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School aids family at home, school with medical issues

By Erica McClain
 Heritage Media

For the Leonard family, getting ready for kindergarten involved a lot more than finding just the right pencils and crayons for class.

With two twin 6-year-old daughters, Emma and Mikaila, the family had a lot on their hands, including the possibility of a medical emergency.

"To get ready for our family, meant we needed to talk to all of our doctors and that our medical team at U-of-M, our pediatrician, the school's principal were all on the same team," mother, Lisa Leonard, said. "We had to let them know that Emma has a trach, and at any point in time, it could come out. She might need suctioning, medicine, CPR — you know, just those little life threatening things."

Lisa and her husband, Craig, met with Marcus Kaemming, the principal for North Creek Elementary in May. Lisa said she asked Kaemming if he was comfortable with the situation. "From day one, he said, 'We are here for you, and we will do whatever it takes to have Emma and her sister attend school,'" Lisa said.

Lisa said she and her husband made a list in late August of all the medical precautions and items their daughter might need and met with the principal, the kindergarten teacher, two secretaries and a couple paraprofessionals.

"This is the team," Kaemming told her. The school went the extra mile, according to Lisa, by having eight to nine employees trained in case of a medical emergency concerning Emma's trach.

Their kindergarten teacher, Kristy Pembroke, said that the training made her nervous at first, "but once you get to know Emma and get hands on, it's fine."

"I wanted to learn about it," Pembroke said, "so I could be around her and take care of her so she felt safe."

Between the school, Emma's doctors at U-of-M and her local pediatrician — her team, as Lisa calls them — the 6-year-old girl was ready to go to school without her mother by the end of September.

Though Lisa thought that her daughter attending school was essential to her ability to build social skills, she said it was a



Photo courtesy of Lisa Leonard

Twins Mikaila and Emma Leonard celebrated their sixth birthday Friday, Dec. 24. The North Creek Elementary school staff has helped the girls continue their schooling.

very frightening experience all the same.

"It wasn't just handing over the kids for a while," she said. "I'm putting her life in their hands. Through all of this it's been my husband or I watching her and being in tune with her so we know when she's getting

sick, but this was different.

"That was really difficult." Unfortunately, it wasn't long before Emma became sick. By late October, she had developed a near life-threatening case of pneumonia. Her mother had a scheduled appointment with Emma's doctors when they told

her they needed to talk about school.

"Oh, I thought, here it is," she said. "At that point, I knew and, all the doctors knew, that Emma's body just couldn't handle school."

Because Emma's trach is

PLEASE SEE LEONARDS/3-A

Gallery hosts Pittsfield artist

By Marsi Parker Darwin
 Special Writer

The Chelsea Center for the Arts Gallery, located inside CCA's historic building at 400 Congdon St. in Chelsea, is currently hosting an exhibition of printmaker Benjamin Bigelow's work. A reception for the artist will be held on Saturday, Jan. 8, from 3 to 6 p.m.

Bigelow, a resident of Pittsfield Township since 1998, earned a degree in printmaking and painting from the University of Michigan and a master's in fine arts in printmaking from Eastern Michigan University. For a while, Bigelow says, he "did the family thing" and worked at various odd jobs. He credits those experiences with the "everyday, everyman" feel that his work often invokes, including a sense of separation or detachment.

His artist's statement reads "For me, art happens when the subject you are looking at is familiar and unfamiliar. Lately I've been inspired by glimpses of a moment. That time when something deep down compels you to look a second time to confirm its reality. I like to think about them as poetic moments. Sometimes following the images and moments in sequence and sometimes in singular shards of time. These little bits of narrative, I hope, speak to our common being, but mostly I think it reflects thoughts about our greater isolation, or bits

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Photo courtesy of Tamara Real

Arts Alliance members and staff from the River Gallery say goodbye to the organization's president, Tamara Real (second from right, in red).

Arts Alliance says goodbye to Real

By Sarah Riggs
 Special Writer

Chelsea's River Arts Gallery played host to the Arts Alliance's 2010 holiday party on Dec. 20. Arts Alliance staff used the opportunity to say goodbye to President Tamara Real and announce the appointment of Susan Froelich as interim president during the search for Real's permanent replacement.

The Arts Alliance, headquartered in Ann Arbor, is a

nonprofit organization that works to promote arts and culture and provide resources for artists working in Washtenaw County.

Nearly 80 Arts Alliance members, plus staff and board members, turned out for an evening of food, drink, music, dancing and celebrating the successes of the year. Staff from the gal-



Froelich

lery served up wine and made-in-Michigan beer while "Trio Du Nord" — a subgroup of the local Cajun band Creole du Nord, consisting of Mark Palms, Geoff Kinde and Chuck Anderson — played for attendees.

In previous statements to the press, Real said she had decided to resign her post as president, effective Dec. 31, to spend more

time with family. During the party, Real gave a brief farewell speech, saying a serious illness in the family this fall had shaken her. However, she said she looked at the incident as "an opportunity" to examine her priorities. She said she plans to spend more time with her husband and parents after her term as Arts Alliance president comes to an end.

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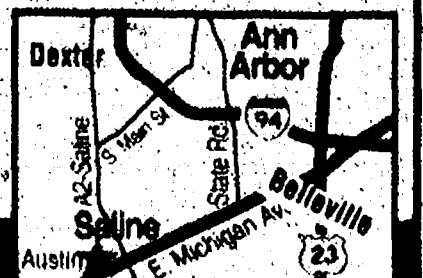
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Bale shines in 'The Fighter'

By Ryan Michaels

Hey, I'm Ryan Michaels, a 14-year-old writing movie reviews for Heritage Newspapers. I've been doing it for three years, and enjoy it a lot. Here's my review "The Fighter."

The year 2010 has been a good for new life being breathed into old genres. No clearer is this on display than in "The Fighter."

At face value it's a traditional sports flick, with Mark Wahlberg as an up-and-coming boxer named Micky Ward who has had something of a string of bad luck lately with his fights.

This is no thanks to his large Lowell, Ma.-based family. Though they mean well, his mother/manager (Melissa Leo) doesn't know how to promote him, and his half-brother/trainer Dicky (an unrecognizable Christian Bale) is addicted to crack and very unreliable.

The movie is about the gestation of Micky's comeback. But before he can come into his own, he must learn to separate his family from his career. So, in many ways, "The Fighter" is

refreshing because, although it focuses on boxing, the primary conflict is not whether Micky wins a fight, it's whether he can stabilize his hectic family life.

It's because of this different approach to the tried-and-true story that "The Fighter" feels fresh, and that it overcomes countless potential flaws to be one of the better movies of the year.

The film has an urgency and importance to it that many of its genre-lack — mainly because of the really relatable performance by its lead, Wahlberg. He has literally been training for this role for the last half-dozen years, and it shows. He does a superb job at handling all of the conflict his character must face — be it emotional (in dealing with his family) or physical (during his actual boxing bouts).

But, amazingly as good as Wahlberg is, he is actually the weakest of the four principal leads. Amy Adams, so often cast as a weaker type, highly impresses while playing Wahlberg's tough-as-nails bartender girlfriend. Melissa Leo is

also excellent as his mother. Her slight flamboyance in this role is a sharp and impressive contrast to the gritty, minimal work she displayed in her previous roles.

But the star of the show is, no doubt, Bale. I've long considered him one of the best actors of his generation, and he easily delivers his best post "American Psycho" work here. Bale, once again, displays an uncanny devotion to his work, losing about 60 pounds to play the physically decrepit Dicky. He gives such a real, genuine, vivid portrayal of such a complex guy.

Dicky is a guy who can wreck people's lives, yet charms them at the same time. Bale's performance as him is an amazing transformation.

David O. Russell is at the helm of this film, yet is a bit of an odd choice. I mean, his past works range from satiric war film "Three Kings" (one of my all-time favorites, it's worth noting) to existentialist "dramedy" "I Heart Huckabees."

His films tend to have higher aspirations than typical fare. But, rest assured, he brings his

trademark directorial approach to "The Fighter," which is, to say a very kinetic, stylish feel.

He takes many nice, little touches to immerse us in this venue. He uses handheld cameras to give us a closer, more intimate look at these characters' lives. He even mutes the color palette in the boxing scenes to make them look like authentic matches from the time period of the early 1990s. These little touches only make us buy into the story all the more.

"The Fighter" is a movie that has been made before. It's a typical underdog sports-movie. But because of the invigorating, fresh approach brought to it, I can honestly say it's better than most of its kind, and most of its year. I give it 3.5 out of 4 stars.

Film critic Ryan Michaels, a freshman at Skyline High School in Ann Arbor and two-time winner of the Michigan Press Association Better Newspaper Contest for his reviews, can be reached through mrogers@heritage.com

LEONARDS

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essentially an open wound, it invites everything, and there's no good way to filter germs, Lisa explained.

Rather than leave twin Mikaila in school, in a situation that might cause jealousy or hurt feelings between the sisters, parents Lisa and Craig decided it would be best to take both girls out of school.

Lisa, a former teacher, said the thought of her daughters missing school was heart-breaking, especially considering the motto "All I really need to know I learned in kindergarten."

At what might have been the end of Emma and Mikaila's public schooling, Lisa and her

daughter's "team" brainstormed about what they could do.

"How can we get creative? What are our options?" Lisa asked.

Within a few days, the school district approached the Leonards and said they could send a teacher out twice a week as long as everyone involved was healthy.

Rather than send out a new teacher, the girls' kindergarten teacher Tomford signed up for home schooling, and shortly thereafter started coming to the Leonards' home every Tuesday and Thursday for an hour.

"This is my first experience with homebound teaching for a student," Tomford said, "and it's been pretty rewarding."

Tomford said that since she had already been teaching the girls, she had a good connection, and

she could also tell the girls about their friends at school when she visited.

As far as the students at North Creek, Tomford said it's been touching to talk to them about Emma and Mikaila's situation.

"I think the sweetest thing was that the kids in the class were so concerned," she said. "It's amazing how much they care for one another. I think we can learn a lot from 5-year-olds."

Tomford said she brings all the materials from the classroom to the Leonards so the twins feel like they're still going to school.

"They both loved going to school, but I think they've adjusted really well and I'm glad that I get to be a part of it," Tomford said.

The Leonards said they hope to return to school in the spring.

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Froelich comes to the Arts Alliance with 20 years of experience in nonprofit arts administration, including nearly 11 years as director of the Ann Arbor Street Art Fair and six years as the Exhibit Gallery director at the Ann Arbor Art Center. For the past 13 years Froelich has worked at the University of Michigan, most recently in major gift development work.

"I'm delighted to return to the arts as interim president for the Arts Alliance in part because I'm so impressed with their production of a Cultural Master Plan," Froelich stated in a news release. "The arts have been a passion of mine for many years, and I look forward to stepping back into a leadership role for the arts in Washtenaw County."

The Arts Alliance's incoming board chair, Lynne Friman of Envisions Design Ltd., thanked Real, saying Real has been a "driving force" behind the Arts Alliance for the past eight years. Friman cited a countywide cultural master

plan and development of the Arts Alliance's new website, a3arts.org, as two of Real's major accomplishments during her time as head of the organization.

During the holiday event, Friman also welcomed Froelich and introduced her to the organization's membership.

"She will provide a steady hand due to her development experience, community ties and past relationships with so many regional arts organizations, including the Ann Arbor Art Center, Street Art Fair, UMMA and the Washtenaw Council for the Arts," Friman said.

Board members will start the search for a permanent president after the first of the year.

Board officers and incoming board members for 2011 were also announced during the holiday part. In addition to the incoming chair Friman, officers for 2011 are Vice-Chair Deb Polich of ArtTrain, Secretary David Esau of Cornerstone Design, Treasurer Roxana Overdier of Weidmayer, Schneider and Ratham and Immediate Past Chair Melissa Milton-Pung. Other new board members are Mary Kerr of the Ann Arbor Area Convention

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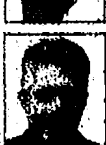
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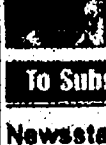
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Wolverine Brewing Company celebrates holidays with local musician, Kevin Devine

By Jodie Mason
Heritage Media

Kevin Devine, a local award-winning family entertainer, joined the Wolverine Brewing Co. Dec. 21 to celebrate the holidays with an all-ages sing-along concert event.

"I've done a lot of holiday shows and every single one is completely different," Devine said.

"Some shows say, 'You can sing snow songs, but no Santa songs' and others say, 'Santa but multi-holiday as well.' So, it's kind of fun to do one where they said, specifically, 'We're celebrating all holidays and the solstice.' So this is a very fun kind of show."

Devine's show consisted of holiday sing-along songs featuring guitar, harmonica and accordion. Children were encouraged to join in and were given tambourines and sleigh bells, as well as Santa hats.

"It's like an old-fashioned neighborhood Christmas caroling, except that it's inside and there's beer," Devine joked.

Santa Claus was also at the event, and handed out candy to children and families. Canned food donations collected at the event were given to the Food Gatherers.

For more information on upcoming events at the Wolverine Brewing Co., visit www.wolverinebeer.com and for more information on Devine, visit myspace.com/thiskevin-devine.

To view video of the performance, visit www.a2journal.com.

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Photo by Jodie Mason

Kevin Devine, a locally-based family musician, performs holiday music recently at the Wolverine Brewing Co. in Ann Arbor.

Teacher spends time volunteering at bunny sanctuary

By Carrie Henderson
Guest Writer

Ask Karen Tobler about Casey, and she'll tell you he's come a long way since he was discovered, starving and filthy, in the back of an old garage. These days, he's a lively, light-hearted bundle of energy.

Ask her about Kirby, who once roamed a trailer park, dragging his injured leg behind him. Today Kirby is cheerful and spry, vying for the attention of visitors.

Ask Tobler about Autumn, who was dumped, pregnant, outside a local pet store. Now Autumn and her children live the good life as adored house pets.

Casey, Kirby and Autumn are among the hundreds of rabbits who have called the Great Lakes Rabbit Sanctuary home.

On any given day, the sanctuary, a farm located in Willis, near Ypsilanti, houses between 60 and 70 abandoned, neglected and abused domestic rabbits. Tobler volunteers there, along with other staff and volunteers, caring for the rabbits until they can be adopted.

Rabbits are the third most popular pet in the United States today, but, unfortunately, they are also the third most discarded.

The House Rabbit Society, an organization working to educate the public about the responsibilities and joys of owning pet rabbits, estimates that they field more than 35,000 calls every year from people wanting to dispose of their rabbits.

This doesn't take into account the number of bunnies that are simply "dropped off" somewhere to fend for themselves.

The fortunate ones make it to a safe haven like Great Lakes Rabbit Sanctuary.

The sanctuary was founded in 1995 as "PigHoppers," a haven for unwanted potbelly pigs and rabbits. Its mission is to provide care for abused, neglected and abandoned domestic rabbits.

The bunnies arrive at the sanctuary with an assortment



Karen Tobler spends much of her time taking care of her furry friends.

of physical issues. Some are malnourished. Some have untreated wounds; still others are infested with fleas. Every rabbit is given a medical checkup and any necessary treatment.

But that's not the end of the story. There's more to healing an animal than patching their broken bones and bringing them back to a healthy weight.

Less obvious and much harder to treat are the psychological wounds. Most of the rabbits have endured a great deal of trauma that affects how they interact with humans.

That's where Tobler comes in. By day, the 45-year-old Ypsilanti resident teaches at an elementary school in Dexter, a job that requires great amounts of patience and creativity. Those skills serve her well in her second calling as a bunny socializer.

"A socializer is a person who spends time with the rabbits, getting them more familiar and comfortable with humans," Tobler said.

"Socializers show the bunnies that people can be trusted — that they bring them treats, give them petting and attention."

Progress can be slow. Rabbits are prey animals and cautious by nature. Being on the low end of the food chain means that rabbits are conditioned to fear just about everything. This fear is magnified in rescue animals,

Tobler says.

"Many of the rabbits who come to GLRS have been abandoned. Having little or no contact with people makes them that much less trusting," she said.

Tobler works with each rabbit one on one, and always at the rabbit's level.

"I spend a lot of time sitting on the floor," she says.

The first order of business is to earn the rabbit's trust.

Tobler's not above resorting to bribery, either.

"Fresh herbs are an easy way to get the rabbit to come to you."

Once she has the rabbit's attention, Tobler starts a conversation.

"Talking to the rabbit often helps them get to know you and become more comfortable," she said.

The subject doesn't matter. Tobler might ramble on about her day, or go over the weekly shopping list or even sing show tunes. The important thing is using her voice to soothe the rabbit.

Next, Tobler tries to pet the rabbit and, eventually, to pick it up. Most rabbits resist being lifted; it goes back to the prey instinct, Tobler said.

Rabbits like to remain in control, with all four paws on the floor. But it's important that the rabbit learn to tolerate being handled for veterinary exams and routine care.



"Picking up a rabbit takes special precautions," Tobler said.

Rabbits have extremely strong leg muscles.

"A rabbit can panic, begin kicking, and break its own back if it is not held properly," she said.

Rabbits aren't the ideal pet for young children for just this reason. An overly enthusiastic child can inadvertently injure a delicate rabbit.

It's hard to resist the urge to hold and cuddle these fuzzy creatures, but Tobler says it's important to take it slowly.

She emphasizes, "Make sure that the rabbit has a positive experience. This, often times, means that even though you might want to pick up the rabbit and snuggle it, you need to think about what is best for the rabbit and what will help it move forward in its trust. Being patient is often the hardest part."

Some rabbits require more patience than others.

"I have been working with Edgar for five years," Tobler says.

Edgar is one of more than 1,600 rabbits rescued from a hoarding situation in Reno, Nev.

"Just recently, he started coming out of his hiding box to take food from me and let me pet him. This is a big step for him and quite rewarding."

It's these improvements that keep Tobler motivated.

"Seeing the rabbits recognize you and get excited to see you makes you want to come back," she says.

"Personally, it's very satisfying to know you are helping these adorable animals and giving them attention and love."

Tobler said socializing is as therapeutic for her as it is for the bunnies she helps. Spending the evening sitting cross-legged on the hay-strewn floor of a drafty barn may not be everyone's idea of bliss, but Tobler says the payoff is worth it.

"There is just something very calming and centering about sitting and petting a rabbit. After a long, hectic and loud day, it is just the best way to unwind," she says.

Tobler points out that rabbits are not just cute and cuddly. They're highly intelligent creatures with a great capacity to learn.

Tobler uses a process called clicker training, a form of behavior modification, to teach her rabbits new skills.

"There was Mooch, who I clicker trained to jump over jumps and beg for food. He taught his tricks to his mate, Abby, and then they were adopted, which is our goal."

Tobler knows there are some rabbits that she will not be able to reach.

Great Lakes Rabbit Sanctuary is a no-kill shelter. Those rabbits that aren't adoptable because of health issues or temperament can spend the rest of their lives peacefully at the sanctuary.

Rabbits like Edgar and Mooch, however, give Tobler hope.

"Every rabbit who gets adopted is a success story," she says.

Gift boxes brighten holidays for troops

By Steven Howard
Heritage Media

Christmas came early for a large group of military service personnel currently serving the United States overseas in Afghanistan thanks to the help of several local veteran organizations.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 423 Cmdr. John Kinzinger said he recently began receiving letters via e-mail from soldiers who were the recipients of care packages he and his colleagues sent to them in early November.

"They were packed back on Nov. 7," he said.

"That was our early Christmas packing."

Kinzinger said Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 310 also hosted a patriotic concert that evening at the VFW facility, and they had a large number of volunteers show up early to help put the comfort items and sundries in boxes.

"We packed 145 boxes," he said.

"Each box is about four times the size of a shoe box, so we fit a lot in there."

"Many hands make for light work, as was the case in this

particular packing endeavor," Kinzinger said.

"We packed 145 boxes in 47 minutes," he said.

As for the contents of the care packages, Kinzinger said they generally send items the soldiers can use in their down-time, or simply things that will remind them of home.

"We send magazines, books, snacks, chewing gum, tooth brushes and tooth paste," he said, citing additional shipments of Girl Scout cookies, which he said are popular for obvious reasons.

Kinzinger said he and the other volunteers receive feedback from a small percentage of soldiers, and understand why the majority don't write back.

"We get feedback from one in eight or 10," he said. "They're on duty 16 hours a day doing their work, and when they come home, they just go to bed. We know we're having an impact whether they respond or not."

However, when soldiers do write back to express their gratitude, Kinzinger said their letters are often very touching.

Such was the case with the

correspondence he received from Specialist Timothy Helsper just days before Christmas.

Helsper told Kinzinger the boxes he and other soldiers received came at just the right time.

"I expected to have a sad Christmas this year, away from friends and family," he wrote. "Imagine my surprise when I was called into the mailroom to pick up all the packages you sent me."

"It made me feel very warm and happy inside to know so many people cared enough my unit to do all this."

Helsper said the large amount of holiday wishes sent along with boxes were really something special.

"My favorite thing you sent me, by far, were all the Christmas cards," he wrote. "I loved reading them. I read a few a day because they really brightened my life and made me feel the Christmas spirit."

Helsper concluded his letter by reassuring Kinzinger and the other volunteers that their work is really making a substantial difference.

"I want you all to know you have made my Christmas

special in a place where it was not," he wrote. "You even encouraged me to decorate. Have a merry Christmas, all of you, and thanks for bringing me the Christmas spirit."

