at 429-7380 or jmiller@heritage.com

SOS Community Services is a lead agency in the Washtenaw Family Support network. The nonprofit collaborates with other nonprofits such as the Ozone House, the Faith House, Childcare Network, Food Gatherers and other area organizations.

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WASHTENAW COUNTY COURT BRIEFS

Sentence pending for former homeowner in Milan arson case

A former Milan resident will be sentenced next week on charges that she intentionally had her home set on fire in what authorities believe was an elaborate insurance scam.

Tiffany Mapes, 20, is scheduled to be sentenced to one count of arson of insured property in Washtenaw County Circuit Court Oct. 14, records show. She pleaded no contest to the charge shortly before her trial was to start last month.

Prosecutors agreed to drop multiple counts of arson of real property and insurance fraud at the time of sentencing. They charged her several months after a fire gutted the interior of her home at 125 Hack St. April 23, 2009. No one was home at the time and there were no injuries.

Authorities were ready to declare the cause of the blaze electrical until federal investigators learned she had an intimate relationship with Christopher Bandy. Bandy was convicted in federal court earlier this year for setting off several pipe bombs outside residences in Livingston and Washtenaw County.

While testifying at Mapes' preliminary hearing in May, Bandy said he intended to marry her, but then caught Mapes with an ex-boyfriend about a month after the fire. Testimony also showed Mapes, who now lives in Dundee, received more than \$119,000 from her insurance company on the Hack Street home. She purchased it for less than half of that amount with federal aid just a few months earlier.

Bandy is currently serving up to eight years in federal prison on the pipe bomb charges. He is also charged with multiple counts of arson of real property and insurance fraud stemming from the Hack Street fire, and his case has been delayed until after Mapes' sentencing.

Prosecutors acknowledged that the current charges will be dismissed as long as he continues to meet the conditions of his federal plea deal.

Woman gets probation after pit bull attack

The owner of a pit bull that mauled a neighbor's dog in an unprovoked attack was ordered to probation, according to court records.

Amber Calo was sentenced to four months of probation supervision in Washtenaw County District Court. She pleaded guilty to one count of possession of a vicious animal earlier last month. The sentence could be extended up to a year if she fails to meet several conditions by her case review in January. Those include no further incidents, and requiring a muzzle on the dog when outside.

Saline police cited her after her 2-year-old pet "Gringa" attacked a beagle-terrier mix in the 100 block of Burwyck Park Drive June 22. The beagle-terrier mix, named "Dolly" was seriously injured and rushed to veterinarian's office. She has physically recovered, but still remains apprehensive about going outdoors sometimes, her owner, Christa Wilde, said.

It was the second incident between the dogs since April, according to police reports.

Officers determined that Gringa got outside through a garage door that was left partially open.

Calo covered Dolly's medical bills and was ordered to pay fines. She declined to comment when reached by telephone.

Man enters plea for shooting off-duty sheriff's deputy

The Wayne County man who shot and wounded an off-duty Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy who was with his estranged wife has been convicted of assault.

Court records show Kim Jerome Hill, 29, pleaded no con-

test to one count of felonious assault in the May 1 shooting in Canton. Police said he shot Deputy Samuel Wallace in the abdomen during a confrontation inside a townhouse.

He was arrested at an acquaintance's house in Inkster, according to reports.

Wallace survived and has recovered from his wounds, officials said. It was unclear if he is back to work.

Hill was charged with assault with intent to murder, but that charge was later dismissed after his estranged wife testified during a preliminary hearing later that month. He faced up to 10 years in prison if convicted on a count of assault with intent to commit great bodily harm less

than murder at trial, scheduled next month.

Hill was released on bond earlier this month and faces sentencing in Wayne County Circuit Court Oct. 13.

Former U of M administrator caught in computer-fraud ring

A former administrator with the University of Michigan's Center for Afro-American and African Studies pleaded guilty to fraud charges for a far-reaching computer scam.

Donald Sims Jr. entered a plea to one count of embezzlement at a pre-trial hearing in Washtenaw County Circuit

Court last week. The 41-year-old Ypsilanti Township resident faces sentencing next month.

Prosecutors agreed to drop three other charges and didn't object to keeping Sims out of jail, as long as he pays more than \$61,000 in restitution. Washtenaw County Circuit Judge David Swartz ordered Sims to pay the university in full within three years, court records show.

Local authorities charged him with embezzlement after police learned that he fraudulently bought 75 computers with U of M funds and resold them for personal profit.

Part of his job duties was to buy equipment for the department. Police said he stole rough-

ly \$74,000 worth of computers and computer equipment in all from the university.

Sims' son, Dion, a heavily recruited standout high school athlete in both football and basketball in Ypsilanti, was among 10 men indicted last week on theft charges for allegedly taking more than 100 computers valued at roughly \$158,000 from the Detroit Public Schools and reselling them.

He has been suspended from multiple teams in the Michigan State University Athletic Department, where he still has a scholarship, officials said.

The cases are related and remain under investigation.

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toward business regulation that assumes the positives rather than the negatives.

"We start with a 'no' and work toward a 'yes' in this state and it needs to be the opposite," he said. "We can find agreements and solutions on very complicated areas of public policy if we have an attitude that it is possible in the first place."

Southfield Mayor Brenda Lawrence, who was a last-minute addition to the day-long agenda, said both she and Bernero have the experience of operating on tight budgets and attracting commerce to their respective cities. She also said they have a keen understanding that overall economic improvement won't happen without serious focus on small businesses and education.

"We need to have a focus and a specific plan to help small businesses, and we have to understand that education is economic stimulus," Lawrence said.

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doors for a medical marijuana dispensary within city limits.

But Day also has problems with the MMMA and suggests, because of all the confusion this statute has caused, parts of the act could be addressed by the Legislature in the near future.

"It's possible that some of this legislation would be struck down, and O'Connell is very clear about this that the use, possession and sale of marijuana is still illegal," Day said. "And we are stuck with the situation of because of these laws, we are possibly passing zoning where we can allow someone to possess, handle and store medical marijuana."

As for the dispensary issue, Day points to language in the MMMA that covers distribution of medical marijuana through the patient-caregiver relationship, but it doesn't cover selling.

"Nowhere in the statute does it cover the right to sell," Day said. "They talk about distribution, but they never talk about selling. And now people are starting these medical marijuana distribution things and we're kind of stuck. Do they have the right to sell? Do they not have the right to sell? That's the whole abyss we're in."

Jamie Lowell of Ypsilanti's 3rd Coast Compassion Center said those who question the validity and use of the MMMA are taking a very narrow interpretation of language governing patients and caregivers, while ignoring the entire spirit and intent of the law itself. He said the entire concept of the dispensary is to provide an uninterrupted flow of medicine to state-qualified patients. He said it's more of a human rights issue than a question of the law.

"There are opposing forces who claim, by a philosophical difference of the interpretation of the law, what places do that are dispensing models of some kind are inherently illegal because it steps outside of the patient-caregiver relationship," Lowell said. "What they are trying to say is that is the only situation in which you can dispense within, however that would mean that patients would have to go for long periods of time before they can get to any medicine."

"The whole point of the law is to provide a broad set of protections to allow for people to help facilitate -- to get this medicine to the patients -- and you have to do that in reasonable amounts."

Lowell said it typically takes

four to six months for caregivers to grow the product and, during those times in between harvesting, patients can get medicine at the dispensary.

"What we do here is absolutely above board, and everything we do here carries out the spirit and intent of this law and the spirit and intent of what voters overwhelmingly approved in 2008 and that is all that we do here," Lowell said. "We do not step outside of the parameters of this Michigan Medical Marijuana Act."

Day argues, however, that before businesses such as dispensaries are given free license to administer provisions set forth in the MMMA, some of the issues need to be tested in court, including how to verify the initial doctor-patient relationship that way Michigan can avoid "pot-docs."

"The reality is the law says it still is illegal. You can still get arrested, still get prosecuted, and you can still get brought to trial," Day said. "But then you have to prove in court, by evidence, that you are in fact using it for medical purposes. (The MMMA) gives you a defense, but it doesn't prevent you from being arrested or keeping you from going to trial."

Lowell, interestingly enough, agrees that the issues surrounding the MMMA need to be weighed in court in a civil manner rather than conducting any more police raids like in Oakland County.

"They want to paint this as being very vague and gray areas and difficult to understand," Lowell said. "And there are things that people wish could have been made a little more directly clear. But, that being said, the patient needs a place to safely get medicine and if you interpret (the act) that it's OK to have patients go without their medicine, that does not fit into the whole spirit and intent of this law."

Through such groups as the Michigan Association of Compassion Centers, Lowell hopes to be able to provide legal help to patients who are in trouble.

"Some of these people in positions of power don't take this seriously as health care," Lowell said. "There needs to be a means where we are aware of these things and we can help by getting the proper lawyer in the right positions to either defend somebody or sue somebody."

"That's the way we are going to get the spirit of this law fulfilled. That's not what we would like to do. We would rather do it through communication and education."



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HALBERSTADT, DON, ALD, 75, of Eolia, KY, passed away Friday, September 24, 2010 at Whitesburg Appalachian Regional Healthcare Center Services were held at **Lotcher Funeral Home Chapel** Monday, September 27, 2010. Burial was in Ballard Collier Cemetery, Eolia, KY. He was born on March 9, 1935 in Romulus, MI. The son of the late Arthur and Helen Slott Halberstadt. He retired from Draw Tite. Before he became ill, he liked going to North deer hunting, picking, morrell, mushroom, attending J Bar J Rodeo, and roller skating with family and friends. He was a member of the Milan Moose Lodge #335. He was raised in Milan, MI, married Alice Fay Collier Halberstadt on November 24, 1965 in Belleville, MI where they lived till residing in Eolia, KY. She survives. Also surviving are two sons, Donald Halberstadt Jr. and Ronald Halberstadt, both of Eolia, KY; two daughters, Lynda Paul Vandoren of Cottonwood, AZ and Mary (Robert) Straub of Dundee, MI; one sister, Loretta (Robert) Watson of Mesick, MI; five grandchildren; seven great grandchildren along with a host of other relatives, and friends to mourn his passing. He was preceded in death by his parents, one brother, Marvin Halberstadt, and one sister, Mary Evelyn Witcomb.



PARKER, ROBERT C., of Chelsea, Michigan, age 63, died Wednesday, September 29, 2010 at his home with his wife and dog. He was born January 2, 1947 in Nashville, Tennessee, the son of Robert C. and Sara Lynn Parker Sr. Bob had lived in Chelsea since 2002, coming from Gallatin, TN. Bob worked at Rockwell in Chelsea. After moving to Tennessee, he worked for Insteel in Gallatin. Bob owned his own stripping and refinishing shop in Gallatin for 11 years. He worked at Lowes, then Chelsea Lumber after moving back to Chelsea. Bob was a member of the Gallatin United Methodist Church. He was a former Mason and Shriner. On February 4, 1978, he married Wanda Schiller in Chelsea, and she survives. Other survivors include his mother, Sara Parker; two sons, Patrick Parker, Mike Parker; his mother in law, Ginnie Schiller of Chelsea; his brother, Bill Parker; his sister, Connie Pawdy; several grandchildren and one nephew. Funeral Services were held Saturday, October 2, 2010 at **Cole Funeral Chapel**, with Eric Hansen officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove East Cemetery, Chelsea. The family received friends Friday. Memorial contributions may be made to the family.



KEEPING, GAYLE ELIZA BETH, died peacefully Sunday following a battle with cancer, surrounded by her loving family. She was 59. Born Feb. 6, 1951 in Shreveport, LA. Gayle grew up in an Air Force family. She spent her childhood on military bases in cities throughout the U.S. and abroad before attending Louisiana State University. On Feb. 1, 1972, she married Alan Keeping, her husband of 38 years, who survives. Also surviving are their three daughters, Laura (husband Andy), Juliana (husband Mark), and Emily (husband Kyle); three loving grandchildren, Anna, Drew and Laila; Gayle's beloved puppy girl Isabelle; her brothers, John (wife Myra) and Steve (wife Sarah); and many in-laws, nieces, nephews and great friends. Gayle was preceded in death by her loving parents, John and Audrey Hamburg and parents in law Ronald and Margaret Keeping. Gayle faced the past year and a half with strength, courage, humor and grace. While she exuded these attributes throughout her life, cancer only intensified her best defining qualities. Her sense of fun and of adventure was as strong as ever. In between treatments, she used every moment to plan from wedding and baby showers for her daughters to coffees and dinners with friends and family. She fulfilled her dream to tour Italy and Ireland and began again to ride horses (especially Black Jack). She doted on her garden and read voraciously. Gayle made a point to spend lots of time with her grandchildren who knew her as Gigi or "My best friend Geedee". Anna: Many will also remember her for her sense of humor, not to mention her signature scarves. Gayle worked at the University of Michigan in the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, where she enjoyed the camaraderie with her colleagues. She was a fabulous mother, a devoted wife and a caring friend. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center. Please specify in support of Dr. Susan Urbas esophageal cancer research, 2800 Plymouth Road, Bldg. 100 Ann Arbor, MI 48104. The family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, October 7, 2010 at the **Nie Family Funeral Home**, Liberty Road Chapel, 3767 W. Liberty Road, Ann Arbor. Visitation will continue at the funeral home on Friday, October 8, 2010 from 10 a.m. until the time of funeral service at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Oakwood Cemetery, Saline.



KITTENDORF, WILLIAM HENRY, age 87, of Manchester, passed away at home on October 5, 2010 after a long bout with cancer. He was born October 23, 1922 to Lewis and Selma (Ott) Kittendorf on their farm in Taylor, Michigan. He married Doris Krueger in 1949 and they enjoyed 61 years together. Bill and Doris lived 30 years on part of his father's farm, and while Bill always loved farming, he worked in the construction industry, lumber and concrete. A licensed builder, he built 6 homes during his lifetime and farmed when he should have rested. In Taylor, he was a member of St. Paul United Church of Christ where he served two terms as financial secretary. After his retirement in 1980 at 57, he moved his family to 40 acres in Manchester where he built a home, a barn and a workshop, and though his farming tools were outdated, he said he'd farm like the Amish. He was pleased when people would stop and take a picture of him using his old machinery in the fields. He loved to plow the land and see things grow. He spent many happy hours in his woodlot clearing fallen trees and planting new ones. In Manchester, Bill was a member of the Farm Bureau and Emanuel United Church of Christ. He leaves a loving family wife, Doris (daughters, Joanne, David, Duff of Houston, Texas; Barbara, Jamie, Rickerson of Clayton, North Carolina; granddaughters, Erin (Nicholas) Martin of Howell, Michigan, Claire Kane and Shannon Kane of North Carolina; he also leaves his sister, Ann Ritchie of Dexter, as well as many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Lewis Junior and Calvin. The family will receive friends at **Borek Jennings Funeral Home, Jenier Chapel** in Manchester on Thursday and Friday, October 7 and 8 from 2 to 9 p.m. A Funeral Service will be held at the Emanuel United Church of Christ on Saturday, October 9, 2010 beginning at 10 a.m. with Reverend Gary Kwiatek and Bill's nephew, Reverend Robert Kittendorf, officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Cemetery in Manchester. In Bill's honor memorial donations may be given to Emanuel United Church of Christ. Please sign Mr. Kittendorf's guestbook at www.borekjennings.com or leave a message of comfort for his family by calling 877-231-7900.

LESSER, JERRY M., of Grass Lake formerly of Chelsea, age 74, passed away unexpectedly, September 30, 2010. He is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Pat; daughters, Wendy (Greg) Need and Leanna Shouse; grandchildren, Jerry Lee, Joshua, Samantha and Miguel; Jerry was preceded in death by his parents, Melvin and Catherine Lesser. Jerry had a passion for farming and spending time with his family. He will be remembered for his generosity and great sense of humor. Funeral Services were conducted 11 a.m. Monday, October 4, 2010 at **Sherwood Funeral Home**, Grass Lake with Rev. Chuck McNeil officiating. Interment Pleasant Grove Cemetery, Munith. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. John's United Church of Christ, Grass Lake. Please sign Jerry's guest book at sherwoodfh.com.

SCULLY, MICHAEL ANTHONY, age 69, a lifetime resident of Manchester, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, September 29, 2010, at his home under the loving care of his family, and Arbor Hospice. Mike was born on December 31, 1940 in Manchester the son of Leo and Dorothy (Preplow) Scully. On January 5, 1963, he married Marjorie Heber in Manchester and she survives. Mike was employed by Double A Products and Dan's Westside Automotive and had been retired since 2001. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Knights of Columbus, American Legion Post 117, was a former Fire Chief of the Manchester Township Fire Department and a Veteran of the U.S. Army. Mike will be remembered by many for his witty charm and great smile that could brighten any room. In addition to his wife, Marjorie, Mike is survived by his loving children, William (Robin) Scully of Manchester, Sara (Tracy) Lay of Huntersville, NC, siblings, Rosemary (Douglas) Elfring of Saline, James (Eunice) Scully of Hunterstown, IN, Sally Eyestone of Wellington, OH, grandchildren, Nick and Brandon Scully of Manchester, Ainsley, Nicholas and Owen Lay of Huntersville, NC. He was preceded in death by his parents, brother, William Scully, and brother-in-law, Donald Eyestone. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be given to Arbor Hospice or the Dutchmen Firefighters Association. Envelopes will be available at **Borek Jennings Funeral Home, Jenier Chapel**, Manchester, where the family will receive friends on Saturday, October 2, 2010 from 6 to 8 p.m. and also on Sunday, October 3, 2010 from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. with a Vigil Service on Sunday night beginning at 7:30 p.m. The Funeral Mass will take place on Monday, October 4, 2010 at St. Mary Roman Catholic Church in Manchester beginning at 10:30 a.m. with Reverend Father Timothy D. Krzyzaniak officiating. Interment will take place at a later date. Please leave a message of comfort for Mike's family by calling 877-231-7900 or sign his guestbook at www.borekjennings.com.

HVA to hold flu clinics

Washtenaw County Public Health and Huron Valley Ambulance will host Washtenaw County's third annual drive-through flu shot clinic.

The clinic will provide the all-in-one flu shot available this year and allow people to stay in their cars while they receive their shots.

The clinic will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Oct. 30 at Huron Valley Ambulance, 1200 State Circle in Ann Arbor.

At the clinic, health department nurses and HVA paramedics will administer flu shots in one of HVA's drive-through garage bays.

Inside the garage, two health care teams will screen visitors, collect payment and administer shots in a "pit crew" style while people remain in their cars.

The clinic is only for those 18 years old and up. Flu shots are \$20, payable by cash only. Medicare Part B and Medicaid will also be accepted with appropriate identification.

Visitors are asked to dress to

allow easy access to your upper arms. No pets allowed in cars due to safety concerns.

Influenza, commonly called the "flu," is a contagious respiratory illness caused by influenza viruses that can cause mild to severe illness.

The best way to prevent the flu is by getting a flu vaccination every year. This year, the CDC is recommending a flu shot for everyone over the age of 6 months.

After visitors get their shots, they will receive a trick or treat goodie bag and a map to neighboring south side businesses.

Visitors to those businesses can get a free car wash, collect stickers for chances to win a flat screen television and other prizes and let the kids go "trick or treating."

For more information about the goodie bag, visit <http://annarborsouthside.com> or email southsidebiz@gmail.com.

For more flu clinic information, call Washtenaw County Public Health at 544-6700.

Museum receives grant

The Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum was recently awarded a \$35,000 grant to provide financial assistance to schools through the Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum's Discover Science Assistance Fund.

The PNC Foundation, which receives its principal funding from the PNC Financial Services Group, made the grant award.

The Discover Science Assistance Fund provides reduced museum admission to schools and supports a reduced fee lab to complement a field trip. Labs at the Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum deliver a 45-minute, instructor-led, hands-on activity on a science subject selected by the teacher.

The Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum has strong relationships with many school districts

and is aware of many schools who are in need of assistance, said Mel Drumum, Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum executive director, in a news release.

"The grant award from the PNC Foundation helps us extend our reach within the community to those schools and students in need."

The Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum will collaborate with area school districts with low to moderate income, social service organizations, higher education and family centers in surrounding communities to facilitate field trip scholarships made possible by the grant award.

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2011 Honda Odyssey

Minivan looks with car-like handling



By Malcolm Gunn
Autobase '10-11

With the sound of tires squealing and the aroma of freshly cooked rubber and brake linings hanging in the air, I quickly realize that no minivan will ever be driven this way. Ever.

Where's Honda's logic in setting up an impromptu parking-lot race track to drive the wheels off ... a minivan?

At this very moment, the PR types supervising this most unusual of scenarios are likely wondering if flinging the new Odyssey through the cones course merely seemed like a good idea at the time. As it turns out, though, the point is that a minivan can actually drive like a European touring sedan and not just in a straight line on gridded city streets.

It's a good distinction from stereotypical minivans, especially when those stereotypical minivans aren't really selling.

Minivan sales in North America peaked a few years ago before taking a bit of a dive. They have remained fairly stagnant of late, causing some automakers, notably General Motors and Ford, to abandon the category. Of those remaining, however, Toyota and Nissan appear to be taking radical styling departures in what has traditionally been a category of bread-and-butter toaster-shaped vehicles. So is Honda.

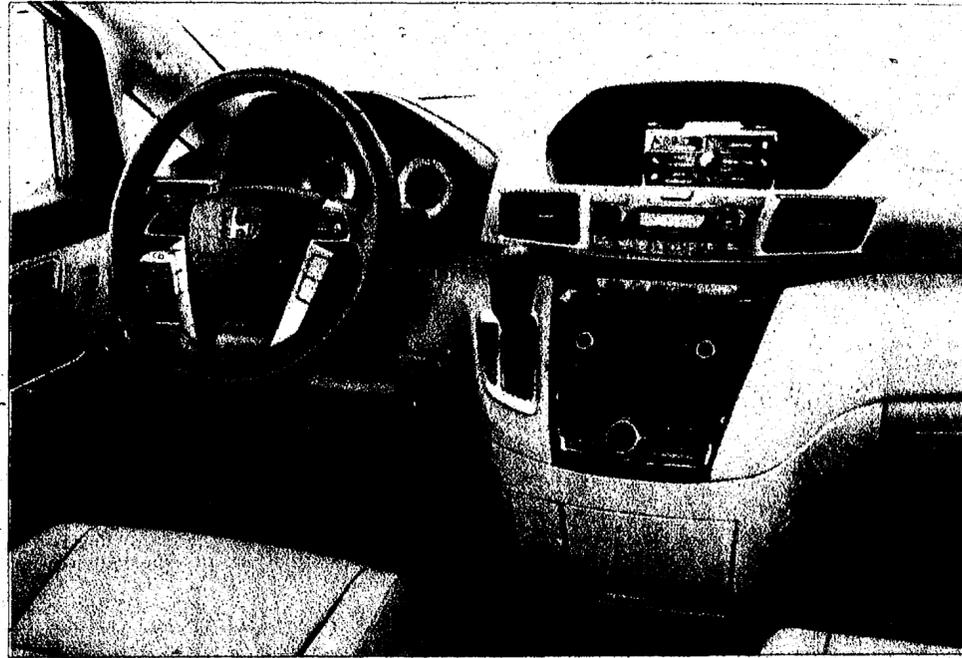
Both the new and old Odyssey are differentiated by an unusual hitch in the bodywork behind the sliding side doors. Honda calls it a "light-

ning bolt" effect that's supposed to increase third-row passenger visibility. That might be true, but from certain angles it's as if the rear third of the Odyssey's body is misaligned with the front two-thirds. Fortunately the sharp-looking grille, the neatly tapered rear roof pillar and the more pronounced front fenders help make the Odyssey's wider (by 1.4 inches) stance look planted and even aggressive.

The distance between the front and rear wheels remains unaltered from the 2010 model, but overall length has been modestly increased and the ride height is a bit lower.

Significant care and attention has been expended in upgrading Odyssey's interior. The floor console can be removed, the second-row high-back bucket seats (or available three-person bench) can be either folded or removed and the third-row seat can be collapsed into the load floor more easily to maximize cargo room.

The Odyssey's 3.5-liter V6 is mostly a carryover piece but, as a result of numerous small improvements, it has gained four more horsepower (now 248) and a touch more torque. The engine's standard variable cylinder management program seamlessly cuts out two or three of the cylinders (depending on load conditions) and helps contribute to significant fuel-economy gains. LX, EX and EX-L Odysseys equipped with the five-speed automatic transmission are now rated at 18/27 mpg city/highway (previously 16 and 23). Meanwhile the Touring edition's six-speed automatic helps increase those numbers to



The center stack looks a bit top heavy, but up high is likely the best place for the shifter since a pass-through gap allows the driver to move across the vehicle.

19/28 (compared to the previous 17/25 rating).

Fuel-economy gains aside, the Odyssey drives flatter and truer than the outgoing version with much reduced body roll in the turns. Odyssey's engineers stayed with belt-driven hydraulic power steering and not electric, which the say generally

tends to feel a bit numb and slow to react in some driving situations.

Base models that ring in at \$28,600 carry all of the essentials plus a power driver's seat, keyless entry and cruise control. From that point, the sky is the limit, culminating with the \$44,000 Touring Elite with its self-leveling headlights, giant (in car terms,

anyway) 16.2-inch rear-video screen and a 650-watt 12-speaker surround sound system.

No matter the Odyssey you pick, this minivan is bound to deliver the goods as well as a nearly unbeatable minivan driving experience that is definitely better than par for the (race) course.

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Purple Rose Theatre celebrates 20 years

By Daniel Lai

Twenty years ago, local resident and Hollywood actor Jeff Daniels had a vision to turn an old bus garage on Park Street in downtown Chelsea into a professional performance theater. With the help of family and a few skeptical friends, Daniels did just that.

Originally known as the Garage Theatre, the Purple Rose Theatre officially opened its doors to the public in 1991.

"I wanted a professional theater company, featuring Midwestern actors, directors, designers and playwrights, situated in the middle of America, producing plays about the middle of America. People, of course, thought I was an idiot," Daniels said. "From the local critics who wanted the latest shows from New York starring my 'movie star friends' to the townspeople who thought art was someone who lived out by the highway, no one could understand what I was trying to do. It made no sense, except to all those local actors, directors, designers, and especially playwrights, who call the Midwest their home."

Now, with its 20th season set to open Oct. 14, the Purple Rose has established a formidable name for itself across the country, and Daniels and Guy Sanville, the Purple Rose's artistic director, are promising fans a year of excitement and surprises.

Comedy is the best medicine

The season opens with a new original play written by Daniels called "Best of Friends."

"The play touches on the theme of friendships and how they come and go, often in different directions," Daniels said.

Set in a small Michigan town, the plot revolves around two married couples as they try to navigate through their friendship.

"Two of the couples make the transition from friends to close friends, and in this case, it's too close for comfort," Daniels said.

Though the new play is a comedy, Daniels said it touches on a lot of issues that everyone faces on a daily basis.

"Friendship is like a treasure — sometimes the best thing is to bury it," Daniels said.

"Best of Friends" will run from Oct. 14 through Dec. 18, followed by "Corktown" by Michael Brian Ogden, "Some Couple's May" by Carey Crim, and "Consider the Oyster" by David MacGregor.

"We have a great line up this season," Sanville said. "There's a lot of world class talent that comes through these doors."

Sanville said the Purple Rose always has been a place that fosters creativity and gives emerging actors a stage to showcase their talent.

"When I was first hired as artistic director, Jeff told me, 'This is your house, now live in it.' That's the type of approach we take at the Purple Rose," he said. "The Purple Rose is a creative home for a lot of people. We've had Pulitzer Prize actors and actors who are just starting out in the field working with us."

Along with the diverse cast and crewmembers over the years, the theater has also had a wide variety of shows.

"Something that we're always looking for when we chose a play is humor," Sanville said. "More often than not, we get comments from audience members talking about how they connected with a character or a scene in a particular play."

Daniels agrees. "Most of the shows have some relevance to our own lives," he said. "People are going to recognize themselves on the stage when they come to see 'Best of Friends.'"

Daniels said when choosing a script, the hardest part is stepping outside his role as actor and writer, and looking at the script as an audience member.

"Unpredictability is the best type of storytelling," he said. "I like being able to flip through the first 10 pages of a script and not know what's going to happen next."

Daniels himself has written 12 plays for the Purple Rose, all of which have been warmly received by audiences.

"Songs and plays are similar. They can be written in two minutes or take 20 years," he said.

Daniels said when he first started writing, his scripts would often turn into a jumbled mix of 80 to 100 pages of text.

"Today, I'm quicker to hit the delete button," he joked.

Daniels said all of his scripts go through three phases before audiences see the final production.

"The first draft no one sees," he said. "The second draft pares down the characters and develops the beginning, middle and end. After that, the director gets the polished third draft and he takes it from there."

As "Best of Friends" begins its nightly rehearsals, Daniels is eagerly anticipating opening night.

"I tend not to attend rehearsals because I don't want the director looking over his shoulder because I am in the room," he said. "You have to be really good about getting out of the way and letting the director do his thing."

The Purple Rose Family

Over the course of its 20-year history, Daniels and Sanville said the Purple Rose's enduring characteristic has been its ability to leave a lasting impression on the actors, staff, administration, apprentices, board members and audiences who have come through its doors.

"You can't walk around here and not run into someone that was a former apprentice," Sanville said. "It's like a big family here."

The Purple Rose prides itself in offering workshops in acting, directing, playwriting, stage combat, and voice and movement to help actors and potential actors expand their growth in the arts.

"When I went to New York, no one told me how to do any of this



Jeff Daniels and Guy Sanville go over a scene in last year's "Escanaba," the third part of a comedic series written by Daniels about life in Michigan's Upper Peninsula.

stuff," Daniels said. "I wanted these programs at the PRTC so actors could come here and learn critical skills without having to go across the country."

Sanville said he enjoys watching the progress of actors as they return time and time again to the Purple Rose stage.