These words are music to Kinzinger's ears.

"We know every package we send is a morale booster," he said.

Based on suggestions from people who have fam-

ily, friends and other loved ones overseas, Kinzinger said he keeps a moving list of addresses for troops of military personnel in various parts of the world.

After seven years of conflict, he said he has quite a list, and that it needs to be constantly updated as the soldiers move from place to place.

In those years, Kinzinger

said he and other volunteers have shipped more than \$100,000 worth of donated items, and have sent the boxes with donated funds, as well.

"We've shipped 2,315 boxes at \$17 a box," he said.

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A photo sent from Afghanistan by Specialist Timothy Helsper shows his fellow troopers opening care packages which were put together locally by VVA and VFW volunteers.

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This week's question

What's your New Year's wish?

- A. A robust economy
- B. World peace
- C. A cure for the incurable
- D. An end to any suffering

Address signs of depression in teens

Depression can destroy the very essence of teenagers' personalities, causing an overwhelming sense of sadness, despair or anger, according to Helpguide.org.

Only 20 percent of depressed teens receive help.

Depression is not decreasing, but is at a high in teenagers.

So, how do you stop the spread of a disease that can overtake a life?

Some signals to look for in your family members or friends are related to things they may be going through in their lives, when they experience more sadness than usual. They appear grumpy, hostile or easily frustrated. Also, when they are angry more than usual or they experience frequent crying.

When a teen or friend withdraws from other friends and family and start to socialize less, pull away from parents or start to hang out with a different crowd of people can be a sign of depression.

Also, when you see a loss of interest in some of their favorite activities or changes in their eating habits and are restless in their sleep.

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ALYSSA STUART

People who are depressed are often vulnerable to criticism, rejection or failure. Depressed teenagers may experience a lack of motivation, lack of energy, difficulty in concentrating and, the worst of all, they may have thoughts of suicide.

If you believe that depression only occurs in certain people, you are wrong. Pristiq.com states that depression affects men and women of all ages, races and economic levels. Studies show, though, that episodes of depression occur twice as frequently in girls than in boys.

If you know the signs of depression and don't seek help as soon as possible, this disease could take a turn for the worst.

After you have found that a family member or a friend has depression and it is untreated, the following could happen:

- Problems at school (low energy, drop of grades).
- Running away (run from home or talk about it).
- Substance abuse (alcohol or drugs,

self-medicate their depression).

- Low self-esteem (feelings of ugliness, shame and failure).
- Eating disorders (anorexia, bulimia and binge eating).
- Internet addiction (increase isolation and make them more depressed).
- Self-injury (cutting or burning).
- Reckless behavior (reckless driving, out of control drinking and unsafe sex).
- Violence (self-hatred and wishing can lead to homicidal rage and violence).
- Suicide (think, speak or make attention-getting attempts).

If you don't want a friend or family member to go through these problems throughout life, help them seek help. Let's stop sitting back and thinking that they're just having a bad week because that week could become weeks, months, years and then the worst might happen.

Speak up if you know something is not right and try your best to guide them to get the help they need. It only takes a few minutes out of your time to help somebody out and you could save a life. One simple act of kindness could make a big difference.

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OUR TAKE: Editorial

Helen Thomas not deserving of diversity award in her name

Longtime journalist Helen Thomas and her supporters continue to blast Wayne State University for pulling an award that had been named in her honor.

Thomas told local newspapers that her alma mater "made a mockery of the First Amendment" by ending the Helen Thomas Spirit of Diversity Award.

The college defended itself by saying her comments were anti-Semitic. And we agree.

Thomas resigned in June of this year as a Hearst newspapers columnist over her comments that Israelis should get "out of Palestine."

The Congress of Arab American Organizations in Metropolitan Detroit said in her support that opposing Zionism isn't anti-Jewish.

But we adamantly disagree.

It's one thing to be critical of Israeli politics. That's fine. People can criticize the politics of Israel as they do the politics in the United States and not be pegged as bigots.

But Thomas went much further than simple political rhetoric. One of her comments was that "Zionists" own the White House, Hollywood and Wall Street.

What does that have to do with Israel?

This outrageous and ridiculous statement is a classic line used by bigots who want to spread their insidious type of hate and prejudice. Nazi Germany used ludicrous generalizations like the one Thomas recited to foment hatred of the Jewish people and create suspicion and distrust among the general population of the country. It worked — way too well. But we hope most people are more astute today than to believe such nonsense.

Thomas' statements are blatantly anti-Semitic — they are hate at its worst. Whether she was a stellar media representative or not, she was out of line and doesn't serve the prestigious accolades and honors associated with a diversity award. In fact, if anything, Thomas had been making a mockery of the award previously meant to honor her.

Thomas had a strong journalistic career, but she tainted it with her offensive and hateful comments.

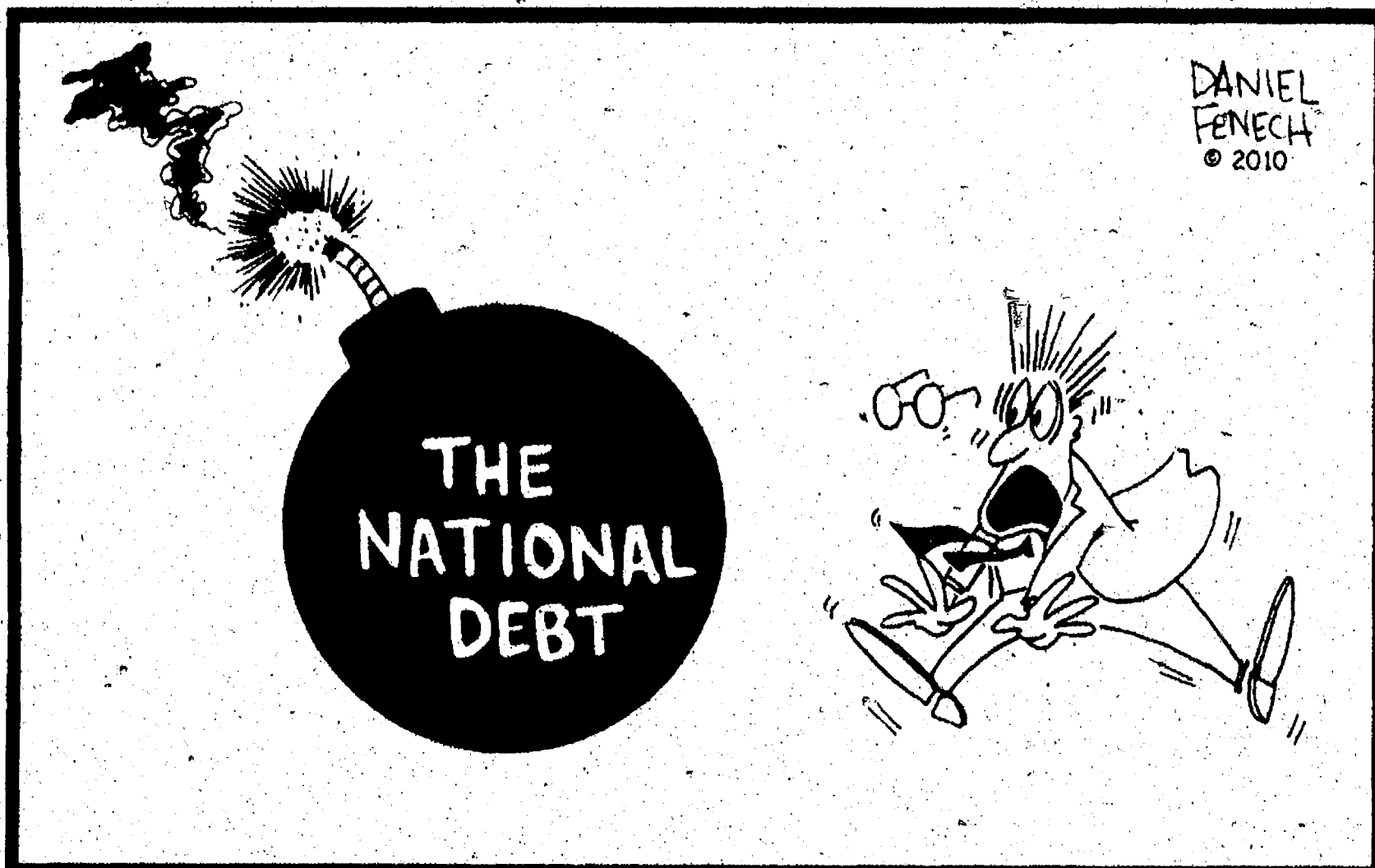
She's entitled to her opinion, but she certainly isn't entitled to an award, especially supposedly extolling diversity. The person who gets a "Spirit of Diversity Award" named after him or her should, in fact, help promote diversity. This means trying to quell hate and advance understanding, tolerance and education. Thomas' comments clearly show she does not have any desire to foster acceptance and goodwill.

Consequently, she doesn't deserve to have such an honor. The namesake for such an award should be someone who people can look up to for thoughtful leadership and guidance in seeking mutual respect for religions and cultures. They should serve as an example of moral character and someone who students can view with admiration and respect. Again, Thomas' comments are about as close to this objective as Al-Qaeda is to promoting peace.

Wayne State was correct in pulling this award and we hope college officials don't cave in to the unwarranted pressure from Thomas and her supporters.

Thomas is entitled to her opinions, but not being the namesake of a diversity award.

— Courtesy of The Oakland Press



Transition of state power is interesting semantic study

The transition of power from one governor to another is always a hoot. It can go either way.

When John Engler beat James Blanchard, there was tension. Not in your wildest dreams would you have expected Engler to do what Gov. Jennifer Granholm and Gov-elect Rick Snyder did: They decided to share appointments to a critical state agency.

Note that Granholm and Snyder did not have to do this. The 20 members of the Michigan Economic Development Corp. tendered their resignations, which gives the new governor a chance to install all of the replacements — all of them.

Instead, we decided to divvy them up. "This is unusual," Granholm said. In vintage Snyder-speak, the governor-elect countered, "It was a good team effort."

Renewed bipartisanship is all the rage again in this town. The new governor is all about working with the other party. The current governor wanted to do that, too, and claims she got 80 percent of what she wanted from the Republicans in the Legislature.

But yet there is the lingering feeling that she never really hit it off with Senate GOP Leader Mike Bishop and

GUEST COLUMN



TIM SKUBICK

House Speaker Andy Dillon, a Democrat.

She has hit it off with Snyder, a Republican.

But then in the midst of all this cooperation, came some disagreements thanks to the news media, which cannot stomach large doses of good will even at this time of the year.

Please note that the two disagreed in an agreeable manner, which is consistent with both their personalities and styles.

Snyder was careful when the discussion turned to Granholm's record of providing jobs. He respectfully noted that there were signs of progress.

But he could have said: "She tried, but didn't get it done" or "There was some job growth, but I can do better."

He did neither. Instead, he politely told the media, "We need to pick up the pace."

She stood by his side and let it slide without a rebuttal. But there were two other questions where they agreed to disagree and she did step in.

Issue one: How to attract jobs to the state.

Snyder is a gardener not a hunter. That means he wants to focus on cultivating new jobs from the companies that are already inside our state line and

he would not spend a ton of energy on hunting for jobs beyond that.

She tiptoed into the disagreement with, "I don't want to speak for you, but I think we should do both."

He remained silent.

Issue two: In every exit interview, she has noted the creation of 650,000 jobs. And even though she lost more jobs on her watch than she created, she wants that legacy.

So the question was, "Has Michigan's economy hit the bottom?"

Snyder noted advances on the automotive front, but: "In terms of believing, it will take some time to know. In terms of Michigan being out of the woods, we have a lot of hard work to do."

She could not let that one slide, but again was careful to preface her remarks with the suggestion that he didn't answer the question that was asked.

"We have bottomed out," she began the defense of her eight years in office. He did not take the bait.

But before they left, she touched his shoulder and congratulated him on his "spirit of bipartisanship" and predicted it would serve him well in the next four years.

Then she laughed and added, "We hope."

On that they did agree.

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

GUEST COLUMN: By Mark Ouimet

Public service to continue in Lansing

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for allowing me to serve as your county commissioner.

I decided to run for city council, county commissioner and most recently state representative because I feel a duty to give back to the vibrant community that has given me so much.



MARK OUIMET

The goal of any elected official should be to leave their community better than they found it. I feel as though I have done that at the county level and hope to continue to do so at the state level.

My way of giving back to the county came in the form of ensuring that Washtenaw County residents remained safe and county employees' retirement was protected while helping to create the most efficient and streamlined government possible.

Working with my fellow commissioners, road patrol was made more effective by creating a committee and

going over the process line by line. We worked together to reinvent our strategy for the retirement board to ensure that county employees would be able to retire. Lastly, balancing the budget and creating a more efficient government was something that I knew had to be accomplished to better the county.

When Washtenaw was faced with a \$30 million budget gap in 2010, my fellow commissioners gathered with county leaders and union heads to get input from all levels. The end result was a balanced budget passed in a bipartisan manner and a streamlined county government.

Washtenaw County is a wonderful place to live and raise a family, but it can be better. That is my goal. I want to make this county, which is home to bustling cities and bucolic countryside, the best place possible.

I thank you for sharing your lives with me for the past six years and am eager to continue to represent you in Lansing. I would like to invite all of you to join for a ceremonial swearing-in from 6 to 8 p.m. Jan. 13 at the Comfort Inn located in Chelsea.

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Putting on the Ritz

Chelsea Community Hospital hosted its 2010 Holiday Gala on Saturday, Dec. 11, at The Polo Fields Golf & Country Club in Ann Arbor. Community members from Chelsea, Dexter, Saline and Ann Arbor pulled out all the stops to make this year's event the most successful ever. With a record guest list topping 240, more than \$93,000 was raised to benefit the long-term goal of building a comprehensive Cancer Center at Chelsea Community Hospital. At left, Cindy Harrison, VP of CCH Human Resources and Jim Carl, MD, radiologist at CCH, enjoy a conversation with John Mann, President and CEO of Chelsea State Bank and his wife, Anne. Fittingly, Dr. Douglas Portz (below), of the CCH Women's Health Center, dons his top hat and cane for this year's event.



January is Radon Action Month

January is National Radon Action Month, and the Department of Natural Resources and Environment is collaborating with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and Michigan's local health departments on the "Radon: Test, Fix, Save a Life" campaign. The campaign encourages Michigan residents to test their homes for this tasteless, odorless, colorless radioactive gas and, as necessary, to take action to reduce their exposure.

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For those who are homebound or cannot get to their local health department during

normal business hours, test kits are available online at <http://mi.radon.com>. Like the local health department kits, these include postage and laboratory fees in the price.

Test kits may also be available from some hardware stores or home improvement centers, but not all kits include postage and analysis, so citizens are urged to read the packaging before making their purchases.

For a list of local health department addresses and telephone numbers, visit <http://www.michigan.gov/dnre>

and select "Where to Get a Radon Test Kit" from the menu in the center section, or call the DNRE's Radon Program at 800-RADON GAS (1-800-723-6642) for more information.

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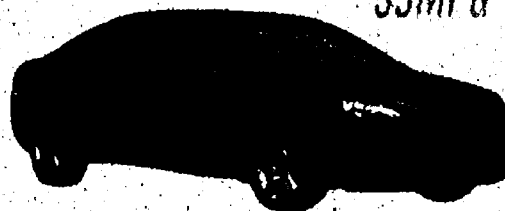
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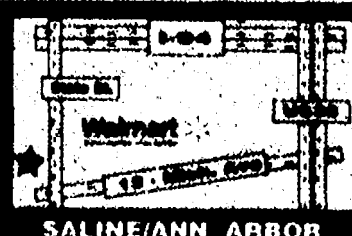
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Miller leaves behind legacy of leadership, innovation

Washtenaw Intermediate School District leader to step down after 12 years

By Austen Smith
Heritage Media

As superintendent of the Washtenaw Intermediate School District, William Miller has seen the world of education change dramatically in the past 12 years.

But Miller, who will be leaving the WISD in January, until recently has never seen such an exciting evolution in basic instruction and how technology is going to impact the classroom for years to come.

"That probably is our biggest growth area is on the technology side," says Miller as he prepares for a new journey at the state level working for Michigan Association of School Administrators. "I believe there is going to be much more of a blended approach in the classroom. I think there will be a lot more online learning ... it's a cost savings, but also kids are going to enjoy learning online through social media. I think that all is going to impact learning."

Technology also will improve administrative functions, says Miller, and the WISD has begun work toward that through sharing services and consolidation.

By purchasing software as a wholesale consortium, they are able to drive the price down on systems for student management, accounting and record keeping at the same time homogenizing administrative functions among school districts.

"I think shared services is absolutely going to have an impact in terms of being more efficient as far as the services that people don't see when they think of schools and there are tons of them," says Miller.

"We are building on that now. We now have four different special education management systems that store all of the other student information such as achievement data and on the financial side."

"If you put that together, you probably can run all of that out of one office rather than 10 offices. Once everybody is on a common financial system, it will be easier to share and be efficient."

Miller says his new role will be "completely different," but yet still involved in education. He will now be working more on legislation and policy decisions regarding school districts across the state.

As school boards across Washtenaw County perform a balancing act between striving for educational excellence and balancing their respective budgets with dwindling state aid, Miller understands the idea behind shared services and consolidation is to drive dollars back into the classroom.

"The financial stability of the state is not going to get better any time soon," he says. "And even though there isn't a huge savings there, as administrative costs are a very small part of the school budget, it's all about the face time with the teachers and assistants and librarians. A lot of that is going to involve technology."

Leaving a Legacy

Miller leaves behind a legacy of spearheading innovative programs, bridging partnerships between districts and working with his staff and school board to offer some of the most comprehensive special education programs and training in the state.

But even with more than 20 years at WISD, he admits that very few in the community know what an intermediate school district does.

"If you have a student with a disability, then you probably know us, or if you're a teacher you know what we do," Miller says. "Our general exposure to the community is more in bringing people together. We are a convener, and it's all about consolidation, collaboration and cooperation."

Richard Leyshock is set to take over for Miller on an interim basis and he, too, is set to retire in August of next year.

Leyshock says that he can only hope to continue

Miller's legacy of leadership and commitment to innovation.

Leyshock has been employed by WISD since 1977, having served as a special education teacher, consultant and special education director.

"Bill's leadership has been exemplary throughout the years and through that I think that we have been able to do some things that even surprised ourselves at times," Leyshock said. "He will be greatly missed, but the fact is it is a good thing that he will be moving up to Lansing and fighting for local schools."

It's those strides in innovation and technology that Miller points to as what he is most proud of, but is quick to mention that he was simply part of a team effort.

"I would say that I am really proud of our innovative spirit. We have opened some really excellent schools that I think are going to be attractive, particularly the high schools," Miller said.

Programs such as the New Tech High School in the Ypsilanti school district, the Early College Alliance at Eastern Michigan University and the Widening Achievement for Youth, or WAY, which helps drop-out students by offering an online learning environment are just a few of the WISD initiatives under Miller and his staff.

But both he and Leyshock agree those types of programs takes trust and cooperation among school districts which isn't always easy. As an example, Miller said the recent busing consolidation proposal was one of the most significant undertakings he has been a part of during his time at the intermediate school district.

"We have all of these things happening through the cooperation of our local districts," Miller said.

"We have a great relationship with our community and with the parents."

Leyshock said one of Miller's most admirable qualities is his ability to encourage that type of cooperation, especially in difficult situations such as the busing consolidation as school officials were dealing with tough labor negotiations.

Miller himself believes that he has worked toward many of the goals he set when first being hired as assistant superintendent in 1988. But he says it's hard to look back and not see the work that has yet to be accomplished.

"You never fully accomplish everything you set out to do. We have made really good progress, not so much personally but working with people that are here and the school board," Miller said. "Our mission here really is to provide high-quality, innovative and equitable options for all students so they can achieve at their highest potential."

"So it takes a great school board to support that kind of work and a great staff ... all of those things combined, I think we have worked a long way toward those goals."

The Future of WISD

Leyshock, who says he will not be a candidate for Miller's permanent replacement, says intermediate school district staff have "clear-cut goals" for 2011 and beyond.

A millage for special education assessed across all 10 of Washtenaw County's school districts will be up for renewal and Leyshock says they will need to start working on that soon. The cost is less than 1 mill.

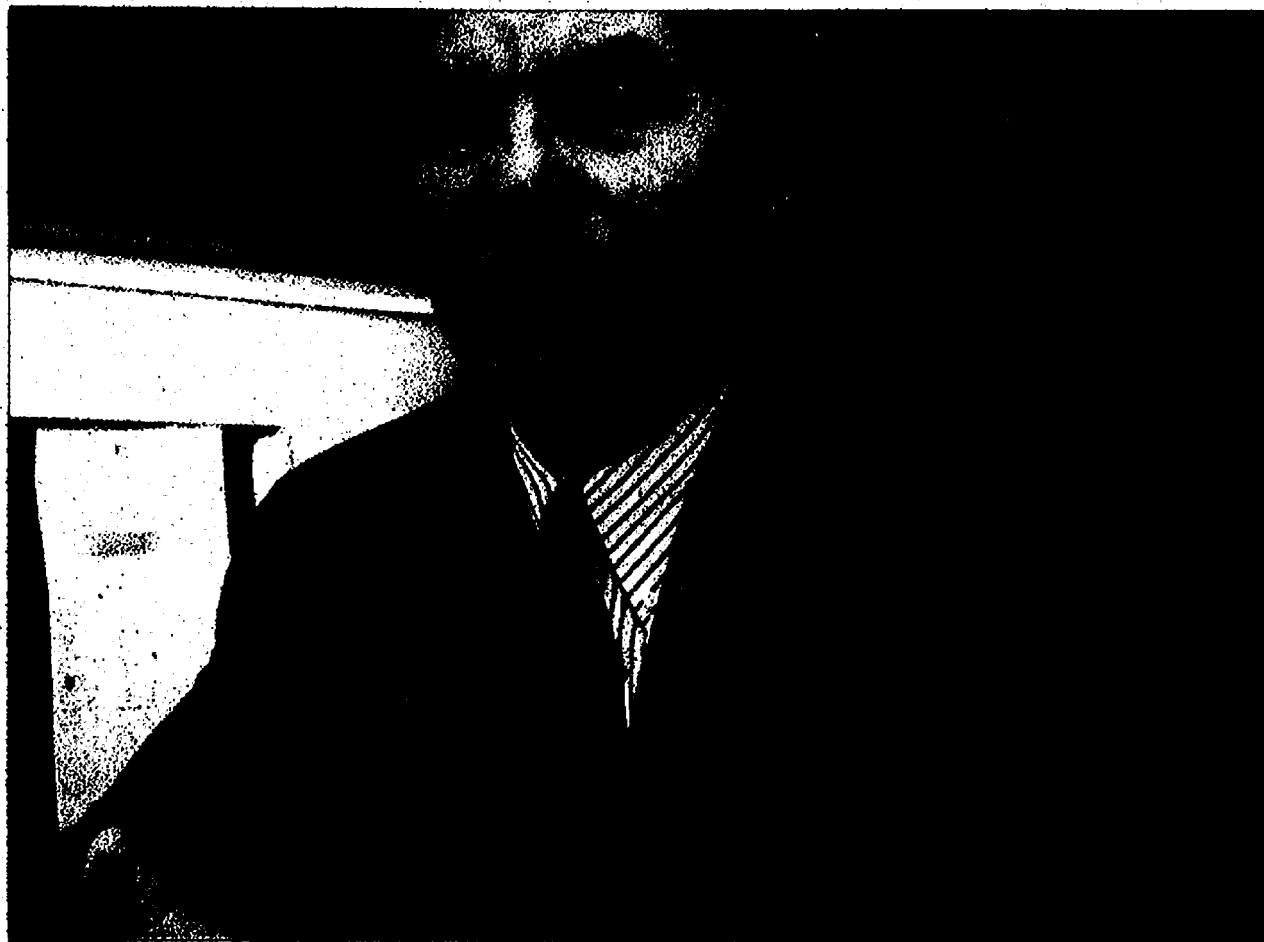
"We will need to communicate to the public about the special ed millage renewal," he said. "Even with the renewal, we have less funds for special education programs because of (lower) property values."

In addition, WISD staff will be focusing on integrating a new countywide transportation department and continue to roll out programs to districts such as the New Tech High school and International High School.

But with a number of different balls in the air for Leyshock and the WISD, he says it's vital not to lose sight of what is important — the students.

"We are to make sure that children are getting the support that they need," he says, "and making sure that we have quality and equity. Those are really the hallmarks of what Bill has done here during his time as superintendent."

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Washtenaw Intermediate Superintendent William Miller is leaving the school district to work for the Michigan Association of School Administrators in January.

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Honda Ridgeline a terrific choice for people who don't need the towing or cargo capacity of a full-size pickup

By Russ Heaps
Journal Register Newspapers

Virtually unchanged from last year, the 2011 Honda Ridgeline continues to stand alone as a niche product in the pickup truck arena. Although classified as a standard pickup truck by the EPA, which lumps it in with the likes of the Ford F-150 and Chevy Silverado, its exterior dimensions really fall somewhere between standard pickups and compact pickups including Toyota Tacoma and Nissan Frontier. Like the Ford Explorer Sport Trac, Ridgeline is tough to pigeonhole.

More speculation surrounded the 2011 Ridgeline than the possibility of a Palin 2012 presidential run. At one point, Honda execs seemed to indicate that 2011 would bring a total redesign for this pickup first introduced as a 2006 model. But Honda then clarified things by saying Ridgeline would return as is for 2011. Will a total redesign come for 2012? Maybe and maybe not. Although through the first nine months of this year Ridgeline sales are up marginally from the same period in 2009, the total for 2010 is on track to be roughly 15,000 units. With an original marketing plan based on 50,000 unit sales per year, Ridgeline's future could be in some jeopardy.

In the meantime, the 2011 Ridgeline is, in nearly every respect, a terrific choice for people who don't need the towing or cargo capacity of a full-size pickup. As with its size, Ridgeline's price also stakes out the territory, with some overlap between full-size and smaller pickups. My test Ridgeline was the top-of-the-line \$37,610 RTL with Navigation. Prices, however, begin at \$29,680 for the RT. There are also the RTS and RTL without Navigation arranged between the highest and lowest priced versions. As with other Honda nameplates, there are no factory options for the specific trim levels. Gaining more content requires moving up to one of the more expensive trims.

The only configuration Honda offers is a 4-door crew cab with a 5-foot cargo box.

Propelling every Ridgeline is the same 250-hp, 3.5-liter V6. The transmission doesn't vary either; engine output is escorted to all four wheels via a 5-speed automatic tranny. The AWD system is intuitive and engineered for foul weather. It doesn't provide a 4-wheel low gear for the serious off roader. An extra-cost wiring harness is required, but Ridgeline will tow up to 5,000 pounds. Acceleration is leisurely, but determined. You don't need to worry about being run over by the traffic behind you when the light goes green, but you won't be blowing the doors off of the Toyota Tacoma next to you, either.

Because the Ridgeline is bigger and heavier than it looks, its fuel economy isn't significantly better than a full-size pickup. On the flip side, it's only marginally worse than a smaller pickup. The EPA estimates its mpg at 15 mpg in the city and 20 mpg on the highway. These are the same EPA numbers scored by the V8-equipped full-size Toyota Tundra CrewMax pickup, and nearly the same EPA ratings of the V6-equipped Tacoma Double Cab 4WD at 16 mpg city and 20 mpg highway.

Decidedly car-like in its road manners, Ridgeline sacrifices some of the utility and ruggedness of full-size pickups for a more pliant ride and relaxed handling. Key elements of its 4-wheel independent suspension are MacPherson struts in front and a multi-link setup in the rear. Managing to absorb most pavement inconsistencies, the underpinnings also help keep this pickup tethered to the asphalt when cornering. Eighteen-inch alloy wheels wrapped in all-season rubber are standard on the RTL. The other trim levels get 17-inch ones.

Antilock disc brakes on all four wheels bring Ridgeline to controlled stops. Traction control and stability control are built into the package, as are electronic brakeforce distribution and emergency braking assist.

Even the low-end RT comes standard with six airbags, air conditioning, full power accessories, cruise control, tilt steering wheel, power-sliding rear window and a 6-speaker audio system with CD player. By the



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time you work your way up to the RTL, you also get dual-zone automatic climate control, leather-wrapped steering wheel with redundant controls for the upgraded 7-speaker audio system with in-dash 6-disc CD player, satellite radio and auxiliary input jack, leather seating with heated front seats.

8-way power-adjustable driver's seat, and Bluetooth connectivity. The RTL with Navigation, of course, comes with a GPS-based nav unit.

The cabin is comfortable and fairly roomy. Legroom front and rear is decent. The split 60/40 rear seat has bottom cushions that fold up to

reveal storage compartments. Straightforward, all the controls are easy to find and use and the dashboard layout is uncomplicated.

Two unique cargo-box features are worth mentioning. The first is the dual-operation tailgate that either folds down or swings open from the side.

The other unexpected feature is the 8.5 cubic-foot lockable storage area beneath the cargo floor, which can function like the trunk of a car, or it can even be filled with ice and beverages for tailgating thanks to its drain plugs.

If you need a pickup for heavy-duty towing or other

rugged work-related chores, Ridgeline might not be the best choice. However, for drivers who only need a truck for light duty or the occasional weekend job-jar task, Ridgeline should be more than adequate. The rest of the time it'll play the part of people mover without breaking the bank.



Death Notices

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CENTILLI, FRANCES MARIE, of Chelsea, MI, age 95, passed away Friday, December 24, 2010, at the Arbor Hospice Residence in Ann Arbor. She was born March 6, 1915 in Copemish, MI, the daughter of Bernard J. and Magdalena (Mormon) Schnipke. On May 30, 1935 she married Carl H. Centilli, and he preceded her in death in 1971. Frances was a member of the Altar Society at St. Mary Catholic Church, Chelsea (now Ladies of St. Mary) and loved traveling, especially British Columbia, Canada, Greenland, Vegas, and Florida. She was employed by King Seeley in Dexter for 25 years, retiring in 1975 after it had become Chrysler. She is survived by two children, Lana (Brian) Leisinger of Stockbridge and James (Charlotte) Centilli of DeLand, FL; her grandchildren, Amy Lucas of Saline, Margaret Leisinger of Stockbridge, B. Keith (Carmy Sherwood) Leisinger of Grass Lake, Kristie Centilli of Ann Arbor, and James Scott (Kimberly) Centilli of Matawan; 13 great grandchildren; and 14 great great grandchildren. In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents and four brothers. Funeral Mass will be held Thursday, December 30, 2010 at 11 a.m. at St. Mary Catholic Church, Chelsea with Rev. Dr. William J. Turner officiating. Burial will follow at Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Chelsea. The family will receive friends at the **Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home** on Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. with Rosary at 7:30 p.m. with Deacon Tom Franklin officiating, also on Thursday at the church from 10 a.m. until the Time of Service. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Arbor Hospice or St. Mary Catholic Church.



COOK, JAMES O., Saline, MI, age 75, passed away on Tuesday, December 21, 2010, at his home. He was born on February 4, 1935 in Saline, MI, the son of Walter Davis and Hazel (Lytle) Cook. On September 13, 1958, at St. Thomas Aquinas Church in East Lansing, MI, he married Judith O'Neil, and she preceded him in death on May 30, 2003. Throughout his lifetime James had many accomplishments. He served in the United States Army Reserve for over 11 years where he was a Captain in Training Division. He went on to work for Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Michigan for over 25 years where he was Vice President of Human Resources. James is survived by a son, William (Audrey) Cook of Whitmore Lake, MI, and a daughter-in-law, Rose Cook of Brighton, MI; he is also survived by three grandchildren, Alexis, William, and James; one brother, Bob Cook; one sister, Sally Currie; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death in addition to his wife by a son, Timothy Cook; his parents; and one brother, George Cook. A Mass of the Resurrection will be held on Thursday, December 30, 2010 at 11 a.m. at St. Andrew Catholic Church in Saline, with Rev. Fr. William J. Stevenson, celebrant. Burial will take place at the Oakwood Cemetery in Saline at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Andrew Catholic Church. Envelopes will be available at the Church where friends may begin calling on Thursday, December 30, 2010 from 10 a.m. until the time of the Mass of the Resurrection at 11 a.m. Arrangements made by the **Robison-Bahn-Miller Funeral Home of Saline**. To sign James's guest book or to leave a memory visit <http://obits.mlive.com/obituaries/annarbor/> or for more information or directions please visit www.rbfbosaline.com

EVEN, RAYMOND THOMAS, of Dexter, MI, age 62, passed away Thursday, December 23, 2010, at his home surrounded by his family. He was born March 28, 1948 in Detroit, the son of Raymond J. and Mary L. (Bow) Even. On July 21, 1974 he married Judith L. Hamm in Romulus, MI and she survives. Raymond had lived in the area since 1978, coming from Westland and had served in the United States Marine Corps in Vietnam. He was a member of Brick Layers Local #1. He was also a member of St. Andrews United Church of Christ, Dexter, past member of Ducks Unlimited, involved with Alcoholics Anonymous, and loved hunting and fishing at which he was very skilled. In addition to his wife, Judy, he is survived by four children, Raymond K. (Susan) Even of Dearborn Heights, Robert Even of Dearborn Heights, Terra Even of Nashville, TN, Jacob (Sarah) Even of Dexter; six grandchildren, Danielle, Jordyn, Tyler, Joel, Madison, and Jenna; his father, Col. Raymond J. Even of Westland; three brothers, David (Ellen) Even of Hart, MI, Marc (Debra) Even of Westland, and Kevin (Annette) Even of Whitehall, MI; mother-in-law, Garnet Winquest of Dexter; and father-in-law, Jack (Bessie) Hamm of Brighton; brother-in-law, Jerry Buchel of Costa Rica; sister-in-law, Rebecca Even of Brighton; Judy's siblings, Lori (Joe) Baker of Dearborn, Linda (Doug) McDonald of Brighton, and Wendy (Mark) Foley of Brighton; and many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews. He was preceded in death by his mother; one brother, Daniel Even; and one sister, Beverly Buchel. Funeral Services will be held Tuesday, December 28, 2010 at 11 a.m. from St. Andrews United Church of Christ, Dexter with Rev. Larry VanSlambrook officiating. Burial will follow at St. Andrews Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the **Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home**, Chelsea on Monday from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Ted and James' Camp Courage, St. Andrews United Church of Christ, Dexter, or Ele's Place.



RUSH, EDWARD A., age 64, was born on September 26, 1946 in Detroit, Michigan and died peacefully, in his Romulus home surrounded by his loved ones on December 22, 2010. Loving father of his son, Edward B. (Eddie) Rush, and daughter, Erica A. Rush of Romulus; beloved husband to the late Sharon L. Rush (Dopke); and very dear friend, Terry Snurka. Preceded in death by his loving parents, Edward and Nancy and beloved brother, Peter. He is also survived by his nephews, Jeff, Rob, and Kevin. Ed and his family owned Rush's Flowers and Greenhouses in Romulus all of his life. He served his community as city councilman and was a member of the Washtenaw Country Golf Club. He enjoyed the Ocean, fine dining and traveling. He especially loved spending time with his family. Ed was always lending a helping hand to his friends and loved ones. He was loved by all for his generosity, kind spirit and terrific sense of humor. He will be truly missed by all. Friends may call Sunday, December 26, 2010 from 5 to 9 p.m. and Monday, December 27, 2010 from 3 to 8 p.m. at **Crane Funeral Home**, 36885 Goddard Road, Romulus, Michigan (734-941-9200). Funeral Service to be held Tuesday, December 28, 2010, 2 p.m. at the Trinity Episcopal Church 11575 Belleville Road, Belleville, Michigan. (734-699-3361) with Rev. John Hagen officiating.



TERVO, HILMA LOUISE, age 95, a life-long resident of Manchester, passed away December 23, 2010, at Allegiance Health in Jackson. Hilma was born September 26, 1915 in Manchester to Charles and Mary (Fielder) Wurster. She was married to Leonard Bunney and then John William Tervo. Hilma was a member of Emmanuel United Church of Christ in Manchester. She was a member of Macabees of Manchester, enjoyed bowling and was voted Homemaker of the Year for many years at the Manchester Fair. Hilma is survived by her children, William (Dolores) Bunney, Richard (Sandy) Bunney, Robert (Marcia) Bunney and Wayne (Susan) Tervo; grandchildren, Karen, Melissa and Robert Bunney Jr., Brenda Olinger, Sara, Jeffrey and William Tervo; three great grandchildren, Jacob Olinger, Danielle and Braeden Bunney; one sister Norma Stautz; two brothers Victor and Ralph Wurster; and many nieces and nephews. Hilma was preceded in death by her parents; and step-mother Lydia; her first husband, Leonard Bunney; and second husband, John William Tervo in 1971; three brothers; and two sisters; and close friend Ed Groeb. In Hilma's honor, memorial donations may be given to the Emanuel United Church of Christ or Manchester Senior Citizens. A Healing Farewell will begin Monday at **Borek Jennings Funeral Home Jenter Chapel**, Manchester, MI with the family receiving friends from 2 to 8 p.m. and a Funeral Service on Tuesday at the Emmanuel United Church of Christ, Manchester at 11 a.m. with Pastor Gary Kwiatek officiating. Burial will be in Oak Grove Cemetery Manchester. Please sign Hilma's guestbook at www.borekjennings.com or leave a message of comfort for her family by calling 877-231-7900.

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This new Sportage is meant to turn guy's heads.

2011 Kia Sportage: no longer a cute-ute

By Mike Covello
Journal Register News Service

Can anyone tell me exactly what it is that makes a car a chick car?

My favorite autojournalist, Peter Egan, discusses the question as his topic for this month's column in Road & Track.

Despite the politically dangerous move of branding a car as being masculine or feminine, Egan starts with Ford's ads for secretary's cars (6-cylinder Mustangs) in the 60s, touches on the Honda del Sol, and mentions the Volkswagen Cabriolet as the most obvious of the genre.

In my opinion, the triple white (white exterior, interior and ragtop) VW Cab is the vehicle most likely to have a female owner driver.

So what does this have to do with the subject vehicle? When

the Honda RAV-4 and Honda CR-V (why are there hyphen in both these names?) burst on the scene, they were branded as founding members of the cute-ute segment. While this was partially a reference to their smaller than Explorer Tahoe size, it also applied to their appeal to the lady folks.

So the question I gotta ask (in my best Clint Eastwood Dirty Harry voice) is, "Are you feeling manly today? Well, are you?" And if so, would a real man drive a small sport utility vehicle?

The outgoing 2010 Kia Sportage fit into this cute-ute size category, but its styling wasn't really all that cute, exciting, or even noticeable. For 2011, Kia decided to go for a more masculine look.

I had the opportunity to spend the better part of the week in a 2011 signal red Kia Sportage EX AWD in

California. This faithful steed braved San Francisco traffic, comfortably cruised down the 101, and was the model of efficiency while my photographer and I journeyed between the significant auto events on the Monterey Peninsula in August.

Speaking of efficiency, the 2011 Sportage is only available with a 2.4-liter 4-cylinder engine now.

But with 176 hp. and 168 lb-ft of torque, the new motor is a nice improvement. Last year's 4-banger made 140 hp., and the no-longer-available V6 only made 173 horsepower. This engine proved to be a quiet companion on the road, and I came very close to achieving the EPA's estimate of 28 mpg for highway driving. If city driving is more your habit, than our government says you should expect 21 mpg.

Prices start at \$18,990 for the Sportage with front wheel-

drive and a 6-speed manual transmission. The \$20,990 LX and \$23,990 EX are both available with AWD for some additional change. There's even a button on the dash to activate the electronic locking differential if you envision yourself crawling through muddy fields; just don't mistake this for a full-on off-road vehicle.

I was very impressed with the level of equipment. The base price for the AWD EX is \$24,785.

This buys you dual-zone climate control, power front seats with lumbar adjustment, a trip computer, Bluetooth, audio and cruise controls on the leather-wrapped steering wheel, plus a keyless entry system.

Without a doubt, my favorite EX additions are the LED daytime running lights, which add an upscale look to the already bold headlights.

You have to travel to the

costs nearly twice as much Audi A5 to find these elegant electronic accents.

All Sportages come with plenty of safety equipment. Full-length side curtain airbags join front and front-seat-mounted side airbags. The 4-wheel disc brakes have ABS and are empowered with downhill brake and hill start assist (DBC/HAC) circuitry.

There were a couple of options on my Sportage. A mere \$1,500 buys you a navigation system with SIRIUS traffic, a back-up camera and an upgraded audio system. This proved to be very easy to use and came in handy on our trip through the back roads of Monterey County.

While the \$3,000 premium package features the leather seating surfaces, I found other items to be more useful. I utilized the rear sonar parking assist almost every time I

squeezed our Sportage into the motel's parking lot. The dual panoramic sunroof brightened the interior on overcast coastal days. Moderate temperatures meant that we never tried the heated outside mirrors or the heated and cooled front seats. I got very used to the push button start that allowed the smart fob to live in my pocket. The total price came to \$29,990.

I found the new Sportage to be fairly quiet inside. It rode very well, and the driving dynamics are a full two notches higher than the outgoing edition.

So I purposely avoided listing all the styling cues that might be interpreted as more masculine than feminine. I'll leave you to look at the pictures and judge for yourself.

If you have any questions, comments or ideas, please send them to autoeditor@journalregister.com

New Mazda3: still sporty, with new styling

By Mike Covello
Journal Register News Service

I've recommended the purchase of the previous Mazda3 to several people, and my father actually bought one. So I enlisted his aid in getting some feedback as to how the 2011 model compares against the old.

Many folks have weighed in on the new front-end styling. Some like the "happy face" smile of the lower grille; others react in a less pleasant fashion. The old grille is more to my liking. The rest of the car represents a nice evolution of a cute little sedan or wagon. (With the introduction of the Mazda2, the 3 is now the mid-size sedan offered by Mazda.)

The interior carries on Mazda's tradition of offering modern, sporty styling inside and out. I found the seats reasonably comfortable, although the rear seat legroom is a bit tight. I can think of few other cars in this mid-teens dollar segment that offer this level of pleasing surfaces plus excellent fit and finish. I especially like the thin blue light line in the center of the stack—it adds a jaunty note to the dash at night.

You can choose between a Mazda3 4-door sedan or 5-door wagon. There are five levels of sedan trim from which to choose. The i SV begins at \$15,800, and runs up to \$22,510 for the Grand Touring. The wagon starts at \$20,485 for the Sport and you'll need \$23,010 for the Grand Touring trim level.