"Everyone has to try. What is great is sitting back and watching these actors get better," he said. "Even the veteran actors we stretch and test."

"The great thing about theater is that is an adventure into the unknown."

And for those just testing the waters, Daniels and Sanville offer words of encouragement.

"You have to believe in yourself," Daniels said. "The Purple Rose classes are designed for people who don't know if performing arts are for them. We teach a lot here, and students find out

pretty quickly what their level of talent is. When I first started off, the only one in New York who believed in me was me."

Sanville said everyone should have the courage to follow his or her dreams, despite opposition.

"I have a 12-year-old daughter, and I tell her beware of the naysayers," he said. "Your parents want what is best for you, but sometimes you have to do what makes you happy."

"Life is an adventure and you have to pursue what you are passionate about."

A new year, a new look

In preparation for the theater's upcoming season, the Purple Rose staff has been hard at work renovating the theater's 162

seats, carpeting and bathrooms.

"The renovation is part of our 10-year plan," Daniels said. "We really aimed the renovation to accommodate our audiences and bring them a comfortable theater experience."

Alan Ribant, the theater's managing director, said the overall cost of the renovation was \$57,000. Most of the upgrades were paid with proceeds from various fundraisers, along with ticket sales.

"We figured it was time to spruce up the building," he said. Ribant said the staff immediately went to work once "Boeing-Boeing" closed Sept. 11 to have everything in place for opening night Oct. 14.

"We had to follow a pretty strict schedule in order to be ready by October," he said.

"We're also having a dress rehearsal gala event for the first

time at the PRTC, so we had to be ready for that, as well."

Ribant said fundraisers and donations are critical to the survival of nonprofit theaters.

"Fundraising plays a big part in what we can do here," he said.

Two fundraisers are planned for Oct. 10 and Nov. 14. On Oct. 10, patrons can get a backstage pass to a dress rehearsal of "Best of Friends." The gala, hosted by Sheila and Steve Hamp, includes wine, appetizers and dinner with Daniels and the cast of the play.

To register for the fundraiser, call 433-7782.

What the future holds

As the lights of the Purple Rose continue to shine brightly, its administration and staff are excited for what the future may hold.

"I'd like to see support in terms of funding increase. I'd also like to see the Purple Rose continue to put out excellent shows and continue to do what we do so well," Daniels said.

"Twenty years ago, I wasn't thinking we'd be here as long as we were. I hope we have plenty of years ahead of us."

Ribant agreed.

"We had over 40,000 people this past season and it was a record year for us, breaking the \$1 million mark with ticket sales," he said. "I'm happy that the theater has survived and I'm looking forward to another 20 years or more."

"It has been a dream come true to have this job for as long as I have."

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October is fair trade month

By Kevin Frahm
Guest Writer

Editor's note: This is the first in a four-part series outlining the importance of fair trade during the month of October.

October is Fair Trade Month. What does that mean? Who is involved? These are all good questions.

Here at The Mission Marketplace in Chelsea, we've been involved in the fair trade business for about five years now, and one of the beautiful things about this movement is its collaborative, grassroots-based growth. The first thing I can tell you is that there are many people involved in the movement. Over the next few weeks, I am going to share stories of a few of the faces of the fair trade movement.

Yunuke Ogondi is a Kenyan artisan working with Kisi stone. Kisi stone is a specific type of soapstone found in Kenya. When Ogondi is not at work she loves to dance and sing in her church choir. Along with her husband and eight children, she lives in the Tabaka area of Kenya.

While Ogondi's husband is a carpenter by trade, the lack of jobs has left her family dependant on Yukune's income to survive. She enjoys working with Kisi stone, and her employment as part of a fair trade group

allows her to make enough money to feed her family traditional meals of ugali and uchi, and also pay for her children's schooling at the local schools.

Manish Gupta has a professional background in engineering and operations. Gupta earned his master's degree in operations management from the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. Though he found his professional life enriched, he felt this lifestyle kept him distant from his vision of leveraging commerce to uplift the underprivileged people of the world. He was inspired with the conscious application of fair trade to facilitate development and progress, and took some time off to travel within rural India.

He met a number of artisans and realized that they needed help.

"There is so much sadness in those hands that create such beautiful things," Gupta said.

Not only were these people suffering, but a number of traditional art forms were fading away. He realized he could use his skills and opportunities to create a difference in their lives, and at the same time create a fulfilling path for him. That is when he decided to form a wholesale company with the mission of empowering underprivileged people in the world by reinforcing local economies through just

and responsible practices.

"This has been an enjoyable journey", he said.

He has had the opportunity to work with a number of great people in the fair trade industry, learning something from each one of them.

"We are making a difference in lives of artisans everyday and, at the same time, engaging more and more people in this movement of social responsibility," he said.

While we are excited to look deeper into our role in fair trade arena, our real desire is to engage the community. If you're one consumer of fair trade products, we thank you, and, more importantly, we encourage you to join this movement of social and economic justice, locally and globally and invite you to become a fair trade ambassador.

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Chelsea brewery project gets underway

Grass Lake resident and brewmaster Chris Martinson is hosting an informational meeting at 10 a.m. Oct. 23 for potential investors in the Chelsea Alehouse Project.

Martinson, home brewer and biochemist, will give a short presentation highlighting his business plan and the reasons for investing in the brewery to be located in Chelsea. Martinson has been in the research and planning phase of the brewery for the last two years and anticipates the final steps of capital formation will be completed in the next three to five months.

Martinson said he has a passion for brewing, a background in science, and is a ceramic artist as well. "Brewing is both a craft and a science which is why it appeals to me. While I enjoy making great beer, more importantly I've drafted a sound business plan tailored to the community of Chelsea and I have the knowledge and network to make the brewery a reality," he said.

The brewing industry in Michigan has been growing steadily over the years. The total production in 2009 was 10 percent higher compared with 2008.

"The numbers will speak for themselves, but just in case folks question my brewing skills, I'm sending everyone home with a bottle of what I'm calling 'profit share pale ale' so that they

can sample the product I am asking them to invest in," Martinson said.

For more information e-mail Martinson at info@chelsealehouse.com or visit the website at www.chelsealehouse.com

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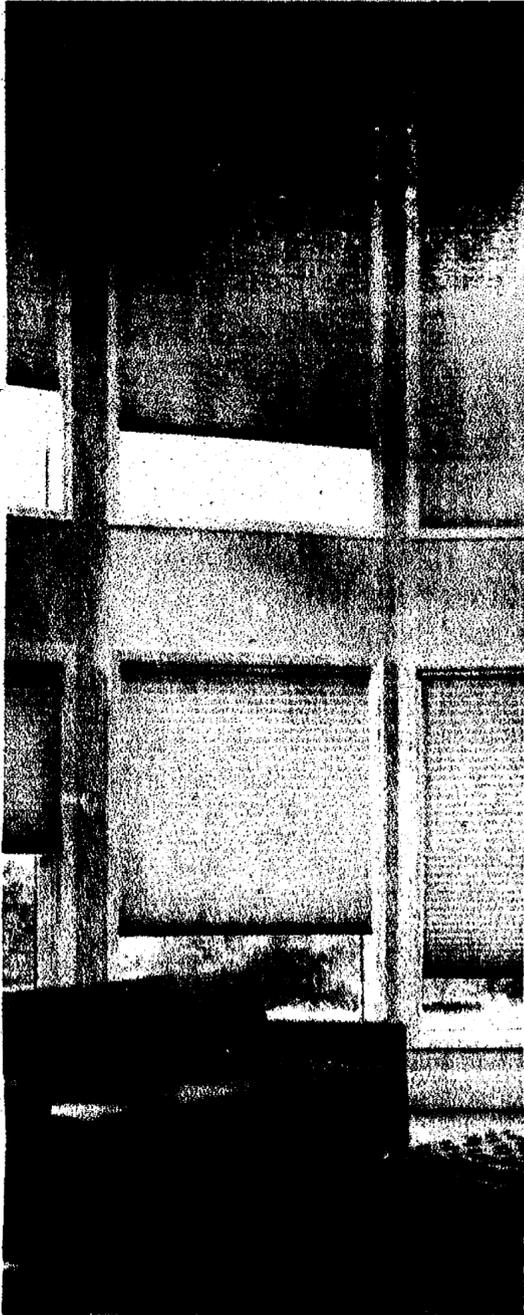
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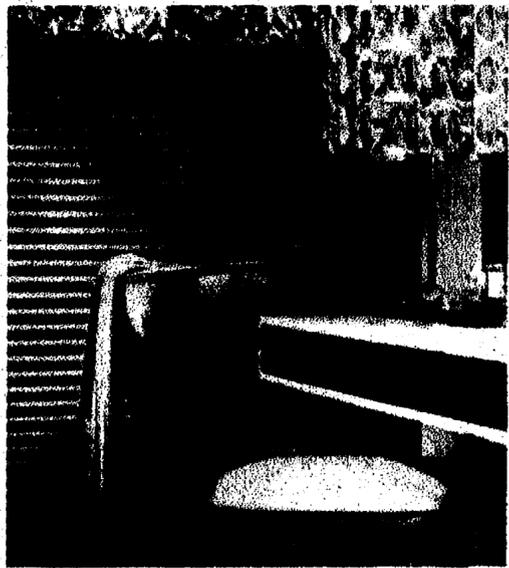
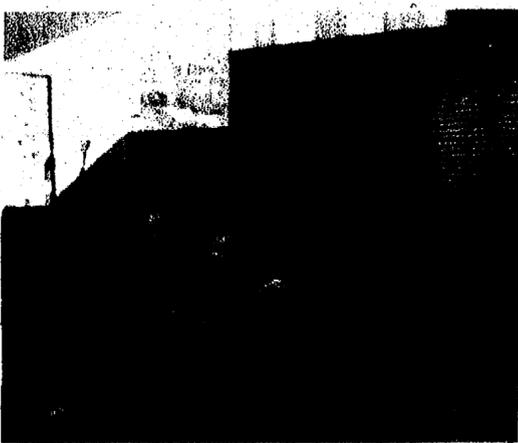
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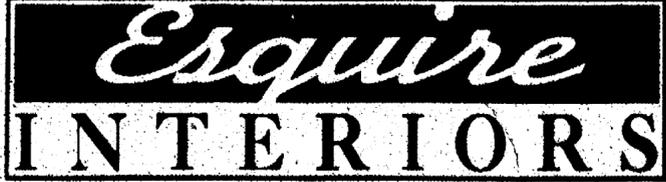
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Photo by Kelly Flaherty

A host of priests from all over the world celebrates the Eucharist and give thanks for the 50 years of St. Louis Center's service to the residents of Washenaw County and the State of Michigan.

CENTER

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privacy areas for parents and therapists to meet with residents, as well as conference room space for larger meetings and training sessions.

At noon, the Servants of Charity priests joined Bishop Mengeling, Monsignor Steven Raica, and Rev. William J. Turner, pastor of St. Mary, for a celebration mass to honor the 50 years of St. Louis Center.

Following Mass, guests entered St. Mary Parish Hall and experienced a beautiful room that had been transformed into an exquisite dining room filled with white flowers, white linens, a classical pianist and guitarist, and twinkling lights to set the scene. During the reception, guests enjoyed 50 years of St. Louis Center in photos, followed by the celebration dinner provided by the Chelsea Grill and Chef Dan Tesin of the

Campus Inn in Ann Arbor.

As dessert was being served, Emcee Joseph Yekulis led the crowd in a birthday tribute to Father Bill Turner, who was celebrating his 60th birthday on the same day. After an introduction of the dignitaries present, the tributes began, and presentations were made by Dr. Marco Nobili, Italian consul of Detroit, U.S. Rep. Mark Shauer, D-District 7, state Rep. Pam Byrnes, County Commissioner Mark Ouimet, Chelsea Mayor Jason Lindauer, and Chelsea School Board member Rob Turner.

Following the legislative tributes, Father Joseph Rinaldo, SdC, former administrator of St. Louis Center, presented "Legacy Award" tributes to families who have been involved with St. Louis Center for 50 years, going back three generations. These families included the Koenn Family of Chelsea, the Fitzgibbons Family of Jackson, and the Holmes

Family of Chelsea Milling in Chelsea.

The 50th anniversary celebration committee, chaired by Al and Pat Zangara, spent more than a year planning this event, and included the five priests of St. Louis Center: William J. Turner, Julie Ballow, Richard Biggs, Larry Grant, Judy Merkel, Norm Neuman, Frank and Sharon Pignatelli, Pat Valaer, and Joseph Yekulis. The Knights of Columbus 4th Degree Color Corps from Cardinal O'Hara Assembly also assisted during the ground-breaking and the mass.

To view additional photos for the 50th anniversary event, please visit the St. Louis Center website at www.stlouiscen.org.

The next two planned events will be a "Tribute to Johnny Trudell" benefitting St. Louis Center on November 5, and the 23rd annual dinner auction at Chelsea Community Hospital on Nov. 6.

Spinners Flock turns 30

The Spinner's Flock in Chelsea will celebrate their 30th anniversary at their meeting Oct. 9. The group will meet at the Washington Street Education Center from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Members are encouraged to bring pictures, projects, and samples of their early spinning to the meeting. The group is quite unique because of its size and longevity. Michigan is an

important fiber producing and processing state especially for wool but also for alpaca, mohair, and other fibers.

In 1980 a small group of individuals interested in the ancient art of spinning fiber got together to form a group call The Spinner's Flock. Since then the group has grown to over 200 active members.

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group of enthusiastic, friendly, and welcoming individualists who practice and promote the art and craft of hand spinning, while spreading the word on the wonders of Michigan grown fibers. In addition to those who raise the various breeds of sheep, membership now also includes those who raise angora goats (mohair), llama, alpaca, silk worms, and angora rabbits.

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CROP Walk helps hungry



Submitted photo
Larry Weidmayer and Chuck Koch of Covenant Church participate in the CROP Walk.

The Chelsea/Dexter CROP Hunger Walk took place on Oct. 3. Nearly 100 people walked around Chelsea on 1 or 5 mile routes to raise money to help fight hunger and poverty. Pledges totaled more than \$20,000, but co-coordinator Kathie Gourlay said the final total always exceeds the amount pledged on the day

of the event. Eleven organizations from Chelsea and Dexter participated. Church World Service, an international charity, sponsors CROP Hunger Walks. However, 15 percent of the money raised in the Chelsea/Dexter walk will go to Faith in Action and will stay in the community.

Chelsea extends operating hours

By Lisa Allmendinger
Staff Writer

In an effort to better serve residents of Chelsea, city office hours will be extended until 6 p.m. on Tuesdays beginning Nov. 1.

The new office hours are Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. On Tuesdays, the city offices will be open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

"The staff believes the hours will allow for better customer service given (the) significant feedback regarding lack of evening hours," according to an agenda item summary from Terri Royal, the city's clerk treasurer.

The change also falls in line with the city's goals and objectives for 2010-2011, according to the memo.

Included in the reasons for the change are extended hours for residents, business owners, and customers, who are required to show their identification for new service or changes to current utility

services known as "Federal Red Flag" rules.

Since the city council and the planning commission meet on Tuesday nights, this will allow for additional staff and availability of resources on those nights, the summary states.

The change will mean 45 office hours per week.

According to the memo, the busiest times of the day are from 10 a.m. to noon.

In addition, city office employees will reduce lunches from one hour to a half hour to retain a four-hour schedule, the memo states.

Staff will give the city council a report detailing energy and utility savings, customer feedback, and any other issues with the changes at the end of the current fiscal year.

Chelsea Mayor Jason Lindauer has new office hours as well. He will be in his office on Monday and Friday from 8 to 9:30 a.m.

Lisa Allmendinger can be reached at lallmendinger@heritage.com or at 1-734-433-1052.

CHELSEA

Ham dinner set

The monthly dinner for October at St. Andrew's United Church of Christ is ham and scalloped potatoes. Serving begins at 5 p.m. today.

The church is located at 7610 Ann Arbor St. and parking and entrance to the social hall are behind the church on Fourth Street. Adult dinners are \$8 and children 5 and older are \$5. Take-out dinners are available. Tickets are

available at the door. Times, costs, and admission for this dinner is different from the annual sauerkraut supper, which will take place on Oct. 21.

For that event, advance tickets are required. Tickets will be on sale during the ham dinner and also at the church, Dexter Pharmacy on Baker Road and Dexter Card and Gifts.

Think twice before joining gold rush

By Diane Kieliszewski
Guest Writer

In recent months, you may have heard a lot about investing in gold. But is gold the right choice for you? Actually, many factors are involved in this investment decision — and you'll want to consider these factors before you invest. Of course, the lure of gold is undeniable.

Throughout history, gold has been perceived as having great intrinsic value. And this year, as you may know, gold prices have hit record highs, at well over \$1,200 an ounce, as people have sought "shelter" from the stormy financial markets.

But as an investment possibility, gold has some "scratches" to it. First of all, contrary to what you may believe, gold prices do not always go up; instead, they will fluctuate, sometimes greatly. Furthermore, there are specific risks with the different ways of investing in gold.

If you bought a gold futures contract (an obligation to buy gold at a predetermined future date and price), you could lose money if gold falls, because you'll still be obligated to complete your contract at the higher, agreed upon price.

If you purchased gold in the form of coins, bullion or bars, you'd face storage, security, insurance and liquidity issues.

You need to do a lot of research before investing in gold mining companies, because some of these companies may still be in the gold exploring stage — and there's no guarantee their explorations will lead to profitable discoveries.

Also, even when its price is considerably lower than it is today, gold is still a fairly expensive investment compared to other choices. It can be costly to go into the gold futures market. And you'll likely have to spend thousands of dollars if you want to buy a bar of gold or even a bunch of coins.

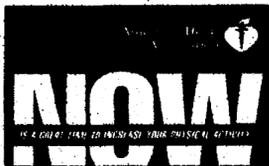
Given these drawbacks to investing in gold, what can you do to fight back against market volatility? One of the best ways is to diversify your holdings among a variety of investments suitable for your financial objectives.

Market downturns often affect one type of asset class more than another, so if you can spread your dollars among a variety of asset classes, you can help blunt the effects of volatility. Keep in mind, though, that diversification, by itself, cannot guarantee a profit or

protect against loss. In coping with volatility, you'll also help yourself by taking a long-term view of your investments' performance. If you look at your investment statement for a given month, you might not like what you see. But holding your investments for the long term may help your portfolio better weather the ups and downs you'll encounter in the investment world.

So try to avoid the allure of gold as a "quick fix" to whatever seems to be ailing the financial markets at a particular time. Other investments may be less glitzy and glamorous than gold, but they can have their own sparkle.

This article was written by Edward Jones for use by local financial advisor Diane Kieliszewski, 134 W. Middle St., Suite B., Chelsea, MI, 48118.



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CAWF off to a strong start with grants

Editor's note: This is the first installment of a monthly series outlining the goals and projects of the Chelsea-Area Wellness Foundation in Chelsea, Manchester, Grass Lake, and the surrounding areas.

By Amy Heydlauff

When was the last time something big — really big, took over your entire town? I'm not talking about a flood or locusts or a spate of robberies. I am talking about something good. Something almost everyone cared about, regardless of his or her age, political persuasion, or annual income.

How about high school football, swimming, or wrestling fever? What about a famous visitor or boat races

in the lake near the business district?

As a spokesperson for the Chelsea-Area Wellness Foundation, I am going to try to make the case that an entire town can get excited about one thing. In fact, it's more fun if the entire town is involved and it's more likely to make a difference.

Case in point: Albert Lea, Minn. In 2009 they teamed up with a foundation to make it easier for anyone who wanted to choose healthy options to have those options. The local service clubs, schools, businesses, municipalities, churches, libraries, health care providers, and anyone else who wanted to, came together to decide what they should do to improve the community's health.

They didn't sit around thinking about it too long, either. In less than 90 days

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they developed and implemented their plan. They started dozens of walking groups with one neighborhood challenging another or church A against church B to see who could log the most trips by foot.

Grocery stores increased visibility of healthier food and actually experienced an increase in sales (and revenue). The schools changed some of their

policies, like encouraging students to walk or bike to school. The community decided they'd rather complete a path-around a small lake in town than use budgeted money to replace a bridge that was slated for replacement. Someone sponsored cooking classes and they brought in experts to teach them to avoid mindless eating and how to design a walkable community.

Lives were changed. A quick review of online articles talks about some of those lives. And the communities changed, too.

Sure, some people lost some weight, but the most wonderful outcome was the camaraderie and the sense of a shared experience from which everyone benefited.

The Chelsea-Area Wellness Foundation would like to help our five healthy towns find an Albert Lea enthusiasm for healthful living. If you're interested in being part of a comprehensive wellness initiative in your town, e-mail us at info@5healthytowns.org. Join us on facebook, [facebook.com/5healthytowns](https://www.facebook.com/5healthytowns), org, and watch for more information as we formalize and finalize a process to bring a comprehensive well-

ness initiative to your town and community.

Amy Heydlauff is the executive director of the Chelsea-Area Wellness Foundation. The foundation's comprehensive wellness initiative's goal is to make it easier for residents to move more, eat better and connect with others — all proven to help people to live longer and happier lives.

CHELSEA BLOTTER

Man headed to trial in string of indecent exposure cases

A Chelsea man with a history of sex-related offenses was ordered to stand trial in a series of recent indecent exposure complaints.

Stephen Groening, 37, was bound over to Washtenaw County Circuit Court following a preliminary hearing last week, court records show. He pled not guilty to two counts of indecent exposure by a sexually delinquent person.

Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputies arrested Groening on Sept. 18 outside the Meijer store in Scio Township. The deputies were responding to a disorderly person complaint.

Reports said Groening was masturbating in his vehicle when deputies arrested him without incident. Investigators later determined that he visited the store on numerous occasions over the previous month and masturbated in his vehicle. However, those incidents were not reported until detectives began their investigation.

He did not appear to make contact with anyone or approach anyone in any of the incidents, police said.

Groening was convicted in Benawee County on one count of attempted fourth-degree criminal sexual conduct. He was placed on probation, which was later revoked for failing to comply with a judge's orders, reports said.

Groening remains in custody at the Washtenaw County Jail on \$50,000 bond and is scheduled to appear for a pre-trial hearing on Nov. 9.

Convicted hockey league embezzler enters prison boot camp

The Chelsea woman who was sent to prison for embezzling nearly \$1 million from an Ann Arbor-based youth hockey league is now in a boot camp program.

Prison records show Kimberly Knight was transferred to the Huron Valley Women's Complex in Pittsfield Township and may be on her way to an early release.

She was sentenced in August to serve between two and 15 years in prison after she failed to turn over tax records and other documents to the court in a timely manner. She pleaded guilty to two counts of embezzlement in 2009 for stealing more than \$934,000 over a two-year period while serving as bookkeeper for the Ann Arbor Amateur Hockey Association.

The money was earmarked by the organization to fund construction of an ice rink. The club currently operates out of the Ann Arbor Ice Cube in Pittsfield Township.

"The prisoner has been screened and meets all the eligibility requirements," wrote Frederic Goff, deputy warden of the Special Alternative Incarceration program in a letter to

Washtenaw County Circuit Judge Melinda Morris.

In the letter, dated Sept. 9, Goff outlines that if participants complete their program of strict discipline and regimented activity, then they will automatically be granted parole for a minimum of 18 months or the balance of their minimum sentence.

At a minimum, the state statute requires four months of intensive supervision upon parole. Morris signed the required paperwork without objection. Prosecutors did not object either, records show.

Separate civil suits filed against Knight by the hockey association and United Bank and Trust of Washtenaw County are pending in Washtenaw County Circuit Court.

Chelsea police weekly summary

The Chelsea Police Department responded to five reported serious incidents during the final week of September, reports state.

On Sept. 22, officers assisted Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputies to serve a felony warrant in the 500 block of North Main Street. The person was arrested and turned over to deputies.

The remaining notable incidents occurred throughout the day on Sept. 25, according to a weekly report compiled by the department.

A resident walked into the department in the morning and reported that her vehicle had been damaged overnight in a parking lot in the 700 block of North Ereer Road. Suspects and estimated damages were unknown.

Later in the day officers took a report from a resident who said a spare tire was stolen from the trunk of their vehicle in the 1500 block of Commerce Park Drive. The theft occurred sometime overnight by unknown suspects. Officers investigated another larceny from a motor vehicle report involving tires that occurred in the 400 block of N. Main Street that same day.

The vehicle was reportedly jacked up at the time the tire was removed and stolen. The incident also occurred overnight and was reported later that day. Suspects are unknown.

Officers then assisted a resident in serving a personal protection order in the 200 block of Buchanan Street. The subject of the order was contacted by telephone, reports said.

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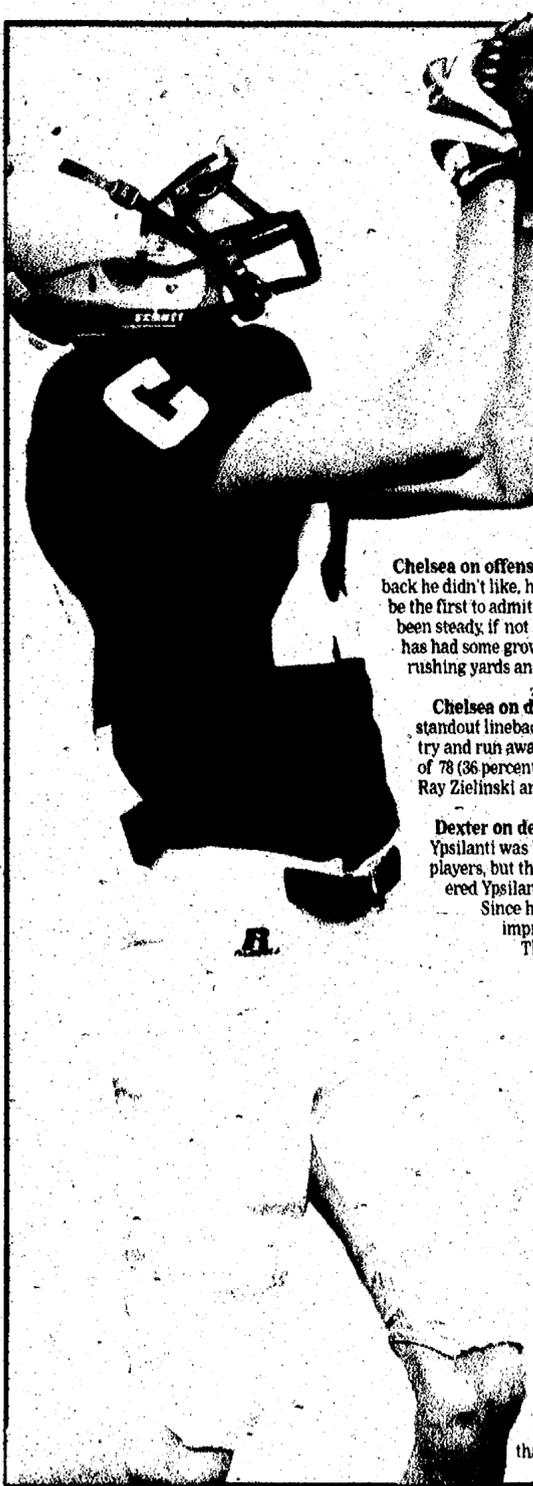
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Dexter on offense: Chelsea is going to have to deal with a big, talented offensive line. Center Tucker Whitley anchors an offensive line that dominated Ypsilanti and Tecumseh up front, creating big holes to run through and providing Mike Mioduszewski plenty of time to throw. Sequoyah Burke-Combs is playing like a man on a mission the past few games. He has 298 rushing yards the past two games. Mioduszewski threw for 253 yards (21 of 34 passing) against Tecumseh, but had trouble throwing the ball against Ypsilanti (3 of 10 for 46 yards). The Dreads need to balance their attack and get athletic receivers such as Noah Hiser, Travis Chaffee, Jay Lewis and Jake Van Hoof more involved in the offense.

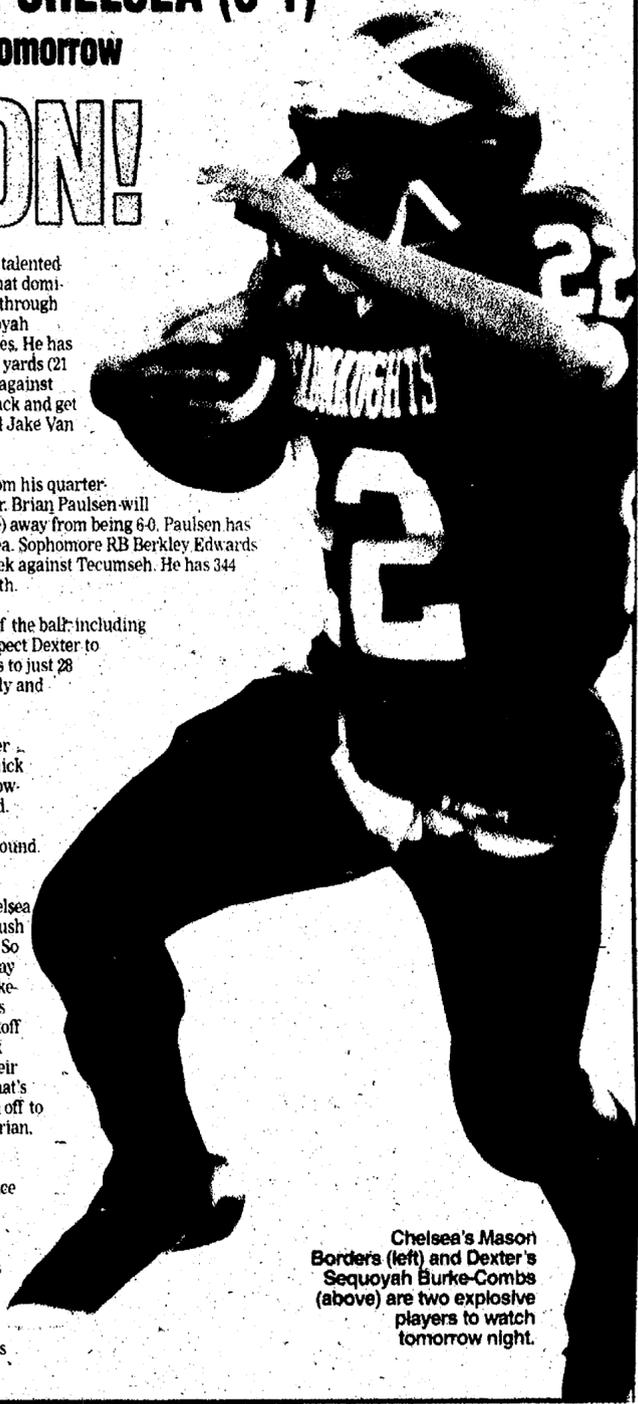
Chelsea on offense: Early in the season when Chelsea coach Brad Bush saw something from his quarterback he didn't like, he would remind him that he was a senior and seniors should know better. Brian Paulsen will be the first to admit he hasn't been perfect. But this team is a few bad calls (see Adrian game) away from being 6-0. Paulsen has been steady, if not spectacular at times. Mason Borders could be the best wideout in the area. Sophomore RB Berkley Edwards has had some growing pains on the varsity level, but that changed with a big game last week against Tecumseh. He has 344 rushing yards and six TDs. Look for Chelsea to spread the field and try to spread the wealth.