My velocity red tester was a Sport, and had a few options added. The Sirius radio tacked on \$430, and the \$1,385 moon-

roof/Bose package seemed to be a wonderful addition. I took advantage of the crisp fall air to use the one-touch-open glass moonroof. The in dash 6-CD changer provided great sound and it even allows you to play MP3 files.

The base trim levels come with a 2-liter in-line 4-cylinder engine that makes 148 hp. at 6,500 rpm and 135 lb-ft of torque. When coupled with the standard 5-speed manual transmission, this edition of the Mazda3 provides peppy acceleration and earns an EPA rating of 25 in the city and 33 mpg on the highway. The 2.5-liter engine in my tester provides 167 hp. and 168 lb-ft of torque. I found it to be reasonably swift, even when attached to the 5-speed automatic transmission. The EPA says you'll get 22 mpg in the city and 29 on the highway.

Despite its small size, the Mazda3 packs plenty of safety features. ABS brakes are backed up by electronic brake assist. Dynamic stability control helps to keep you pointed in the right direction; there are front, side and side curtain airbags, and a remote keyless entry vehicle immobilizer system to keep your car safe when you're not around.

I wouldn't compare my tester to a real sport sedan, such as a BMW 3-Series. Sure the Mazda3 has an even stiffer chassis that resists rattles, creaks and other unwanted intrusions. But the engineers have wisely tuned the suspension for a compliant ride, not a really-carves-the-corners setup. This is the right decision for a mid-teens family sedan.



A Mazda3 4-door sedan or 5-door wagon are quality cars at a reasonable price.

My dad's never been a sportscar sort of fellow, so the precise steering of the previous generation took some getting used to on his part. He says he likes the steering feel of the 2011 Mazda3 better. Dad feels more comfortable with "some play in the wheel." If he hadn't told me I wouldn't have noticed. To me, the feedback and control that Mazda puts in all their cars from the pinnacle Miata to the still-handles-well CX-9 crossover, show that Mazda never forgets to build in some Zoom-Zoom.

Some may consider it lazy journalism to use a company tagline in your story, and I see their point. I make an exception for Zoom-Zoom because I feel it does a great job of capturing Mazda's attempt to infuse some of the Miata's delightful driving dynamics

into every one of their products. If you have any questions,

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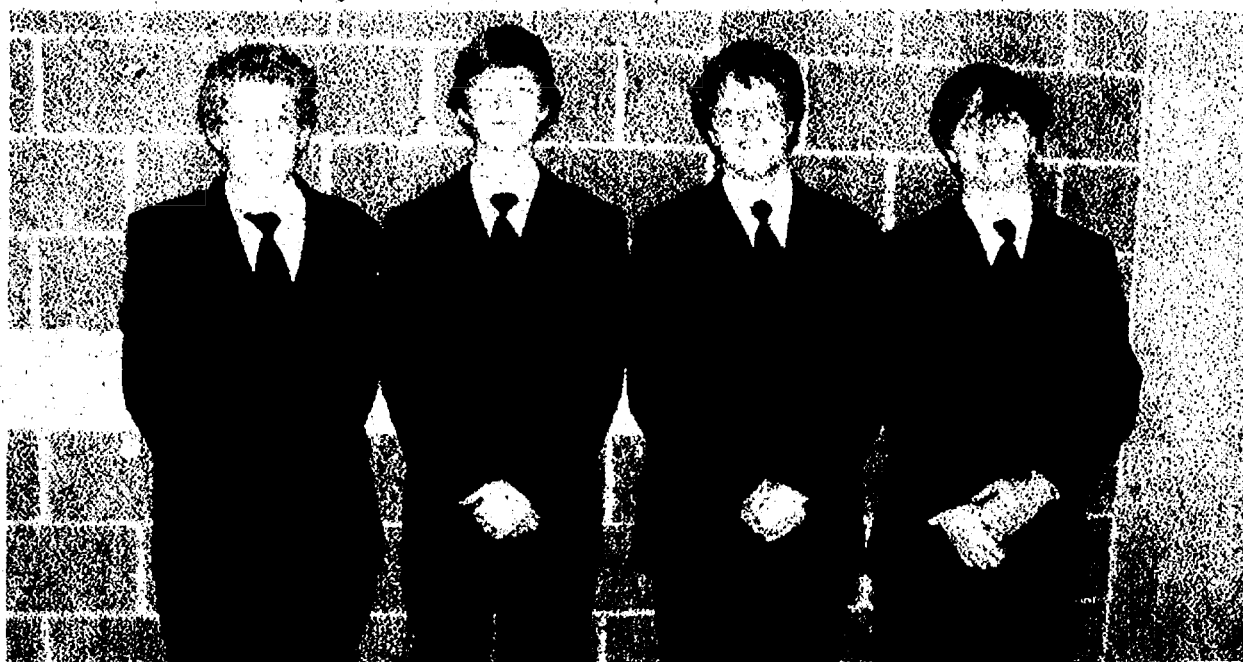
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Choir honors



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Four Chelsea High School singers earned special honors recently when they were named to the Michigan School Vocal Music Association State Honors Choir. The list of honored Chelsea singers includes tenor Brad Stech, tenor Reeve Segrest, baritone Nathan Obenchain and bass Tyler Frisbie. The audition process for achieving this honor is extremely difficult and requires great discipline and preparation. Their performance will close the Michigan Music Conference in Grand Rapids this January.

EXHIBIT

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of our daily lives that speak to me. Sometimes they speak in quiet desperation and others in flashes of humor or insight. I think about our reality and our related experience.

Plato's cave of shadows of truth, the geometric concepts of line and space or our silhouettes, shadows and mark making.

Bigelow takes collections of images and recombines them to "surf" the stream of consciousness.

He says the process of making prints allows him to digest and chew on his work, pulling and altering them from their source.

"I am increasingly looking to combine images and ideas to expand on original nuggets, playing with the processes and thoughts along the way," he said.

The gallery provides a showcase for fine art by community artists and also houses an extensive arts library.

More than 15 years ago, area

artists recognized a need for community arts programs in the Chelsea area, and a multi-cultural arts workshop was held, where possibilities were explored.

In 1995, the foundation for an arts organization was formed and a mission statement was written. Today, a board representing both the arts and business communities governs the Center, which offers private

music lessons and visual art classes for youth and adults along with free programs including recitals, lectures, family art days, and community arts projects.

Bigelow's exhibit will run through Jan. 15. Call 433-2787 for more information.

Mars Parker Darwin is a freelance writer who can be contacted at mars@darwinstudio.com

Johnson, Wallenwine married

Marissa Johnson and Paul Wallenwine were married Nov. 6 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Dexter.

The bride is the daughter of Cindy and the late Eric Johnson of Dexter. The groom is the son of Steven and Carolyn Wallenwine of Stockbridge.

The bride wore a white satin floor-length gown with a ruffled bodice, pick-up skirt and a floor-length illusion veil with a satin ribbon border, which was handmade by a friend of the bride.

The bride carried a bouquet of purple roses, white hydrangea, hypericum berries, viburnum, purple stock and purple caspia, containing one silk violet from her mother's bridal bouquet from 38 years ago.

Her mother, Cindy, and her uncle and godfather, Michael Kay, escorted the bride down the aisle.

Linda Kojiro, of Saline, was the maid of honor. Sister of the groom, Jane Wallenwine, of Stockbridge, and sister-in-law to the groom Amy Wallenwine, of Pottersville, N.Y., were bridesmaids.

The best man was Casey Leonard, of Adrian. Brother of the bride Dane Johnson of Dexter and brother of the groom Mark Wallenwine of Pottersville, N.Y. were groomsmen.

Roland St. Armand, Rocky Tamalia and Adam Brodowicz

served as ushers.

Sofia Johnson, daughter of the bride, was the flower girl.

The bride had relatives from Tulsa, Ok.; Pagosa Springs, Colo.; and Fort Collins, Colo. to see the two wed. The groom had relatives visit from Atlanta, Ga.

The bride graduated from Eastern Michigan University and from Dexter High School. The groom gradu-

ated from Liberty University in Lynchburg, Va. after graduating from Jackson Christian High School.

A reception for the wedding was held at the Village Conference Center at the Comfort Inn in Chelsea.

The bride and groom spent their honeymoon at Punta Cana in the Dominican Republic and live in Waterford.

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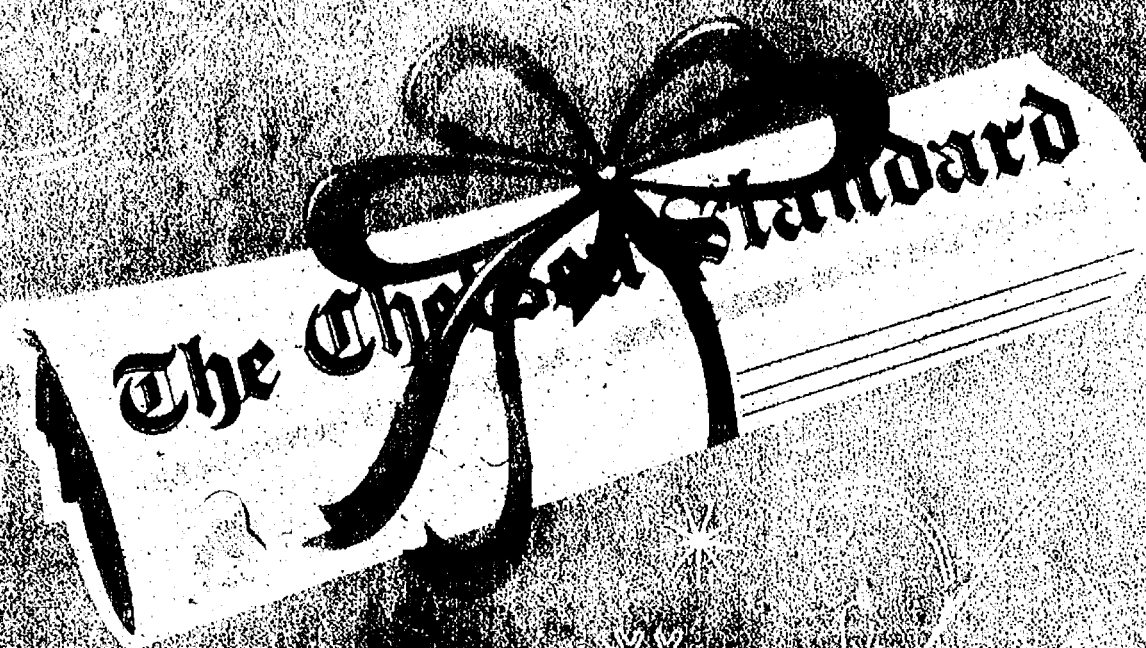
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COURT BRIEFS

Man jailed again prior to sentencing for violating court order

A Saline man who was freed from the Washtenaw County Jail on bond following a plea deal on larceny and misdemeanor criminal sexual conduct charges earlier this month was ordered back behind bars.

Raymond Jewell, 49, faces a bond redetermination hearing before he is scheduled to be sentenced Jan. 3 because he contacted a victim in the case, court records show.

Washtenaw County Circuit Judge Melinda Morris scheduled the hearing after prosecutors reported that Jewell called the victim within days of his release.

Records show he pleaded no contest to larceny from a person and one count of fourth-degree criminal sexual conduct to avoid trial earlier this month. A no contest plea is not an admission of guilt, but is treated that way for sentencing purposes under Michigan law.

He was held without bond since his arrest in July after a 33-year-old neighbor told police he entered her apartment in the

200 block of North Maple Road unannounced twice in the same day. In one of those incidents, he groped and kissed her before she kicked him out, police said.

Police reports said Jewell was intoxicated at the time of the assault and that he had difficulty talking and keeping his balance in front of officers.

He was also charged with larceny for taking a former girlfriend's cell phone outside the apartment complex, according to police reports.

Prosecutors agreed to drop counts of assault with intent to commit sexual penetration, second-degree criminal sexual conduct and second-degree home invasion at sentencing.

In late August, prosecutors added a habitual offender charge for Jewell's third arrest, court records show. It was later dropped as part of the plea agreement.

Suspect in grocery store embezzlement headed to trial

A South Lyon woman was recently ordered to stand trial for embezzling more than

\$71,000 while working in a position of authority at the Saline Country Market.

Angela McKenzie, 46, faces one count of felony embezzlement of between \$50,000 to \$100,000. A not-guilty plea was entered on her behalf following a preliminary hearing in Washtenaw County District Court, where several witnesses singled out McKenzie for being in charge of lottery machine.

Authorities accuse the long-time employee of emptying the machine and cashing out the exact amount in returned groceries to avoid detection. The scheme worked for more than two years, netting McKenzie more than \$71,000, prosecutors said.

Jeffrey Bennett, McKenzie's attorney, argued that prosecutors could not definitively say McKenzie was responsible based on the data collected by company officials. Without fur-

ther evidence, including a lack of videotape proof showing she was operating the registers at the times the alleged thefts occurred, the case should not proceed.

McKenzie remains free on a \$10,000 personal recognizance bond pending a pretrial hearing Jan. 31 in Washtenaw County Circuit Court, records show.

Teen won't enter plea deal in robbery case

A Saline teenager facing felony home invasion and robbery charges for allegedly stealing a safe from an acquaintance's apartment rejected a plea offer from prosecutors last week.

Andrew Wszolek, 17, turned down an offer to plead guilty to counts of first-degree home invasion and unarmed robbery for the Nov. 5 crime at the Six Trails apartments, court records show.

A pretrial hearing is scheduled before Washtenaw County Circuit Judge Archie Brown Jan. 19. Brown also denied Wszolek's request to reduce his \$25,000 cash bond, and the teen remains in custody at the Washtenaw County Jail, officials said.

He currently faces counts of home invasion, conspiracy, safe breaking and unarmed robbery.

Police said he entered the victim's apartment under the guise of using the man's cell phone, and let two other intruders into the apartment. One of the men held the victim down while

Wszolek and another intruder ripped the safe from the drawers causing significant damage.

Neither the safe, nor its contents were recovered, but police were able to track the suspects to Wszolek's home with a K-9 unit.

Ann Arbor resident Josh Morris was recently charged with home invasion, conspiracy, safe breaking and unarmed robbery in the incident and a preliminary hearing is pending in Washtenaw County District Court.

Compiled by freelance journalist Ann Ascher

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ORDINANCE NO. 2010-04

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODIFIED SCIO TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE BY INCORPORATING AN AMENDMENT TO THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP TO CHANGING CERTAIN LAND AREA IN SECTION 200 OF SCIO TOWNSHIP FROM IT LIMITED INDUSTRIAL TO 2 GENERAL COMMERCIAL

The Board of Trustees of the Township of Scio hereby ordains:

SECTION 1. ADOPTION OF AMENDMENT TO OFFICIAL ZONING MAP

Whereas, a proposed rezoning amendment from L1 Limited Industrial to 2 General Commercial has been submitted by the Township pursuant to Article XV, Section 96.460 of the Michigan Constitution and the Township Zoning Ordinance, and

Whereas, this proposed rezoning amendment has been reviewed by the Township Planning Commission and recommended approval to the Township Board of Trustees and

Whereas, the proposed zoning classification amendment has been duly advertised and presented at a public hearing held by the Township Planning Commission pursuant to requirements of Public Act 110 of 2006 as amended;

Whereas, said proposal affects land area with the current tax parcel ID numbers:

Property code: 01 0021 300 000
Commonly known as: 907 Jackson Road
Owner on file: Larson Properties LLC

Be it therefore ordained that the Township Board of Scio Township does hereby adopt a 2 General Commercial as described above as an amendment to the Official Zoning Map.

Be it further ordained that this amendment shall be made to the Official Township Zoning Map.

SECTION 2. AVAILABILITY

The Official Zoning Map is available for inspection at the Township Hall. Supporting documentation, for each zoning district designation is available in the office of the Township Clerk at the Township Hall, Copies of the Zoning Map or the Zoning Ordinance text as amended, are available for purchase at Scio Township Hall. The Scio Township Hall is located at 827 N. Oak Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48106. Normal business hours are 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Monday through Friday.

SECTION 3. INCONSISTENCIES REPEALED

Any and all other ordinances or resolutions

E. Spaulding Clark, Supervisor
Nancy C. Hedberg, Clerk

CERTIFICATION
I, Nancy C. Hedberg, Clerk of the Township of Scio, County of Washtenaw, Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Township Zoning Ordinance, as amended, and that it is an amendment to the Official Zoning Map of the Township of Scio, Michigan, as amended, approved by the Township Board of Trustees on the 14th day of December, 2010, and entered into the Township records as a meeting of the Township Board of Trustees on the 14th day of December, 2010.

Nancy C. Hedberg, Clerk
Township of Scio

SYNOPSIS OF UNAPPROVED MINUTES LIMA TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES DECEMBER 13, 2010

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

Motion by Unterbrink supported by McKenzie to amend the agenda to add Board of Review Training to New Business. Motion carried.

Motion by Barois supported by McKenzie to approve the amended agenda. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's report was received.

The Bridges and Roads Ad Hoc Committee reported on findings of the condition of the closed bridges. They have been working with the Washtenaw County Road Commission to establish a process to accomplish repairs to place them and funding of the costs of the closed bridges in Lima Township.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Lauer to revise the landscape bond requirement for the Ann Arbor Moose to defer the requirement for a bond until June 1, 2011, and require that the Moose complete the landscape plan as approved by the Zoning Administrator by June 1, 2011, or post a bond at that time. Motion carried.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Lauer to table any action on the Obsolete Property Rehabilitation Act and Application of Obsolete Property Rehabilitation Exemption Certificate, for additional input from the Realtor requesting the action. Motion carried.

Motion by Lauer supported by Havens to take the proposed Truck Route Ordinance to a work session on January 6, 2011 at 6:00 p.m. Motion carried.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Barois to appoint Mary Tobin, Archie Bradbury and Marlene Consiglio to the Lima Township Board of Review and appoint Larry Grant as Alternate to the Lima Township Board of Review for a two year term, expiring December 31, 2012. Motion carried.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Havens to appoint Kenneth Unterbrink as Lima Township Representative to CATA and John Edwards as Alternate for a term, expiring December 31, 2013. Motion carried.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Lauer that the following be reappointed to the following boards for terms expiring December 31, 2011: Nanette Havens, Representative, Greg McKenzie, Alternate to Washtenaw County Board of Solid Waste Management, Donald Lauer, Representative, Nanette Havens, Alternate to Huron River Watershed Council, Kenneth Unterbrink, Representative, Arlene Barois, Alternate to Washtenaw MTA, Kenneth Unterbrink, Representative, Ed Giesbrecht, Alternate to Chelsea Area Planning Team, Kenneth Unterbrink, Representative, Thomas Borton, Alternate to SEMCOG, Arlene Barois, Representative, Greg McKenzie, Alternate to WAVE, Arlene Barois, Representative, Kenneth Unterbrink, Alternate to Brownfield Redevelopment, Kenneth Unterbrink, Representative, Donald Lauer, Alternate to Scio Township Water and Sewer Authority, and Kenneth Unterbrink, Representative, Greg McKenzie, Alternate to Chelsea Area Traffic Committee. Motion carried.

Motion by Barois supported by Lauer to approve the appointment of Marlene Consiglio to a three year term expiring December 31, 2012 to the Lima Township Planning Commission. Motion carried.

Motion by Lauer supported by McKenzie to approve the appointment of David Feathermill to a three year term expiring December 31, 2012 to the Lima Township Planning Commission. Motion carried.

Motion by Unterbrink supported by Lauer to appoint Greg McKenzie, Representative, Richard Barois, Alternate for a three year term expiring December 31, 2013 to the Chelsea Area Construction Agency. Motion carried.

Resolution offered by Barois supported by Unterbrink to resolve to limit the sale of beer, wine and spirits within Lima Township each Sunday between 10:00 a.m. and noon, as authorized by Sections 1111 and 1112.5 of the Michigan Liquor Control Code. Ayes: Barois and Unterbrink. Nays: Havens, McKenzie and Lauer. Absent: None.

Resolution Failed.

Motion by Barois supported by Lauer to take no action on the MTA Workday Compensation Proposal. Motion carried.