Chelsea on defense: The Bulldogs have had some key injuries on the defensive side of the ball including standout linebacker Cal Bauer. They do have Logan Yordanich at outside linebacker - expect Dexter to try and run away from him as often as they can. The Bulldogs have held their opponents to just 28 of 78 (36 percent) on third-down conversions. Andrew Koch, Spencer Mykala, Logan Kelly and Ray Zielinski are among Chelsea's standouts on defense.

Dexter on defense: What was one of the most impressive aspects of Dexter's win over Ypsilanti was how fast the Dreads were on defense. The Phoenix have some fast and quick players, but the Dreadnaughts seemed to stay with them step for step. They also overpowered Ypsilanti's offensive line at crucial times, stopping ball carriers in the backfield. Since halftime of the Tecumseh game, the Dreads' defense has put together six impressive quarters. Marshall Kellenberger is one of the best linebackers around. The Bulldogs will have to pick him up on blitzes.

Outlook: This has been one of the most lopsided rivalries around. Chelsea has won 19 of the last 20 meetings and 15 in a row. Chelsea coach Brad Bush has never lost to Dexter. But Bush admitted, "they have our attention." So Dexter can forget about sneaking up on Chelsea. Preventing the big play will be key for both sides. Dexter can throw the ball and Chaffee, Burke-Combs and Hiser have proven they can go the distance. The Bulldogs also have created points with big plays, such as Matt Gillespie's kickoff return in the opener and Nate Udell throwing the ball on a halfback pass for big yards. Dexter can't fall behind and let the past get in their heads. This particular Dexter team has never lost to Chelsea and that's the way they have to approach this game. The Bulldogs have gotten off to fast starts this year and then let other teams back in the game - Adrian, for example. Dexter needs to keep it close.

Last point: Something both teams need to remember. The place is going to be packed and this Chelsea-Dexter game carries with it more importance than any of the recent matchups between these longtime rivals. Emotions will be very high. The team that plays smart and under control will have a huge advantage. Coaches would be wise to limit the "rah-rah" pep talk (is it really needed for this game) and instead stress sound, fundamental football. Play hard and tough, but play smart and focus your attention on your responsibilities and not getting an extra shot in on your hated rival. Warn players that a personal-foul penalty will result in them sitting on the bench.



Chelsea's Mason Borders (left) and Dexter's Sequoyah Burke-Combs (above) are two explosive players to watch tomorrow night.

Bulldogs swing their way to title

By Terry Jacoby
Heritage Newspapers

Chelsea tennis coach Rahn Rosentreter stood a few feet away from the fence, his arms crossed and a look of confidence in his face as the Bulldogs played last Wednesday at the Southeastern Conference White Division championships at Dexter High School.

The sun was out, the wind was warm and the Bulldogs were hot. And that look of confidence was certainly justified as Chelsea won every event except No. 1 singles and No. 2 doubles on their way to an easy tournament victory.

"Every day you get to play is a good day," said Rosentreter, whose philosophy is based around getting in as many matches as you can before the regionals. And in Chelsea's case, everything in the past few weeks has been geared toward getting

SEC tennis final

ready for regionals.

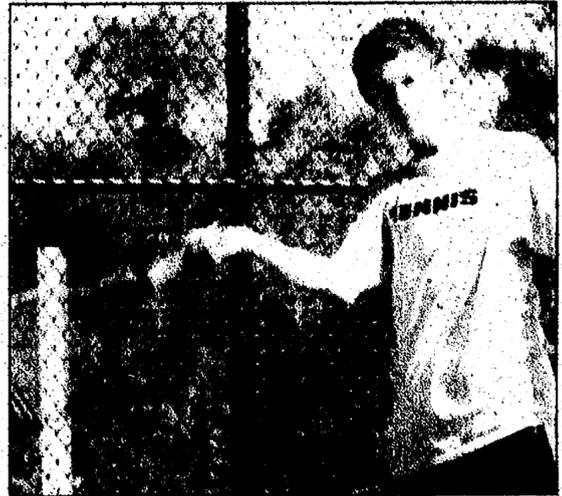
The other teams participating in the SEC event, including Dexter, Ypsilanti and Lincoln, also were glad to be there. The players got to skip class to participate - the event began at 9 a.m. and ran well into the late afternoon - and every team certainly enjoyed a few highlights throughout the day.

The Bulldogs finished with 30 points to win the tournament and take first overall in the division. Chelsea went undefeated in dual-meets against White foes this past year and finished with 38 overall points. Dexter was a solid second, serving up 25 points at the league tournament and 31 points overall. The Dreads' only loss in division play was to Chelsea.

Lincoln took third place with nine points at the league meet and tied for third overall in the division with Adrian (eight points at the tournament). Both teams finished with 11 overall points. Ypsilanti took seven points in the division tournament and eight overall on the year.

Of course, it's not always where you finish in the standings that matters most. "The record doesn't show it, but we have really improved during the season," Ypsilanti coach Jason Reed said. "I have seen a lot of improvement in almost every player on the team. This has been a rebuilding year and I think we are headed in the right direction. I think we competed well today."

The Bulldogs also are looking ahead - but not to next year, but this week. Chelsea will compete today at the MHSAA regionals.

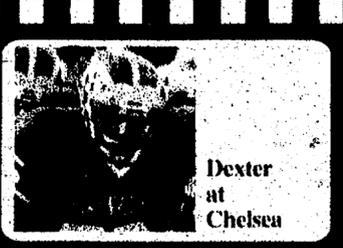


Chelsea's Dylan Schepers (above) defeated Dexter's Nick Gagalis to finish first at No. 2 singles at the SEC meet last Wednesday.

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Athletes of the Week



Nate Udell, Chelsea

Nate Udell (No. 14) led the Chelsea receiving corps with four catches for 118 yards and two touchdowns in the Bulldogs' 35-21 win over Tecumseh. With seconds left in the first half, Udell caught a pass over the middle from QB Brian Paulsen and raced 69 yards for a go-ahead touchdown giving the Bulldogs a 28-21 halftime lead.



Jake Currie, Dexter

Dexter sophomore Jake Currie (above) defeated Chelsea's Spencer Gines 6-1, 6-2 at No. 1 singles to take first overall at the SEC tournament Wednesday at Dexter High School. Currie had few problems in the other matches, losing only six games total.



Lucas Allen, Saline

Saline's Lucas Allen scored 22 goals in five games last week for the Hornets' boys' water polo team.



Christy Weidmayer, Manchester

Weidmayer led the charge for the Manchester varsity girls cross country team in two events. She placed sixth in 20:50 and finished as the top Manchester runner Sept. 25 at the Jackson High Ella Sharp Invitational. Three days later, Weidmayer placed first overall to help the Flying Dutch to a Cascades Conference dual meet victory over Vandercreek Lake. Weidmayer finished in 21:53, edging out teammate Jackie Timoszyk by four seconds for first place.

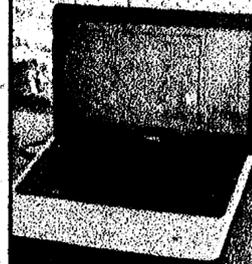
GAME DAY: Michigan State at Michigan

Who: Michigan State (5-0, 1-0 Big Ten) vs. Michigan (5-0, 1-0)
Where: Michigan Stadium, Ann Arbor
When: Saturday, 3:30 p.m.
TV: ABC/ESPN
Radio: Michigan Sports Network (Sirius Ch. 127/XM Ch. 102), 104.3 FM
All-time series: U-M leads 67-30-5
Last meeting: Michigan State 26, Michigan 20 (10/3/09 - East Lansing, Mich.)

Overview: Both teams have been good so far this season, but neither had been able to show fans a complete football team that can consistently perform at a high level. Michigan has been an offensive juggernaut, but the Wolverines have a defense that has been exploited in every game it has played. Michigan State has similar problems. In fact, until last Saturday's game against Wisconsin, the Spartan defense looked very one-dimensional, giving any opponent who wished to run the ball a chance to put up big points.

-Mike Larson

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Opening Day home run

Fall is arguably my favorite time of year. The turning leaves, apple cider, chili, romantic fireside chats and bow hunting for deer are just some of the reasons why I love autumn so much.

It's been a busy and crazy year for our family. I'm sure some of you can relate to that. The bow hunting season forces me to slow down and catch my breath. I love sitting in a tree stand 20 feet in the air with my bow in hand. I'm able to watch the squirrels collect acorns while the wind gently pulls leaves from their branches.

You can see so much perched high in a tree without being noticed by the resident inhabitants.

My Opening Day morning was uneventful and I found myself yawning more than I care to admit since I couldn't sleep very well. I scared two deer on the way to my hunting location in western Washtenaw County. However, I didn't see anything after that except for a few squirrels and the occasional hawk that made every creature go nuts with their screeching. I decided to change hunting locations in the afternoon and found myself alone for most of the time.

Thankfully, five deer came out of from the corn and walked past my stand. Fortunately for them, there were too many eyes in my general location which prevented me from drawing my bow back to take a shot. I watched them move away from my location and I felt better about my hunting location.

It only took about 5 minutes before a single mature doe came out from the same location and I was ready with my bow in hand. She stopped broadside at 25 yards and my Thunder Head broad found its mark. She fell over and I had my first deer of the season.

You may recall that the weather took a turn for the worse over the weekend. We had a strong North East wind upwards of 25 miles per hour accompanied by rain. I didn't hunt on Saturday but did go out on Sunday evening.

I've often talked about my "Honey Hole" in Dexter and it proved to be a great location for this afternoon hunt with my son.

Ricky would much rather play video games than read a book or play with Lego's. I find myself frustrated why kids are the way they are. Does this sound familiar? However, I'm blessed to know that Ricky has a tremendous knowledge base of the natural world. He's got the eyes of a hawk and pays attention to his surroundings which, by the way, makes me a proud father.

We succeeded in harvesting our first buck of the year and I asked Ricky how the video looked? He looked at me with fear in his voice and said that he couldn't see the deer. I rolled my eyes and laughed knowing that he'll never let that happen again. We were excited and carefully made our way to our buck and took a bunch of pictures. I put a hole right through the heart and loaded our deer with help from Frank, the land owner.

I went to a farm where we can butcher the deer since this farm has everything we need. I hoisted this big buck into the air and began skinning it. It took only a minute to see that something was seriously wrong. Both hind quarters were severely infected. So much so that I almost lost my dinner in the process. It takes a lot to gross me out so you get the picture. Meat was literally falling off the bone and puss was everywhere. How disappointing to say the least. I can't eat this any part of this buck with an

Tell Rick your story

I need your help with story ideas. I'd love to do a story on a youth hunt for those kids who haven't got their deer yet. I'd also love to tag along on a duck, goose or pheasant hunt as well. Other stories I'd like to cover would include salmon, steelhead and trout fishing.

If any of you would like to be covered in one of my stories then please give me a call at (734)223-5656.

Your comments and story ideas also are warmly welcomed. You can call the above number or email me at rtaylor@reinhardtrealtors.com

TAYLOR MADE ADVENTURES



RICK TAYLOR



Outdoors writer Rick Taylor with his son, Ricky, show off their success on the opening day of bow-hunting season.

infection raging through its body. I have a picture of this infection but it's too graphic to show to the public. What a waste and disappointment.

I sent this picture to the DNR and MUCC and I don't have a response as to what it may be. I'll keep you informed as I get answers.

The only silver lining, if any,

is that I saved this buck from a miserable and slow death this coming winter. There's no way this would have survived with the infection it had.

We'll keep trying this fall and hopefully get enough venison to make a large batch of jerky, hamburger and steaks.

Until then we'll keep our chins up and hope for the best.

WEEK 4 WINNER
Michael Canasi of Allen Park

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REGIONAL FEATURE

Golfers line up at Pierce Lake for local Humane Society

By Terry Jacoby
Heritage Newspapers

More than 100 golfers attended the second annual Purrfect Doggone Golf Scramble to benefit the Humane Society of Huron Valley. Pierce Lake Golf Course in Chelsea was the perfect venue for this group of pet lovers. The Humane Society of Huron Valley raised more than \$15,000 for the homeless pets in our community.

"We are very thankful to all of the supporters that joined us for the golf scramble. It was a fun-filled day and we also had a chance to educate more people on what HSHV does," said Deb Kern, HSHV marketing director. "Most people do not realize that every humane society is independent from one another. HSHV does not receive funding from any other group including Michigan Humane or the Humane Society of the United States. HSHV serves all of Washtenaw county, Plymouth and Canton. We are this communities humane society and if you are hoping to help the homeless pets in your community, your donation should stay local."

The Humane Society of Huron Valley cares for more than 10,000 pets annually and provides care for the abandoned, lost and abused pets in our community.

For more information on all of HSHV's services and programs, including the low cost veterinary clinic which is open to the public, visit www.hshv.org or call 1-734-662-5585. HSHV is open daily from noon to 6 p.m. for adoptions.



TOP PHOTO: Deb Kern, marketing director of the Humane Society of Huron Valley, chips one toward the hole during the HSHV's golf outing at Pierce Lake Golf Course in Chelsea.

MIDDLE: Standing left to right Cathy Hamilton and Deb Webb, sitting Karen Richards and kneeling Barb Smith - all of Ann Arbor. This foursome had the top score in the women's division.

BOTTOM: Andrew Tankanow, owner of Moonwinks in Dixboro, takes a break from the Humane Society of Huron Valley golf outing in Chelsea.

REGIONAL HS STANDINGS / SCHEDULE

Cascades Conference Football

1. Michigan Center	5-0	6-0
2. Manchester	4-1	5-1
3. Addison	4-1	4-2
4. Grass Lake	3-2	4-2
5. Napoleon	2-3	2-4
6. Hanover-Horton	1-4	1-5
7. Vandercook Lk	1-4	1-5
8. East Jackson	0-5	0-6

Week 6 Results - Oct. 1
Manchester 32, Hanover-Horton 17
Michigan Center 14, Napoleon 7
Addison 38, Vandercook Lake 0
Grass Lake 39, East Jackson 0

Week 7 - Friday, Oct. 8
Manchester at Grass Lake, 7 p.m.
Michigan Center at East Jackson, 7 p.m.

Addison at Napoleon, 7 p.m.

Vandercook Lake at Hanover-Horton, 7 p.m.

Southeastern Conference

Red Division

1. Bedford	4-0	6-0
2. Monroe	3-1	3-3
3. Saline	2-2	3-3
4. AA Pioneer	2-2	3-3
5. AA Huron	1-3	2-4
6. AA Skyline	0-4	0-6

White Division

1. Adrian	4-0	6-0
2. Chelsea	3-1	5-1
3. Dexter	3-1	4-2
4. Ypsilanti	1-3	2-4
5. Tecumseh	1-3	1-5
6. Ypsi-Lincoln	0-4	0-6

Week 6 Results - Oct. 1

Saline 17, Ann Arbor Huron 6
Bedford 57, Ann Arbor Skyline 35
Ann Arbor Pioneer 21, Monroe 12
Chelsea 35, Tecumseh 21
Dexter 24, Ypsilanti 15
Adrian 48, Ypsilanti Lincoln 10

Week 7 - Friday, Oct. 8

Ann Arbor Pioneer at Ann Arbor Huron, 7 p.m.
Dexter at Chelsea, 7 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Ypsi-Lincoln, 7 p.m.
Saline at Ann Arbor Skyline, 7 p.m.
Adrian at Tecumseh, 7 p.m.
Bedford at Monroe, 7 p.m.

Today (10/7)

VOLLEYBALL
Belleville at Ypsilanti Lincoln, 7 p.m.

Milan at Chelsea, 7 p.m.
Ypsilanti Willow Run at Highland Park, 5:30 p.m.

CROSS COUNTRY
Belleville at Dearborn Edsel Ford, 4 p.m.

BOYS SOCCER
Adrian at Dexter, 5:30 p.m.
Chelsea at Ypsilanti Lincoln, 5:30 p.m.

Tecumseh at Ypsilanti, 5:30 p.m.
GIRLS GOLF
Belleville at Division 1 regional meet, TBA

Chelsea at Division 1 regional meet, TBA
Dexter at Division 1 regional meet, TBA

GIRLS SWIMMING
Bedford at Chelsea, 6 p.m.
Dexter at Ann Arbor Skyline, 6 p.m.

Saline at Tecumseh, 6 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Ann Arbor Huron, 6 p.m.

GIRLS SWIMMING
Bedford at Chelsea, 6 p.m.
Dexter at Skyline, 6 p.m.

Saline at Tecumseh, 6 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Ann Arbor Huron, 6 p.m.

FIELD HOCKEY
Dearborn at Dexter, 4:15 p.m.

FOOTBALL
Dearborn Edsel Ford at Belleville, 7 p.m.

Detroit Allen Academy at Ypsilanti Willow Run, 7 p.m.
Dexter at Chelsea, 7 p.m.

Manchester at Grass Lake, 7 p.m.
Milan at New Boston Huron, 7 p.m.
Saline at Ann Arbor Skyline, 7 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Lincoln, 7 p.m.

Friday (10/8)
FOOTBALL
Dearborn Edsel Ford at Belleville, 7 p.m.

Detroit Allen Academy at Ypsilanti Willow Run, 7 p.m.
Dexter at Chelsea, 7 p.m.

Manchester at Grass Lake, 7 p.m.
Milan at New Boston Huron, 7 p.m.
Saline at Ann Arbor Skyline, 7 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Lincoln, 7 p.m.

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Dexter at Chelsea, 7 p.m.

Manchester at Grass Lake, 7 p.m.
Milan at New Boston Huron, 7 p.m.
Saline at Ann Arbor Skyline, 7 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Lincoln, 7 p.m.

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FOOTBALL
Dearborn Edsel Ford at Belleville, 7 p.m.

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Dexter at Chelsea, 7 p.m.

Manchester at Grass Lake, 7 p.m.
Milan at New Boston Huron, 7 p.m.
Saline at Ann Arbor Skyline, 7 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Lincoln, 7 p.m.

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FOOTBALL
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Dexter at Chelsea, 7 p.m.

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Milan at New Boston Huron, 7 p.m.
Saline at Ann Arbor Skyline, 7 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Lincoln, 7 p.m.

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Milan at New Boston Huron, 7 p.m.
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FOOTBALL
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Manchester at Grass Lake, 7 p.m.
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Ypsilanti at Lincoln, 7 p.m.

Friday (10/8)
FOOTBALL
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Detroit Allen Academy at Ypsilanti Willow Run, 7 p.m.
Dexter at Chelsea, 7 p.m.

Manchester at Grass Lake, 7 p.m.
Milan at New Boston Huron, 7 p.m.
Saline at Ann Arbor Skyline, 7 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Lincoln, 7 p.m.

Friday (10/8)
FOOTBALL
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Dexter at Chelsea, 7 p.m.

Manchester at Grass Lake, 7 p.m.
Milan at New Boston Huron, 7 p.m.
Saline at Ann Arbor Skyline, 7 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Lincoln, 7 p.m.

Friday (10/8)
FOOTBALL
Dearborn Edsel Ford at Belleville, 7 p.m.

Detroit Allen Academy at Ypsilanti Willow Run, 7 p.m.
Dexter at Chelsea, 7 p.m.

Manchester at Grass Lake, 7 p.m.
Milan at New Boston Huron, 7 p.m.
Saline at Ann Arbor Skyline, 7 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Lincoln, 7 p.m.

BOYS SOCCER

Belleville at Dearborn Divine Child, 4 p.m.

BOYS TENNIS

Dexter at Class A regional at Farmington Hills, 8 a.m.

GIRLS GOLF

Dexter at Division 1 regional meet, TBA

FIELD HOCKEY

Farmington Hills Mercy at Saline, 7 p.m.

BOYS WATER POLO

Saline at Ann Arbor Huron Invitational, TBA

Saturday (10/9)

VOLLEYBALL

Chelsea at U-M Dearborn Invitational, 8 a.m.

Dexter at Plymouth Invitational, TBA

Ypsilanti Lincoln Homecoming tournament, TBA

CROSS COUNTRY

Chelsea, Milan, Saline, Ypsilanti at Portage Invitational, 1 p.m.

Manchester at Hudson Invitational, 9 a.m.

GIRLS GOLF

Dexter at Division 1 regional meet, TBA

BOYS WATER POLO

Saline at Ann Arbor Huron Invitational, TBA

Monday (10/11)

VOLLEYBALL

Milan at New Boston Huron, 6:30 p.m.

River Rouge at Ypsilanti Willow Run, 7 p.m.

FIELD HOCKEY

Dexter at Farmington, 4:15 p.m.

Tuesday (10/12)

VOLLEYBALL

Ann Arbor Huron, Ann Arbor Skyline, Ypsilanti Lincoln at Ypsilanti, 5 p.m.

Ann Arbor Pioneer, Saline, Tecumseh at Adrian, 5 p.m.

Bedford, Chelsea, Monroe at Dexter, 5 p.m.
Manchester at Grass Lake, 7 p.m.

CROSS COUNTRY

East Jackson, Grass Lake at Manchester, 4:30 p.m.

BOYS SOCCER

Huron at Saline, 7 p.m.
Dexter at Tecumseh, 5:30 p.m.

Chelsea at Ypsilanti, 5:30 p.m.
Ypsilanti Lincoln at Adrian, 5:30 p.m.

GIRLS SWIMMING

Jackson at Chelsea, 6 p.m.

FIELD HOCKEY

Detroit Country Day at Saline, 7:30 p.m.

BOYS WATER POLO
Okemos at Saline, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 14

VOLLEYBALL

Melvindale Academy for Business & Tech at Ypsilanti Willow Run, 5:30 p.m.

BOYS SOCCER

Dexter at Chelsea, 5:30 p.m.
Ypsilanti at Ypsilanti Lincoln, 5:30 p.m.

GIRLS SWIMMING

Ann Arbor Skyline, Saline at Chelsea, 6 p.m.

Dexter, Ypsilanti Lincoln at Ypsilanti, 6 p.m.

FIELD HOCKEY

Dexter at Maumee Valley Country Day (Oh.), 4 p.m.

Saline at Farmington Mercy, TBA

Friday, Oct. 15

FOOTBALL

Chelsea at Pioneer, 7 p.m.
Dexter at Monroe, 7 p.m.

E. Jackson at Manchester, 7 p.m.
Saline at Ypsilanti, 7 p.m.

Ypsilanti Lincoln at Ann Arbor Huron, 7 p.m.
Willow Run at Perry, 7 p.m.

Football Leaders

Rushing Yards

Austin Sanders, Ypsilanti - 658
Garrett Gordon, Saline - 454
Lamont Howard, Belleville - 406
Joe Dunn, Milan - 357
Chervez Sims, Willow Run - 325
George Miller, Lincoln - 320
S. Burke-Combs, Dexter - 276
Joey Newland, Chelsea - 268
Joey Newland, Chelsea - 226
Berkley Edwards, Chelsea - 226
Justin Barnes, Saline - 201
Berkley Edwards, Chelsea - 183
Shaquille Smith, Belleville - 162
Johnny Brown, Willow Run - 162
B. Ridenour, Manchester - 160
Leo Pittman, Milan - 157
Nick Cozart, Manchester - 155
Brian Paulsen, Chelsea - 134
Chris Ballow, Chelsea - 109

Passing Yards

Nate Bossory, Manchester - 1,362
Mike Mioduszewski, Dexter - 677
Jalen Griffin, Willow Run - 556
Brian Paulsen, Chelsea - 551
T.J. O'Bryan, Lincoln - 437
Trey Heren, Saline - 412
Aerion Allen, Ypsilanti - 394
Brendon Temple, Belleville - 241
Trey Heren, Saline - 208
Kevin Clark, Ypsilanti - 195

Kendall Thompson, Lincoln - 185
Aaron Richmond, Willow Run - 175
Tory Martussen, Milan - 160
Devon Thompson, Ypsilanti - 147
Jay Lewis, Dexter - 131
Ryan Griffin, Ypsilanti - 128
Noah Hiser, Dexter - 125
Chris Ballow, Chelsea - 122
Nick Osgrander, Saline - 119
Austin McBee, Saline - 108
Deonte Bruton, Lincoln - 102

Receiving Yards

Brandon Casey, Manchester - 486
Mason Borders, Chelsea - 403
Devin Jose, Manchester - 383
Desmond Brown, Willow Run - 368
Josh Blades, Manchester - 342
Marquez Gollman, Ypsilanti - 215
Travis Chaffee, Dexter - 195

Pigskin Picks

Each week, the "sports experts" at Heritage Newspapers will make their picks for the coming week's contests. Here are this week's prognostications:

This Week's Games	Don Richter	Dave Merchant	Ed Patino	Terry Jacoby	Mike Larson
Saline at Skyline	Saline	Saline	Saline	Saline	Saline
Milan at NB Huron	Milan	Milan	Milan	Milan	Milan
Dexter at Chelsea	Chelsea	Dexter	Chelsea	Dexter	Chelsea
Manchester at G. Lake	Manchester	Manchester	Manchester	Manchester	Manchester
Pioneer at Huron	Pioneer	Pioneer	Pioneer	Pioneer	Pioneer
Ypsilanti at Lincoln	Ypsilanti	Ypsilanti	Lincoln	Ypsilanti	Ypsilanti
Edsel Ford at Belleville	Edsel Ford	Edsel Ford	Edsel Ford	Belleville	Edsel Ford
Divine Child at Richard	DC	DC	Richard	Richard	Richard
Willow Run at Perry	Willow Run	Willow Run	Willow Run	Willow Run	Willow Run
MSU at UM	MSU	UM	MSU	UM	UM
Last Week's Record	8-2	8-2	9-1	9-1	9-1
Overall Record	53-7	51-9	50-10	39-21	45-15

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DEXTER DREADNAUGHTS AT CHELSEA BULLDOGS



The Dexter defense brings down an Ypsilanti runner. Photo by Mary Kumber



Chelsea RB Chris Ballow busts through a hole. Photo by Burnil Strong

Dexter 24, Ypsilanti 15

Dreads run past Ypsilanti

By Terry Jacoby

There is an old saying that goes, "today is tomorrow's yesterday."

And while the Dexter players were celebrating their biggest win of the season - perhaps the biggest win in the last couple of decades - the Dreadnaughts were already saying the "C" word. The scoreboard was still glowing with the evening's final score and the cheers had yet to die out but Dexter players and coaches were looking ahead to "tomorrow."

Perhaps they believe that "today" is nothing unless they go out and beat Chelsea "tomorrow."

But "today" was special as Dexter celebrated homecoming Friday night with a packed house, a few rain drops and an impressive 24-15 victory over one of the top teams on their schedule. Ypsilanti came into town after losing a heartbreaker the previous week to Adrian and may have taken Dexter for granted. That was a huge mistake. And you can be sure Chelsea won't be taking anything for granted after seeing the Dreads run off three consecutive wins to improve to 4-2 on the season.

Ypsilanti falls to 2-4.

Friday night's victory was as impressive as it was important. The Dreads are taking dead aim at the state playoffs and some difficult challenges are waiting on the schedule. This win solidifies postseason aspirations not only because it gives them four wins with three to play, but also

Scoring Summary:

1st 11:17 DEXTER - LEWIS 15 yd run (KARAGITZ kick), 2-7 0-43. YPSILANTI 0 - DEXTER 7

1st 0:49 YPSILANTI - GRIFFIN 4 yd run (MCGLINNEL kick), 12-53 6-02. YPSILANTI 7 - DEXTER 7

4th 11:12 DEXTER - LEWIS 15 yd pass from MIODUSZEWSKI (KARAGITZ kick), 7-60 3-16. YPSILANTI 7 - DEXTER 14

4th 6:33 DEXTER - BURKE-COMBES 50 yd run (KARAGITZ kick), 4-72 2-09. YPSILANTI 7 - DEXTER 21

4th 1:45 DEXTER - KARAGITZ 27 yd field goal, 9-42 4-14. YPSILANTI 7 - DEXTER 24

4th 0:29 YPSILANTI - SANDERS 27 yd pass from CLARK (GRIFFIN pass from CLARK), 6-77 1-06. YPSILANTI 15 - DEXTER 24

because of the opponent they just totally dominated in the second half.

"This was a huge game because for one, it was homecoming and it means the world to our kids," Dexter coach Tom Barbieri said. "Our kids had a great week of practice leading up to this game and then had a great day (Friday) with the parade and pep rally. It's a big win for the whole program. I think it's been a couple decades since Dexter has won three straight."