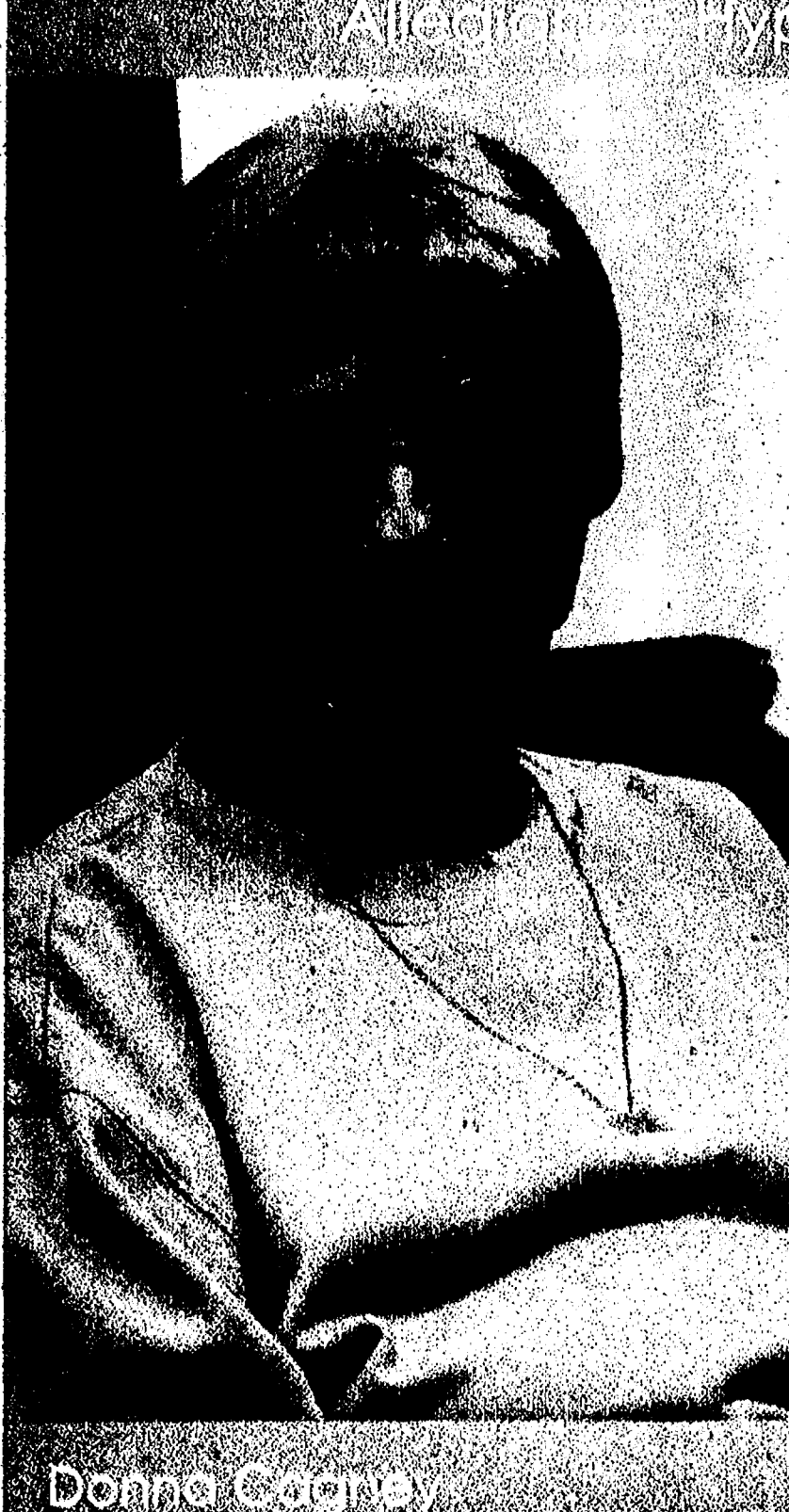
Motion by McKenzie supported by Havens to accept R.D. Kleinfelder's proposal to re-roof the rear one story part of the Township Hall and replace downspout and gutters on that roof, demolish and repair the damaged chimney, to below the roof and patch roof in the area as required, and defer re-roofing the upper roof to a cost not to exceed \$300,000. Motion carried.

Motion by Unterbrink supported by Lauer that the Township Board advise the Board of Review Members to take Board of Review Training. Motion carried.

Motion by Lauer supported by Havens to pay bills as submitted and any other bills may be required. Motion carried.

Motion by Lauer supported by Barois to adjourn at 9:45 p.m. Motion carried.

**Respectfully submitted,
Arlene R. Barois, Clerk**
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SALINE'S SHANNON LAPSLEY

Bright future



Saline's Shannon Lapsley (right, standing) watches Tampa manager Joe Maddon sign an autograph before a game.

Saline's Lapsley finds a home run in Tampa with the Rays

By Terry Jacoby
Heritage Newspapers

When Saline's John Lapsley used to flip on the TV to watch his favorite team or sport, he used to have invite his young daughter to join him on the couch. Little did he know that the family room was a classroom and he was the teacher, preparing his daughter for a career in the competitive world of professional sports.

"My sports' passion comes from my father," says Shannon Lapsley. "He played football and basketball his whole life and is now a high school football and basketball referee. Growing up I spent many days sitting in the living room with him watching every type of sport with him and learning everything I can."

She was obviously a quick learner. Lapsley, 23, spent this past summer in Florida, working as a community relations coordinator for the Tampa Bay Rays. Who says you need years in the minors before you make it to "the show."

"I am a huge baseball fan," she said. "In college my roommates would make fun of me because there were nights that I wouldn't go out with them because I would rather stay in and watch the baseball game that was on then go out."

Lapsley "showed" everyone she was ready for the challenge.

A community relations coordinator in baseball is responsible for the team's work with non-profit organizations in many different ways, whether it be donations, partnerships or player

MEET SHANNON

Name: Shannon Lapsley
Native of: Saline
Current hometown: St. Petersburg, Fla.
Age: 23
Parents: John and Linda Lapsley
Education: Graduate of Saline High School and Western Michigan University
Shannon's hobbies:

1. Going to the gym. Throughout college I was a fitness instructor where I would spend hours at the gym. I make sure to go to the gym after or before work almost everyday.
2. Going to the beach. Growing up in Michigan, going to the beach was a vacation. You had to take time off and put a lot of planning into it. Now that I live 10 minutes from multiple beaches I take advantage of it. I go whenever I can.
3. Organizations. The Rays encourage participation in outside organizations for networking, growing and learning experiences. In 2011 I will be joining the Young Professionals of Tampa Bay. I am also a big sister with Big Brothers Big Sisters. I have a little sister who is 9 years old that I spend at least an hour with every week.

appearances and contributions.

And being a fan was like a pitcher with a 95 MPH fastball - it's not a necessity, but it certainly doesn't hurt.

"I would say to work in baseball you definitely need to be a fan," Lapsley said. "There are people in the organization who are more of a fan than others, but you definitely need to be a fan since so much of our lives revolve around the sport."

"To us, it's not just a game, we're not just fans, it's our life. This is our career. There are some days during the season that I spend 12-plus hours at work. If I wasn't a baseball fan I would be miser-



able. Being a fan makes work fun and more enjoyable."

Lapsley admits that watching sports now is a completely different ballgame.

"Now I watch sporting events with a whole new outlook," she said. "I notice the signs in the stadium, how full the stadium is, what kind of programs the team is promoting, what the team is doing in the community etc."

Lapsley's path to the big leagues started when she was little. While attending Saline High School, she knew she wanted to combine sports with business. She was learning what

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Outdoors



Outdoors writer Rick Taylor enjoys the challenges that go with bringing a muzzle loader instead of a regular firearm.

Taking aim with a muzzle loader is well worth the shot

The muzzle loading season offers far more challenges than the regular firearm season that we're more familiar with. You get one shot with the muzzle loader so you better not miss!

There are a multitude of things that can go wrong when hunting with a muzzle loader but it's worth it. Second shots are nearly impossible due to the lengthy steps required to reload the gun not to mention the movement you make in the process. That being said, it forces you to become a better hunter because you simply can't rack in another shell should you need one.

The history of the muzzle loader starts with the cannon if you can believe it. A cannon and muzzle loader employ the same loading technique. The "charge" or gun powder is loaded in first and then the projectile is then slammed into the cannon from the firing end. The projectile is then rammed tightly against the charge by using a "ram rod" which is a stick slightly longer than the barrel itself. The muzzle loader is now ready to fire, but not really.

We need a spark or other incendiary device to light the gun powder in the barrel. Every barrel had a small hole near the "breach" (the end of the barrel closest to the trigger). Old style cannons and muzzle loaders had a "flash pan" which was a small spoon sized area outside the barrel next to the breach. The flash pan had a small amount of gun powder that was lit from a burning ember on a thick string that hung above the flash pan. The shooter would aim the gun or cannon then slowly drop the ember to the flash pan. Black powder is a slow burning gun powder which made the process even more difficult because there was a delay in the actual firing of the gun or cannon. So, imagine a small fire cracker going off about 3 inches from your eye's then a small delay before the burning black powder made its way through the pin hole and then into the barrel itself. Finally the main charge would ignite and the gun would go off. So, just imagine trying to shoot

one of these things back in the revolutionary war.

Other factors made shooting a muzzle loader dangerous such as

accidentally double loading your gun and then firing it. Other examples include hang fires, damp gun powder, misfires, clogged barrels, etc...

Technology has really made a huge difference in the effectiveness of muzzle loading without sacrificing the spirit of shooting this primitive weapon.

Technological changes include black powder pellets for quick loading, employing shotgun primers to fire the charge, rifling the barrel to improve accuracy, a quick breach removal system for easy cleaning of the barrel, shooting sabot shells rather than old style round balls, etc... The list goes on and on. Some argue that the muzzle loader is more like a single shot rifle and take away the essence of the gun itself. Others argue that every advancement should be used while hunting prey. I agree with both sides.

The firearm industry has embraced the muzzle loading shooting sports. There's a muzzle loader for every price point ranging from a hundred dollars to over a thousand dollars. Some hunters are sucked into the marketing of expensive muzzle loaders but I would simply talk to hunters who use them the most.

I took the risk of hunting with my muzzle loader during this year's deer firearm season. It was the first time I used my muzzle loader during the firearm season and I was grateful I brought it along. I shot a gorgeous 9 point at 120 yards in the morning of opening day with my \$99 CVA. That's right folks, it wasn't an expensive top of the line gun. Rather, it was the most inexpensive muzzle loader on the market. More importantly, it shoots as good as any muzzle loader out there. My cheap CVA has a 1.28 inch twist, tapped for a scope and is nickel plated with a synthetic stock. I shoot 100 grains with a powder ball sabot shell which makes my muzzle loader a wrecking

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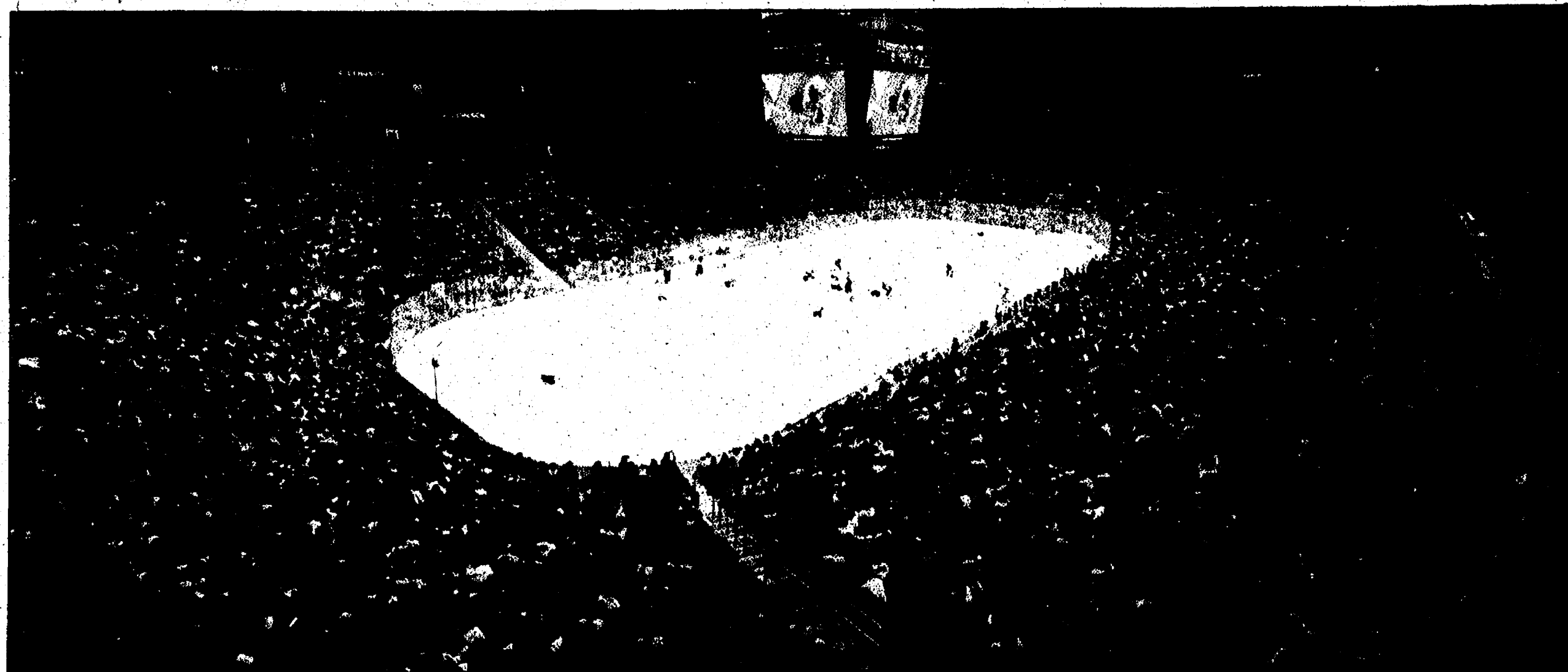
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Hockey's new blueline



Detroit should look to Pittsburgh before building

By Terry Jacoby
Heritage.com

ON THE ICE: Arena facts & figures

Two young ladies decked out in Penguins jerseys walk through the front doors and into the main entrance of the new CONSOL Energy Center in downtown Pittsburgh. Only a few steps through the doors, both fans slam on the brakes. The woman in the Sidney Crosby jersey grabs her friend's arm, looks her straight in the eyes and says, "wow," with a huge smile of amazement and delight.

For the past several years, the Penguins have been playing like one of the elite teams in the NHL. Now, finally, they have a facility equal to their skill level. Like they do when Crosby makes one of those amazing moves on the ice, fans are screaming "wow" before they even get to their seats.

"People here are still in shock," says Tom McMillan, vice president of communications for the Penguins. "It is such a dramatic change from the old building. The old arena opened in 1961 so that means it was designed in the late 1950s. To go from that to a facility designed and built for the 21st century, there really has never been such a dramatic change like that."

Hockey fans in Detroit will soon be enjoying a new building when and where has yet to be determined, but the change won't be as "dramatic" for Red Wings fans who have called Joe Louis Arena home since 1979.

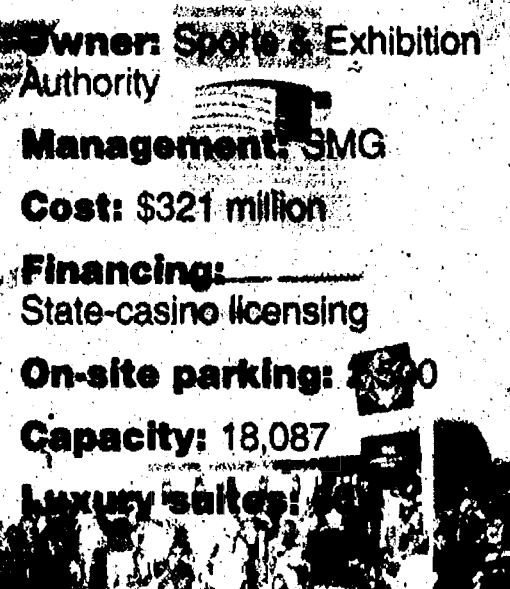
Pittsburgh made the jump from the late 1950s to 2010. McMillan is sitting high above Pittsburgh's new crown jewel, keeping an eye on the Penguins-Maple Leafs game below. But he can't help himself from turning his head and his attention away from the action and just looking around at this spectacular new building.

"What has been most gratifying is that fans, players and media from other cities are raving about it," he says with pride skating in his eyes. "These guys know what the other new arenas are like and they are still impressed with what we have built here, so that's very meaningful."

The only thing the franchise took with them from the old Mellon Arena was the logo, the Stanley Cup banners, an electric and dedicated fan base and a

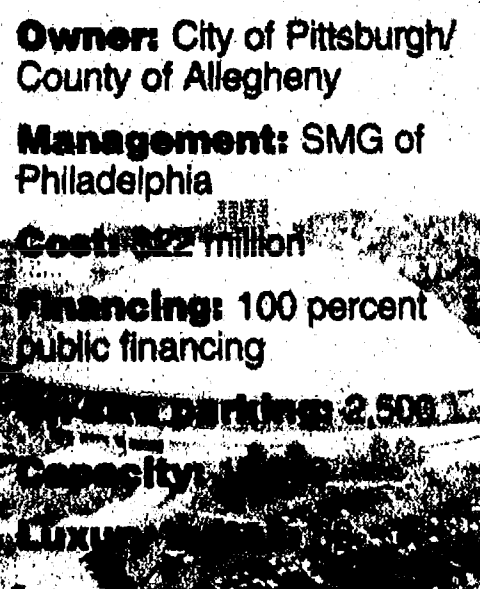
CONSOL Energy Center

Opened: August, 2010
Owner: Sports & Exhibition Authority
Management: SMG
Cost: \$321 million
Financing: State-casino licensing
On-site parking: 2,500
Capacity: 18,087
Luxury suites: 100



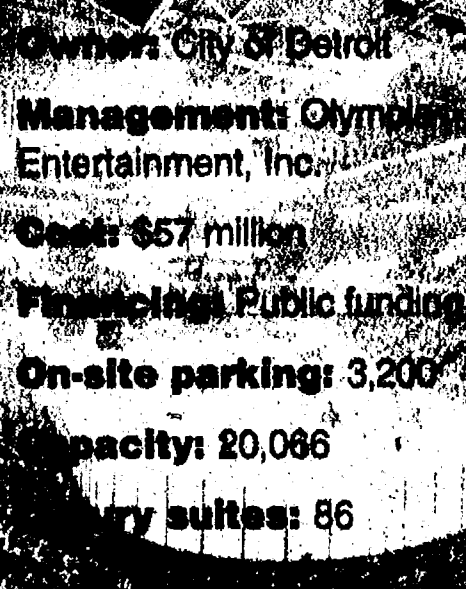
Mellon Arena

Opened: September, 1961
Owner: City of Pittsburgh/County of Allegheny
Management: SMG of Philadelphia
Cost: \$22 million
Financing: 100 percent public financing
On-site parking: 2,500
Capacity: 15,000
Luxury suites: 100



Joe Louis Arena

Opened: December, 1979
Owner: City of Detroit
Management: Olympia Entertainment, Inc.
Cost: \$57 million
Financing: Public funding
On-site parking: 3,200
Capacity: 20,066
Luxury suites: 86



Photos by Greg Starnes

ABOVE: CONSOL Energy Center is home to the Pittsburgh Penguins. BELOW LEFT: Team owner Mario Lemieux dumps water from Mellon Arena onto the ice at CONSOL during opening ceremonies. BELOW: Star Sydney Crosby heads out onto the ice.

glass of water.

During the opening ceremonies, NHL great and Penguins owner Mario Lemieux walked to center ice with a vial of water he brought from the ice at Mellon Arena across the street.

He dumped the water at center ice to officially commemorate the passing of the "ice."

Opera. The former Pittsburgh Civic Arena hosted such music legends as Frank Sinatra, the Beatles and Elvis Presley.

"Not only was it built in the late 1950s, but it wasn't even built for hockey," McMillan said. The first hockey team in the Civic Arena was not the Penguins, but the Pittsburgh Hornets, an AHL affiliate of the Detroit Red Wings. In 1967, the Hornets captured the Calder Cup (league championship) in their final season.

Just prior to the Penguins moving in during the late summer of 1967, the rink had to be shortened lengthwise and widthwise by five feet each way in order to conform to the NHL's dimensions.

Mellon Arena was certainly unique and will be missed for the intimacy and the noise level the home crowd created inside. There was a great atmosphere in the old place that newer buildings just don't capture.

Still, the new building is creating a buzz of its own. Better sight lines, wider concourses, more bathrooms and concession stands, nicer seats, a state-of-the-art scoreboard, fan-friendly design, interactive attractions and modern conveniences are just a few of the goals accomplished with CONSOL Energy Center.

The suites in the new building don't stand out like they do

at The Palace or at the Staples Center in Los Angeles. They blend nicely into the design of the arena, gently separating the large lower bowl from the upper section.

At the center of the building is a state-of-the-art scoreboard with a high-definition Mitsubishi video screen that hockey fans in Pittsburgh are going to have to get used to.

"That's one of the biggest upgrades," McMillan said. "We couldn't bring in a state-of-the-art scoreboard in the old arena because the roof couldn't support the weight."

But the wait is now over. "It's been 14 years since we've

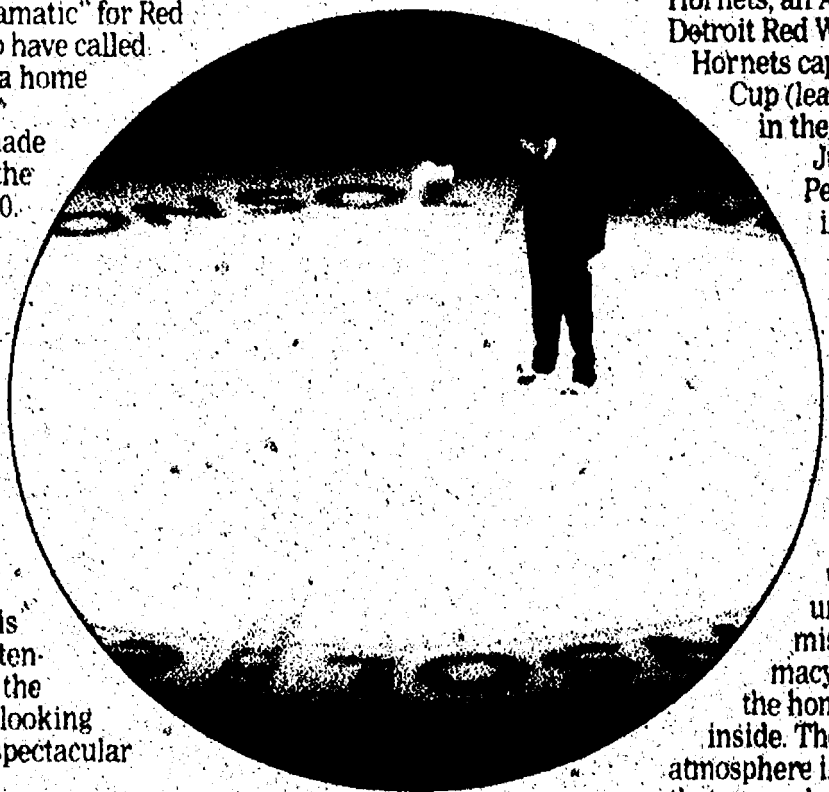
had a new scoreboard and that's one of the things fans notice right away," McMillan said.