Dexter junior Mike Mioduszewski played another solid game at quarterback and helped lead the offense to two fourth-quarter touchdowns to put the Phoenix away.

"It feels wonderful," he said.

"It's huge. We had to win this game in order to have a chance to make it to the playoffs."

The Dreads racked up an impressive 353 yards of total offense on the Phoenix. Mioduszewski only passed for 46 yards but he gained 65 yards on the ground. Senior running back Sequoyah Burke-Combs, who led all-rushers with 152 yards on 21 carries, blasted through open holes and ran over Ypsilanti defenders all night long.

Mioduszewski gave the credit to the big boys up front.

"We ran-blocked wonderfully," he said. "Our offensive line was amazing."

Ypsilanti coach Jason Malloy agreed with the young Dexter quarterback.

"Yeah, they beat us up front," he said. "Their guys up front seemed to want it more than our guys did. Dexter played hard and we knew they would. They have some good football players and are well coached."

The same could be said for Ypsilanti.

"I thought we did a good job for most of the game," Malloy said. "Our defense played very well for more than three quarters of the game. We moved the ball well on offense for a good part of the game, but we had some penalties and missed some assignments that ended up costing us on good drives."

"We just didn't finish. We are still trying to learn how to finish as a program."

The Dexter defense, led by senior Marshall Kellenberger,

PLEASE SEE DEXTER/10-B

Chelsea 35, Tecumseh 21

Bulldogs topple Tecumseh

By Don Richter

Chelsea's Nate Udell was a man on a mission. With seconds left in the first half, Udell caught a pass over the middle from quarterback Brian Paulsen and raced 69 yards for a go-ahead touchdown giving the Bulldogs a 28-21 lead heading into the locker room.

With Udell's score, Chelsea (5-1) regained momentum going on to defeat visiting Southeastern Conference White Division foe Tecumseh 35-21 Friday night in front of an overflow Homecoming crowd at Jerry Niehaus Field.

Udell said Paulsen threw a perfect pass on his late second quarter touchdown reception.

"I was able to get behind the safety and Brian got it (pass) right there," he said. "I saw the goal line and I was determined to score. I saw (senior wide receiver) Mason (Borders) down the field and he was waving at me trying to get me to his side because he had his guy blocked. That was a key block."

Chelsea coach Brad Bush was also impressed with his senior signal-caller's pass to end the first half.

"That was a great throw," he said. "It was the culmination of all the work we've put in. He (Paulsen) has great ability. That was a big-time throw. We needed to get the lead because we were struggling so much on defense."

Chelsea took the opening kickoff and marched down the field scoring on an 11-yard pass from Paulsen to Udell in the right flat

Scoring Summary:

1st 08:48 CHELSEA - N. Udell 11 yd pass from B. Paulsen (C. Hess kick), 8 plays, 60 yards, TOP 3:12, TECUMSEH 0 - CHELSEA 7

1st 8:27 TECUMSEH - A. Shartle 65 yd run (S. Davitt kick), 1 play, 65 yards, TOP 0:13, TECUMSEH 7 - CHELSEA 7

1st 2:56 TECUMSEH - B. Tyler 1 yd run (S. Davitt kick), 11 plays, 76 yards, TOP 4:48, TECUMSEH 14 - CHELSEA 7

2nd 11:50 CHELSEA - B. Edwards 1 yd run (C. Hess kick), 8 plays, 74 yards, TOP 2:59, TECUMSEH 14 - CHELSEA 14

2nd 3:37 TECUMSEH - B. Tyler 1 yd run (S. Davitt kick), 16 plays, 69 yards, TOP 8:07, TECUMSEH 21 - CHELSEA 14

2nd 1:46 CHELSEA - J. Steinhauer 7 yd pass from B. Paulsen (C. Hess kick), 5 plays, 82 yards, TOP 1:45, TECUMSEH 21 - CHELSEA 21

2nd 0:25 CHELSEA - N. Udell 69 yd pass from B. Paulsen (C. Hess kick), 2 plays, 85 yards, TOP 0:24, TECUMSEH 21 - CHELSEA 28

4th 05:33 CHELSEA - B. Edwards 50 yd run (C. Hess kick), 6 plays, 96 yards, TOP 2:12, TECUMSEH 21 - CHELSEA 35

of the end zone. With the point after touchdown kick by senior Charlie Hess, the Bulldogs led 7-0 with 8:48 remaining in the first quarter.

After the change in possession, it took the Indians (1-5) just one play to answer as junior Austin Shartle scored on a 65-yard run. Junior Samuel Davitt kicked the extra point tying the game at 7-7 with 8:27 left in the

first quarter.

Three plays into the Bulldogs' next drive, Nick Collins intercepted a Paulsen pass giving Tecumseh the ball at its own 24-yard line.

Eight plays later, junior Brian Tyler scored on a 1-yard dive. Davitt's PAT split the uprights vaulting the Indians ahead 14-7 with 2:56 remaining in the first frame.

To begin the second quarter, sophomore Berkley Edwards scored on a 1-yard run for Chelsea. Hess booted the extra point tying the game at 14-14 with 11:50 left in the second frame.

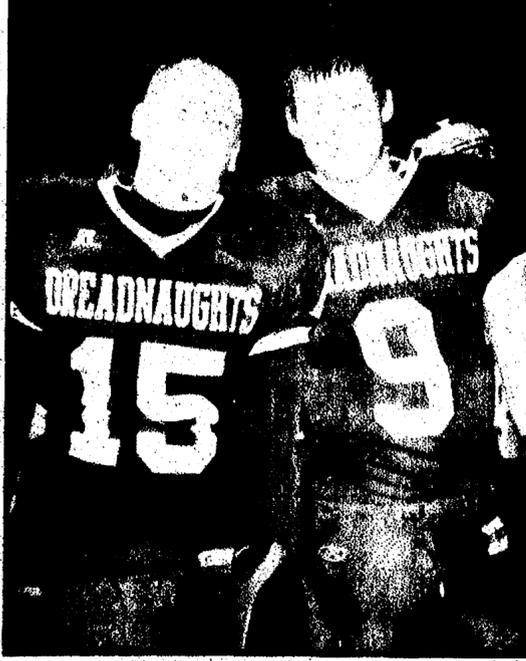
On Tecumseh's following drive, the Indians buckled down and played possession football. Behind a massive offensive line led by senior center Caleb Hughes (6-foot-7, 280 pounds), senior tackle Travis Hyder (6-7, 230) and senior tight end Zach Benschoter (6-7, 250), Tecumseh went on a 17-play grind-it-out drive that took 8:07 off the clock culminating with Tyler's 1-yard touchdown run up the gut.

With Davitt's PAT, the Indians went back on top 21-14 with 3:37 remaining in the second quarter.

Five plays later, however, Paulsen hooked up with junior tight end Jake Steinhauer (6-4, 215) for a 7-yard touchdown pass. Hess nailed the extra point kick tying the contest at 21-21 with 1:46 left in the first half.

After a Tecumseh punt, the Bulldogs regained possession at their own 31-yard line with 25 seconds on the first half clock.

PLEASE SEE CHELSEA/10-B



ONE ON ONE:

On playing Chelsea

"We have to have a great week of practice and be even more focused."

Mike Mioduszewski (No. 9)

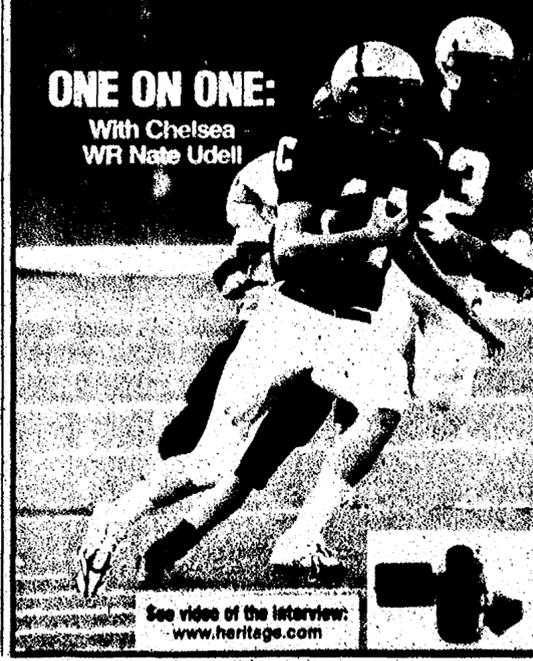
"You will see our best football in the next three games. (Chelsea) is a huge game and with a three-game win streak momentum, I think we got them. Yeah, it's huge."

Marshall Kellenberger (No. 16)

"We can't allow their offense to do what they want to do. They want to spread you out, run the football and then hit you with passes. Our offense has to move the ball against their defense, which has been playing really well."

Coach Tom Barbieri

See video of the interview: www.heritage.com



ONE ON ONE:

With Chelsea WR Nate Udell

"Playing receiver? You got to catch the ball and you get to run. We also have a lot of plays where you get to crack-block. It's a lot of fun because the guy doesn't see you coming."

What is your favorite Chelsea football memory? "I'd have to say playing against Adrian. It was a great game. We didn't come out on top, but it was a good game."

What are three skills you need to have to be a talented WR? "You have to be able to catch the ball. Then you have to have good vision and know where your blockers are. And finally you need to know where and how to block."

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GOING PINK FOR BREAST CANCER AWARENESS

FOOTBALL TEAMS UP WITH VOLLEYBALL PROGRAMS

Members of the Chelsea and Dexter football teams will be wearing pink wristbands and pink shoelaces during tomorrow's game to help promote the two schools' volleyball programs and their efforts to raise money to fight breast cancer. Volleyball players will be at the football stadium selling t-shirts and promoting their game at 7 p.m. on Oct. 26 at Chelsea. The annual "Volley for a Cure" game pits Dexter against Chelsea. Local organizers are asking the maroon and blue fans to go pink tomorrow night.

THE 2010 CHELSEA HIGH SCHOOL EQUESTRIAN TEAM

And they're off...



Madison Rabbitt



Chase Barnes

Equestrian team heading to state championship

By Terry Jacoby
Heritage Newspapers

On a cold, rainy and miserable Saturday afternoon at the Ingham County Fairgrounds in Mason, the Chelsea Bulldogs warmed up to the challenge at the equestrian state regional competition. The Bulldogs finished with 440 points and a second-place finish, good enough to ride off to next weekend's state championship in Midland.

Chelsea, the defending state champions in Class B, are reserve champions of MIHA Region E after taking second to first-place finisher Hartland (742 points). Marshall was third with 349 points and Dundee fourth with 311 points.

The top two teams advance to the state finals Oct. 14-17 in Midland. Chelsea is competing in Class A this year because of the increased number of participants on the team.

"All of the team members had fun and worked really hard at what they do," said Chelsea coach Lucy Heimerdinger. "Each one is a champion and each one made this a great team that took us to regionals and on to the state championship."

"There is also another part of the team that brings us all together and works very hard for the members - their parents! This equestrian team is very blessed to have such a great group of parents as well as a wonderful group of young ladies and gentlemen."

MEET THE BULLDOGS

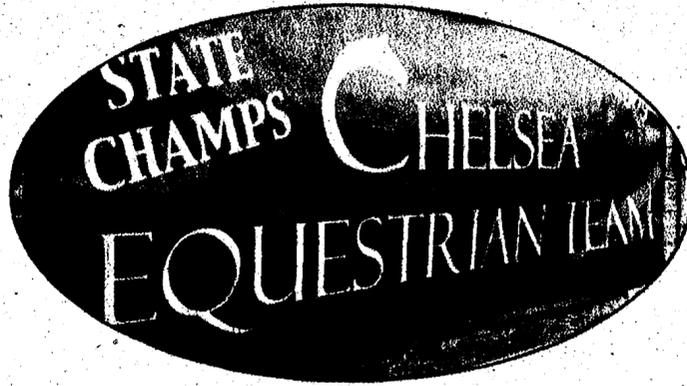
Chelsea coach Lucy Heimerdinger breaks down the Chelsea equestrian team and what each participant brought to the team during last weekend's regional championship:

Annika Corazzol

Participated in Western and Hunt Seat Showmanship, Trail, Flag Race, Cloverleaf, Keyhole and 2-Person Relay with Allison Fountain and then Kara Porter. She did well with her new horse Bella. Always smiling and having fun, a joy to have on the team.

Allison Fountain

Participated in Western Showmanship and Equitation, Hunt Seat Equitation, Flag Race, Cloverleaf, Keyhole, and 2-Person Relay. Only able to participate in one meet due to an injury (not horse related). Always smiling and willing to help. She may not have ridden in the two meets but she was with the team cheering them on every day.



Sheri Robbins

Participated in Western and Hunt Seat Showmanship and Equitation, Flag Race, Cloverleaf, Keyhole and 2-Person Relay with Johnathon Snay. Improved a great deal on her Showmanship skills, fun to have on the team, always in the cheering section.

Johnathon Snay

One of our versatile riders, he participated in Western, Hunt Seat, Saddle Seat, Flag Race, Cloverleaf, Keyhole and 2-Person Relay. He was willing to try everything and did. He was a joy to have at the meets. Always a smile and giving everyone a 'good job' when he saw them.

Regan White

Participated in Hunt Seat and Western Equitation, Trail, and Reining classes. Only able to participate in one meet but did a very good job. It was great to have her there with her smiling face.

Sasha White

Participated in Western, Hunt Seat, and Western Showmanship. Only able to participate in one meet due to volleyball tournaments. She is a very good showman and loves to talk.

Kara Porter

Participated in Hunt Seat Showmanship and Equitation, Equitation Over Fences (jumping), and 2-Person Relay. Kara has improved a great deal, enough to win a first and two third places in the Equitation Over Fences class. She did a fantastic job.

Tori Bancroft

One of our very versatile riders, showing in all disciplines: Western, Hunt Seat, Saddle Seat, and 2-Person Relay. She showed both of her horses and brought in many points for the team. Tori did an outstanding job.

Chase Barnes

Participated in Western Showmanship, Hunt Seat Equitation and Bareback, and Trail. Chase was uncertain about showing in the bareback class but placed in the top 4 placings at all 3 district meets.

Weston Barnes

Participated in Reining, Trail, Flag Race, Cloverleaf, Keyhole and 2-Person Relay with Tonya Heimerdinger. Weston placed first in trail class at 2 of the district meets. Weston and his horse Rudy were fun to watch in their contesting classes.

Cara Bloom

Participated in Hunt Seat Showmanship, Equitation, Equitation Over Fences and 2-Person Relay with Tori Bancroft. She placed in the top 4 placings at all 3 meets. She also placed in her other classes to her surprise but not to the coach's surprise, they knew she could do it.

Tony Corazzol

Participated in Reining, Trail, Flag Race, Cloverleaf, Keyhole and 2-Person Relay with Hannah Lindeau. Tony is our speed demon. He placed at the top in most of his classes, except

when the flag wouldn't stay in the bucket. He is also a co-captain and hosted a bonfire party for the team.

Tonya Heimerdinger

Another of our very versatile riders. She participated in Saddle Seat Pattern, Western Equitation and Bareback, Flag Race, Cloverleaf, Keyhole and 2-Person Relay using her 2 horses. Tonya placed in the top placings and was trading off with Tony on who was the fast in the contesting classes.

Hannah Lindeau

Participated in Saddle Seat Equitation and Bareback, Flag Race, Cloverleaf, Keyhole and 2-Person Relay. Hannah is a co-captain and has a lot of enthusiasm. Hannah has a special knack to staying on her horse no matter what he does. She placed in all of her Equitation and Bareback classes at all 3 District meets.

Anysa Marsh

Participated in Hunt Seat and Western Showmanship, Equitation, and Bareback. Anysa did a great job in all of her classes, placing in most of them. Anysa seems to be a quiet person when she is showing but watch out when she's done showing.

Madison Rabbitt

Participated in Hunt Seat and Saddle Seat Showmanship, Equitation, and Saddle Seat Pattern. Madison showed 2 horses, one which is a very tall Saddlebred that you can't miss when she is showing. She really knows how to show off her self and her horse.

Chelsea Weiss

Captain of the Team. Participated in Western, Hunt Seat, and Saddle Seat classes. Chelsea's horses kept us wondering if she was going to be able to show but her horse Tori came through for her. She placed in most of her classes at all 3 District meets.

Micayla Zynda

Participated in all of the Saddle Seat class along with Hunt Seat and Western bareback. She placed in the top two placings in most of her classes. Micayla takes her riding seriously and consistently brings in the points for the team. She is a lot of fun to have on the team.



Micayla Zynda

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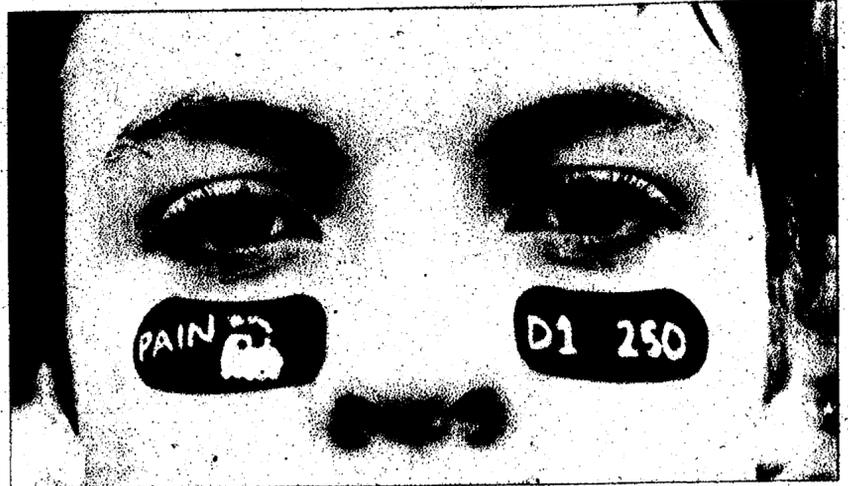
HAPPY HOMECOMING



Chelsea High celebrates fun-filled Homecoming



What would homecoming be without the marching band bringing wonderful music to the festivities



Senior Conner Townsend, up close before the game.



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Thursday	Thu. night	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Mostly sunny and pleasant	Clear	Sunny, nice and warm	Sunny, nice and warm	Sunshine and beautiful	Showers possible	Times of clouds and sun	Sunny to partly cloudy
68° to 74°	36° to 42°	70° to 76° 80° to 46°	70° to 76° 40° to 46°	65° to 71° 42° to 48°	68° to 74° 41° to 47°	62° to 68° 37° to 43°	59° to 65° 38° to 44°

REGIONAL CITIES

City	Thu			Fri			Sat		
	H/L	W	P	H/L	W	P	H/L	W	P
Adrian	70/44	74/48	75/50	71/39	73/43	73/43	69/45	72/46	70/46
Anh Arbor	68/48	73/49	70/46	69/46	72/47	70/45	64/43	70/48	66/47
Battle Creek	68/48	72/48	73/52	68/43	73/47	71/46	69/46	72/47	71/45
Bay City	68/48	72/47	70/46	68/48	72/47	70/46	62/47	64/43	69/43
Detroit	68/48	73/47	71/46	69/44	73/47	71/49	70/46	71/48	71/52
Flint	68/48	72/47	70/46	67/48	72/46	72/46	71/49	69/47	66/46
Grand Rapids	68/48	73/47	73/51	67/48	72/46	72/46	71/49	73/51	72/51
Kalamazoo	67/48	72/46	73/51	67/48	72/46	73/51	67/48	73/51	72/51
Lansing	67/48	72/46	73/51	67/48	72/46	73/51	67/48	73/51	72/51
Livonia	67/48	72/46	73/51	67/48	72/46	73/51	67/48	73/51	72/51
Manistee	66/45	71/48	71/48	69/45	72/46	72/46	67/48	69/48	66/47
Midland	69/45	72/46	72/46	67/48	73/48	70/48	64/43	70/48	66/47
Muskegon	67/46	73/48	73/48	69/45	73/48	70/48	62/47	64/43	69/43
Pontiac	70/46	73/48	73/48	64/43	70/48	70/48	72/47	71/48	71/52
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Saginaw	69/46	72/47	71/45	69/46	72/47	71/45	62/47	64/43	69/43
Sault Ste. Marie	62/47	64/43	69/43	70/46	71/48	71/48	72/47	71/50	71/49
Sturgis	70/46	71/48	71/52	68/48	72/46	69/47	68/48	69/47	66/46
Traverse City	68/48	73/51	72/51	67/48	72/46	73/51	67/48	73/51	72/51
Warren	71/49	73/51	72/51	67/48	72/46	73/51	67/48	73/51	72/51

WORLD CITIES

City	Thu			Fri			Sat		
	H/L	W	P	H/L	W	P	H/L	W	P
Athens	66/57	64/48	60/42	65/49	64/48	60/42	57/43	60/43	57/41
Berlin	65/49	64/48	60/42	65/49	64/48	60/42	54/34	53/39	53/39
Buenos Aires	68/48	70/46	70/46	68/48	70/46	70/46	67/54	71/53	70/54
Cairo	87/66	90/68	92/66	87/66	90/68	92/66	89/78	81/62	75/61
Calgary	68/39	67/41	66/35	68/39	67/41	66/35	79/60	75/58	72/58
Hong Kong	77/76	80/75	82/77	77/76	80/75	82/77	76/50	76/50	75/50
Jerusalem	82/58	78/58	84/61	82/58	78/58	84/61	67/78	69/77	61/77
Johannesburg	82/58	83/61	86/60	82/58	83/61	86/60	72/47	71/50	71/49
Las Vegas	63/52	64/53	64/52	63/52	64/53	64/52	72/81	71/59	68/61
Mexico City	73/45	73/48	76/50	73/45	73/48	76/50	58/38	56/35	55/36
Montreal	57/43	60/43	60/42	57/43	60/43	60/42	84/70	83/71	83/74
Moscow	54/34	53/39	53/39	54/34	53/39	53/39	70/50	76/58	75/58
Paris	67/54	71/53	70/54	67/54	71/53	70/54	82/59	85/63	83/64
Rio de Janeiro	89/78	81/62	75/61	89/78	81/62	75/61	82/59	85/63	83/64
Rome	79/60	75/58	72/58	79/60	75/58	72/58	82/59	85/63	83/64
Seoul	76/50	76/50	75/50	76/50	76/50	75/50	81/62	81/62	81/62
Singapore	87/78	89/77	91/77	87/78	89/77	91/77	71/50	71/50	71/49
Sydney	72/47	71/50	71/49	72/47	71/50	71/49	63/52	64/53	63/49
Tokyo	72/47	71/50	71/49	72/47	71/50	71/49	72/50	75/55	73/56
Warsaw	58/38	56/35	55/36	58/38	56/35	55/36	72/50	75/55	73/56

NATIONAL CITIES

City	Thu			Fri			Sat		
	H/L	W	P	H/L	W	P	H/L	W	P
Atlanta	80/55	79/53	80/60	80/55	79/53	80/60	84/70	83/71	83/74
Boston	67/51	71/50	63/47	67/51	71/50	63/47	70/50	76/58	75/58
Chicago	70/48	74/51	74/58	70/48	74/51	74/58	82/59	85/63	83/64
Cincinnati	74/45	76/48	79/54	74/45	76/48	79/54	70/55	74/57	70/50
Cleveland	69/47	71/50	69/52	69/47	71/50	69/52	82/59	85/63	83/64
Dallas	89/66	89/60	89/62	89/66	89/60	89/62	81/62	81/62	81/62
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Kansas City	79/53	83/56	83/56	79/53	83/56	83/56	68/52	68/53	73/56
Las Vegas	78/58	78/61	84/62	78/58	78/61	84/62	63/52	64/53	63/49
Los Angeles	72/56	79/58	84/60	72/56	79/58	84/60	72/50	75/55	73/56

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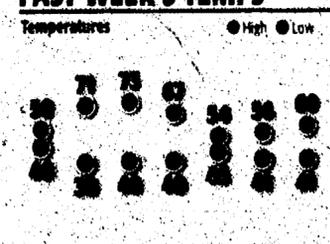
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Temperatures:
 High/Low for the week: 73°/39°
 Normal high/low: 68°/48°
 Average temperature: 52.4°
 Normal average temperature: 57.7°

Precipitation:
 Total for the week: 0.64"
 Total for the month: 0.22"
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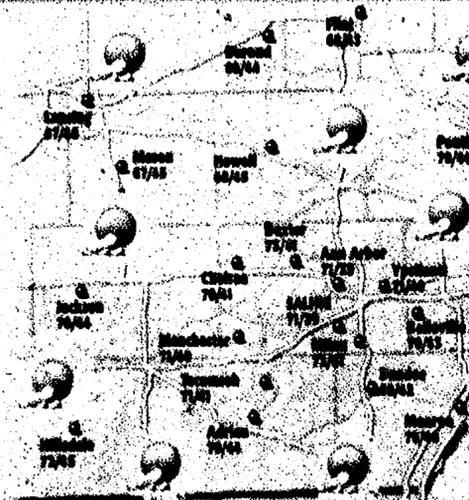
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SUN AND MOON

The Sun

Day	Rise	Set
Thursday	7:38 a.m.	7:07 p.m.
Friday	7:40 a.m.	7:05 p.m.
Saturday	7:41 a.m.	7:03 p.m.
Sunday	7:42 a.m.	7:02 p.m.
Monday	7:43 a.m.	7:00 p.m.
Tuesday	7:44 a.m.	6:59 p.m.
Wednesday	7:45 a.m.	6:57 p.m.

The Moon

Day	Rise	Set
Thursday	7:29 a.m.	6:41 p.m.
Friday	8:47 a.m.	7:15 p.m.
Saturday	10:04 a.m.	7:55 p.m.
Sunday	11:17 a.m.	8:39 p.m.
Monday	12:24 p.m.	9:31 p.m.
Tuesday	1:21 p.m.	10:28 p.m.
Wednesday	2:09 p.m.	11:29 p.m.

RIVER LEVELS

As of 7 a.m. Monday

River	Normal Stage	Current Stage
Ecose Creek		2.27 ft
Dearborn Heights		
Huron River	16 ft	12.18 ft
Ann Arbor		
Madets Creek		5.28 ft
Ann Arbor		
Ann Creek		
Dexter	12 ft	8.85 ft
River Raisin		
Manchester		2.31 ft

LAKE LEVELS

Lake	Normal	Current
Lake Erie	580.11 ft	571.57 ft
Lake St. Clair	575 ft	575.95 ft

Down on the farm: Football

Bulldogs JV go on offensive in win

The Chelsea punt team never saw the field as the junior varsity Bulldogs rolled through Tecumseh's defense time and time again in a 49-30 victory. Tecumseh scored on its opening drive to put CHS behind 8-0. The Bulldogs answered with a 13-play, 81-yard drive that was highlighted by a 24-yard run from Colton Platt and a 5-yard TD run from Craig Centofanti. Tecumseh scored again on its next possession to open the second quarter to go ahead 16-7. But Chelsea had an answer. The Bulldogs offense methodically moved down the field on another 13-play drive that covered 64 yards. Alex Bielecki got the touchdown on a 12-yard run. Finally, the Chelsea defense made its presence known forcing the Indians into a three-and-out series. Chelsea QB Alex Maloney threw a pass to Luke Hollandsworth who pitched the ball to Platt for a 43-yard gain on the Bulldogs' next play. Centofanti ran the ball in from 11 yards out to put Chelsea ahead to stay 21-16. Maloney hit Logan Brown for a 37-yard score to close out the first half scoring for Chelsea. Tecumseh threatened late in the half but Zach Rabbitt stepped up for the Chelsea defense, making a huge interception right at the goal line to end the half with

Chelsea in the lead 28-16. The 2nd half progressed the way the 1st half ended. Chelsea took the opening kickoff and went 56 yards on 7 plays. Platt scored on a 13-yard run that put Chelsea up 35-16. Two drives later, Tom Olsen went in for a one-yard score to finish off Chelsea's run of 35 unanswered points and to make the score 42-16. Rabbitt scored on a late 40-yard TD run to put the final score at 49-30. Rabbitt led the way defensively with 2 interceptions and Sean Lungo recovered a Tecumseh fumble and played an excellent overall game. Jake Layher added a sack and Jay Szcudronski and Evan Kelly also played very well for the Chelsea defense.

Freshmen

The Chelsea freshmen football team lost 20-7 Thursday at Tecumseh. "Some really bad special teams plays and a stagnant offense did in the Bulldogs," Chelsea coach Dennis Strzewski said. Alex McDougal had the one touchdown for Chelsea. "Tecumseh just played harder than we did," Strzewski said. "We did not get off the bus with any motivation to compete for four quarters. Effort is the

one thing we need to be able to count on all of the time if we are going to be as good as we can be."

Eighth-grade

The eighth-grade gold football team lost a high scoring affair to Tecumseh 42-28. The Bulldogs and Indians were tied at halftime before the Indians recovered the kickoff to start the second half and scored 14 quick points to take the lead. The Dawg offense was potent through the air and on the ground. Both Chelsea quarterbacks, Jacob Dobberstein and Devon Simons, had multiple completions to Kenny "the jet" McDowell, Daniel Lindauer, Alec Blockton, Connor Dehring and Jake Gingell. The Bulldog ground attack was led by Blockton who had 3 touchdowns on the day. Jake Gingell rounded out the scoring with a touchdown reception. The defense was led by Jacob Gaken, Mason Bailey and Gingell. Blockton had a fumble recovery and Scott Moore recovered an onside kick.

The Chelsea eighth-grade blue Bulldogs lost a hard hitting battle with Tecumseh. After trailing 12-0 going into the fourth quarter the Bulldogs cut the lead to

four points on a 3-yard touchdown run by Tanner Day who also ran in the two-point conversion. Chelsea fell just short on the game winning drive. Ty Nelson ran for 126 yards and Jacob Burris added 40 yards of offense. The defense played great team defense against a huge Tecumseh team. The blue were led in tackling by Kolten Savery, Tony Nichols and Max Cuper.