The building also includes a 4,000 square-foot team store and 800 HD TVs located throughout the building. You can't walk more than a few feet in the concourse without seeing a television screen.

The cost

The new building sits across Central Avenue from Mellon Arena on the former St. Francis Hospital site. Lemieux Group LP purchased the abandoned

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A new beginning

What if there was no Joe Louis Arena? What if the Red Wings were still playing in the old red barn off of 196? Mellon Arena had a lot more in common with Olympia than JLA—that's why Penguins fans are so excited.

Mellon Arena was built in 1961 to house the Civic Light



See video of the Penguins' new arena, including a behind-the-scenes tour, at www.heritage.com

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HOCKEY

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site nearly two years ago. CONSOL Energy Inc. will pay between \$4 to \$5 million per year for 21 years for the naming rights of the new building.

At \$321 million, the new project cost \$31 million more than the \$290 million originally planned for in the new budget. The original budget was set in 2005 when Isle of Capri Casinos Inc., then bidding for the Pittsburgh casino license, offered to put up \$290 million to fund the project.

The arena deal itself is funded through a \$7.5-million annual payment for 30 years from the Pittsburgh casino, \$7.5 million a year from a state economic development fund backed by slot-machine revenues, and about \$4 million a year from the Penguins.

Two of the biggest questions facing a new facility in Detroit will be who picks up the tab and where will the new building be built. Detroit Mayor Dave Bing is on record as saying that it would be difficult to use public money to help build a new arena.

Red Wings owner Mike Ilitch, who also owns the Tigers and several buildings in the Fox Theatre district downtown, is close to purchasing the Detroit Pistons, along with The Palace of Auburn Hills. This acquisition certainly will give Ilitch leverage in negotiating for a new arena.

He would certainly like to have the Pistons and Wings playing in a new building near Comerica Park. But moving the Wings out to Auburn Hills and playing in a building he owns - along with the parking lot - is not a bad Plan B.

Greatest hits

Pittsburgh's new building is sort of a "greatest hits" of other hockey venues from around the country.

"The Pirates were one of the last baseball teams to build a new stadium and what they did well was go around to the newer ones and were able to take key points from those arenas and incorporate them into the new stadium here in Pittsburgh," McMillan said. "We followed the same plan: By being one of the last teams (with an older arena), we were able to go to places like Minnesota, Columbus and Phoenix to see what they did well."

"One of the most important questions we asked, was not what you did right, but what would you have done differently with what you know now."

"One of the features the Penguins 'borrowed' while visiting other new arenas around the league was the open concourse in Minnesota."

"We really loved that," McMillan said. "If you walk around here you will see there aren't any walls on the con-

Michigan is BUILDING a future

Unlike Detroit, Pittsburgh was missing out on many major events because they did not have an adequate indoor facility until CONSOL Energy Center opened this year. The internet and fan-base was certainly there, but the modern building to host such events was not.

Detroit did a much better job bridging the stadium gap from the older venues such as Olympia, Cobo Arena and Tiger Stadium to the current modern facilities local fans enjoy today. Olympia was the longtime home of the Red Wings and also welcomed the Beatles to Detroit in 1964. Cobo Arena, still popular with many classic rockers, has been the venue for concert albums from Bob Seger, KISS, Madonna, the Doors and Kid Rock.

The Joe Louis Arena has been home to the Red Wings since opening in 1979. The Wings have won four Stanley Cups during their J.L.A. years and the building has hosted such legendary concerts as Prince, Bruce Springsteen, Bon Jovi, The Police and Van Halen.

The Pontiac Silverdome was home to the Pistons from 1978-1998 and has hosted Super Bowl XVI, Wrestlemania III and the Michigan Panthers. Major rock stars including Elvis Presley, The Rolling Stones, Paul McCartney U2 and The Who played in at the Silverdome.

The Palace of Auburn Hills opened in 1998 and was recognized as the prototype for the modern indoor arena. Comerica Park opened in downtown Detroit in 2000, replacing historic Tiger Stadium as the new home of the Tigers. And Ford Field welcomed the Lions back downtown in 2002, all but signaling the end of the Silverdome.

Pittsburgh was a little slower to modernize. Three Rivers Stadium opened in 1970 and was home to both the Pirates and Steelers until 2000. Heinz Field opened in 2001 for the Steelers and the beautiful PNC Park threw out the first pitch for the Pirates in 2001.

But Mellon Arena, or the "Igloo" as the locals call it, has been home to the Penguins since they first skated into the NHL. Finally, it will fade into the history books and Pittsburgh fans can now enjoy something Red Wings faithful will be looking forward to tomorrow - another state-of-the-art facility they call home.

course. You can see in and you can see out. Even when you are out in the concourse, you feel like you are in the game.

"Minnesota did that 10 years ago and we didn't understand why no one had done that since because we just loved it. It really helps the arena feel different and function different. It's really noticeable at concerts. We also took some elements from Columbus and Phoenix as well."

McMillan said they took less from the facilities built for both basketball and hockey.

"This is a multi-purpose facility, but there is one main sport here," McMillan said. "The facilities in Columbus, Phoenix and Minnesota are built with hockey as the anchor tenant."

"They also signed up a Beatle, whose 'Ticket to Ride' would have never stopped in Pittsburgh without the new arena."

"We have already had five concerts here and Paul McCartney wouldn't have fit in the old building, his stage alone was too big for Mellon Arena," McMillan said.

Fan friendly

It doesn't take long for fans to see that CONSOL Energy Center was built for them. Just a few feet inside the main entrance are several "hands-on" features where fans can get to know the Penguins, the NHL and have a little fun.

"This is a very fan-friendly building and that was a goal of ours from the beginning," McMillan said.

Detroit isn't the only city trying to reinvent itself following decades of blue-collar and heavy industry. In Pittsburgh, it was steel. In Detroit, it's automotive.

But Pittsburgh started decades ago with a development plan in the 1980s that urged local universities and colleges through state money to explore technology research.

Pittsburgh could be a model for cities such as Detroit to follow. And CONSOL Energy Center could be a model for future arenas to follow.

"Technology is huge here," McMillan said. "A lot of people think of Pittsburgh as a steel town, but it really hasn't been that since 1979. We've become more of a high-tech, college town. And we worked with some of the local colleges and universities on technology and interactive things for people to do."

With the touch of a screen, fans can put their finger on any Stanley Cup and zoom in on all the names. A few feet away, fans have a library of information on every player to ever wear a Penguins jersey.

And just down the hall is another interactive screen where fans can take a photo of themselves, complete with a goalie mask, eye shade or whatever else they want to use to "dress up" for the game. Many younger fans were having a blast giving themselves the look of their favorite player.

"Kids are a big part of our demographics and we wanted to provide a few things for them to do and see," McMillan said.

There is plenty to do and see for fans of all ages.

The difference between Mellon Arena and CONSOL Energy Center isn't night and day - it's night and YESTERDAY.

Pittsburgh, welcome to the 21st century. The Red Wings will see you there soon.

then grabbed my ramrod and pushed the sabot all the way down. Finally, I replaced the shotgun primer and was ready to shoot once again. This process took about one minute. I glanced into the field with my binoculars and saw the doe looking in this direction. She started coming my way once again and stopped broadside at 80 yards. I put the cross hairs on her shoulder and down she went. Wow, I love muzzleload hunting.

My hard work and patience paid off on that blustery cold day. I've got a freezer full of venison not to mention enough jerky to keep me smiling until February.

So, give muzzle loading a try or call me for some advice. I'll be happy to point you in the right direction.

Your comments and story ideas are warmly welcomed. I can be reached at (734) 223-5656 or visit my website: ricktayloralestate.com

RAYS

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that meant and how her two interests could come together. She did know on thing... it wasn't going to be easy.

"As early as high school, I knew that the sports industry was one of the most competitive industries to get into," she said, pointing out that there are only 30 people in the country that do her job (one for each major league baseball team). "So I started getting involved and building my resume right away and doing everything I could to become knowledgeable in business."

In high school, she was the president of DECA. At Western Michigan University, she joined multiple organizations, including the Dean's Student Leadership Advisory Board as the only freshman representative among a group of 10-15 seniors.

She joined the Sales and Business Marketing Association where she spent six semesters as one of the nine students out of 150 on the executive board. She was a member of the National co-ed business fraternity Phi Chi Theta for six semesters.

During her junior year, she was the president of Phi Chi Theta and vice president of the Sales and Business Marketing Association.

In other words, she got involved in any and every organization that could help prepare her for where she wanted to go.

"Outside of my education, I pursued internships in the sports world," she said. "This was rather difficult because most sports teams don't come to colleges to recruit. I had so many resources given to me with companies coming to my school to recruit, and companies would call me, recruiting me for their internship programs. I would go to career fairs just to be there and get some experience talking to different companies, but never to job hunt or look for an internship."

"I actively sought out my internships by spending countless hours on the internet and every team's Web site looking for opportunities."

During the summer of 2008, she was a sales intern for the Augusta GreenJackets (single A affiliate of the San Francisco Giants) in Augusta, Ga. During the summer of 2009, she was a corporate sales intern for the Baltimore Orioles.

"At the end of my internship in Baltimore, I sent my resume and cover letter to almost every Major League baseball team looking for a job," she said. "I still had one more semester of college and was determined to have a job by the end of it."

That determination paid off with a home run.

After interviews with several teams, she took a job as a ticket sales representative with the Tampa Bay Rays. This position consisted of seeking out new business and new clients to sell season tickets.

"Within the first month, I was one of the top ticket sales reps," she said. "This job was great because I had to know everything about the Rays to be



Shannon Lapsley gets a front-row seat to watch professional baseball players hit a home run with their fans.

able to sell them. I had a good understanding of the value of what we had."

She also came to understand that sales was not where she wanted to be.

"This was strange because I had been working my whole college career to go into sales for a Major League baseball team, ultimately working towards a career in corporate sales. But after doing sales for baseball for a few months, I wanted to pursue other career paths in baseball."

In March 2010, the Rays posted a position for the community relations Coordinator. After four rounds of interviews and only three months with the team, Lapsley landed the job.

"During game days, Lapsley is in the office until about 4 p.m. Then she heads down to the field."

"I'm on the field with my groups to watch the Rays take batting practice then the visiting team take batting practice," she says. "By 6:30, everyone is preparing for the pre-game ceremonies so I'm back on the field for all pre-game ceremonies and first pitches."

"There are a lot of times where the Rays Baseball Foundation has partners there that are involved with the game, so we have to escort them to the radio booth to do a radio interview, or bring them to the right place to do a TV interview. Also, some games I will have post-game duties so I am there after the game is over, which means I have been at Tropicana Field from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. or later."

Everyday is different for a community relations director. And some stand out more than others.

"After only a couple of weeks on the job and working with the Children's Dream Fund, they called us and said they had a special little boy who they wanted to do more than just Tuesday's Champion for," Lapsley said. "His name is Nathan and he is 5-years old, battling a brain tumor."

When the Children's Dream Fund interviewed Nathan about his dream, it was very Rays specific. His dream was to play catch with Evan Longoria, hit a home run off Matt Garza

(his favorite player), and get a No. 1 trophy from the team.

"When the Children's Dream Fund told us this, we wanted to make it happen," Lapsley said. "We coordinated with the players and the Children's Dream Fund and brought Nathan out to the field early one Saturday afternoon before the game. We brought Nathan onto the field where he first met Evan and played catch with him. Next, Matt came out of the dugout with a big trophy in his hand that he presented to Nathan. They played catch for a little while on the side of the field. Then, Matt brought Nathan onto the field where everything was set up for batting practice. Matt stood on the pitcher's mound and pitched to Nathan inside the batting cage. Nathan got multiple hits, ran the bases, and slid home scoring on Matt."

The Rays presented Nathan with his own jersey to wear when he threw out the first pitch to Matt Garza also gave Nathan one of his game-worn jerseys signed by the team. "I watched Nathan throw out the first pitch with tears in my eyes," Lapsley said. "Nathan gave Matt a gray rubber bracelet that says 'Cancer Sucks' that Matt still wears to this day. "Nathan's grandfather and I still keep in touch to this day. The day after Matt Garza threw his no-hitter against the Tigers, his grandfather e-mailed me and said Nathan stayed up to watch the whole thing. Also, he said one year ago that day was the day Nathan had his brain surgery. When I read that I got chills. Nathan is doing great and is hoping to attend the Rays Baseball Camp in 2011."

It's also been a great year for the "rookie" Lapsley. "The experience I gained this year is indescribable," said Lapsley, who hopes to someday become vice president of a major league baseball team. "I am constantly surrounded by people who have been in this industry for years and have a wealth of knowledge. I have learned more than I could have asked for in so many areas of my career."

She's learned almost as much as she did sitting on that couch with her father. Almost.

TAYLOR

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ball machine at 200 yards all day long.

I took out my muzzle loader on the Opening Day of the muzzle loader season which began on December 3rd. I went to my honey hole in Dexter and froze my butt off while the 15-20 mile winds hit me in the face. It was bone chilling cold out there but I was undeterred while perched high in a ladder stand overlooking the fields. My toes began to tingle and my face burned as the wind refused to relent. I would hold my breath and crunch my fingers, arms and shoulders trying to force blood through my body. I did the same with my toes.

Two hours went by and I finally caught movement to my left. 2 does were coming my way and the game was on. I slowly twisted my body into position and hoped they would close the gap; they were over a hundred yards away and I wanted them much closer.

They must have read my mind because they came right toward me without stopping. 50 yards, 30 yards, 15 yards then I whistled to them at 8 yards. I already had the scope turned down as far as it would go and had the lead doe in my cross hairs. She stopped and I pulled the trigger.

"Smoke belled out the barrel but I knew the deer" was down. The winds were so strong that the smoke quickly drifted away. The other doe ran off but I just knew she'd come back. Quickly yet quietly I began the arduous task of reloading my muzzle loader. I grabbed 2 black powder pellets and dropped them into the barrel. I then grabbed my sabot shell and got it started into the muzzle of the barrel. I

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The Big Chill



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The Michigan hockey team took on Michigan State Saturday in an outdoor hockey game dubbed, "The Big Chill" at the Big House. The game, which Michigan won 5-0, garnered national attention. In addition the contest also shattered the Guinness World Record for attendance at an ice hockey game with 113,411 people in the stadium. The crowd also broke the Big House and NCAA attendance records.

Frozen in time

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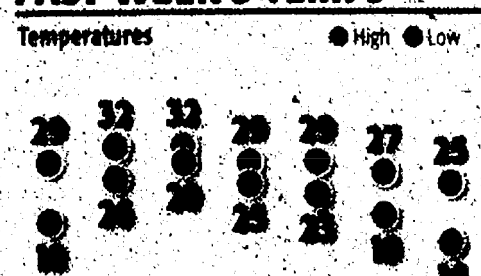
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 Average temperature: 25.5°
 Normal average temperature: 26.1°

Precipitation:
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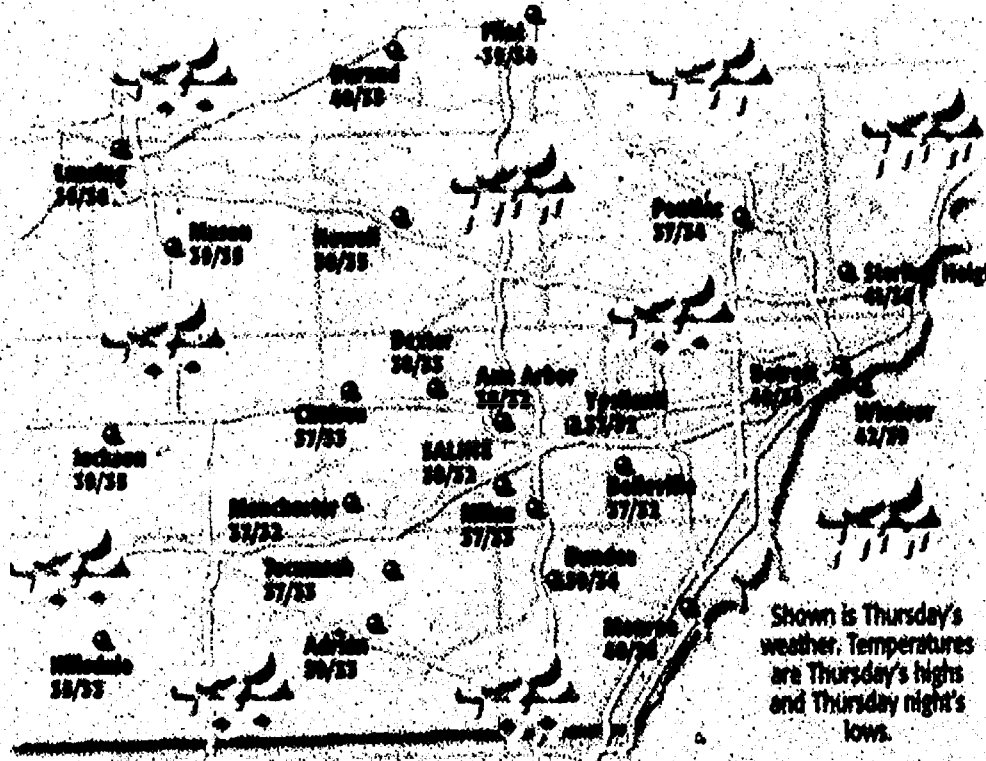
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Friday	4:31 a.m.	1:59 p.m.
Saturday	5:37 a.m.	2:48 p.m.
Sunday	6:37 a.m.	3:44 p.m.
Monday	7:28 a.m.	4:45 p.m.
Tuesday	8:11 a.m.	5:49 p.m.
Wednesday	8:47 a.m.	6:54 p.m.