Seventh-grade

The seventh-grade told team lost 30-8 to Tecumseh. Tecumseh scored two answered touchdowns before J.J. Duncan ran for Chelsea's only touchdown. Nic Arons scored the 2-point conversion to make it 16-8 near the end of the half. On defense, Zach Bennett played tough with a number tackles in the second half. Overall, the coaches were pleased with the effort shown by all the gold team players.

The seventh-grade blue team had a tough loss to Tecumseh. Several players made big tackles including Tyler McTaggart, Ian Brinklow and Ben Otto. Quarterbacks Sean Cox and Justice Staton combined to complete several passes including a long pass to Austin Gier.

Boys cross country Bulldogs run second to Dexter

By Terry Jacoby
Heritage Newspapers

The Chelsea boys' cross country team hosted the Chelsea Invitational on Saturday and finished a solid second to a strong Dexter team. In the freshman-sophomore race, the Bulldogs finished with 36 points, well behind the Dreadnaughts (seven).

Skyline was third (46) and Manchester fourth (54) in the 12-team field. In the junior-senior race, Dexter took first (14) with Tecumseh second (31) and Chelsea third (33). "This is a low-key fun meet that we get to run in front of the home crowd," Chelsea coach Eric Swager said. "It was misty and cool, a nice day for running. The day started well for us, as five 9-10 runners had lifetime bests, and Chelsea took six of the 25 medals. Our pack moved up well, and competed hard throughout the middle of the race."

Swager said the 11-12 race also was a good one for the Bulldogs.

"August (Pappas) and Bryce (Bradley) went one-two with Bryce running his best ever regular-season time, and both guys beating all of the state-ranked Dexter runners," Swager said. "I really like the way that the guys continue to progress with every meet. Almost all the guys are beating people who, earlier in the season, were ahead of them. This is a testament to our continuing emphasis on substantial mileage and weekly tempo runs."

Last Tuesday, state-ranked Dexter ran away from the field in the Southeastern Conference White Division meet at Tecumseh. The Dreadnaughts have been a state power for years and their dominance continues this season with another solid group of distance runners.

Dexter finished with 40 points, while Dexter took second with 55 points. Adrian was third, followed by Tecumseh, Lincoln and Ypsilanti.

There were no surprises at top of the heap with Pappas taking first overall (16:26) and Bradley second (16:36). Austin Horn was 19th (18:28), Avery Osentoski was 20th (18:32), Charlie Miller was 23rd (18:37), Bram Parkinson was 27th (18:56) and Austin Gray was 34th (19:24).

"It was a very solid meet for us," Swager said. "I am encouraged by the progress of our three-seven runners." Swager said. "They are learning how to use each other in a pack during a race."

"This is a course with uneven terrain and tough footing. Our trail training gives us an advantage over other teams and it showed."

Girls cross country Bulldogs second at SEC Jamboree

By Terry Jacoby
Heritage Newspapers

The Chelsea girls' cross country team placed second at the second Southeastern Conference Jamboree White Division race last Tuesday in Tecumseh.

The Bulldogs finished with 48 points, placing second to Dexter. The Dreadnaughts ended up with 29 points.

Lincoln was third with 68 points, followed by Tecumseh, Adrian and Ypsilanti.

"We ran a good solid race," Chelsea coach Pat Clarke said. "It was a slow, wet course. As a result, times were a little slow. It was our third race in six days so the girls ran on tired legs. They responded, as they have all season, with a solid effort."

Junior Danielle Dahl had a fine race placing second overall.

"This is her highest finish ever in SEC competition," Clarke said. "Another junior, Jessica Battaglia, had a good race to record a fifth-place finish. This was also her best ever finish in SEC competition."

"Our pack of four, Madison Nelson, Elaine Johnson, Corinne Carpenter and Ella Fritzscheier, finished out the scoring in 12th, 14th, 15th, and 16th places."

"As a growth experience this was a big positive step forward as a team, but we must stay focused and continue to challenge ourselves to work harder. Most of all, we must stay together as a team and support each other."

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Welcome home

Photo by Bill Strong

Former Chelsea football players Colton Waterbury (Wayne State), Dakota Cooley (Central Michigan University) and Nick Hill (MSU) watch the Bulldogs play Tecumseh from the sidelines Friday night. Hill, on crutches, recently had surgery to fix a slight tear in his knee. The Michigan State University freshman was granted a medical red-shirt this year and will sit out the remainder of the season.



College Football

UM vs. MSU: A battle of unbeatens

When the opening kick sails from its tee Saturday afternoon at the Big House, Michigan and Michigan State University will both be undefeated.

When the final horn sounds, only one of those teams will still be able to boast a zero

on its record.

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Both teams have been good so far this season, but neither had been able to show fans a complete football team

that can consistently perform at a high level.

Michigan has been an offensive juggernaut, but the Wolverines have a defense that has been exploited in every game it has played against, even against inferior competition.

Michigan State has similar problems.

In fact, until last Saturday's game against Wisconsin, the Spartan defense looked very one-dimensional, giving any opponent who wished to run the ball a chance to put up big points.

But both teams have managed to pile up the wins. In fact, it's not out of the question

to say that the winner of this game could go on to be the dark horse for the No. 2 spot in the conference behind Ohio State.

Michigan will again rely on sophomore quarterback Denard Robinson, who is coming off of another solid game at Indiana, and a third "Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week" honor.

This could be the game where Michigan fans see if the Heisman hype that Robinson is getting is the real deal, or just fluff that gets squeezed out when you play teams like Connecticut and UMass.

The quarterback has missed plays over the last two weeks, and only seems to fuel the questions about his durability against quality opponents.

It's time for Robinson to show what he's really made of.

On the opposite side of those aspirations will be Michigan State linebacker Greg Jones.

Jones, arguably the best player at his position in the country, is a hard hitter and will be looking to keep Robinson from using his trademark breakaway speed.

The Spartans will also rely on quarterback Kirk Cousins, who recently became just the seventh Spartan quarterback to throw 30 or more career touchdowns.

Cousins' arm may come into play big time against Michigan's soft secondary.

Michigan State will also have to get solid performances from running backs Edwin Baker, Le'Veon Bell and Larry Caper.

Chelsea volleyball team falls in five sets to Adrian

The Chelsea volleyball team lost a tough five-set match to Adrian last Tuesday.

The Bulldogs won the first game 25-20 but lost the second 25-9 and the third 25-22. They battled back to take the fourth game, 25-23.

The Bulldogs led 5-2 in the final set, but Adrian caught up and moved ahead on its way to a 15-13 win in the deciding game.

For Chelsea, Ellie Stoffer had 25 digs and 10 kills; Megan Brockett had 16 digs and 14 kills; Michelle Wellman had 12 kills and 8 blocks; Tessa Elwart had 8 kills; and Briana Carden had 34 assists.

"The team got off to a great start with great passing and hitting in the first set," Chelsea coach Laura Cleveland said. "The team showed great improvement in passing in system throughout the majority of the match, but struggled in the second set in that regard. I have seen improvement in our team in serve receive, serving percentage and defensive intensity that will help us with our remaining schedule."

"I was very proud of the composure of the team and how hard they played. Even though we didn't get the win, their were some great signs of improvement on the team."

Michigan State might have the better tools to win this game, but Michigan has the big playmaker.

If the Wolverines can get some defensive stops, they

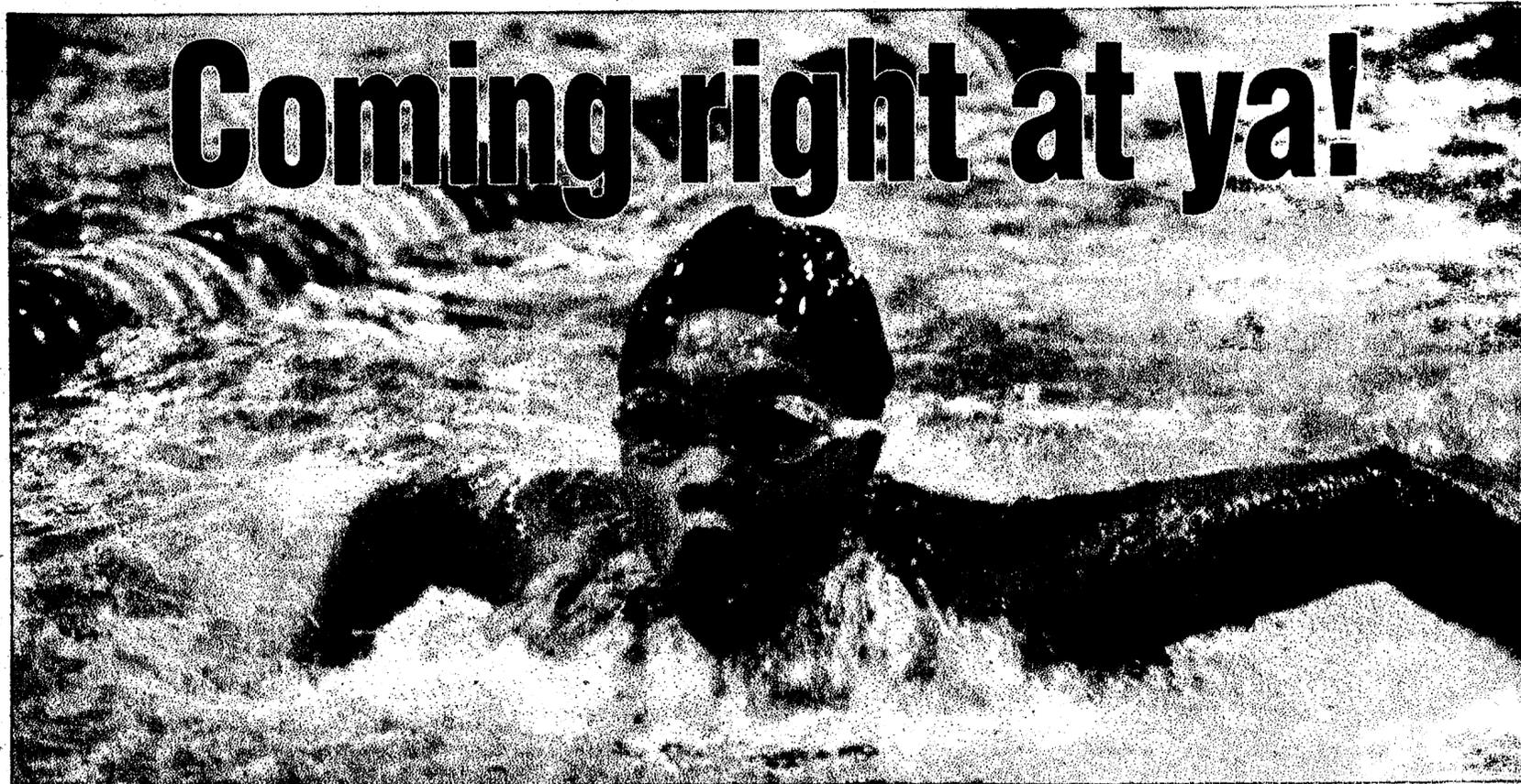
might be able to end their two-game slide against the Spartans.

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Chelsea's River Jensen (top photo) and Claudia Bravo (above) compete for the Bulldogs in a recent meet. The Bulldogs (left) get fired up to compete.

Bulldog swimmers defeat Adrian, but fall to Dexter

The Chelsea swimming team hosted rival SEC White Division swim programs Adrian, Maples and Dexter Dreadnaughts at Cameron Pool last Thursday.

From the first event the Bulldogs kept pace with both teams in what turned out to be a very good night for the girls swim and dive program. Chelsea's "A" medley relay of Jaclyn Murphy, Katlin Connin, Claudia Bravo and Hannah Olsen narrowly missed a Division 3 state cut with a time of 2:02.96 and placed second against each team. The "B" medley relay of Lauren Dark, Hanna Newbound, River Jensen and Jillian Dixon took placed third against Adrian, scoring much needed points to keep ahead of the Maples.

The 200 freestyle brought about more personal best times for the season by Alexis Roberts (2:13.18), Katie Easley (2:15.85) and Kelly O'Keefe (2:16.27). Claudia Bravo continued the positive start for the Bulldogs with a second place finish against both Dexter and Adrian with a time of 2:29.19, supporting Bravo were River Jensen (2:32.41) and Hanna Newbound (2:34.76).

Hannah Olsen beat all competitors and staked her claim as the 50 freestyle White Division champion with an impressive swim of 25.39 followed by Jaclyn Murphy (27.26) and Dixon (27.61).

Lauren Dark set the pace for the rest of the divers with an impressive win in diving with a score of 252.85 points. Sarah Carrara scored 147.80 points with Kayla Whipple 136.95.

The 100 butterfly saw a highly competitive race in which Claudia Bravo tied for second place with Adrian's butterflyer both posting times of 1:07.05. Following Bravo's lead were Jensen (1:11.91) and Katie Olsen (1:13.09). Duplicating her previous swim in the 50 freestyle, Hannah Olsen beat all competitors again in the 100 freestyle, swimming a time of 56.03. Following Olsen's lead were Dixon (1:00.93) and Alex Duncan (1:03.96). Easley and Alexis Roberts both saw significant time drops in the 500 freestyle with times of 6:02.04 (Easley) and 6:02.45 (Roberts). Kaila Croskey added much needed points in support of Easley and Roberts

with a time of 6:32.19.

Chelsea's sprint freestylers continued their winning ways with a win over both Adrian and Dexter and a Division 3 state cut of 1:47.40. The "A" relay members were Hannah Olsen, Jillian Dixon, Jaclyn Murphy and Claudia Bravo. The "B" relay of Kelly O'Keefe, Alex Duncan, Katie Olsen and River Jensen swam a time of 1:52.77 to add some much needed points against Adrian and Dexter.

The 100 backstroke saw Jaclyn Murphy make another Division 3 State Cut swimming a time of 1:06.39 followed by a "stand-in" backstroker Lauren Dark swimming a time of 1:19.77. Kelly O'Keefe and Hannah

Newbound's first and second place finish against the Maples in the 100 Breaststroke helped set up the Bulldog victory. O'Keefe (1:18.23) and Newbound (1:18.93) followed by Katlin Connin's 1:19.87 forced the Maples to outscore the Bulldogs in the final event to win the meet. Foiling the Maples plans was the Chelsea "A" 400 relay of Alex Duncan, Alexis Roberts, Katie Easley and Kelly O'Keefe swam a time of 4:12.21 placing second and mathematical eliminating any chance of Adrian to outscore the Bulldogs. Chelsea beat Adrian, 94-89, but lost to Dexter 115-70.

The Bulldogs host Bedford at 6 tonight.

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Bulldogs return home after a 2-1 road trip

By Terry Jacoby
Heritage Newspapers

The Chelsea Bulldogs came home after a three-game road trip on Tuesday and faced local power Ann Arbor Pioneer. The Bulldogs had a tough time, falling to the Pioneers 4-0. Chelsea goalie Bobby Beneteau had 11 saves on the night for the home team.

The Bulldogs' road trip was a successful one as they went 2-1 after a rough start.

The trip began in Saline where the Hornets blanked the Bulldogs 6-0 on Sept. 21.

Last Thursday, the Bulldogs knocked off Adrian 5-1. Robert Hughes got things going for Chelsea with a goal in the 4th minute off an assist from Pat Roberts. Elijah Arons netted the second goal in the 14th minute with an assist from Roberts. In the 15th minute, Adrian scored an own goal and then scored one on Chelsea in the 25th minute.

The second half started with a penalty kick drawn by Adrian. Sophomore goalie Drew Simons made the stop for Chelsea. Kevin Fournier knocked in the fourth Chelsea goal in the 35th minute again with an assist from Roberts.

Roberts finished the game off with a goal in the 38th minute with an assist from co-captain Bobby Beneteau.

On Saturday, the Bulldogs knocked off Marshall 4-1. Roberts, with an assist from Kyle Hoeflinger, put Chelsea on the board at the 15-minute mark. Marshall tied the game about 5 minutes later as they broke through the Bulldogs' defense. The score was 1-1 at the break.

Chelsea opened things up in the second half with goals from Roberts in the 47th minute off a penalty kick. The senior then scored again in the 58th minute off an assist from Craig Keyes. The final goal came from a misplayed cross, which ended up being a great shot, delivered by Bourke Lodewyk assisted by Robert Hughes.



Photos by Burrill Strong

Chelsea's Kevin Fournier (top photo), Sam Glaubitz (above) and Patrick Roberts (below) take on Pioneer.



Chelsea golf prepares for regionals

The Chelsea varsity golf team had a "disappointing" finish at the Southeastern Conference tournament last Wednesday hosted by Lincoln High School.

The Dexter Dreadnaughts rallied from third place to beat both Tecumseh and Chelsea.

Dexter ended up first with a team score of 402, just two shots ahead of Tecumseh and six better than Chelsea.

"The girls were disappointed, but we used it as a learning opportunity to great ready for regionals," said Chelsea coach Trisha McKim.

Taylor Hansen led the Bulldogs with a 99. Sarah Schultz fired a 101, Gabby Trivelino a 103 and Judy Kim a 105.

"We have really worked and focused this week to get ready for regionals," McKim said. "We have been preparing for Eagle Eye's big greens with practicing our lag putts and practicing hitting out of long grass to get prepared."

"We realize we have tough competition and need to be the most prepared we have ever been. As a team we feel good. We have discussed the course and played a practice round there so we're ready for the course."

The regionals begin today.

Middle school report



Maegen Hopkins of Beach Middle School finishes strong at the Chelsea Invitational for her second win of the season.

Eighth-grade volleyball

The eighth-grade blue volleyball team played Bedford White (9-25, 17-25, 25-21) and Saline Gold (25-23, 7-25, 20-25) last week. Leading point scorers in the Bedford game were Melissa Robards-7 points, Maria Osentoski-6 points, and Rylee Rosentrater-3 points. Leading point scorers in the Saline game were Rylee Rosentrater-11 points, Meredith Katz-7 points, and Melissa Robards-6 points. Excellent plays were also made by Hannah Heberle-Rose, Joy McCarthy and Shivani Rana. The team is coached by Vanessa Fisk.

Seventh-grade volleyball

The Beach Middle School seventh-grade blue volleyball team played their best match of the early season so far but came up just short at Saline last week, losing the first game 20-25, the second 22-25 and winning the third game 25-20. Audra Feldkamp led the way for the Bulldogs with nine service points in the match. Ashley Brooks added six points. Rachel Valek and Mackenzie Strahan each had four, and Olivia McCalla, Rose Samville and Christine Shultz each had two. Earlier in the week, the team lost all three games to a very tough Bedford squad, 13-25, 12-25 and 14-25. Valek led in service points with four. Emily Schwarz had three, Brooks and Laney Miller two each and Feldkamp, Strahan and Taylor King each had one.

The seventh grade gold volleyball team lost to Dexter on Monday, 26-28, 13-25, 21-25. Savannah Steele and Emma Adkins led the passers while Adkins, Morgan Aldrich and Alayna Schweda-Campbell had their best serving night with three points each. The team travels to Monroe on Wednesday.

Cross country

Last week the Beach cross country team competed twice at Hudson Mills Metro Park. Last Wednesday they ran their second jamboree of the season. Both teams placed fourth overall. The top seven boys were: David Trimas (11:59), Joe Vermilye (13:55), Hayden Steigerwald (13:58), Miles Fischer (14:02), Alec Daman (14:14), Mason Jacobusse (14:33), and Abraham Cone (15:33). The top seven girls for Chelsea were: Maegen Hopkins (13:16), Veronica Wolf-Boyle (15:24), Keaton Aldrich (15:37), Lynnae Cooley (16:11), Alison Staegreave (17:35), Karana Wickens (17:37) and Dana Porter (18:01).

On Saturday, the team ran in the Chelsea Invitational. The team ran exceptionally well, with 20 athletes running their personal best time in the chilly weather. Maegen Hopkins won her 2nd race of the season with the time of 13:13. Lynnae Cooley (15:07), Keaton Aldrich (15:10), Dana Porter (16:01), and Hayden Steigerwald (12:45) all brought home medals.

TENNIS

FROM PAGE 1-B

"Our goal has always been to get to the state meet," Rosentrater said. "There are going to be some strong teams there so it won't be easy. But I'm confident we will be ready."

The Bulldogs' No. 1 doubles team of TJ DeRosia and Henry Mountain were ready on Wednesday as they made quick work on the way to a first-place finish. They only lost five games all day, including four in a 6-3, 6-1 victory over Dexter's doubles team of Shane Torrey and Chris Schwartzberger.

Ypsilanti's No. 1 doubles team of Brice Marich and Eric Greer won a tie-breaker with Dexter and Adrian to take second overall.

Chelsea's Dylan Schepers defeated Dexter's Nick Gagalis 6-3, 7-6 (10-8) to finish first at No. 2 singles. Ypsilanti's Jake Davis was third and Lincoln's Ian Benrum was fourth.

At No. 3 singles, Chelsea's Henry Rutherford took first and Dexter's Mitch Kimball was second. Lincoln's Zach Dunlop took third with Ypsilanti's Ryan Katon fourth.

At No. 4 singles, Chelsea's Drew Johnson beat Dexter's Anthony Quall 6-2, 6-4 to take first overall. Lincoln's Takayuki Kobashigawa defeated Ypsilanti's Alex Chung 6-1, 3-6 (14-12) to finish third.

One of many Dexter highlights of the day came at No. 1 singles when sophomore Jake Currie defeated Chelsea's Spencer Gines 6-1, 6-2 to take first overall. Currie had few problems in the other matches, losing only six games

total. Ypsilanti freshman Ben Darnell had a strong showing with a third-place finish.

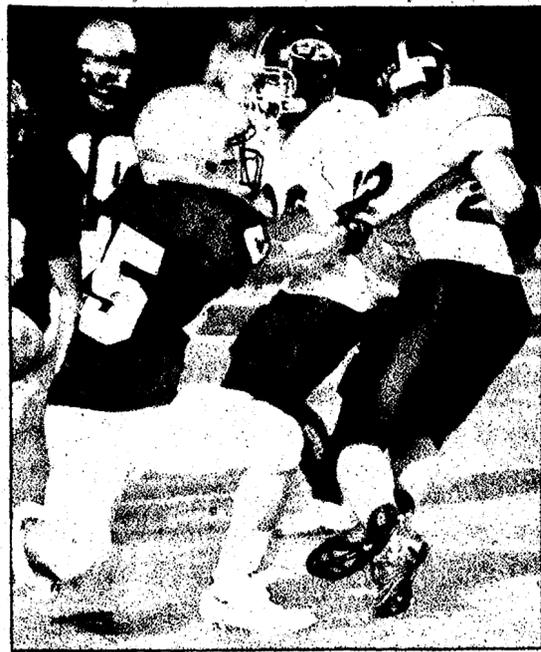
Dexter's No. 2 doubles team of Aman Mandair and Kyle Worthy took first after beating Chelsea's duo of Zach Schepers and Garrett Livernois 7-6, 6-1. Lincoln's team of Zack Hunt and Devin LaBombare was fourth.

Chelsea's No. 3 doubles team of Jake Ripberger and Aaron Zynda was first after beating Dexter's team of Connor Ullmann and Dan Kasten 6-2, 6-1. Lincoln's team of Phil Donato and Joshua Keaton was fourth.

Chelsea's No. 4 doubles team of Nate England and Nick Young defeated Dexter's AJ Sterlitz and Graham Northrup 6-4, 6-4 to take first. Lincoln's team of Ace Malbotof and Tim McCormack took third.



Chelsea's Spencer Gines finished second in No. 1 singles at the SEC tournament last Wednesday in Dexter.



Dogs on Defense

Chelsea has a solid defense that includes linebacker Nick Dehar (upper left), defensive back Max Giller (left) and free safety Spencer Mykala (above).

Game notes

Overview: Despite starting a bit sluggishly, Chelsea regrouped and defeated visiting Tecumseh in an important Southeastern Conference White Division match-up Friday. Key Play: With 25 seconds left in the first half and the score tied at 21-21, Nate Udell scored on a 69-yard pass reception from Brian Paulsen giving Chelsea momentum and the lead 28-21 heading into the locker room. Difference Maker: Senior quarterback Brian Paulsen finished 10-of-12 passing for 238 yards and three touchdowns. Calm and cool in the pocket all night, Paulsen was crisp and accurate with his passes all night long. Interesting Stat: Tecumseh controlled the ball for 32:30, while Chelsea had possession for 15:30. The Bulldogs, however, out-gained the Indians 428 to 360 in total yardage for the game.

Chelsea had possession for 15:30. The Bulldogs, however, out-gained the Indians 428 to 360 in total yardage for the game. Don Richter

CHELSEA

FROM PAGE 4-B

One play later, Paulsen found Udell over the middle for a 69-yard, game-changing score.

In the third quarter, Chelsea's defense came up big, stopping the Indians on a fourth and four play from the Bulldogs' 30-yard line to begin the stanza.

After a Chelsea three and out punt, Tecumseh kept the ball the rest of the third quarter and into the early part of the fourth frame before the Bulldogs stopped the Indians at their 6-yard line on a fourth down play.

On the ensuing drive, Edwards exploded for a 50-yard touchdown run up the middle with 5:33 left in the game. Hess knocked through the extra point for the night's final 35-21 margin.

Bush said he knew Tecumseh would come to play and give Chelsea a stern test.

"They have a veteran team," he said. "Their offensive line is huge and they all started last year. I give credit to Tecumseh. They controlled the clock, but when we had chances to score we did. Because of the disparity in players, I think we wore them out. It's tough when you only have 26 guys. In the second half, our defense kept

them off the board. It was a big win."

Paulsen finished 10-of-12 passing for 238 yards, with three touchdowns and one interception.

Junior Bradley Vannatter was 5-of-9 for 69 yards for Tecumseh.

Edwards ended up rushing for 118 yards on 12 carries with two touchdowns. Senior Joey Newland added 33 yards on eight attempts.

Shurtle had 216 yards on 27 carries for the Indians. Sophomore John Terry had 84 yards on 20 tries.

Udell led the receiving corps with four catches for 118 yards and two touchdowns. Borders had three receptions for 94 yards.

Sophomore tight end Kyle Bryan (6-3, 205) had three catches for 40 yards for Tecumseh.

Junior linebacker Truman Hadley finished with a team-high 8.5 tackles for Chelsea. Junior linebacker Tyler Geiger and senior linebacker Andrew Koch each recorded 7.5 stops for the Bulldogs. Senior linebacker Logan Yordanich had 1.5 sacks, while senior linebacker Nick Dehar had one sack for Chelsea.

Vannatter led the Indians defensively with six tackles.

The Bulldogs next host county rival Dexter Friday at 7 p.m. in what should be a great football game.

DEXTER

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shut down an offense built around speed and big plays. Kellenberger had seven tackles on a defense that had five players with at least four tackles.

"We just shut them down," Kellenberger said. "They had the one long drive and that kind of wore us out, but after that we were locked down. A lot of the credit goes to the defensive line because without them I wouldn't have gotten that many tackles."

The game was tied 7-7 heading into the third quarter and despite a lengthy halftime, the Dreads came out focused and determined. But the defenses started out stealing the spotlight early on in the second half.

After Dexter stopped Ypsilanti on fourth down (by inches), the Dreads went three and out and had to punt.

The Phoenix got the ball back and went for it again on fourth down and eight from their own 45-yard line. Jay Lewis made an outstanding defensive play, running down Ypsilanti's Devon Thompson and stopping him well short of the first down. But Lewis was called for a "horse-collar" tackle, giving the Phoenix a first down on the Dexter 44-yard line.

On the next play, Ypsilanti's Austin Sanders raced 44 yards and into the Dexter end zone. But a holding penalty on the Phoenix negated that long run.

On third and 16 at midfield, Kellenberger blitzed and sacked Ypsilanti quarterback Kevin Clark. It was one of several huge plays by the senior linebacker.

"It's a lot because of coach Barbieri's play calling," Kellenberger said. "He usually sends me as a blitzing backer on those tough situations. I got one last week at Tecumseh. I'm just trying to do what is best for the team."

And he did what was best for the team all night long for the

Dreads. After a punt, Dexter took over on their own 40-yard line and marched down the field. Moduszewski had a 13-yard run early in the drive and capped it off with a 15-yard pass to Lewis for the touchdown. Kyle Karagiz nailed the extra point and Dexter led 14-7 with 11:12 to play in the game.

The Phoenix took over on their 20-yard line but went three-and-out after Kellenberger and AJ Korte combined to tackle Sanders for a loss on a third-and-one call.

The Dreads had the ball at their own 28-yard line with 8:42 to play and a seven-point lead. They could smell something in the air and it wasn't from the burning leaves down the street. It was the sweet smell of victory.

Burke-Combs, who just seems to get better and play with even more intensity every game, broke the game open when he broke free through the Ypsilanti secondary. The senior, who said his regret the week before on a long run was that he didn't get in the end zone, did just that with a 50-yard sprint to give the Dreads a two-touchdown lead.

The Phoenix, however, weren't about to give up. Acerrion Allen tossed a 40-yard pass to Ryan Griffin to give Ypsilanti a first-down at the Dexter 29-yard line. Burke-Combs made a touchdown-saving tackle on the play.

On the next play, Allen threw a pass that was intercepted by Dexter's Jake Van Hoof. And that pretty much sealed the deal for the Dreads.

Karagiz delivered a 27-yard field goal with 4:14 to play.

Ypsilanti scored on a 27-yard pass from Clark to Sanders. Griffin hit Clark for the two-point conversion with 29 seconds to play to finish off the scoring.

Dexter scored on its first possession of the game and it took only two plays. Senior Travis Chaffee completed a 63-yard pass to Noah Hiser. Thompson's tackle prevented it from going all the way.

On the next play, Lewis ran it in from 15 yards out and just like that, Dexter was on the board.