RIVER LEVELS

As of 7 a.m. Monday	Flood stage	Current stage
Ecorse Creek		2.18 ft
Dearborn Heights		
Huron River	16 ft	11.99 ft
Ann Arbor		
Malletts Creek		3.31 ft
MM Creek		
Dearborn	12 ft	6.45 ft
River Raisin		
Manchester		2.71 ft

LAKE LEVELS

Lake	Normal	Current
Lake Erie	580.11 ft	569.17 ft
Lake St. Clair	575 ft	573.32 ft

REGIONAL CITIES

City	Thu	Fri	Sat	City	Thu	Fri	Sat
Adrian	39/33/f	46/36/r	40/21/sh	City	39/33/f	46/36/r	40/21/sh
Ann Arbor	38/32/i	45/36/r	41/20/sh	Ann Arbor	38/32/i	45/36/r	41/20/sh
Battle Creek	38/33/i	48/34/r	37/19/sh	Battle Creek	38/33/i	48/34/r	37/19/sh
Bay City	38/33/i	45/36/r	38/22/sh	Bay City	38/33/i	45/36/r	38/22/sh
Detroit	40/34/f	46/38/r	41/23/sh	Detroit	40/34/f	46/38/r	41/23/sh
Flint	39/34/i	46/37/r	40/21/sh	Flint	39/34/i	46/37/r	40/21/sh
Grand Rapids	39/37/i	48/34/r	37/19/c	Grand Rapids	39/37/i	48/34/r	37/19/c
Kalamazoo	39/36/i	49/34/r	38/19/sh	Kalamazoo	39/36/i	49/34/r	38/19/sh
Lansing	39/36/i	47/34/r	37/20/sh	Lansing	39/36/i	47/34/r	37/20/sh
Livonia	37/35/i	46/38/r	42/24/sh	Livonia	37/35/i	46/38/r	42/24/sh

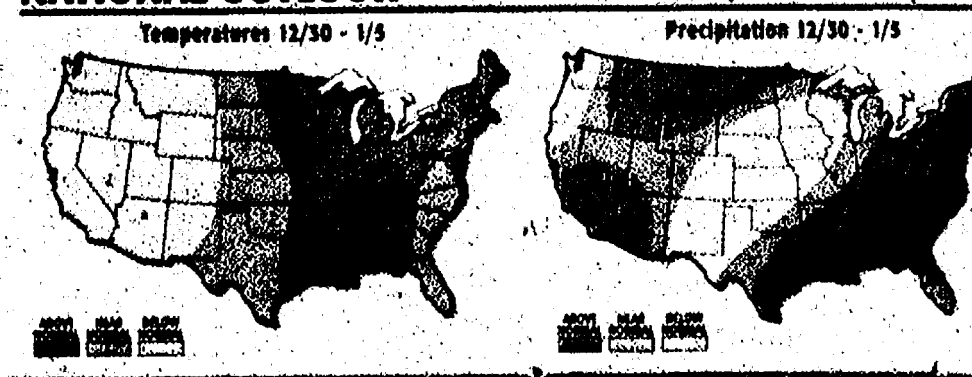
WORLD CITIES

City	Thu	Fri	Sat	City	Thu	Fri	Sat
Athens	53/43/s	53/46/p	57/53/r	City	53/43/s	53/46/p	57/53/r
Berlin	31/25/p	33/24/sf	33/20/sf	Berlin	31/25/p	33/24/sf	33/20/sf
Buenos Aires	90/68/s	90/68/s	90/68/s	Buenos Aires	90/68/s	90/68/s	90/68/s
Cairo	71/50/p	65/50/p	63/47/p	Cairo	71/50/p	65/50/p	63/47/p
Calgary	31/1/p	21/p	28/27/s	Calgary	31/1/p	21/p	28/27/s
Hong Kong	61/49/s	57/48/s	57/52/p	Hong Kong	61/49/s	57/48/s	57/52/p
Jerusalem	84/48/r	85/48/r	86/44/sh	Jerusalem	84/48/r	85/48/r	86/44/sh
Johannesburg	77/58/i	80/57/i	73/58/i	Johannesburg	77/58/i	80/57/i	73/58/i
London	45/37/p	45/34/p	39/32/p	London	45/37/p	45/34/p	39/32/p
Mexico City	72/39/s	75/39/s	76/40/s	Mexico City	72/39/s	75/39/s	76/40/s

NATIONAL CITIES

City	Thu	Fri	Sat	City	Thu	Fri	Sat
Atlanta	53/43/c	61/51/p	64/44/c	City	53/43/c	61/51/p	64/44/c
Boston	40/29/s	48/36/p	50/35/p	Boston	40/29/s	48/36/p	50/35/p
Chicago	41/38/f	51/25/r	46/23/f	Chicago	41/38/f	51/25/r	46/23/f
Cincinnati	44/39/r	53/42/c	46/23/f	Cincinnati	44/39/r	53/42/c	46/23/f
Cleveland	41/38/f	50/40/c	46/23/f	Cleveland	41/38/f	50/40/c	46/23/f
Dallas	70/50/p	56/30/r	47/27/p	Dallas	70/50/p	56/30/r	47/27/p
Denver	23/3/sn	12/2/sn	20/1/s	Denver	23/3/sn	12/2/sn	20/1/s
Honolulu	81/69/p	81/69/s	81/69/s	Honolulu	81/69/p	81/69/s	81/69/s
Houston	73/62/p	72/44/r	58/40/c	Houston	73/62/p	72/44/r	58/40/c
Kansas City	58/35/r	38/10/r	26/13/p	Kansas City	58/35/r	38/10/r	26/13/p
Las Vegas	45/30/p	42/28/p	43/31/p	Las Vegas	45/30/p	42/28/p	43/31/p
Los Angeles	58/44/p	62/46/p	64/46/c	Los Angeles	58/44/p	62/46/p	64/46/c

NATIONAL OUTLOOK



The Big Chill



Frozen in time



Photos by Greg Shiras/SA2 Journal

The Michigan hockey team took on Michigan State Saturday in an outdoor hockey game dubbed, "The Big Chill at the Big House." The game, which Michigan won 5-0, garnered national attention. In addition, the contest shattered the Guinness World Record for attendance at an ice hockey game with 113,411 people in the stadium. The crowd also broke the Big House and NCAA attendance records.



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Worship 10:30 am
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9:30am Renew
9:30am Sunday School for all ages
11:00am Mosaic
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Worship 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.
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Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m.
Awana September till May

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Dexter, Michigan
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Decedent's Estate
FILE NO. 10-1076-DE
Estate of Ethel LaNue-Kelly Grogg/K/a Lanue Kelly Date of Birth 03/19/1918
TO ALL CREDITORS:
NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Ethel LaNue Kelly-Grogg/K/a Lanue Kelly, who lived at 200 Silver Maple Drive, #2314 Chelsea, Michigan, died 02/04/2010
Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Florence A. Collins, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court of 101 E. Huron St., Box 8645, Ann Arbor, MI 48107 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice December 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 SERVICE. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Sara J. Birdsell, a single person, to ABN AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc. sbm CitiMortgage, Inc., Mortgagee, dated September 20, 1999 and recorded September 27, 1999 in Liber 3902, Page 532, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Forty Thousand Six Hundred Eleven and 9/100 Dollars (\$144,611.09) including interest at 7.75% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the Circuit Court in said Washtenaw County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 10:00 AM on January 6, 2011. Said premises are located in the Township of Pittsfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit 11, Weatherstone Condominium, according to the consolidating Master Deed recorded in Liber 3871, Page 36, Washtenaw County Records, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Plan Number 131, 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 MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foregoing mortgage 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: December 9, 2010. Orland Associates, PC Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 241.5742 ASAP# FNMA3839021 12/09/2010, 12/16/2010, 12/23/2010, 12/30/2010

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FORECLOSURE NOTICE RANDALL S. MILLER & ASSOCIATES, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Telesha Payne aka T. Payne a married person to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for USA Funding Corporation, Mortgagee, dated December 15, 2006, and recorded on December 26, 2006, in Liber 4599, Page 219, Washtenaw County Records, said mortgage was assigned to HSBC Bank USA, N.A., as Trustee on behalf of ACE Securities Corp. Home Equity Loan Trust and for the registered holders of ACE Securities Corp. Home Equity Loan Trust, Series 2007-ASAP1, Asset Backed Pass-Through Certificates by an Assignment of Mortgage dated June 08, 2010 and recorded June 17, 2010 in Liber 04794, Page 396, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Seventy-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Seventy-Eight and 39/100 (\$178,578.39) including interest at the rate of 3.1800% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the Circuit Court in said Washtenaw County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 10:00 AM on January 6, 2011. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 1050 and one-half of the vacated alley adjacent thereto, of Huron Dam Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 8 of Plats, Page 55, Washtenaw County Records Commonly known as: 2119 Woodale Avenue The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. Dated: December 9, 2010. Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C. Attorneys for HSBC Bank USA, N.A., as Trustee on behalf of ACE Securities Corp. Home Equity Loan Trust and for the registered holders of ACE Securities Corp. Home Equity Loan Trust, Series 2007-ASAP1, Asset Backed Pass-Through Certificates 43252 Woodward Avenue, Suite 180 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302 248-335-9200 Case No. 100M00555-2 ASAP# 3834123 12/09/2010, 12/16/2010, 12/23/2010, 12/30/2010

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Proposed Base Flood Elevation Determination for the Cities of Romulus and Wayne and Township of Van Buren, Wayne County, Michigan The Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency solicits technical information or comments on the proposed Base Flood Elevation (BFE) and on the Preliminary Flood Insurance Study (PFIS) shown in the Preliminary Flood Insurance Study (PFIS) for your community. These proposed BFEs are the basis for the floodplain management measures that your community is required to either adopt or show evidence of having in effect in order to qualify or remain qualified for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). For a detailed listing of the proposed BFEs and information on the statutory provisions for appeals, please visit FEMA's website at <http://www.fema.gov/plan/prevent/fema/bfe>, or call the FEMA Map Information eXchange (FMIX), toll free, at 1-877-FEMA MAP (1-877-336-2627).

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FORECLOSURE NOTICE In the event this property is claimed as a principal residence exempt from tax under section 7cc of the general property tax act, 1893 PA 206, MCL 7cc. please contact our office at (248) 844-5123. This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that 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 Bessie Hodder, A Single Woman to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Countrywide Bank, FSB, its successors and assigns, Mortgagee, dated November 13, 2007 and recorded January 9, 2008 in Liber 4661 Page 201 Washtenaw County Records, Michigan Said mortgage was assigned to BAC Home Loans Servicing LP fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing LP by assignment dated September 30, 2009 and recorded October 7, 2009 in Liber 4755, Page 116, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Seventy Thousand Six Hundred Dollars and Twenty-Eight Cents (\$172,600.28) including interest 2% 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 January 6, 2011 Said premises are situated in Township of Superior Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 623, Woodland Acres No. 7, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber-21 of Plats, Pages 29 and 30, Washtenaw County Records Commonly known as 1831 Manchester, Ypsilanti, MI 48198 The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or upon the expiration of the notice required by MCL 600.3241a(c), whichever is later. Dated: 12/09/2010 BAC Home Loans Servicing LP fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing LP Assignees of Mortgage Attorneys: Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 ASAP# FNMA3841111, 12/09/2010, 12/16/2010, 12/23/2010, 12/30/2010

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FEDERAL LAW REQUIRES US TO ADVISE YOU THAT COMMUNICATION WITH OUR OFFICE COULD BE INTERPRETED AS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND THAT ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY SERVICE, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE, AS YOU ARE ENTITLED TO SPECIAL PROTECTIONS. THIS IS AN OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE YOUR HOME TO: Maurice Lorenzo Wilson and Perdita J. Wilson 8717 Barrington Drive Unit 247 Superior Township, MI 48198 County: Washtenaw State law requires that you receive the following notice: You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. The person to contact and that has the authority to make agreements for a loan modification with you is: Orland Associates, PC Loss Mitigation Department, P.O. Box 5041, Troy, MI 48007-5041. (248) 502-1331. You may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority ("MSHDA") website or by calling MSHDA. The website address and telephone number of MSHDA is: (www.mshda.info/counseling_search), telephone (866) 946-7432, TTY# 1-800-382-4568. If you request a meeting with the servicer's designate within 14 days after the Notice required under MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not start until 90 days after the date the Notice was mailed to you. If you and the servicer's Designate reach an agreement to modify the 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. You may contact attorney of your choice. If you do not have an attorney, the telephone number for the Michigan State Bar Association's Lawyer Referral Service is 1-800-968-0738. Dated: December 30, 2010. Orland Associates PC Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File Number: 306.3893 ASAP# 3858838 12/30/2010

NOTICE This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that 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 7cc of the general property tax act, 1893 PA 206, MCL 211.7cc. Attention: James D. Andreoli and Janie Andreoli, regarding the property at 7961 Hankard Road Gregory, MI 48137. 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. You may also contact a housing counselor. For more information, contact the Michigan State Housing Development Authority ("MSHDA") by visiting www.michigan.gov/mshda or calling (866) 946-7432. If you request a meeting with Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 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) 966-0738. Dated: December 30, 2010. Potestivo & Associates, P.C. 811 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 Information may be faxed to (248)267-3004. Attention: Loss Mitigation Our File No. 10-34178 ASAP# 3862668 12/30/2010

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NOTICE OF MODIFICATION OPPORTUNITY Borrowers: Amanda Case Property Address: 540 Pinewood, Ypsilanti, MI 48198 Pursuant to MCL 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/mshda> or by calling 1-800-A-SHIELDER. 24 hours a day, seven days a week, year-round. If a meeting is requested with the designated shown above, foreclosure proceedings will NOT be commenced until 90 days after the date the notice mailed to you on 12/27/2010. 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.michbar.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. Notice given by: Randall S. Miller Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C. 43252 Woodward Avenue, Suite 180 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302 313-583-3338 (Loan Modification) Date Damaged: millerlaw.biz Case No. 100M00021-1 Dated: December 30, 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# 3863317 12/30/2010

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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 SERVICE. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Arthella Dyer, a married woman, to Fifth Third Mortgage - MI, LLC, Mortgagee, dated June 6, 2007 and recorded June 8, 2007 in Liber 4629, Page 40, 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 Seventy-One Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-Three and 11/100 Dollars (\$171,763.11) including interest at 6.75% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the place of holding the Circuit Court in said Washtenaw County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 10:00 AM on January 6, 2011. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 139, Smokier Textile Subdivision Number 1, as recorded in Liber 20 of Plats, Pages 53 through 58, Washtenaw County Records. 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. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foregoing mortgage 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: December 30, 2010. Orland Associates, PC Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 200.5902 ASAP# 3840728 12/09/2010, 12/16/2010, 12/23/2010, 12/30/2010

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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 Kyle Maida and Deanna Maida, husband and wife, to Wilmington Finance, a division of AIG Federal Savings Bank, Mortgagee, dated January 21, 2004 and recorded February 17, 2004 in Liber 4362, Page 674, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by CitiMortgage, Inc. successor by merger with CitiFinancial Mortgage Company, Inc. by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Thirty Thousand Five Hundred Thirty and 58/100 Dollars (\$230,530.58) including interest at 7.19% 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 JANUARY 27, 2011. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: The following described premises situated in the Township of Ypsilanti, County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan, Lot 89, Whispering Meadows Subdivision Number 1, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 32 at Pages 25 through 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: December 9, 2010. Orsland Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 6710526 ASAP# 3858721 12/30/2010, 01/06/2011, 01/13/2011, 01/20/2011

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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 Myra Durham and Ronald Durham, wife and husband, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns. Mortgage, dated May 25, 2007 and recorded June 1, 2007 in Liber 4627, Page 878, 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 Three Hundred Eighty-Nine and 57/100 Dollars (\$311,789.57) including interest at 6.5% 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 JANUARY 27, 2011. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 29, of Whispering Meadows Subdivision Number 1 according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 32, Pages 25 through 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: December 30, 2010. Orsland Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 6176808 ASAP# FNMA3861337 12/30/2010, 01/06/2011, 01/13/2011, 01/20/2011

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 Rajiv Saxena, a married man and Parisa Shaefer, his wife, to Fifth Third Mortgage Company, Mortgagee, dated February 28, 2008 and recorded March 20, 2008 in Liber 4673, Page 467, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Ninety-Five Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty-Seven and 98/100 Dollars (\$195,787.98) 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 JANUARY 13, 2011. Said premises are located in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit Number 195, Arbor Hills Condominium according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 3089, Page 502 through 572, as amended, and designated as Washtenaw County Subdivision Plan number 206, together with rights in general common elements and the limited common elements as shown on the Master Deed 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: December 16, 2010. Orsland Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 2007409 ASAP# 3841275 12/16/2010, 12/23/2010, 12/30/2010, 01/06/2011

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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 William J. Carr and Laurie A. Carr, by William J. Carr her attorney in fact, husband and wife, to Premier Mortgage Lending, LLC, Mortgagee, dated March 28, 2004 and recorded May 28, 2004 in Liber 4394, Page 183, 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 One Hundred Fifty-Six Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-Seven and 15/100 Dollars (\$156,947.15) including interest at 5.5% 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 JANUARY 6, 2011. Said premises are located in the Township of Northfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lots 29, 30 and the North 1/2 of Lot 31, of Whitmore Lake Summer Homes Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 4 of Plats, Page 6 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: December 9, 2010. Orsland Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 2416539 ASAP# 3840815 12/09/2010, 12/16/2010, 12/23/2010, 12/30/2010

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 John Henry North and LaWanda Jo North, husband and wife, 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 February 25, 2005 and recorded May 12, 2005 in Liber 4477, Page 829, 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 Eighty-One Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-Six and 71/100 Dollars (\$81,946.71) including interest at 6% 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 JANUARY 13, 2011. Said premises are located in the Village of Dexter, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: The Northern one-half of Lot Number 4 in Block Number 23 in the Village of Dexter County of Washtenaw and State of Michigan according to the Recorded Plat thereof subject to building and use restrictions of record. 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: December 16, 2010. Orsland Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 2803929 ASAP# 3847928 12/16/2010, 12/23/2010, 12/30/2010, 01/06/2011

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 Jose A. Hinojosa and Deborah J. Hinojosa, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns. Mortgage, dated May 31, 2006 and recorded June 8, 2006 in Liber 4562, Page 822, 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 Four Hundred Fifty-Eight Thousand Six Hundred Forty-Five and 26/100 Dollars (\$458,645.26) including interest at 6.5% 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 JANUARY 6, 2011. Said premises are located in the Township of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at the center of Section, thence South 88 degrees, 10 minutes West 107.5 feet; thence 171.06 feet along a curve to the right, radius 1909.85 feet, chord North 5 degrees, 59 minutes, 40 seconds East 171 feet to the point of beginning; thence North 81 degrees, 25 minutes, 25 seconds West 299.89 feet; thence North 15 degrees, 14 minutes, 30 seconds East 385.97 feet; thence South 82 degrees, 10 minutes East 292.83 feet; thence 287.82 feet along a curve to the left, radius 1909.85 feet to the point of beginning. Being a part of the Northwest 1/4 of said Section 9, Town 2 South, Range 6 East, Ann Arbor 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: December 9, 2010. Orsland Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 2417753 ASAP# 3839016 12/09/2010, 12/16/2010, 12/23/2010, 12/30/2010

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 D. Kruse, a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns. Mortgage, dated September 19, 2007 and recorded September 26, 2007 in Liber 4647, Page 68, 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 Ninety-Five Thousand Eight Hundred Forty-Three and 73/100 Dollars (\$195,843.73) including interest at 9.5% 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 JANUARY 6, 2011. Said premises are located in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 55, Barnard Heights, Number 2, as recorded in Liber 11 of Plats, Page 47, 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: December 9, 2010. Orsland Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 1915124 ASAP# 3840812 12/09/2010, 12/16/2010, 12/23/2010, 12/30/2010

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 Dean K. Brown and Ilm Brown, husband and wife, to PNC Mortgage, FKA National City, a division of PNC Bank, N.A., Mortgagee, dated July 7, 2007 and recorded July 23, 2007 in Liber 4636, Page 107, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Forty-Three Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-Two and 70/100 Dollars (\$143,772.70) 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 JANUARY 13, 2011. Said premises are located in the Township of Scio, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit Number 6 and Garage 6, Walnut Glen Condominium, according to the Master Deed thereof, as recorded in Liber 4021, Pages 928, and as amended by First Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 4058, Page 9, and as amended by Second Amendment to Master Deed as recorded in Liber 4101, Page 932, Washtenaw County Records, designated as Replat Number 2, Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 360, together with the rights in general common elements and limited common elements, as set forth in said 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: December 16, 2010. Orsland Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 4010851 ASAP# FNMA3850027 12/16/2010, 12/23/2010, 12/30/2010, 01/06/2011

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 Robert J. Colman and Joyce Colman, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Quick-Start Loans Inc. and its successors and/or assigns. Mortgage, dated November 9, 2007 and recorded December 4, 2007 in Liber 4655, Page 741, 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 Fifty Thousand Eight Hundred Sixty-One and 15/100 Dollars (\$205,861.15) including interest at 6.375% 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 JANUARY 27, 2011. Said premises are located in the Township of Dexter, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: A parcel of land in the Southeast 1/4 of Section 2, Town 1 South, Range 4 East, Dexter Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, being described as: Commencing at the Northeast corner of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of said Section 2, thence North 197.00 feet; thence West 45.00 feet; thence North 107.00 feet for a place of beginning; thence North 45 feet; thence West 100.00 feet; thence South 45.00 feet; thence East 100.00 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: December 30, 2010. Orsland Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 6177557 ASAP# FNMA3861371 12/30/2010, 01/06/2011, 01/13/2011, 01/20/2011

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 Keith Wahl, a single man, to Statewide Residential Lending, Inc., Mortgagee, dated August 31, 2007 and recorded September 10, 2007 in Liber 4644, Page 373, 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-Six Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety-Nine and 96/100 Dollars (\$146,799.96) 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 JANUARY 27, 2011. Said premises are located in the City of Saline, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 59, Rolling Meadows Community Number 1, as recorded in Liber 14 of Plats, Page 43, 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: December 30, 2010. Orsland Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 3109761 ASAP# 3858881 12/30/2010, 01/06/2011, 01/13/2011, 01/20/2011

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 Nancy C. Elias, a single person, to Mortgage Electronic Registration System, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns. Mortgage, dated September 10, 2007 and recorded September 25, 2007 in Liber 4646, Page 601, and a partial release of mortgage has been submitted and recorded at the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by CitiMortgage, Inc. by assignment. An Affidavit of Scrivener's Error has been submitted and recorded at the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Seventy-Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Six and 93/100 Dollars (\$277,976.93) 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 JANUARY 27, 2011. Said premises are located in the Township of Superior, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Part of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 18, Town 2 South, Range 7 East, Superior Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, described as: Beginning at a point on the East line of a 33 foot right-of-way, distant North 01 degrees 50 minutes 20 seconds East 978.57 feet and South 89 degrees 20 minutes 20 seconds West 573.58 feet and North 03 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds East 908.59 feet from the center of Section 18, Town 2 South, Range 7 East, and proceeding thence South 89 degrees 20 minutes 20 seconds West 396.70 feet, thence along the centerline of a 66 foot easement for ingress and egress and the East line of Dixboro Heights Subdivision, Superior Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 11 of Plats at page 12, Washtenaw County Records, North 03 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds East 104.00 feet; thence North 89 degrees 20 minutes 20 seconds East 198.35 feet; thence North 03 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds East 283.40 feet; thence South 88 degrees 27 minutes 30 seconds East 197.95 feet; thence along the East line of 33 foot right-of-way, South 03 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds West 379.77 feet (previously and erroneously shown as 346.69 feet) to the place of beginning. Also together with and subject to a 66 foot easement for ingress and egress whose centerline is described as: Beginning at a point on the North line of Church Street distant North 01 degree 50 minutes 20 seconds East 978.57 feet and South 89 degrees 20 minutes 20 seconds West 970.28 feet and North 03 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds East 33.08 feet from the center of Section 18, Town 2 South, Range 7 East, and proceeding thence North 03 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds East 1270.54 feet to the place of beginning. EXCEPT: A parcel of land in the Northwest 1/4 of Section 18, Town 2 South, Range 7 East, Superior Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan described as: Commencing at the center post of said Section 18, Thence North 01 degrees 50 minutes 20 seconds East Along the North-South 1/4 line of said Section 18, 978.57 feet; thence South 89 degrees 20 minutes 20 seconds West along the center line of Church Street, 573.58 feet; thence North 03 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds East along the East line of Oak Drive, 33 feet wide, 1098.36 feet to the place of beginning; thence continuing North 03 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds East 190.00 feet; thence North 88 degrees 27 minutes 30 seconds West 190.00 feet; thence South 88 degrees 27 minutes 30 seconds East 197.95 feet to the place of beginning. Subject to easements and rights of way of record and an easement 33 feet wide for ingress and egress and public utilities the East line of which is described as: Commencing at the center post of Section 18, Town 2 South, Range 7 East, Superior Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan; thence North 01 degrees 50 minutes 20 seconds East along the North-South 1/4 of said Section 18, 978.57 feet; thence South 88 degrees 20 minutes 20 seconds West along the center line of Church Street, 573.58 feet; thence North 03 degrees 25 minutes 40 seconds East 40 seconds East 379.77 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: December 30, 2010. Orsland Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 2418489 ASAP# FNMA3858889 12/30/2010, 01/06/2011, 01/13/2011, 01/20/2011

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FAMILY FEATURES

New Year SLIMMING SECRETS

Two years ago, Japanese supermarkets couldn't keep bananas on the shelves after a man revealed the secret of his weight-loss success on a leading social network. Now a healthier version of his diet is catching on in America, thanks to the fruit and nutrition experts at Dole.