After stopping Dexter on downs the next time the Dreads had the ball, Ypsilanti went to work. They would go 53 yards on 12 plays in 6:02 to tie the game at 7-7 with 49 seconds to play in the opening quarter. The biggest play of the drive was a 12-yard run by Jordan. The Phoenix converted two fourth-down plays on the drive and also overcame a 15-yard personal foul penalty.

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public accuracy test including the AutoMark Machine for the November 2, 2010 Election will be conducted at 9:30 AM on Wednesday, October 20, 2010 at the Sylvan Township Hall, 18027 Old US 12, Chelsea, MI 48118.

This accuracy test is conducted to determine that the program and the computer being used to tabulate the results of the election, counts the votes in the manner prescribed by law.

LuAnn S. Koch Sylvan Township Clerk Publication Date: October 7, 2010 Posted: September 19, 2010 Publish October 7, 2010

LYNDON TOWNSHIP PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Lyndon Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Thursday, October 21, 2010 at 7:00 PM at 1723 N. Territorial Rd., Chelsea, MI 48118, to consider the Special Land Use Application & Permit of ATT Mobility, 101 West Beaver Road, Troy, MI 48064. ATT Mobility proposes to develop a 400 foot monopole style wireless telecommunication tower to improve wireless communication throughout Lyndon Township. The proposed tower will be located on property owned by Alan and Pam Dalton @ 642 S. Hay Lake Hollow, Chelsea, MI 48118. The location for the proposed tower is in a Rural Residential (R1) District on the south side of N. Territorial Rd. just west of Stroh Rd., Chelsea, MI. Property ID E-03-24-100-025. For a complete legal description of the property, please contact Lyndon Township. The Planning Commission will continue review of the Lyndon Township Zoning Ordinance, time permitting.

Written comments may be sent to Roxanne Petric, Lyndon Township, 1723 N. Territorial Rd., Chelsea, MI 48118. The Lyndon Township Planning Commission will provide the public hearing if time after the request allows, necessary and reasonable auxiliary aids or services to individuals with disabilities by contacting Lyndon Township in writing at its phone: 734 453 2401. Mary D. Heller, Clerk Publish October 7, 2010

Washtenaw County Legal Notice

Washtenaw County Purchasing Division is issuing a Request for Proposal for the construction of a bridge crossing the Saline River within the Draper Houston Meadows Preserve in York Township. There is a MANDATORY Pre Bid meeting at the site at the parking area of the preserve located along Mooreville Road in York Township, Michigan scheduled for Tuesday October 19, 2010 at 3:00 PM RFP #553 Due Tuesday, October 26, 2010 at 2:00 PM local time. For more information, please call (734) 222-6760 or logon to our website at http://bids.washtenaw.org and click on "open bids". Publish October 7, 2010

WEBSTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED ZONING MAP AMENDMENTS

THE WEBSTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING AT THEIR REGULAR MEETING SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER 20, 2010 AT 7:00 P.M. AT THE TOWNSHIP HALL, 5665 WEBSTER CHURCH ROAD, DEXTER, MICHIGAN 48130.

PURPOSE: To consider Zoning Map amendments to the following parcels:

- C-03-11-400-026 (8540 Merrill Rd) From Agriculture to Public Lands
C-03-12-400-002 (2820 Jennings Rd) From Agriculture to Public Lands
C-03-13-400-005 (2835 Jennings Rd) From Agriculture to Public Lands
C-03-27-200-005 (5101 Gregory Rd) From Rural Residential to Public Lands
C-03-06-400-001 (7988 Strawberry Lk Rd) From Rural Residential to Public Lands
C-03-06-190-002 (7592 Strawberry Lk Rd) From Rural Residential to Public Lands
C-03-06-170-012 (17785 Base Lake) From Rural Residential to Public Lands

Copies of the proposed map and a list of parcels affected are available at the Township Hall for review or online at www.twp.webster.mi.us.

Written comments may be made in advance by mailing or delivering to the Township Hall at the above address.

Those with disabilities must notify the Township Clerk no less than seven (7) days prior to the meeting, so that accommodations may be furnished to satisfy their disability and allow for meaningful attendance.

Mary D. Heller, Webster Township Clerk Posted: September 29, 2010 Publish October 7, 2010

NOTICE

DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING NOTICE

Tuesday, October 12, 2010 AT 7:00 P.M. AT DEXTER TOWNSHIP HALL 6880 DEXTER-PINCKNEY RD. DEXTER, MI. 48130

Agenda: 1) Meeting Canceled Publish October 7, 2010

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that The Public Accuracy test for the November 2, 2010 General has been scheduled for October 20, 2010 at 9:00 a.m. in the Freedom Township Hall located at 11508 Pleasant Lake Road, Manchester, Michigan.

The Public Accuracy test is conducted to demonstrate that the computer program used to record and count the votes cast at the election meet requirements of law.

Jennifer Alexa Freedom Township Clerk Publish October 7, 2010

SYNOPSIS

Webster Township Washtenaw County, Michigan Ordinance No. 2010 - 9

An ordinance to establish a new zoning district to regulate waterfront properties along the south shore of Base Line Lake by establishing density, height and location criteria for houses, decks and accessory structures and uses as well as prohibiting fences.

Section 4.24 Base Line Lake Residential District (BLLR)

A. Intent. This district is established to permit single family detached residences and other residential uses at an appropriate density on the southern shore of Base Line Lake.

B. Permitted Uses. i) Dwelling Single Family Detached ii) Family Day Care Home iii) Home Occupation iv) State Licensed Residential Facility

C. Special Uses. i) Group Day Care Home ii) Recreational Park iii) Recreational Facility

D. Design Standards. i) Minimum Lot Area: Ten thousand (10,000) square feet ii) Minimum Lot Width: Fifty (50) feet

iii) Maximum Lot Coverage: Thirty (30%) percent iv) Minimum Front (Street) Yard for principal building: Front side or rear yard abutting a public or private road the average of the distances from the street right of way to the street facing facade closest to the street of the principal buildings on the four zoning lots closest to the subject site on the same side of the street.

v) Minimum Rear (Lake) Yard for principal building: The lakeside setback will be determined by the following procedure: a) Potential Minimum Rear (Lake) Yard: One of the potential minimum rear lake yards will be determined by the average of the distance from the street right of way line to the centerpoint of the facade of the principal buildings facing the lake on the two zoning lots to the left of the subject site. The second potential minimum rear lake yard will be determined using the same method using the distances on the two zoning lots to the right of the subject site. The measurements shall each be taken ten feet (10') from the nearest parallel lot line although the sides and setbacks remain as five and ten feet each.

b) Selection of Minimum Rear (Lake) Yard/Control Point: Whichever of the two averaged distances results in a point closest to the ordinary high water mark will determine the control point for the establishment of the minimum rear (lake) yard line.

c) Minimum Rear (Lake) Yard Line: The minimum rear (lake) yard line behind which all building on the lot must occur is determined by drawing a line perpendicular to the nearest side lot line from this control point to

establish the lakeside setback from the ordinary high water mark

vi) Maximum Height (Principal Structure): Thirty five (35) feet

vii) Minimum Side Yard for all Structures: Ten (10) feet one side with no encroachments buildings, trees, bushes to allow unimpeded access to the lake five (5) feet for the other side yard with a minimum of fifteen (15) feet between the structures and any structure on the abutting property.

viii) Deck Regulations

A) Detached Accessory Structure Regulations

v) Parking: A single family dwelling shall provide at least one on-site parking space.

Amendments to Other Sections

Article 2.0 Definitions

Ordinary High Water Mark

The line to which high water normally reaches under natural conditions, but not including floods, storms, or severe meteorological conditions that has been maintained for a sufficient period of time to leave evidence upon the landscape. Commonly, it is the point where the natural vegetation changes from predominantly aquatic to predominantly terrestrial.

Section 5.11 Fence Regulations

A. Setbacks: Fences may be located in any required yard and are not subject to setback requirements in the Base Line Lake Residential (BLLR) district. Fences are not allowed in any yard of lots bordering Base Line Drive and Leach Lane.

Date of Passage: September 21, 2010 Date of Publication: October 7, 2010 Effective Date: Date Recorded:

Mary D. Heller, Clerk Webster Township

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing constitutes a true and complete copy of an ordinance duly adopted by the Webster Township Board of Trustees at a Regular Meeting held on the 21 day of September 2010, at which all members were present, except for:

I further certify that the foregoing members listed for adoption of said ordinance:

Kingsley, Koch Westman & Estleman and that the following members voted against said Ordinance: Heller, Kloveschmidt & Whitney

I further certify that said ordinance was published in the Dexter Leader within thirty (30) days after it was adopted and has been recorded in the Ordinance Book of the Township and that such recording has been authenticated by the Signature of the Supervisor and the Township Clerk.

September 21, 2010

Mary D. Heller, Clerk Webster Township Publish Thursday October 7 2010

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BULLETIN BOARD

Round Town with Linda

Round Town with Linda will feature Sarah Smalheer, marathon athlete. Round Town with Linda features interviews conducted by local host Linda Meloch. The show airs daily on Channel 18 at 7:30 a.m., noon, 4 p.m. and 11 p.m. A new interview begins every Thursday evening and is for a week. The guests all live or work in Chelsea, and anyone connected with the show is a volunteer. Previous shows are available to view at McKune Memorial Library.

Ministerial Message

The Chelsea Standard and Dexter Leader are soliciting columns from all religious leaders of any denomination in communities for the Ministerial Message section. The column should be limited to 100 words or less and include your name, contact information and a headshot in jpg format. The deadline for the column is Friday for the following week's issue. E-mail: gjia@heritage.com for more information.

Sign up e-newsletter

Sign up for The Chelsea Standard and Dexter Leader's newsletter to get the latest news delivered directly to your e-mail box, as well as king news and community news. Sign up on the newspaper's home page at www.heritage.com on the right side of the page.

Volunteers needed

The Mission Marketplace in Chelsea is in need of volunteers. The Mission Marketplace is a nonprofit, volunteer-supported, community marketplace that sells many handcrafted items made by economically impoverished people in developing regions of the world. For more information call 1-734-475-7604.

Dexter Daze T-shirts

There are still 2010 Dexter Daze T-shirts available at the Dexter Card and Gift Shop in adult sizes of medium, large, extra large and 2X, and children's sizes of small and medium for a cost of \$5 per shirt.

Cookbook sale

The Dexter American Legion Auxiliary 557 has collected the best recipes from group members, family, and friends and compiled them into a keepsake cookbook. Cookbooks can be purchased from any member of the American Legion for \$10. The cookbook contains 350 recipes. Proceeds benefit military care packages and community service projects. For more information call Christine Gatward at 426-2062. Cookbooks are also available at the Dexter Card and Gift Shop and the Dexter Pharmacy.

Donations sought for FIA

Did you know Faith in Action stays open until 7 p.m. on Wednesday evenings to accept donations and provide service? They now need clothing for colder weather months and can especially use children's items. Also always useful are household items such as bedding, dishes and other housewares.

Faith in Action has served the emergency needs of Chelsea and Dexter for 30 years, focusing on food, utility shut off prevention, eviction prevention, and clothing needs. Call 475-3305 with questions. Faith in Action is open Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Pioneer Day

The Waterloo Arga Historical Society will host its annual Pioneer Day from noon to 5 p.m. Oct. 10.

The celebration of late 19th-century farm life includes tours of the farm museum and Dewey School, live music, and demonstrations of crafts, trades, and traditional cooking methods.

Admission to the event is \$4 for adults, \$3 for seniors, and \$2 for children ages 5 to 17, and includes access to the farm grounds as well as guided tours of the ten-room farmhouse and one-room Dewey School. WAHS members and children under 5 enjoy free admission.

Brewery Investment meeting

Grass Lake resident and brewmaster Chris Matinson is holding an informal meeting to talk about the Chelsea Alehouse. For more information, E-mail info@chelsealehouse.com or visit www.chelsealehouse.com.

Ladies Day

The fifth annual Ladies Day will take place from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Nov. 13 in downtown Chelsea.

Enjoy scrumptious treats as you shop for holiday gifts at your favorite places in downtown Chelsea and hang out with your moms, sisters, or buddies. The fifth annual Ladies Day will feature special events and demonstrations, sales, free raffle drawings, and more. Wine tasting at various locations for small fee. Look for the red and white balloons identifying participating shops.

Ham dinner

The monthly dinner for October at St. Andrew's United Church of Christ in Dexter is ham and scalloped potatoes. Serving begins at 5 p.m. today. The church is located at 7610 Ann Arbor St. and parking and entrance to the social hall are behind the church on Fourth Street. Adult dinners are \$8 and children 5 and older are \$5. Take-out dinners are available. Tickets are available at the door.

Police Services forum

A Washtenaw County Police Services forum will take place from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Clinton

Assembly of God Church on Oct. 12. Come learn about updates in our communities police services. Ask Sheriff Jerry Clayton and his staff questions that will help us all better understand the decisions that they make that affect our quality of life. The church is located at 13080 Clinton Road in Clinton.

Sauerkraut Supper

St. Andrew's United Church of Christ in Dexter will hold a sauerkraut supper beginning at 4:30 p.m. Oct. 21. Reserve tickets through the church office by calling 426-8610 Monday through Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Mom-to-Mom Sale

The Chelsea MOPS group will be holding their annual spring Mom-to-Mom sale on from 9 a.m. to noon Nov. 6 at the Chelsea First United Methodist Church. Infant, toddlers, and children's clothing will be for sale. As well as baby gear and toys.

This year, an entire hallway of older children's clothing and toys will also be for sale. Shop early to get the best deals. Admission is \$1 at the door.

If you are looking to do some fall cleaning and would like to rent a table at this sale to sell your gently used infant, toddlers, and children's clothing e-mail worker08@aol.com or call 424-2659. Children's product vendors are welcome to rent table space.

All door admission fees and table rental fees go toward the MOPS scholarship fund.

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Christian Ed. 9:15 am
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Pastor Doris Sparks
www.zionchelsea.org

First United Methodist Church
128 Park Street, Chelsea, MI
734-475-8119
8:30am Daybreak
9:30am Renew
9:30am Sunday School for all ages
11:00am Mosaic
The Rev. Joy Barrett
Rev. Tom Macaulay
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Dexter, MI 48130
www.faithdexter.org

Immanuel Bible Church
145 E. Summit St.
(734) 475-8936
Dominic Aquilino, Pastor
Morning Service 10:00 a.m.
Evening Fellowship 5:45 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.
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Exit 162 off I-94
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10:30am Celebration Service & Childrens Church

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5484 Webster Church Rd., Dexter, MI
(734) 426-5115
SUNDAY:
First Sunday Communion Church School, 10:00 a.m.
Worship, 10:00 a.m.

WATERLOO VILLAGE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
8110 Washington St.
Service:
Sunday 11:00 a.m.
(734) 475-1171
Breakfast-2nd Sunday Sept. to May

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Chelsea
Rev. Curtiss DeMars-Johnson, Pastor
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Third Sunday Morning Praise Service
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at Washington Street Education Center's Courtyard
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9:45-10:45 am
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Pastor Charles R. Schulz
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John O'Dell, Pastor
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Worship 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.
Independent Fundamental Baptist
Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.
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Dexter, Michigan
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10:00am Worship Service
Sunday School classes offered during 10am service
Bible Study
Wednesday 10am, 1pm, & 6:30pm
Thursday 1pm
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DEARBORN HTS. 6534 Parkway Circle. Oct. 9, 9-5pm. Dishes, collectibles, furn., jewelry

DEARBORN HTS. 8267 Riverview St. Sept 27-Oct 10, 9-5. Large Sale, collectibles, TV'S, VCR'S

DEARBORN: Large Garage Sale! 6335 Reuter (Btw Hemlock & Paul) Fri. Sat. Sun Oct 8-10. 9-6. BIG Variety, golf clubs & books

DEARBORN W. Huge 3 family sale 1816 West Circle 10/7-10/9 9-4. baby clothes, toys, household & more

DEXTER MOM - 2 Park Lane, Oct. 9-10. Sat. & Sun. 9-5pm. Clothing Home goods, more.

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SCHNEIDERMAN & SHERMAN, P.C. IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by JOLENE HOCHSTETLER AKA JOLENE C. HOCHSTETLER A SINGLE WOMAN TO FIRST HORIZON HOME LOAN CORPORATION, Mortgagee, dated April 25, 2003, and recorded on May 14, 2003 in Liber 4257, on Page 967, and assigned by said mortgagee to FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION as assigned Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Sixty-One Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-Six Dollars and Thirty-Six Cents (\$161,826.36), including interest at 6.000% per annum Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises or some part of them at public venue inside the Main Lobby of the Washtenaw County Courthouse, Huron Street entrance, Ann Arbor, Michigan at 10:00 AM o'clock, on October 28, 2010. Said premises are located in Washtenaw County, Michigan and are described as LOTS 25 AND 26, SUPERVISORS PLAT NO. 10, CITY OF MILAN AS RECORDED IN LIBER 10, PAGE (S) 43 OF PLATS WASHTEAW COUNTY RECORDS. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. Dated September 23, 2010. FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee Assignee, Schneiderman & Sherman, PC, 23938 Research Drive, Suite 300 Farmington Hills, Michigan 48335. ASAP# 3751749 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010, 10/21/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Paul E. Maubetsch, a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated December 14, 2004, and recorded December 23, 2004 in Liber 4447, Page 285, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by The Bank of New York Mellon formerly known as the JP Morgan Chase Bank, National Association Trustee for the Certificateholders of Structured Asset Mortgage Investments II, Inc., Bear Stearns ARM Trust Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-3, by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Twenty Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-One and 47/100 Dollars (\$220,761.47) including interest at 15.25% per annum Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Northfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan and are described as Lots 281 and 282 of Horseshoe Lake Development Company's Shady Beach Subdivision, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 6 of Plats, Page 17, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated September 16, 2010. Orleans Associates, PC Attorneys for Servicer, PO Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 199 5187 ASAP# 3729342 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 10/07/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Jonathan M. Ichnio, a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated May 28, 2004 and recorded May 28, 2004 in Liber 4395, Page 72, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by New York Community Bank as Servicer for the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation as Receiver of AmTrust Insurance Corporation. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Thirty-Five Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-Eight and 85/100 Dollars (\$135,278.85) including interest at 6.875% per annum Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as, Unit Number 16, Stadium Meadows Condominium, according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 3937 on Pages 816 and First Amendment recorded in Liber 3987 on Page 935 and Second Amendment recorded in Liber 4022 on Page 539, Washtenaw County Records, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 334, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above Master Deed and as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated September 16, 2010. Orleans Associates, PC Attorneys for Servicer, PO Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 357 0582 ASAP# 3729316 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010

NOTICE OF MODIFICATION OPPORTUNITY Borrower(s): Deborah Williams Tony Williams Property Address 4278 Silverleaf Ypsilanti, MI 48197 Pursuant to MCLA 600.3205a please be advised of the following: You have a right to request a meeting with the mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. The name of the firm designated as the representative of the mortgage servicer is Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C. and designee can be contacted at the address and phone number below. You may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority's website at http://www.michigan.gov/msghda or by calling 1-800-A-SHELTER, 24 hours a day, seven days a week, year-round. If a meeting is requested with the designee shown above, foreclosure proceedings will NOT be commenced until 90 days after the date the notice mailed to you on 10/05/2010. If an agreement is reached to modify your mortgage loan the mortgage will NOT be foreclosed if you abide by the terms of the agreement. You have the right to contact an attorney. The website for the Michigan State Bar Lawyer Referral Service is http://www.michiganbar.org/programs/lawyerreferral.cfm and the toll free number is 800-968-0738. You may bring an action in circuit court if you are required by law to be served notice and foreclosure proceedings are commenced, without such notice having been served upon you. If you have previously agreed to modify your mortgage loan within the past twelve (12) months under the terms of the above statute, you are not eligible to participate in this program unless you have complied with the terms of the mortgage loan, as modified by the mortgagee, as modified by Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C. 43252 Woodward Avenue, Suite 180 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302, 313-583-3336 (Loan Modification Dept.) loanmod@millerlaw.biz Case No. 100M1089-1 Dated October 7, 2010 PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THIS OFFICE MAY BE ACTING AS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED MAY BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE ASAP# 3763401 10/07/2010

FORECLOSURE NOTICE This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Frank A. Wilk and Lynn A. Wilk, Husband and Wife to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Geneva Mortgage Corp., its successors and assigns, Mortgagee, dated November 6, 2006 and recorded November 14, 2006 in Liber 4592, Page 227. Said Mortgage was modified by instrument recorded on July 22, 2008 in Liber 4692 Page 33 Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage was assigned through mesne assignments to Citi Property Holdings, Inc., by assignment dated May 14, 2010 and recorded June 7, 2010 in Liber 4792, Page 764, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Six Hundred Forty-One Thousand Nine Hundred Nine Dollars and Twenty-Six Cents (\$641,909.26) including interest 7% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, Circuit Court of Washtenaw County at 10:00AM on October 21, 2010. Said premises are situated in Township of York, Washtenaw County, Michigan and are described as Lot 50, York Woods Sub No. 2, according to the Plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 28 of Plats, Pages 59 through 61, Washtenaw County Records, Commonly known as 9226 Whitting Pines Drive, Saline MI 48176. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600 3241 or MCL 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600 3241(a), whichever is later. Dated: 9/23/2010 Citi Property Holdings, Inc. Assignee of Mortgagee Attorneys, Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Our File No. 10-29002 ASAP# 3745010 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Paul E. Maubetsch, a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated December 14, 2004, and recorded December 23, 2004 in Liber 4447, Page 285, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by The Bank of New York Mellon formerly known as the JP Morgan Chase Bank, National Association Trustee for the Certificateholders of Structured Asset Mortgage Investments II, Inc., Bear Stearns ARM Trust Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2005-3, by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Twenty Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-One and 47/100 Dollars (\$220,761.47) including interest at 15.25% per annum Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Northfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan and are described as Lots 281 and 282 of Horseshoe Lake Development Company's Shady Beach Subdivision, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 6 of Plats, Page 17, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated September 16, 2010. Orleans Associates, PC Attorneys for Servicer, PO Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 199 5187 ASAP# 3729342 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 10/07/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Jonathan M. Ichnio, a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated May 28, 2004 and recorded May 28, 2004 in Liber 4395, Page 72, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by New York Community Bank as Servicer for the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation as Receiver of AmTrust Insurance Corporation. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Thirty-Five Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-Eight and 85/100 Dollars (\$135,278.85) including interest at 6.875% per annum Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as, Unit Number 16, Stadium Meadows Condominium, according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 3937 on Pages 816 and First Amendment recorded in Liber 3987 on Page 935 and Second Amendment recorded in Liber 4022 on Page 539, Washtenaw County Records, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 334, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above Master Deed and as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated September 16, 2010. Orleans Associates, PC Attorneys for Servicer, PO Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 357 0582 ASAP# 3729316 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010

FORECLOSURE NOTICE RANDALL S. MILLER & ASSOCIATES, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Phyllis Barnes and Tommy Lynch, husband and wife to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Fidelity Mortgage of NY a division of Delta Funding Corporation, Mortgagee, dated January 4, 2005, and recorded on January 13, 2006 in Liber 4532, Page 836, Washtenaw County Records. Said mortgage was assigned to HSBC Bank USA, N.A. as Trustee for the registered holders of Renaissance Home Equity Loan Trust 2006-1. An Assignment of Mortgage which has been submitted to the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eighty Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty-One and 45/100 (\$82,881.45) including interest at the rate of 9.9000% per annum Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as, Being all that certain Lots 20 and 21, Firewood Hills Subdivision, According to the Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 5 of Plats, on Page 37, Washtenaw County Records. Commonly known as 406 Elder Street. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. Dated, September 16, 2010. Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C. Attorneys for HSBC Bank USA, N.A. as Trustee for the registered holders of Renaissance Home Equity Loan Trust 2006-1. 43252 Woodward Avenue, Suite 180 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302 248-335-9200 Case No. 100M100918-1 ASAP# 3734925 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Aleksey Galun, a single man, Aleksey Galun to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated January 4, 2005 and recorded January 7, 2005 in Liber 4450, Page 58, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by CitiMortgage, Inc. by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-Two Thousand Five Hundred Fifty-Nine and 8/100 Dollars (\$92,559.08) including interest at 6.625% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 21, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as, Unit 29, Chateau Vert Condominium, according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 1733, Page 204, Washtenaw County Records, and any amendment thereto, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 43, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above Master Deed and as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated, September 23, 2010. Orleans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, PO Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 241 9822 ASAP# 3744453 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010

SCHNEIDERMAN & SHERMAN, P.C. IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT (248)539-7400 IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by JACQUELINE DENISE COFIELD A MARRIED WOMAN AS HER SOLE AND SEPARATE PROPERTY and GENERO M. COFIELD HER HUSBAND: to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. ("MERS"), solely as nominee for lender and lender's successors and assigns, Mortgagee, dated January 26, 2006, and recorded on February 28, 2006, in Liber 4541, on Page 173, and assigned by said mortgagee to THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON AS SUCCESSOR INDENTURE TRUSTEE UNDER NOVASTAR MORTGAGE FUNDING TRUST 2006-1, as assigned Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Four Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Six Dollars and Nine-Cents (\$124,976.94), including interest at 10.700% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, inside the Main Lobby of the Washtenaw County Courthouse, Huron Street entrance, Ann Arbor, Michigan at 10:00 AM o'clock, on October 21, 2010. Said premises are located in Washtenaw County, Michigan and are described as, LOT 719, REPLAT OF LOTS 647 THROUGH 663 INCLUSIVE OF OUTLOT G OF WESTWILLOW UNIT NO. 9, AS RECORDED IN LIBER 14 OF PLATS, PAGE 6, WASHTEAW COUNTY RECORDS. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948CL 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. Dated September 20, 2010. THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON, AS SUCCESSOR INDENTURE TRUSTEE UNDER NOVASTAR MORTGAGE FUNDING TRUST 2006-1, Mortgagee/Assignee, Schneiderman & Sherman, PC, 23938 Research Drive, Suite 300 Farmington Hills, MI 48335 ASAP# 3744058 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Onik Cecceyan, an unmarried man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated August 2, 2006 and recorded August 8, 2006 in Liber 4574, Page 777, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by NationStar Mortgage, LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Six Thousand Six Hundred Twenty-Nine and 81/100 Dollars (\$106,629.81) including interest at 8.125% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as, Lot 15, exceeding and reserving the South 16 feet, also a part of Lot A, described as, commencing at the Northeast corner of Outlot A, and running thence South along the West line of Carver Avenue, 100 feet, thence North 89 degrees 43 minutes West 120 feet, thence North parallel with the West line of Carver Avenue 26 feet, thence South 89 degrees 43 minutes East 78 feet, thence North parallel with the West line of Carver Avenue 74 feet, thence East 42 feet to the point of beginning, Palma Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 7 of Plats, Page 27, Washtenaw County Records, excepting land conveyed by Warranty Deed to First Church of Nazarene of Ypsilanti as recorded in Liber 999 of Deeds, Page 499, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated, September 16, 2010. Orleans Associates, PC Attorneys for Servicer, PO Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 426 1768 ASAP# 3729348 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 10/07/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Shirley R. Johnson, unmarried, to JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., Mortgagee, dated September 28, 2005 and recorded October 18, 2005 in Liber 4515, Page 474, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Chase Home Finance, LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Forty-Nine Thousand Three Hundred Thirty-One and 84/100 Dollars (\$149,331.84) including interest at 6.25% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as, Lot 4, described as, Lot commencing at the East 1/4 post of Section 3, Town 3 South Range 7 East, thence South 3 Degrees 41 minutes West 108.6 feet in the East line of Section 3, to a place of beginning, thence South 1 Degree 41 minutes West 82 feet in the East line of Section 3, thence North 88 Degrees 03 minutes West 333.57 feet, thence North 1 Degree 36 minutes East 52 feet, thence South 88 Degrees 03 minutes West 333.66 feet to the place of beginning, being part of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 3, Town 3 South Range 7 East, Ypsilanti Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan. The East 50 feet being subject to the rights of the public in Harris Road. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated, September 16, 2010. Orleans Associates, PC Attorneys for Servicer, PO Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 819 8948 ASAP# 3729399 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Richard Williams and Cheryl Williams, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated December 3, 2007 and recorded December 24, 2007 in Liber 4659, Page 185, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP JKA Countrywide Home Loans Servicing LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Seventy Thousand One Hundred Sixty-Five and 86/100 Dollars (\$270,165.86) including interest at 6.25% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 28, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as, Commencing at a point of intersection of the East line of said Section 15 and the center line of Grove Road said point of intersection being North 144.66 feet and West 533.26 feet from the Southeast corner of Section 14, Town 3 South, Range 7 East, thence North 75 degrees 30 minutes 00 seconds West 1431.26 feet along the center line of Grove Road to the place of beginning, thence South 2 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds East 135.04 feet, thence North 84 degrees 52 minutes 40 seconds West 75.64 feet, thence North 2 degrees 22 minutes 30 seconds West 150.92 feet, thence South 75 degrees 30 minutes 00 seconds East 78.37 feet along the center line of Grove Road to the place of beginning. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600 3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated September 30, 2010. Orleans Associates, PC Attorneys for Servicer, PO Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617 3441 ASAP# 3754082 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010, 10/21/2010

NOTICE This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for this purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. Notwithstanding, if the debt secured by this property was discharged in a Chapter 7 Bankruptcy proceeding, this notice is NOT an attempt to collect that debt. You are presently in default under your Mortgage Security Agreement and the Mortgage Holder may be contemplating the commencement of foreclosure proceedings under the terms of that Agreement and Michigan law you have no legal obligation to pay amounts due under the discharged note. A loan modification may not serve to revive that obligation. However, in the event you wish to explore options that may avert foreclosure, please contact our office at the number listed below. Attention: The following notice shall apply only if the property encumbered by the mortgage described below is claimed as a principal residence exempt from tax under section 70c of the general property tax act, 1893 PA 206, MCL 211.70c. Attention: Nghiep Kien Le and Lany Tang Le, regarding the property at 4700 Crane Ct, Ypsilanti, MI 48197. The following notice does not apply if you have previously agreed to modify the mortgage loan under section 3205b, 3205a, 3205b and 3205c do not apply unless the terms of the modified mortgage loan entered into were complied with for one year after the date of the modification. You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder or mortgage servicer Potestivo & Associates, P.C. is the designee with authority to make agreements under MCL 600 3205b and MCL 600 3205c, and can be contacted at 811 South Blvd., Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123. For more information, contact the Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA), by visiting www.michigan.gov/msghda or calling (866) 946-7432. If you request a meeting with Potestivo & Associates, PC within 14 days after the notice required under MCL 600 3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not commence until at least 90 days after the date said notice was mailed. If an agreement to modify the mortgage loan is reached and you abide by the terms of the agreement, the mortgage will not be foreclosed. You have the right to contact an attorney and can obtain contact information through the State Bar of Michigan's Lawyer Referral Service at (800) 968-0738. Dated October 7, 2010. Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 information may be faxed to (248) 847-3004. Attention: Loss Mitigation Our File No. 10-31051 ASAP# 3762404 10/07/2010

SCHNEIDERMAN & SHERMAN, P.C. IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT (248)539-7400 IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by HERBERT J. KLEIN and SANDRA L. KLEIN, HUSBAND AND WIFE, to AMERICA'S MONEYLINE INC. Mortgagee, dated September 25, 2003, and recorded on October 10, 2003, in Liber 4323, on Page 326, and assigned by said mortgagee to Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, as Trustee for Saxon Asset Securities Trust 2003-3, as assigned, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Fifty-Four Thousand Eighty-One Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$154,081.50), including interest at 7.375% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, inside the Main Lobby of the Washtenaw County Courthouse, Huron Street entrance, Ann Arbor, Michigan at 10:00 AM o'clock, on October 21, 2010. Said premises are located in Washtenaw County, Michigan and are described as, A PARCEL OF LAND IN THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 5, TOWN 2 SOUTH, RANGE 5 EAST, MICHIGAN, DESCRIBED AS COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SECTION 33, TOWN 1 SOUTH, RANGE 5 EAST, THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 52 MINUTES EAST, 825.15 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SECTION 5; FOR A PLACE OF BEGINNING THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 26 MINUTES WEST, 286.84 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 52 MINUTES 45 SECONDS WEST, 227.25 FEET; THENCE NORTH 286.84 FEET TO A POINT IN THE NORTH LINE OF SECTION 5 TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such

FLAT ROCK - 29512 Evergreen, Oct. 9-10, 9-4pm. Estate Sale. Fast Cash Sell Classified.

GROSSE ILE - 22361 Meridian Rd. Saturday, Oct. 9, 10-3pm. Lots of Stuff for guys! Miller Welder, tools, hunting & fishing gear, auto gear, housewares, yard items, books, some ladies' mens clothing & shoes.

GROSSE ILE - 9702 Waterway Dr. Moving Sale! Oct. 7-10. GE W/D, lawn care, grill, patio, tools, furniture, electronics & more!

LINCOLN PARK - 1053 New York, Oct. 9, 9-4pm. One day only, estate sale.

LINCOLN PARK - 1373 Liberty, Fri & Sat. 9-5. 2x-6x women's clothing & mens clothing, household items & misc!

LINCOLN PARK - 1564 Blvd. Oct. 8-10. 9-5pm. Sewing machine, recliner, rocker & jewelry.

LINCOLN PARK - 1630 Fort Park, Oct. 8 & 9, 10-6pm. Washer & dryer, nice furn. No junk.

LINCOLN PARK - 3291 Richmond, Oct. 8-10, 10-6. 50% off! Can't store everything! Just moved!

LINCOLN PARK - 4060 Coolidge, Oct. 6-8, 9-5pm. Sewing machine, recliner, rocker & jewelry.

LINCOLN PARK LG. MOVING - 4024 Agnes Ave. Oct. 8-10, 8-5pm. Tools, kitchen things, collectibles, small and large electric appliances, bedding and much more, large Christmas selection. Basement & garage sale.

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Benjamin S. Bovee, an unmarried man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated March 4, 2005 and recorded March 14, 2005 in Liber 4464, Page 581, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Thirty-Two Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Three and 5/100 Dollars (\$232,173.05) including interest at 6.125% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Saine, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 32, Hi-Vue Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 13, Page 15 of Plats, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 16, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617 6270 ASAP# 3735001 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Loren J. Rohman, an unmarried man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated March 6, 2006 and recorded March 16, 2006 in Liber 4545, Page 639, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-Four Thousand Six Hundred Ninety and 39/100 Dollars (\$224,690.39) including interest at 6.625% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 21 and the East 10 feet of Lot 20, Block 2, Westlawn Addition to the City of Ypsilanti Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 1, Page 39 of Plats, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 16, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617 6270 ASAP# 3735001 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Kelley Beuzrich and Arthur Talbot Jr., wife and husband, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated August 30, 2005 and recorded September 9, 2005 in Liber 4506, Page 639, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by U.S. Bank National Association, as Trustee for the Specialty Underwriting and Residential Finance Trust Mortgage Loan Asset-Backed Certificates Series 2006-BC1 by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Five Hundred Twenty-Two Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-Six and 88/100 Dollars (\$522,956.88) including interest at 7.7% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 21, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 6, Bontekoe Estates Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 14 of Plats, Page 33, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 23, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617 3834 ASAP# 3736547 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by James Kirchoff, a married man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated May 11, 2007 and recorded June 5, 2007 in Liber 4628, Page 333, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Nationsstar Mortgage LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Eighty-Eight Thousand Three Hundred One and 97/100 Dollars (\$288,301.97) including interest at 6.625% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 28, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 129, Whispering Meadows Subdivision Number 2, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Liber 34 of Plats, Pages 69 through 75, inclusive, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 30, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 426 0231 ASAP# 3754274 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010, 10/21/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Inetta M. Saffold, a single woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated October 23, 2003 and recorded December 23, 2003 in Liber 4348, Page 766, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Aurora Loan Services, LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Sixty-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-Three and 0/100 Dollars (\$169,873.00) including interest at 7% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit 25, The Ports of Schoner Cove, a condominium, according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 1510, Pages 128 through 178, inclusive, Washtenaw County Records, and amended in the First Amended Master Deed recorded in Liber 1519, Pages 538 through 557, inclusive, Washtenaw County Records, and any amendments thereto, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 29, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above Master Deed and described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 16, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 191 4902 ASAP# 3725343 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Charles McHugh, a single man, (Joseph McHugh, current owner), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated February 22, 2007 and recorded March 9, 2007 in Liber 4612, Page 344, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by The Bank of New York Mellon f/k/a The Bank of New York as Trustee for the holders of the Certificates, First Horizon Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates Series FH07-FA2, by First Horizon Home Loans, a division of First Tennessee Bank National Association, Master Servicer, in its capacity as agent for the Trustee under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eighty-Three Thousand Eight Hundred Six and 76/100 Dollars (\$83,806.76) including interest at 6.875% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 168, Westlawn Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 6 of Plats, Page 40, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 16, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 238 8411 ASAP# 3734974 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Dorothy Morton, an unmarried man, to Fifth Third Mortgage - MI, LLC, Mortgagee, dated October 19, 2007 and recorded October 30, 2007 in Liber 4651, Page 989, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Fifth Third Mortgage Company by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Forty and 4/100 Dollars (\$199,040.04) including interest at 7.375% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Scio, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit 29, Great Oak Cohousing, a condominium, according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 4150, Page 447, Washtenaw County Records, and amended by First Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 4288, Page 259, Washtenaw County Records, and amended by Second Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 4457, Page 116, Washtenaw County Records, designated as Respal Number 1 of Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 392, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the Master Deed and as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 16, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 200 8884 ASAP# 3734863 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Edward Burnett and Tame Burnett, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated May 16, 2007 and recorded June 1, 2007 in Liber 4627, Page 768, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by GMAC Mortgage, LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Five Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-Five and 66/100 Dollars (\$205,655.66) including interest at 6.625% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 28, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 118, Partridge Creek Number 2, as recorded in Liber 30 of Plats, Page 93, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 30, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 618 5224 ASAP# 3754276 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010, 10/21/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Christina Hingora f/k/a Christina Scheer and Jason Hingora, wife and husband, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated July 16, 2007 and recorded July 31, 2007 in Liber 4637, Page 459, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Bac Home Loans Servicing, LP fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Eighty-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-One and 70/100 Dollars (\$188,941.70) including interest at 7% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 21, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 278, Ford Lake Heights Number 5, as recorded in Liber 28, Page 74, 75, and 76 of Plats, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 23, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 285 9593 ASAP# 3737915 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Christopher Tappley, unmarried, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated March 10, 2005 and recorded March 22, 2005 in Liber 4466, Page 118, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Six Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty and 76/100 Dollars (\$127,096.76) including interest at 5.875% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 28, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 283, Shady Knoll Estates Number 8, being a subdivision of part of the East 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 15, Town 3 South, Range 7 East, according to the Plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 12 of Plats, Pages 3 and 4, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 30, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617 6424 ASAP# 3754102 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010, 10/21/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Inetta M. Saffold, a single woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated October 23, 2003 and recorded December 23, 2003 in Liber 4348, Page 766, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Aurora Loan Services, LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Sixty-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-Three and 0/100 Dollars (\$169,873.00) including interest at 7% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit 25, The Ports of Schoner Cove, a condominium, according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 1510, Pages 128 through 178, inclusive, Washtenaw County Records, and amended in the First Amended Master Deed recorded in Liber 1519, Pages 538 through 557, inclusive, Washtenaw County Records, and any amendments thereto, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 29, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above Master Deed and described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 16, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 191 4902 ASAP# 3725343 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Inetta M. Saffold, a single woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated October 23, 2003 and recorded December 23, 2003 in Liber 4348, Page 766, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Aurora Loan Services, LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Sixty-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-Three and 0/100 Dollars (\$169,873.00) including interest at 7% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit 25, The Ports of Schoner Cove, a condominium, according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 1510, Pages 128 through 178, inclusive, Washtenaw County Records, and amended in the First Amended Master Deed recorded in Liber 1519, Pages 538 through 557, inclusive, Washtenaw County Records, and any amendments thereto, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 29, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above Master Deed and described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 16, 2010 Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 191 4902 ASAP# 3725343 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010

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Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 28, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Lima, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at the North 1/4 corner of Section 11, Town 2 South, Range 4 East, Lima Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, thence along the North line of said section and centerline of Dexter-Chelsea Road, North 88 degrees 40 minutes 10 seconds West 1309.22 feet to the Northwest Corner of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of said section; thence along West line of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of said section, South 00 degrees 24 minutes 40 seconds West 173.49 feet to a place of beginning, thence South 64 degrees 19 minutes 25 seconds East 634.13 feet; thence South 21 degrees 04 minutes 35 seconds West 948.00 feet; thence along the South line of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of said section North 88 degrees 36 minutes 15 seconds West 238.93 feet to the Southwest corner of the Northeast one quarter of the Northwest one quarter of said section; thence along the West line of the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of said section North 00 degrees 24 minutes 40 seconds East 1153.36 feet to the place of beginning, being a part of the Northwest 1/4 of said section 11 and including a right of way for ingress and egress over the following described parcel of land: Commencing at the North corner 1/4 of Section 11, Town 2 South, Range 4 East, Lima Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, thence along the center line of Dexter-Chelsea Road and the North line of said Section 11, North 88 degrees 40 minutes 10 seconds West 698.70 feet for a place beginning, thence South 1 degrees 19 minutes 50 seconds West 463.14 feet thence North 88 degrees 40 minutes 10 seconds West 40.14 feet, thence 21 degrees 04 minutes 35 seconds East 30 feet; thence North 01 degree 19 minutes 50 seconds East 434.90 feet; thence along the North said line of said Section 11 and the centerline of Dexter-Chelsea Road, South 88 degrees 40 minutes 10 seconds East 30.00 feet to the place of beginning; including also private non-exclusive easement for ingress and egress over and across the following described property, the Easterly 36.0 feet of the following described parcel, commencing at the North 1/4 corner of section 11, Town 2 South, Range 4 East, Lima Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, thence along the North line of said Section 11, and the center line of Dexter-Chelsea Road North 88 degrees 40 minutes 10 seconds West 728.70 feet for a place of beginning; thence South 1 degree 19 minutes 50 seconds West 434.90 feet; thence North 64 degrees 19 minutes 25 seconds West 634.13 feet; thence along the West line of the Northeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of said section North 01 degree 24 minutes 40 seconds East 173.49 feet to the centerline of said Dexter-Chelsea Road and the North line of said Section; thence along said Centerline and said North line South 88 degrees 40 minutes 10 seconds East 580.52 feet to the place of beginning; excepting the Northernly 33.0 feet of the above described parcel and also subject to the rights of the public over Southernly 320 feet of the Northernly 66.0 feet thereof for Dexter-Chelsea Road widening, being part of the Northwest 1/4 of said Section 11. The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 30, 2010. Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 225.3763 ASAP# 3754307 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010, 10/21/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by James M. Pringle, an unmarried man, to JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., Mortgagee, dated February 8, 2008 and recorded April 22, 2008 in Liber 4678, Page 511, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Fifty-One Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-Three and 45/100 Dollars (\$51,453.45) including interest at 6.55% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on NOVEMBER 4, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Superior, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 96 Washtenaw Autumn Number 2 a subdivision of part of the Southwest quarter of Section 35 Town 2 South Range 7 East as recorded in Liber 14 of Plats Pages 27 and 28 Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: October 7, 2010. Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 224.6312 ASAP# 3763360 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010, 10/21/2010, 10/28/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Blake A. Nordman, AKA Blake Nordman, a single man and Joanne Nordman, a single woman, as joint tenants with rights of survivorship, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns. Mortgage, dated August 31, 2005 and recorded September 21, 2005 in Liber 4509, Page 103, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Midfirst Bank by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Thirty-Five Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-Three and 49/100 Dollars (\$135,953.49) including interest at 5% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 28, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at the Northeast corner of Lot 3 in Gilbert's Eastern Addition to the City of Ypsilanti and running thence Southeastly along the Easterly Line of Lots 2 and 3 in said Addition to the Southeast corner of Lot 2, thence Southwesterly along the Southerly line of said Lot 2, 55 feet, thence Northwesterly parallel with the Easterly line of said Lots 2 and 3 to the South Line of Cross Street, thence East along the South Line of Cross Street to the place of beginning, being part of Lots 2 and 3 and 4 in said Gilbert's Eastern Addition to the City of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 30, 2010. Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 326.3785 ASAP# 3754253 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010, 10/21/2010

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Kevin L. Beverly and Nicole A. Beverly, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns. Mortgage, dated February 23, 2006 and recorded March 2, 2006 in Liber 4541, Page 699, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by GMAC Mortgage, LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Three Hundred Twenty Thousand Six Hundred Thirty-Nine and 94/100 Dollars (\$320,639.94) including interest at 3.375% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 168, Partridge Creek North, Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 32 of Plats, Page 61, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 16, 2010. Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 618.5083 ASAP# 3731424 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Tiffany S. Joplin, a single woman, to Homelink Mortgage Company, LLC, Mortgagee, dated January 21, 2003 and recorded March 12, 2003 in Liber 4230, Page 692, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Fifth Third Mortgage Company by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Six Thousand Three Hundred Two and 69/100 Dollars (\$76,302.69) including interest at 6.25% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 14, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Superior, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit 41, Building 3, of Lakeview Estates Condominium, a condominium according to the Master Deed thereof recorded in Liber 1438, Pages 25, Washtenaw County Records, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan number 21, and any amendments thereto, together with an undivided interest in the common element of said condominium as set forth in said Master Deed and any amendment thereof, last amended by amendment recorded in Liber 1982, Page 276 and as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1978, as amended. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 16, 2010. Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 609.6939 ASAP# 3731421 09/16/2010, 09/23/2010, 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by William D. Eskridge and Janice J. Eskridge, husband and wife, to Wells Fargo Financial America, Inc., Mortgagee, dated May 13, 2005 and recorded May 31, 2005 in Liber 4481, Page 456, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Thirty-Two Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty-Seven and 32/100 Dollars (\$232,957.32) including interest at 5% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on NOVEMBER 4, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Northfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: A parcel of land situated in the Northeast corner of Section 35, Town 1 South, Range 6 East, Northfield Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, more particularly described as being bounded on the North and East Highway, on the South by land of Jacob Ehms, on the West by Toledo, Ann Arbor and Northern Michigan Railroad Company land, being in the township of Northfield, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan. Excepting therefrom the following described property: Commencing at the Northeast corner of Section 35, Town 1 South, Range 6 East, thence West 165 feet in the North line of Section 35; for a place of beginning thence West 165 feet in the North line of Section 35, thence deflecting 91 degrees 45 minutes 40 seconds to the left 284 feet, thence deflecting 88 degrees 14 minutes 20 seconds to the left feet, thence deflecting 88 degrees 14 minutes 20 seconds to the left feet, thence deflecting 91 degrees 45 minutes 40 seconds to the left 284 feet to the Place of Beginning. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: October 7, 2010. Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 514.0223 ASAP# 3763397 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010, 10/21/2010, 10/28/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Steven G. Sherman, an Unmarried Man, AS HIS SOLE and separate PROPERTY, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns. Mortgage, dated May 15, 2006 and recorded May 19, 2006 in Liber 4559, Page 16, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Citicredit Mortgage, Inc by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Thirty-Seven Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty-Seven and 95/100 Dollars (\$137,867.95) including interest at 7.125% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 28, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 63, Hannah Subdivision, according to the recorded Plat thereof, filed in Liber 10 of Plats, Page(s) 58, Washtenaw County. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 30, 2010. Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 671.0388 ASAP# 3754294 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010, 10/21/2010

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Deborah N. Brandon, a single woman and Ester I. Brandon, a single woman and Margaret I. Brandon, a single woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns. Mortgage, dated May 9, 2003 and recorded May 20, 2003 in Liber 4280, Page 623, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Nationalstar Mortgage LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Six Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-Three and 73/100 Dollars (\$126,983.73) including interest at 6.125% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on OCTOBER 28, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at the East 1/4 corner of Section 33, and the West 1/4 corner of Section 34, thence North 89 degrees 42 minutes 03 seconds West 35.84 feet along the East West 1/4 line of said Section 33; thence South 04 degrees 37 minutes 00 seconds West 179.10 feet along the centerline of Whittaker Road for a point of beginning; thence South 85 degrees 53 minutes 45 seconds East 219.27 feet; thence South 03 degrees 58 minutes 43 seconds West 70.42 feet; thence North 89 degrees 38 minutes 19 seconds West 220.66 feet; thence North 04 degrees 37 minutes 00 seconds East 84.90 feet to the place of beginning, being a part of the West 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 34, Town 3 South, Range 7 East, Ypsilanti Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: September 30, 2010. Orlians Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 426.1935 ASAP# 3754219 09/30/2010, 10/07/2010, 10/14/2010, 10/21/2010

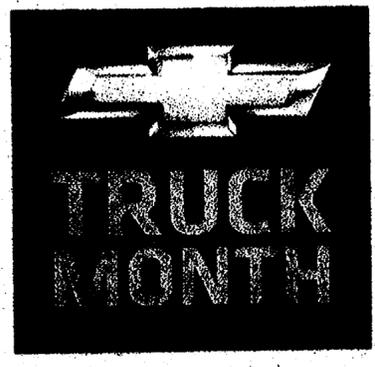
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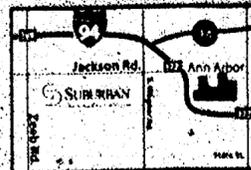
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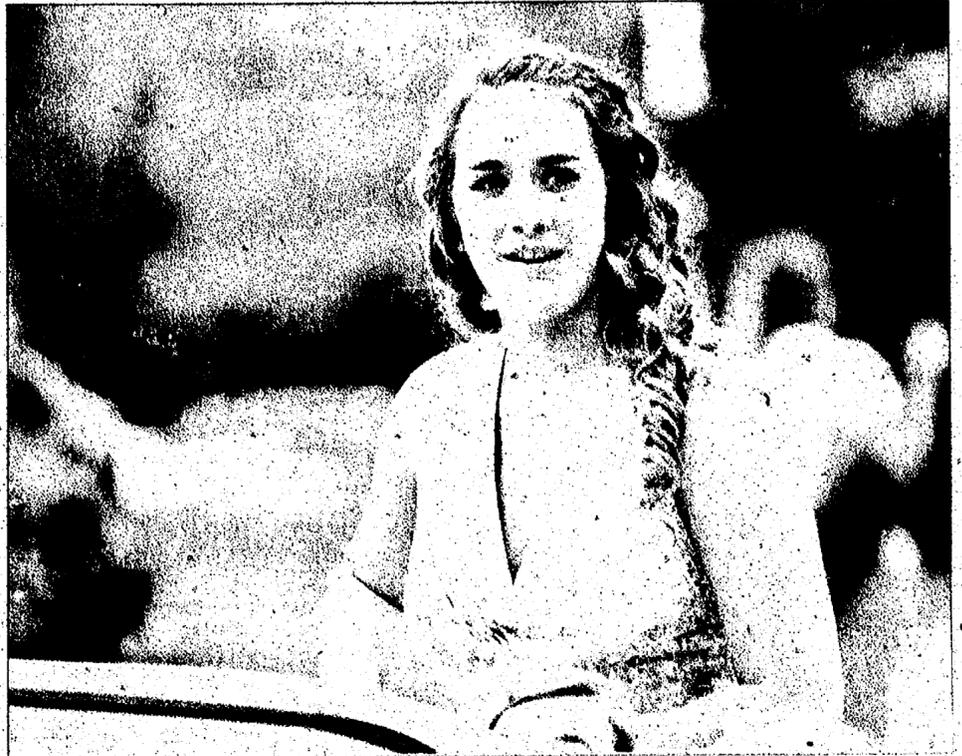


Chelsea High School junior Jessie Palumbo smiles to onlookers during the homecoming parade.

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Chelsea High School freshman Tiffany Valencia rides in the homecoming parade.



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'Last Writes' fast-paced

This is the first in a series of Sheila Lowe's forensic handwriting mysteries that I've read, and I can promise you, it won't be the last.

You'll love Claudia Rose, a forensic handwriting expert, and the book's main character. She's sassy and tough, endearing and smart.

And it's no surprise that the plot moves as smoothly and intricately as calligraphy since Lowe is an expert in the field.

There's an ease and credibility to this story with enough loops and straight lines to make you want to practice perfect penmanship.

In fact, after learning about the nuances of what handwriting can tell about a person, I'd love to have my handwriting analyzed.

BOOK REVIEW



LISA ALLMENDINGER

Fast Facts

"Last Writes: A forensic Handwriting Mystery" by Sheila Lowe
Paperback, fourth in a series

When Claudia is asked to help her friend, Kelly Brennan, find her niece's almost 3-year-old daughter, readers are immediately immersed in a church/cult called The Temple of Brighter Light.

And like followers of this church, the reader is drawn to the story like a moth to a candle.

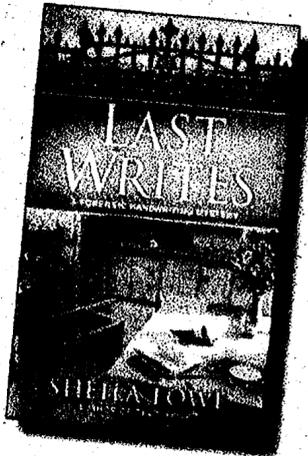
I love learning new things while being thoroughly engaged by a book.

This one was thoroughly satisfying. And after you read this book, you'll think twice about how you write a note.

If you don't love "Last Writes," you don't love a terrifically written mystery.

It's rare when I can't put down a book, but for several nights, I didn't turn off the lights until after 1 a.m.

Lowe was at Aunt Agatha's bookstore in Ann Arbor earlier this fall and, unfortunately, I missed her appearance. But if you're lucky, there might still be a signed copy of this book there.



Previous titles in this series include "Poison Pen," "Written in Blood," and "Dead Write," and I'm looking forward to going back to the start of this series to see what I missed.

Lisa Allmendinger can be reached at lallmendinger@sbcglobal.net.

Civic Theater to produce comedy

Ann Arbor Civic Theatre's Studio Series will present the contemporary comedy "A Night in the Theatre," written by Lawrence Kasler, Oct. 15 through 24 at A2CT's 40-seat Studio Theater at 322 W. Ann St. in Ann Arbor.

"A Night in the Theatre" observes two couples as they attend a production of "Hamlet."

Donna and Walter have been married a long time, and Margaret and Stanley even longer. While the two couples often socialize together, this is their first outing to the theater.

Obviously unschooled in theater etiquette, the foursome exhibits every annoying habit of inconsiderate patrons as their various complaints, indiscretions and infidelities are revealed — to patrons and cast members alike.

"This is a little gem of a play," said director Mark Bafell in a news release.

It's hilarious and — at times — outrageous. Anyone who has been married a long time will identify with the characters, and anyone who has attended the theater with annoying patrons will identify even more.

The cast of "A Night in the Theatre" features David Melcher as Walter, Breda Miller as Margaret, Michelle Skrobot as Donna and Sanders Hamson as Stanley.

Performances are at 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, with a Sunday matinee at 2 p.m. Oct. 24.

Tickets are \$12 for general admission and are available at the A2CT office at 322 W. Ann St. or by calling the office at 971-2228. Additional information is available by visiting www.a2ct.org.

Performance Network's 'Sonia Flew' a good family show

By Angie M. Laird

Performance Network Theatre opens its 2010-2011 season with "Sonia Flew," a contemporary drama by playwright Melinda Lopez. The work originally premiered in 2004 at the Huntington Theatre Company in Boston, and has enjoyed multiple subsequent stagings at such prestigious theaters as the Steppenwolf in Chicago.

Performance Network's production is produced in conjunction with the Jewish Ensemble Theatre of West Bloomfield.

"Sonia Flew" deals heavily with the subject of family and sacrifice, set in two different locales 40 years apart. The first act takes place in a post-9/11 America, whereas the second is juxtaposed in Havana, Cuba, in

the early days of Fidel Castro's Communist regime.

Milica Govich plays the title character, Sonia, a strong-willed Cuban-American woman who struggles with a traumatic past. She was one of the thousands of children who took part in Operation Pedro Pan, a joint effort between the U.S. government, the Catholic church, and Cuban parents to help their children escape to a safer life outside of the country. This was similar to the Kindertransport, which allowed Jewish children to escape to Great Britain just prior to World War II. Sadly, many of them were never reunited with their parents.

Sonia learns that her son has decided to enlist to serve in Afghanistan, an event that shakes loose memories and emotions that her family cannot understand.

Performance Network often makes great use of small companies, and so all of the roles in this production are double cast. Govich performs well as the adult Sonia, though she has less to work with in her second role as Marta, an illiterate Cuban maid and friend to young Sonia's family.

She believably conveys Sonia's anguish at the thought of again losing part of her family — this time, her son to war. Her occasionally loud, emotional delivery contrasts nicely with that of her soft-spoken, Jewish husband, Daniel (Jon Bennett), in some of their tense encounters over their son's enlistment.

Sarah Kamoo makes an impressive appearance in a minor role as Nina, a brass fellow soldier to Sonia's son, Zak (Russ Schwartz). She later

gives a compelling and nuanced performance as Sonia's mother, Pilar, who makes the incredibly difficult decision to get her daughter out of the country despite her child's vehement protests.

Christina Flynn is a true delight as Sonia and Daniel's teenage daughter, Jen, in the first act. When Flynn switches to playing a teenage version of her mother, her acting becomes almost hyperactive. Perhaps this was intended to more strongly delineate between the two roles, since Flynn is playing characters who are both essentially around the same age. Despite this, she proves herself capable of handling heavy drama in her last few heart-wrenching moments on stage.

Though the male characters are not quite as strongly drawn, actors Jon Bennett,

Russ Schwartz, and Will David Young all offer significant contributions. A few standouts include the touching farewell between Young, as Sonia's professor father, and Flynn as his daughter.

Bennett shows wonderful versatility in switching between Daniel and Tito, a somewhat questionable family friend who still claims loyalty to those not entirely one with the new regime.

Audience members may wonder why there is not at least a trace of Cuban accents coming from the actors in the second half to more firmly give a sense of location, but this is a mere quibble. The show works fine without them.

"Sonia Flew" is a strong opening production for the new season, and one that raises awareness of issues and history

that some may not have otherwise known. It is decidedly time well spent.

Weekly performances are Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m., and Sunday at 2 p.m., with a 3 p.m. matinee Oct. 16.

Tickets can be ordered at the Performance Network Box Office at 1-734-663-0681, online at www.performancenetwork.org or by coming to the Performance Network Theatre, 120 E. Huron St., in Ann Arbor, Monday through Saturday 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. or one hour before a performance.

Tickets are priced at \$22 to \$41, with discounts available for seniors, members, students and groups. "Sonia Flew" runs through Oct. 17.

Angie M. Laird is a theater student at Eastern Michigan University. She can be reached at fairfaxl@yahoo.com

THINGS TO DO: REGIONAL CALENDAR

CHELSEA

International Book Club

7 p.m. Thursday, Chelsea District Library, 221 S. Main St., Chelsea. Free. Pre-registration required. 475-8732.

Fall Story Time

10:30 and 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Chelsea District Library, 221 S. Main St. Free. Pre-registration required. 475-8732.

Grandma's Attic Tag & Bake Sale

9 a.m. to noon Friday and Saturday, Washington Street Education Center media center.

DJ Skate

7:15 p.m. Saturday, Arctic Coliseum, 501 Coliseum Drive. \$5 (14 and younger, \$3) admission, \$3 skate rental. 433-4444.

Pioneer Day

Noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, Waterloo Area Farm Museum, 9998 Waterloo-Munich Road, Waterloo Recreation Area. \$4 (seniors \$3, ages 5-17, \$2, age 4 and younger, free). 1-517-596-2254.

"O-Meet"

Noon to 3 p.m. Sunday, Southern Michigan Orienteering Club, "Pond Lily Lookout, Green Road, east of Clear Lake Road. \$10 (members, \$5). 834-2201.

Chelsea Maze

Dusk to 11 p.m. Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, Pumpkin patch, evening bonfires, concessions. Bring a flashlight or rent one. Quarter mile south of I-94 on west side of M. 52, Chelsea. \$6 until 6 p.m., \$8 after 6 p.m. (4 and younger, free). 1-517-214-0613.

Chelsea Farmers'

Market

8 a.m. to noon Saturdays, Park Street. Free admission. 475-1145.

Geology Arts Fair

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Eddy Discovery Center, Bush Road, Chelsea. \$2 (families, \$5). Space limited, pre-registration required. \$6 vehicle entrance fee. 475-3170.

Chelsea Teddy Bear Co.

11 a.m., 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Saturday, 400 N. Main St. Free. 433-5499.

Chelsea Chess Club

3 p.m. Saturdays, Wendy's, 1640 Commerce Park. Free. 475-1583.

"I Need to Read"

3:30 p.m. Monday, Chelsea District Library, 221 S. Main St., Chelsea. Free. 475-8732.

McKune Mystery Book Club

7:30 p.m. Monday, Breakaway Restaurant, Arctic Coliseum, 501 Coliseum Drive. Free. 475-7035.

DEXTER

Draw Doubles Disc Golf

Noon Saturdays, Hudson Mills Metropark, 8801 North Territorial Road. \$5 vehicle fee. 449-4300.

"An Invitation to an Anishinaabe Home"

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Park Lyndon south, North Territorial Road. \$10. Pre-registration required. 971-6337, ext. 334.

Fire Starting

1 p.m. Saturday, \$3 Hudson

Mills Metropark, 8801 North Territorial Road, Dexter. Pre-registration required. \$5 vehicle entrance fee. 426-8211.

University Lowbrow Astronomers

Sunset to 12:30 a.m. Saturday, Peach Mountain Observatory, North Territorial Road, Dexter. Free. 332-9132.

Autumn Trees and Shrubs Along the Huron River

2 p.m. Sunday, Hike to identify woody plants, Burns-Stokes Preserve, Zeeb Road at the Huron River, Scio Township. Free. 971-6337, ext. 334.

MILAN

Corn Maze: Talladay Farms

6 to 10 p.m. Friday, 1 to 10 p.m. Saturday, and 1 to 6 p.m. Sunday, 6270 Judd Rd. \$6 per maze (\$10 for both). 645-1791.

SALINE

Thursday Night Contra

7 p.m. Thursday, Concourse Hall, 4531 Concourse Drive. \$7 (students, \$4, age 13 and under with a parent, free). 408-1018.

Showcase of Homes

1 to 7 p.m. Thursday through Sunday, Builders and Remodelers Association of Greater Ann Arbor. \$10. Tickets and maps at any of the tour homes, at BRAG Ann Arbor.com, and at the BRAG Ann Arbor, 179 Little Lake Dr. 996-0100.

Higher Consciousness Group

7 p.m. Thursday, Interfaith Center, 704 Airport Blvd., Donation. 353-0906.

Advanced English

Dance

8 p.m. Friday, Pittsfield Grange, 3337 Ann Arbor-Saline Road. \$10. (248) 288-4737.

Beginners' Ballroom Dance Party

8 p.m. Friday, Come Dancing, 7025 E. Michigan Ave. \$10. 944-1888.

Professional Volunteer Corps

7 p.m. Friday, For singles 25 and older who would like to meet new people, make friends, and do community volunteer projects. NEW Center, 1100 N. Main St. Free. www.a2pvc.org

Woodcarving Show: Saline Woodcarvers

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, UAW Hall, 601 Woodland Drive. \$2. 944-1918.

Second Saturday Contra Dance

8 p.m. Saturday, Pittsfield Grange, 3337 Ann Arbor-Saline Road. \$10 (students, \$5). 408-1829.

Ballroom Dancing Night

8 p.m. Saturday, Pittsfield Township Recreation Hall, South State at Ellsworth. \$5. 822-2120.

Rampage Swing: JAZZdance

9 p.m. Saturday, Concourse Hall, 4531 Concourse Drive. \$15. 945-3723.

Farmers' Market.

8 a.m. to noon Saturdays, South Ann Arbor Street in downtown Saline, and 3 to 7 p.m. Tuesdays, Saline Library, 555 N. Maple Road. Call 429-3518.

Rentschler Farm

11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, 1265 E. Michigan Ave. Enter through the shopping center and park within the farm complex. Call 944-0442.

Coffee Tasting

11 a.m. Saturday, Zingerman's Coffee, 3723 Plaza Drive. Free. 929-0500.

Saline Railroad Depot Museum

11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, 402 N. Ann Arbor St. Call 944-0442.

Ann Arbor Memory Walk: Alzheimer's Association

1 p.m. Sunday, For more information, visit www.alz.org. Gallup Park, 3000 Fuller Road. Free. 475-7043.

YPSILANTI

Dan Foster, Garik Pedersen

8 p.m. Thursday, EMU music faculty duo of violinist Foster and pianist Pedersen. EMU Alexander Recital Hall, Lowell at East Circle Drive. Free. 487-2255.

Night Terrors

7 to 11:30 p.m. Friday, Saturday, 7 to 11 p.m. Sunday, Ward's Orchards, 5565 Merritt Road. Cost \$15 for one area; \$29.99 for all areas. 482-7744.

Country Fair

10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays, Ward's Orchards, 5565 Merritt Road, Ypsilanti. \$11.99 (\$9.25 after 4:30 p.m., age 1 and younger, free, group rates available). 390-9211.

Crafters Market

2 to 7 p.m. Saturday, Market Plaza in Depot Town, 100 Market

Place 481-0092

Children's Puppet Shows

3:30 p.m. Sunday, Dreamland Theater, 26 N. Washington, Ypsilanti. \$5 (age 3 and younger, free). 657-2337.

Pianos 'Round Town

Through Monday, Depot Town and downtown Ypsilanti, Pianos will be on sidewalks at various locations for all to play during business hours. Call 484-2787.

Civil War Round Table

7 p.m. Monday, St. Joseph, Mercy Hospital Education Center, 5305 Elliott Drive. Free. 1-517-750-2741.

Gerontology Lecture

4 p.m. Wednesday, "Aging in Place: Making it Work," with Dr. Robin Boyle. Free. Eastern Michigan University Student Center, Ballroom B. Call 487-1361.

AATA Public Meeting

6 p.m. Wednesday, Ypsilanti Library, 5577 Whittaker Road, Ypsilanti, Township.

'Net Smart for Parents — Internet Safety 101

6 p.m. Tuesday, Washtenaw Area Council for Children, RSVP to 434-4215, Ellen Thompson Women's Health Center, St. Joseph Mercy, Ypsilanti. Free.

Plano Trio with Horn and Oboe

7:30 p.m. Tuesday, EMU Alexander Recital Hall, Lowell at E. Circle Drive, Ypsilanti. Free. 487-2255.

Teens Using Drugs: What To Know and What To Do

7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Free Dawn

Box Tops program helps PTO

By Crystal Hayduk
Special Writer

Fundraising for Chelsea School District's Parent Teacher Organization is expected to be challenging for the coming school year due to the continued economic stress that families are experiencing.

Total PTO fundraising for the 2009-10 school year had plummeted to only \$7,700, from \$15,500 in 2007-08.

Tracy Dickinson, this year's PTO box tops coordinator, would like to remind the community that clipping "Box Tops" labels from participating products is still an easy and effective way for everyone to contribute funds to the schools at no additional cost. She said that each label, found on many popular products such as General Mills' cereals, Betty Crocker and Pillsbury convenience foods, and Ziploc bags, is worth 10 cents, and can quickly add up to help pay for many school items and events.

The PTO is a not-for-profit organization that provides a variety of things for the schools. They fund special projects, such as playground improvements; provide special free family events, such as the annual jog-a-thon and geography/science night; and they provide additional financial assistance to individual classrooms for items such as

student planners and literacy materials. Lisa Nickel, principal of South Meadows, plans to use part of this year's PTO funds in October for an assembly about social skills and anti-bullying.

Previous methods of fundraising have netted significantly less money over the last few years, so the PTO is especially grateful for the community's support for the box tops program last year. Box top label donations provided nearly \$3,500 for the elementary schools last year.

To make it easier for everyone to contribute box tops, the PTO has placed collection containers at the retirement facilities, Polly's Country Market, Chelsea Children's Cooperative Preschool, First United Methodist Church, and

both North Creek and South Meadows Elementary Schools. Collection boxes are also

being planned for St. Mary's Catholic Church and the Chelsea Senior Center.

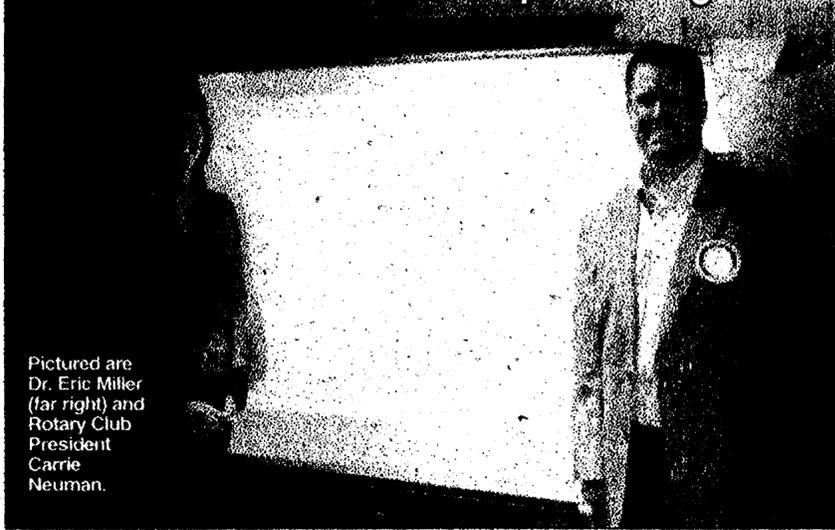
A complete list of the nearly 300 box top products can be found at www.boxtops4education.com. The website also has coupons and links to internet shopping. By registering and accessing online shopping through their website, a percentage of the sale will automatically be credited to the school of choice. Far away friends and family can also donate to Chelsea Schools this way.

Dickinson said that the PTO is also collecting UPC codes from "Our Family" products. Each UPC code is worth five cents.

The PTO can use help with trimming and counting labels. Anyone interested in volunteering some time can contact Hilarie Conley at 1-734-433-1969.

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Rotarian takes up calling



Pictured are Dr. Eric Miller (far right) and Rotary Club President Carrie Neuman.

Chelsea Rotarian Dr. Eric Miller of Chelsea Surgical Associates, will be leaving on a mission to Togo, Africa, to build a new hospital and serve as chief surgeon. This is his calling to be a medical missionary and he assumes that he will be spending the rest of his medical career in this unpaid, volunteer position. Miller will address his goals at 6 p.m. Oct. 13 at the Chelsea Church of the Nazarene. The public is welcome. The church will provide dinner. Call the Rev. Jeff Crowder at 475-2526 for more information.

Tom and Pat Rayer of Ann Arbor will celebrate their anniversary on Oct. 29 at Ventura Pines in Holland, Mich. The couple exchanged wedding vows on Oct. 29, 1960 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Dexter. The hosts of their celebration include Tommy Rayer and his family in Dexter, Gail of Delray Beach, Fla., Shelly Theros and her family from Sarasota, Fla., and Billy Rayer of Dexter. Their children are Tommy (Laura) Rayer of Dexter, Shelly (Dean) Theros of Sarasota, Fla., and Billy Rayer of Dexter. Their grandchildren are Christina and Cara Theros, and Heather and Thomas Rayer.

Tom enjoys wood working, garage sales, casino gaming, fishing, traveling, and visiting with his grandchildren. Pat enjoys cross stitching, sewing, baking, casino gaming, traveling, and visiting with grandchild-



Jazz workshop set for Oct. 13

Chelsea Center for the Arts faculty members Ben Jansson and Justin Walter will perform a free concert with their jazz quartet at Zou Zou's Cafe in downtown Chelsea from 1 to 3 p.m. Oct. 13.

The concert is a family friendly event. This gig will be the first in a fall series of Sunday afternoon performances by CCA jazz members at Zou Zou's, where

all students are welcome to come and listen, sit-in, have a cup of coffee or pastry and hang around some great jazz music.

"Jazz Alive!" is the name of the workshop and ensemble recently developed at the CCA, but it also describes the feeling you get playing and listening to jazz music. Although jazz is played all over the globe it is America's

great art form and gift to the world.

In a jazz performance, you can hear and see music being produced spontaneously by musicians right in front of you. This special concert aims to promote the new CCA jazz ensemble and workshop available to students, as well as establish a regular jazz event in the Chelsea community.

Free breakfast

First United Methodist Church in Chelsea is offering a free breakfast the second Saturday of every month from 8 to 11 a.m. The meal is open to anyone in the community. For more information call 1-734-475-8119.

CHELSEA DISTRICT LIBRARY

For more information, call 475-8732.

Today

International Book Club (7 to 8:30 p.m.): Join us for a lively book discussion of books that address some aspect of the international community. November's selection is "The Farming of Bones" by Edwidge Danticat. Reserved copies of the book may be picked up at the second floor information desk. Refreshments provided by Mission Marketplace.

Oct. 8

MADLAB Advisory Board (3:30 to 4:30 p.m.): Do you want more involvement of the library? Share your ideas on how the library should work. Create programs, select books, video games and DVDs, and discuss how the teen area should really look. Sign up today, and make a difference in library teen and young adult services.

Oct. 11

I Need to Read (3:30 to 4:30 p.m.): Speakers from our community tell us about the need for reading in their exciting careers. This month features the Chelsea firefighters.

Friends Mystery Book Club (7 p.m.): The October author is Sara Brandt.

Oct. 12

Dungeons and Dragons night (4:30 to 8 p.m.): Dungeons and Dragons isn't just fun, it's challenging. Build your character, solve puzzles, battle villains and find treasure. New or experienced gamers are welcome. We will be using the 3.5 edi-

tion of the game. Feel free to bring your own games to play as well.

CHELSEA SENIOR CENTER

Located at 512 Washington St. Call 475-9242 for program registration and advance lunch reservation. Chelsea School District, through the Washtenaw County Senior Nutrition Program, serves a delicious lunch five days a week. Entrée listed, lunch includes salad bar and dessert.

Tomorrow

Grandma's Attic Tag and Bake Sale, 9 a.m. to noon; Bingo, 9 a.m.; Enhance Fitness, 10:30 a.m.; Swedish Meatballs lunch at noon; Euchre, 12:30 p.m.; Movie "The Gin Game", 12:45 p.m.; Stamp Collecting, 1 p.m.; Wii Fun, 1 p.m.

Oct. 9

Grandma's Attic Tag and Bake Sale, 9 a.m. to noon

Oct. 11

Bingo, 9 a.m.; Massage by Dawne, 10 a.m.; Enhance Fitness, 10:30 a.m.; Spaghetti with Meatballs lunch at noon; Hand and Foot, 12:30 p.m.; Getting Your Photos in Your Life, 1 p.m.; Holistic Healing for Animals, 1 p.m.

Oct. 12

Swimming at Comfort Inn, 9 a.m.; Mah Jongg, 9:30 a.m.; Crafts, 10 a.m.; Wood Carving, 10 a.m.; Chicken Divan lunch at noon; Buying Habits by Kevin Frahm of Mission Marketplace, 12:30 p.m.; Quilting for Charity, 1 p.m.; Wii Fit and Balance, 1 p.m.; Supper Club at Chelsea Community Hospital, 4 p.m.; Euchre, 6:30 p.m.

Oct. 13

Water Aerobics at Comfort Inn, 9 a.m.; Outdoor Walking, 9 a.m.; Stained Glass class, 9:30 a.m.; stew, soup and casserole recipe exchange, 10 a.m.; Enhance Fitness, 10:30 a.m.; Meatloaf lunch at noon; Pinochle, 1 p.m.; Scrabble, 1 p.m.; Square Dance, 1 p.m.; Understanding Generations,

2 p.m.

Oct. 14

Board of Directors meeting, 8:30 p.m.; Swimming at Comfort Inn, 9 a.m.; Bridge Class, 10 a.m.; Computer Club, 10 a.m.; Chess, 10 a.m.; Deli sandwich lunch at noon; Chelsea Area Bridge, 12:15 p.m.; Knit and Crochet, 12:30 p.m.

DEXTER

DEXTER SENIOR CENTER

7720 Ann Arbor St. Call 426-7737. Luncheons are complete. - main dish listed, \$2.50 minimum donation. Reservations should be made the day ahead by noon, call 426-5397.

Swimming has returned to the high school pool on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday through Nov. 24 at 8:30 a.m.

Oct. 11

Closed for Columbus Day

Oct. 12:

Lifestyle Fitness, 9 a.m.; Rug Hooking, 10 a.m.; Barbecue chicken lunch at noon; French.

Oct. 13:

Exercise Ball Class, 9 a.m.; Medicare Assistance, 10 a.m.; Exercise, 10:30 a.m.; Hamburger, potato wedges lunch at noon; Watercolor I; Watercolor II, 1 p.m.

Oct. 14

Lifestyle Fitness, 9 a.m.; Euchre, 9:30 a.m.; Sip and Stitch or Bridge, 11 a.m.; Potato Pollock Fish Crunch, noon; Scrabble, 12:30 p.m.; Mah Jongg, 1 p.m.

Oct. 15

Pilates Taster Class, 9 a.m.; Exercise, 10:30 a.m.; Baked ham with au gratin potatoes noon lunch.

DEXTER DISTRICT LIBRARY

Dexter District Library is located at 3255 Alpine St. in Dexter. All library programs are free and open to the public. For more information, call the library at 1-734-426-4477.

Oct. 8

Drop-In Halloween Story Time and Craft (11 a.m.): Wear your costume, hear some Halloween stories, do a simple craft and take home a trick-or-treat bag. The event is open to all ages.

Drop-In Craft and Snacks for Teens, 2 to 3 p.m.

PARKS

Gerald E. Eddy Discovery Center
Located at 17030 Bush Road in the Waterloo Recreation Area near Chelsea. Call 734-475-3170.

Hudson Mills Metropark

8801 N. Territorial Road.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Dexter: For additional information or to register for programs, call 1-800-477-3191.

Oct. 9

Fire Starting: Learn fire starting in survival situations, including various ways to start fires, and fire safety. Then enjoy a sweet treat by roasting marshmallows by the fire. Meet at the group camp. The fee is \$3 per person. Pre-registration is required. The event starts at 1 p.m.

Nov. 6

Bird Hike (8 a.m.): Bring binoculars as well as

a field guide to observe bird species seen in the park and record dates, locations, and trends from year to year. A variety of habitats will be explored throughout the park. The fee is \$2 per person. Preregistration is required.

Nov. 7

Brownies - Watching Wildlife (1 p.m.): Girls will explore how animals interact with each other, find out why some animals change color, and what they use to make their homes. All requirements will be met in this 1-2 hour program. Please dress for the weather. Fee is \$3 per child. Preregistration

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The Chelsea BNI group awarded Katrina Rambadt of Chelsea Hair Design (center) with its June 2010 Top Gun Award. Pictured are Rambadt, Paul Johnson, and Brian Merillat.

LIBRARY LINKS

Teen Read Week coming soon

By Edith Burney

Chelsea District Library will celebrate Teen Read Week on Oct. 17 through 23, with special events and programs aimed at encouraging area teens to read for the fun of it.

Thousands of libraries, schools, and bookstores across the country will hold similar events centered on this year's theme, "Books with Beat a your library," which encourages teens to read a variety of materials, including poetry, audiobooks, books about music, and more.

Teen Read Week is the national adolescent literacy initiative of the Young Adult Library Services Association, the fastest-growing division of the American Library Association.

Teens have more activities to fill their free time than ever.

YouTube, social networking sites, video games, after school clubs and youth groups, athletics — and increasingly high expectations in the classroom, said Karen Persello, head of youth and teen services. "It's important that we show them that reading is something that's fun and relaxing that they can do for free. And that reading for fun can translate into better performance at school."

Youth and teen librarian Edith Burney said the library currently has 851 active library cards held by teens ages 12 to 18.

"We know that there are more teens who don't have their own cards using the library. Teen Read Week is a great time to make sure teens and their families know about all the free services the library can offer them and to reach out to teens who aren't regular users and encourage them to come see what they

can find here," she said.

Parents of teens are encouraged to celebrate Teen Read Week at home, as well. Burney offers these ideas:

- Visit the Chelsea District Library with your teen to attend a program or to check out books.

- Set aside time each night for the family to read.

- Go online with your teen to learn about new books or authors. A good place to start is YALSA's Booklists and Book Awards page, www.ala.org/yalsa booklist.

- Join a book discussion group. The library is hosting a SRSly book discussion of "Crank" by Ellen Hopkins, on Nov. 30. Sign up and receive a free copy.

In addition, Persello hopes to show parents and teens what the library can offer by hosting a SRSly sanctioned lock-in at the library for Teen Read Week. Teens must register before Oct. 22 to be eligible for the "Rockin' Lock-in," where teens can eat pizza, play video games and dance to music from a DJ "smuggled" all the way from Canada.

"Sign up way ahead of time, and if you want to request certain songs, do so quickly, so the DJ has time to add them to his list," Persello said.

The first floor front hall will become a big lounge where teens can hang out and chat when they're not dancing. Swing dancers from Ann Arbor will be on hand to teach lessons to anyone interested, and there may even be some break dancing.

Another opportunity to celebrate teen reading in a fun way is to join the "Wrestlemania Reading Challenge," which kicks off during Teen Read

Week. The library will distribute "WrestleMania Reading Challenge" pledge forms starting Oct. 16. Tweens and teens (grades 5 through 12) will complete pledge forms by writing in the titles of five books or graphic novels that they pledge to read over a five-month period (between Teen Read Week and WrestleMania). For every book read, the participant will receive a Slam Attax trading card and other special prizes.

Tweens and teens who want to try to win a trip to WrestleMania 27 in Atlanta, Ga. can complete the following project:

Grades 7 and 8 and Grades 9 through 12

Form a tag team of your favorite character from literature and your favorite WWE superstar, and describe and/or illustrate on an 8.5-inch by 11-inch piece of paper the strategy you would use to defeat the current WWE tag team champions (as of Oct. 10). Teens may use art, drawing, collage, poetry and/or writing alone or in any combination in creating your project. All projects must be the original work of the individual teen. There can only be one entry per person.

Grades 5 and 6

Design a bookmark illustrating a slogan created by you that promotes reading. All projects must be the original work of the individual tween. Only one entry per person.

Winners from each group have the chance to win entry to WrestleMania 27 on April 3, 2011.

For more information, call the library at 1-734-475-8732 or visit www.chelsea.lib.mi.us.

Craft show set for Oct. 16

Event benefits local nonprofit groups and St. Mary's Church

By Daniel Lai
Heritage Newspapers

The fifth annual craft show at St. Mary's Parish in Chelsea will take place from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 16.

The event will feature 47 vendors, filling the entire parish hall and four classrooms.

"We have nearly doubled in size since our first festival," parishioner Rose Bradley said. "We will have a huge selection of hand-crafted items for sale, plus a giant bake sale, and a raffle of gift baskets worth hundreds of dollars in gifts and gift certificates donated by local mer-

chants." Lana Leisinger, event coordinator, said the event has become steadily popular every year.

"We have crafters coming from Ohio, northern Michigan, Kalamazoo, and other areas," she said. "Because we work harder and harder every year, we filled up all of our vendor space for this year's event back in August."

Leisinger said the event primarily caters to local artists who specialize in hand-made crafts, but it will also include a representative from Mary Kay and Tupperware.

"We try to stick to as many handmade items as we can," she said. "For some people, their craft is their livelihood, so it's nice being able to support

the local crafters."

The event is the primary fundraiser for the Ladies of St. Mary's Church. It originally began as a way to draw visitors to Chelsea between the Halloween and Christmas holidays.

"Proceeds help us fund items that are needed at the church as well as contribute to local groups such as Faith in Action, the Women's Center of Southeastern Michigan in Ann Arbor, and the St. Louis Center," Leisinger said.

Lunch will be available and there is no charge for admission.

The craft show will take place at St. Mary Parish Hall, 14200 E. Old US-12 in Chelsea.

For more information, visit www.stmarychelsea.org. Daniel Lai can be reached at 429-7380 or dla@heritage.com.

CAFA open house set for Sunday

By Lisa Allmendinger
Special Writer

As Fire Prevention Week draws to a close, the Chelsea Area Fire Authority will hold its annual open house Oct. 10.

The event, which runs from noon to 4 p.m., includes fire truck and station tours, hands-on vehicle extraction displays, a smoke trailer, and rope rescue demonstrations.

It's also a chance to see the upgrades made to the fire house that were promised with the recent passage of a fire millage said LuAnn Koch, chairman of the CAFA board.

In addition, the Red Cross, Huron Valley Ambulance, and the Chelsea Police Department will have representatives at the event, firefighter Matt Rose said.

"It's the second best event of the fall," said

Fire Capt. Sam Norton, "behind going to the pumpkin patch."

The schedule includes:

- Colors the Clown, who will be on site for the entire event.

- Smoke Trailer, which simulates different types of fires, 12:30 p.m., 1:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., and 3:30 p.m.

- Rope rescue demonstration - 1 p.m., 3 p.m.

Children will be able to shoot water from a fire hose and play in an inflatable fire truck and castle. They will also be able to explore the inside of fire trucks and engines.

CAFA employs 12 fulltime firefighters. The open house will also provide a chance to meet the six new members.

Lisa Allmendinger is a freelance writer for Heritage Newspapers. She can be reached at lallmendinger@sbcglobal.net or at 433-1052.

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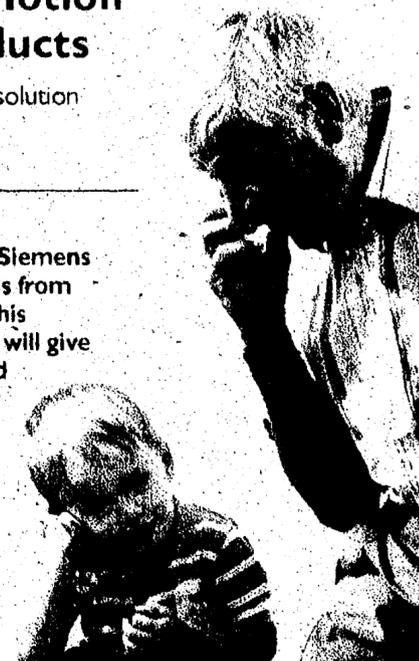
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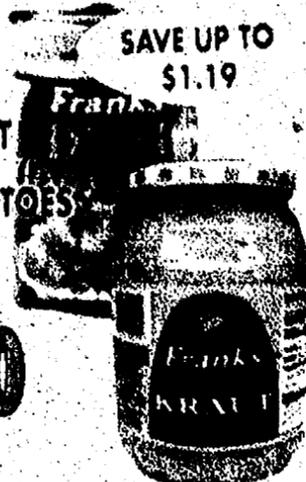
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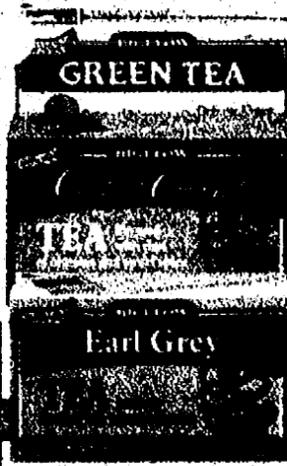
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Selected Varieties

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17.6 - 20 lb.
Selected Varieties

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SAVE \$2.39

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LITTER
20 lb.
Selected Varieties

2/\$5



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ON 2

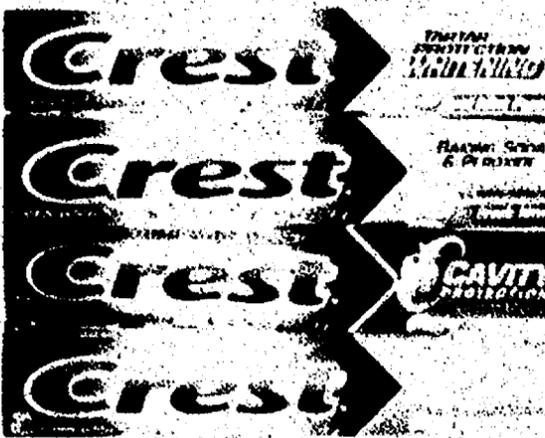
PLEDGE
FURNITURE &
WOOD POLISH
12.5 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/\$7



CREST
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64 oz.
Selected Varieties

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DOG FOOD
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Selected Varieties

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Selected Varieties

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SAVE \$1.78
ON 2

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Selected Varieties

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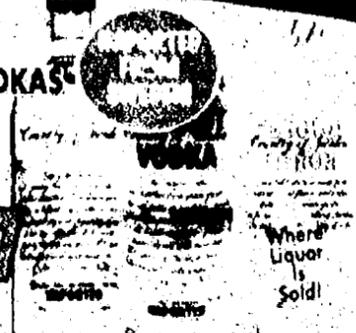
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Selected Varieties
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Selected Varieties
(plus tax)

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Selected Varieties
(plus tax)

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Selected Varieties
(plus tax)

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Selected Varieties
(plus tax)

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Selected Varieties
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Selected Varieties
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Selected Varieties
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