The Go Bananas 2-A-Day Challenge was originally created in 2009 by the Dole Nutrition Institute as a healthier sequel to Japan's phenomenally popular Morning Banana Diet.

Dole's expanded version for 2011 is part of larger multimedia initiative created by Dole Fresh Fruit for Americans looking for a healthy way to kick off the New Year. The Go Bananas Challenge substitutes well-balanced meals and nutritious recipes instead of the "all-you-can-eat" approach popular in Japan.

Going beyond the original two-banana morning routine, Dole nutritionists created a comprehensive two-week regimen of lunches, dinners and snacks to help participants boost their energy, increase their intake of fruits and vegetables, and improve their overall health while they lose weight.

"We know that increasing consumption of fruits and vegetables in general, and bananas in particular, can help support healthy, sustainable weight loss," said Nicholas Gillett, Ph.D., of the Dole Nutrition Institute. "What we did at Dole was expand this simple principle into a well-balanced, two-week plan that can serve as the basis for a long-term healthy lifestyle."

Go Bananas 2-A-Day Challenge participants begin each day with two bananas and at least eight ounces of water, a combination that specifically aids in weight loss.

According to Gillett, banana fiber creates extra bulk in the stomach, allowing participants to feel full longer — and less

hungry overall. He says the fiber acts like an internal accelerator that pulls some of the fat in the stomach through the digestive system before it can be absorbed.

The Go Bananas Challenge follows the morning banana routine with a medley of 14 lunch and dinner recipes that combine lean chicken or fish with fresh Dole® fruits and vegetables, low-fat cheeses, wheat pasta, long-grain rice and salads.

While participants can choose among fresh fruit, vegetables and nuts for their daily afternoon snack, sugar-based desserts and alcohol are strictly off-limits. The plan also advocates that followers drink water only with every meal, finish eating by 8 p.m. each day and go to bed by midnight.

"Of course, those taking the Go Bananas 2-A-Day Challenge also benefit from the banana's status as a superfood. It doubles as an excellent source of vitamin B6 and a good source of potassium, fiber and vitamin C," added Gillett.

Special dishes included in the plan range from Curried Spinach Soup and Warm Thai-style Scallop and Mango Salad to Spinach and Chicken Stir Fry with Raspberries and Honey Mustard-glazed Salmon with Fruit Salsa.

For more information on the Dole Banana Diet, or Dole Bananas in general, including recipes, serving suggestions and nutritional information, go to www.dole.com/bananas. You can also follow Dole Bananas on Facebook at www.facebook.com/DoleBananas.

Two popular recipes, Caribbean Black Bean and Fruit Salad and Pineapple Salsa Chicken, are featured in the sample meal plan. Remember that at least 8 ounces of water should accompany each meal.

Sample of a Day's Menu

BREAKFAST MORNING SNACK

2 Dole Bananas
and 8 ounces
of water

5 slices Dole Pineapple
(3-1/2 inches in diameter
x 3/4 inches thick)



LUNCH

Caribbean Black Bean and Fruit Salad

1 can (15 ounces) black beans, drained
2 tablespoons prepared salsa
1 tablespoon chopped fresh cilantro
1 tablespoon finely chopped red onion
1/2 teaspoon grated orange peel
1 tablespoon lime juice
1/4 teaspoon ground cumin
1 ounce feta cheese, crumbled (optional)

1 large Dole Banana, sliced
1 Dole Orange, peeled and sliced

Combine beans, salsa, cilantro, onion, orange peel, lime juice and cumin in large bowl. Spoon onto lettuce-lined platter. Sprinkle cheese on top of salad, if desired. Arrange banana and orange slices alongside of salad. Squeeze additional lime juice over bananas.

AFTERNOON SNACK

1/4 cup almonds

DINNER

Pineapple Salsa Chicken

6 boneless, skinless chicken breasts
2 cups chunked, fresh Dole Tropical Gold Pineapple
1/4 cup Dole Pineapple juice
1/2 cup finely chopped Dole Red Bell Peppers
1/4 cup finely chopped Dole Green Bell Pepper
1 tablespoon chopped Dole Green Onion
2 teaspoons chopped fresh cilantro or parsley
2 tablespoons chopped jalapeño chilies

Grill or broil chicken 5 to 10 minutes on each side or until chicken is no longer pink in the center. Combine pineapple chunks, juice, bell pepper, onions, cilantro and chilies in bowl. Serve salsa with grilled or broiled chicken.

*May substitute 1 can (20 ounces) Dole Pineapple, chunked, drained.



Big Bird and friends will be entertaining the kids during Michigan Theater's Family-Friendly Film Series

Michigan Theater's Family-Friendly Film Series starts new year with 'Sesame Street Presents: Follow That Bird'

The Family-Friendly Film Series rings in the New Year at the Michigan Theater Jan. 9 with "Sesame Street Presents: Follow That Bird."

The characters Big Bird, Cookie Monster, Grover and the entire cast of the famous public television children series "Sesame Street" star alongside a live actor cast that includes Chevy Chase, Waylon Jennings and John Candy in this 1985 movie.

The film is free for kids 12 and younger, and show time is 1:30 p.m.

The complete 2011 schedule includes:

- Sun. Jan. 9 — "Sesame Street Presents: Follow That Bird"
- Sun. Feb. 13 — "Honey, I Shrunk the Kids"
- Sun. Mar. 6 — "Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs (3-D)"
- Sun. Apr. 17 — "The Secret Garden"

• Sun. May 15 — "Sherlock Jr.," starring Buster Keaton and featuring live organ accompaniment

All showings take place at 1:30 p.m., and all films in the series are free for kids 12 and younger.

Admission prices are \$9 for parents and other adults, \$7 for students, seniors and U.S. veterans and \$6.50 for Michigan Theater members. Special prices apply to adult admissions for

the 3-D screening of "Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs."

All shows take place at the historic Michigan Theater, 603 E. Liberty St., in downtown Ann Arbor.

Visit the Michigan Theater website for more information and a complete schedule with show times at <http://michtheater.org>.

The theater's 24-hour information line is 668-8463 and the website is <http://michtheater.org>.

New Theatre Project to produce 'An Evening of Broadway Flops: Moments of Legendary Badness'

The New Theatre Project will host a one-night-only event, "An Evening of Broadway Flops: Moments of Legendary Badness," Jan. 9 at Sava's restaurant, 216 S. State St. in downtown Ann Arbor.

Surprise special guest performers from the local theater community and the University of Michigan will sing songs from the greatest failures of all

time to hit the Broadway stage.

The songs will be interspersed with quotations from deliciously bad reviews by Frank Rich, Ben Brantley and other theater critics.

Additionally, the evening will be capped off with a reading from a play so notoriously bad that, in the words of a critic: "From now on, there will always be two groups of

theatergoers in this world: those who have seen it and who will undoubtedly hold periodic reunions, in the noble tradition of survivors of the Titanic" and those who have not.

Tickets are \$10 if reserved in advance and \$13 at the door. They can be reserved by calling or texting The New Theatre Project box office at 645-9776 or e-mailing tickets@thenewtheat-

reproject.org.

Doors open at 6:30 p.m., and Sava's will offer a full menu and bar, including half off bottles of wine.

A one-drink minimum is suggested for the show, which will start at 8 p.m. Limited seating is available; seating is first come, first served.

For more details, visit www.thenewtheatreproject.org.

THINGS TO DO: REGIONAL CALENDAR

CHELSEA

• **Just Dancin' Dance & Sings**
8 p.m. Thursday and Friday, 10 p.m. Friday. Purple Rose Theatre Company, 137 Park St. Chelsea 433-RCSE

• **44 Sins**
7:15 p.m. Friday. Ann Arbor Community Center, 501 Concord Drive. \$5-\$14 and younger \$3. \$3-\$44 rental. 435-4444

• **Waterfront Family Movie**
2 p.m. Thursday. Chelsea District Library, 221 S. Main St. Free. Pre-registration required. 475-8732

• **Lights & Motion**
3:30 p.m. Monday. Chelsea District Library, 221 S. Main St. Free. 475-8732

• **Dungeons & Dragons**
6:30 p.m. Tuesday. Chelsea District Library, 221 S. Main St. Free. Pre-register at 475-8732

• **99th Annual Art Show**
2 p.m. Wednesday. Chelsea District Library, 221 S. Main St. Free. Pre-register at 475-8732

DEXTER

• **Ann Arbor Model Railroad Club**
7:30 to 10 p.m. Wednesday. All invited. Michigan Central Depot, 3487 Broad St. Free. 426-5100

SALINE

• **Crafts and International Bazaar**
7 p.m. Saturday. Pittsfield Grange, 3337 Ann Arbor-Saline Road. \$10 (members, \$9, students \$5). 769-1052

• **Prayer & Wellness Circle**
7:30 p.m. Saturday. Interfaith Center for Spiritual Growth, 704 Airport Blvd. \$5 suggested donation. 480-1219

• **Supper & Creamery Bar**
2 p.m. Sunday. Zingerman's Creamery, 3723 Plaza Drive. \$5 (includes a \$5 coupon). 929-0500

• **Art of the Cell**
Ends Friday, "Intrepid" by 212 Arts Center instructors Keith McGuire and Jean Canavan. My Favorite Café, 101 S. Ann Arbor St. Call 944-4054.

• **Tales of the West**
6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday

Saline Area Senior Center, 7190 N. Maple Road. Free. 944-1918

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• **Midwest & South Exchanges**
3 p.m. Thursday through Sunday. Proceeds will benefit 826michigan free reading and writing programs for students in Washtenaw County. New Year's Eve party runs until 4 a.m. Woodruff's Bar, 36 E. Cross St. \$7/day, or \$25/four-day wristband. Visit www.mittenfest.org

• **Ypsilanti New Year's Day Walk**
11 a.m. Saturday. A 45-minute walk from Library Plaza Park, east of the downtown Ypsilanti library at 229 W. Michigan Ave. Sponsored by the Ypsilanti Parks and Recreation Commission. Free and open to the public. For information, call 487-9058 or e-mail wolverbob@gmail.com

• **Two New Year's Day Walks**
12:30 a.m. Saturday. Annual "First Ride in the First Hour" a 30-minute ride along quiet neighborhood streets. 1 p.m. Saturday. Casual ride taking in parts of the Border to Border Trail. Both rides leave from Recreation Park, corner of

Congress and Oakwood streets. For more information visit www.bikeypsi.org, call 487-9058 or contact wolverbob@gmail.com.

• **Children's Puppet Show**
3:30 p.m. Sunday. Dreamland Theater, 26 N. Washington St. Ypsilanti. \$5 (age 3 and younger, free). 657-2337

• **Three Kings Project: What Is Home and What Is Not**
7:30 p.m. Tuesday. Free. Dawn Farm presentation. St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center, 5305 Elliott Drive. Ypsilanti. 973-7892

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Wednesday: Open Stage, 8 p.m. \$3, local/regional.

The Blind Pig

208 S. First St.
Telephone: 996-8565
Website: www.blindpigmusic.com
Thursday: Wolfie Complex, with Third Coast Kings, and Jake Allen, \$5/under 21, \$8, 18 and over, 9:30 p.m.
Friday: The Bang! \$15, cover, 21 and over, 9:30 p.m.
Tuesday: World Music Night with Zoumouchi, and La Trinity, \$6 cover, 18 and over, 9:30 p.m.
Wednesday: Battle of the Bits: Ninth annual International Remix Competition, with Baron Knodbury \$5/under 21, \$8, 18 and over, 9:30 p.m.

Cavern Club

Four clubs in one at 210 S. First St.
Telephone: 332-9900
Website: www.cavernclubannarbor.com

Conor O'Neill's

318 S. Main St.
Telephone: 665-2968
Website: www.conoroneills.com
Thursday: Mosey Moran, 9:30 p.m.
Friday: New Year's Eve Party. Call for reservations.
Sunday: Traditional Irish Session 7 to 10 p.m.; Stoo's Karaoke at 10 p.m.
Monday: Pub Trivia with Barry Aherne, 8:30 p.m.
Tuesday: Restaurant Appreciation Night.
Wednesday: Music Trivia with Barry Aherne, 8:30 p.m.

Crazy Wisdom Tea Room

114 S. Main St.
Telephone: 665-9468
Website: www.crazywisdom.net
Tea and Tunes 8:30 to 10:30 p.m. every Thursday, Friday and Saturday. No cover charge.

Goodnite Gracie

301 W. Huron St.
Telephone: 752-5740
Website: www.goodnitegracie.com

The Habitat Ultralounge

The lounge at Weber's Inn features dance bands.
3050 Jackson Road
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Friday and Saturday: Collision Six
Sunday: NFL Sundays
Monday: Monday Night Groove with music by Grooveartist Michael E. White
Tuesday and Wednesday: Slice

Guy Hollerin's at the Holiday Inn

3600 Plymouth Road
Telephone: 769-4323
Website: www.hiannarbor.com/dining.php
Saturday night local blues and local brews. Music and dancing starts at 8 p.m. \$5 cover charge.
Friday: New Year's Eve Blues Masquerade with Lady Sunshine and The X Band
Saturday: No music New Year's Day

Live at PJs

301 W. Huron St.
Telephone: 752-5740
Website: www.liveatpjs.com
The club features live music five nights a week.
Wednesday is Salsa Night.

Old Town Tavern

122 W. Liberty St.
Telephone: 662-9291
Website: www.oltownnaa.com
Sunday night music features live music from 8 to 10 p.m. focusing on local talent.
Saturday: 5 p.m. Chris Buhals
Sunday: Eric Nassau

Rick's American Café

611 Church St.
Telephone: 996-2747
Website: <http://ricksamericancafe.com/>
Fridays and Saturdays: Live music. No cover before 9 p.m.

Ann Arbor Comedy Showcase

314 E. Liberty St.
Telephone: 996-9080
Website: www.aacomedy.com
Thursday: 8 p.m. Comedy Showcase All-Stars: Four of the best comics who appeared at the Comedy Showcase during 2010. \$8 reserved seating in advance and \$10 general admission at the door.
Friday: New Year's Eve with Josh Sneed, \$25 for 8 p.m. show, and \$30 for 10:30 p.m. show (includes party favors and Champagne at midnight).
Wednesday: Comedy Jam

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302 S. Main St., Ann Arbor
Telephone: 222-0400
Website: www.blackpearl-onmain.com
Features live music on Wednesdays 7 to 10 p.m. No cover.
Wednesday: Jody Raffoul with Wes Buckley

Junior theater holding auditions for 'Giant Peach'

Ann Arbor Civic Theatre's Junior Theatre is holding auditions for the children's play, "James and the Giant Peach," directed by Jenny Anne Koppera.

Auditions are from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Jan. 11 and Jan. 12, 2011. Callbacks, if needed, will take place at 5 p.m. Jan. 13.

Those auditioning need attend only one of the two audition sessions but should be available for callbacks. All auditions take place at the theater's rehearsal studio at 322 W. Ann St. In this award-winning adaptation of Roald Dahl's book, playwright Richard P. George brings the characters and story of "James and the Giant Peach"

to life. Adventures abound as James struggles to free himself from imprisonment and rescue the Giant Peach.

There are roles for up to 25 young actors in fourth through 12th grades. Auditions consist of cold readings from the script and theater games.

Rehearsals for the production will be from 5 to 6:45 p.m. Monday and Wednesday afternoons and two hours each Saturday until production week. Production dates are March 24-27, at the Washtenaw Community College Theater.

For more audition and production information, call the office at 971-2228 or visit www.a2ct.org.



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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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 LIBRARY

For more information, call 734-475-8732.

■ Friday, Jan. 31
Library is closed

■ Monday, Jan. 3
• **Legos at McKune** (3:30 to 4:30 p.m.): Build to your heart's content with a wide variety of Legos. Creations will go on display in the library for ages 6-

TUESDAY, JAN. 4

■ **Senior Computing 1:1** (10 a.m. to noon): Senior 1:1 provides computer volunteers to assist users with either one-to-one or small group help with computer questions. Topics include but are not limited to the internet, e-mail and Microsoft Office products. Contact Ron at 734-475-8732 ext. 223.

■ **Baby time** (10:30 to 11:15 a.m.): Baby time is the time to introduce your baby to the world of books and reading for ages 0-3.

■ **Dungeons & Dragons Weekly Gaming Night** (4:30 to 7:30 p.m.): D&D 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 newest edition of the game, though a side game or an older edition is possible. Fee free to bring your own games to play as well.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 5

■ **MadCow Gaming** (3:30 to 5 p.m.): Mad Cow Productions presents gaming every Wednesday in McKune with gamer guru Jessica. Each week there will be a different set of games to choose from for ages 12 to 17.

THURSDAY, JAN. 6

■ **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. January's selection is "The Spirit Catches You and You Fall Down: A Hmong Child, Her American Doctors, and the Collision of Two Cultures" by Anne Fadiman. Copies of the book may be picked up at the second floor Information Desk. Refreshments provided by Mission Marketplace.

CHELSEA SENIOR CENTER

Located at 112 Washington St. Call 734-475-9342 for program registration or advance lunch reservation. Chelsea School District, through the Washtenaw County Senior Nutrition Program, serves a delicious lunch five days a week. Includes salad bar and dessert.

■ **Thursday, Jan. 3**
The Chelsea Senior Center is closed for holidays.

■ **Monday, Jan. 3**
• Bingo (3 a.m.)
• Enhance Fitness (10:30 a.m.)
• Welcoming New Year (Noon)
• Lunch with Kay and Lindsay
• Hand and Foot (12:30 p.m.)

■ **Tuesday, Jan. 4**
• Swimming at Comfort Inn (9 a.m.)
• Water Aerobics (9 a.m.)
• Mah Jongg (9 a.m.)
• Blood Pressure (10 a.m.)
• Crafts (10 a.m.)
• Quilting for Charity (1 p.m.)
• Euchre (6:30 p.m.)

■ **Wednesday, Jan. 5**
• Foot Care by appointment (9 a.m. to 3 p.m.)
• Stained Glass Class (9:30 a.m.)
• Enhance Fitness (10:30 a.m.)
• WOW Short Term Memory Loss (11:30 a.m.)
• Bowling at Chelsea Lanes (1 p.m.)
• Pinochle (1 p.m.)
• Scrabble (1 p.m.)
• Square Dance (1 p.m.)
• WOW Preparedness (1 p.m.)

■ **Thursday, Jan. 6**
• Swimming at Comfort Inn (9 a.m.)
• Bridge Class (10 a.m.)
• Chess (10 a.m.)
• Computer Club (10 a.m.)
• Life Dancing (10 a.m.)
• Chelsea Area Bridge Club (12:30 p.m.)
• Knit and Crochet (12:30 p.m.)

DEXTER SENIOR CENTER

7720 Ann Arbor St. Call 426-7737. Lunches are complete meal, dishwasher, \$2.50 minimum donation. Reservations should be made the day ahead by phone, call 426-5397.

■ **Holiday Closing:** The

Senior Center will be closed through Jan. 1. However, there will be home delivery and group meal service on Dec. 28, 29 and 30.

■ **Time to Renew Memberships:** Memberships for 2011 are due. They are \$20 per person, and allow members to participate in programs and activities at a reduced rate. Membership dues also support the center.

■ **Swimming:** Swimming will be on hold until Jan. 3 when it will resume at the Dexter High School Pool. Time will be announced in advance.

■ **New Pilates Class:** Friday mornings at 9 a.m.: Kristen from Fitness by Kristen will teach a new Pilates class for 1 hour. The cost is \$5 drop in, and the first class is free. Pilates-Fusion is a mat class that blends pilates, yoga and ab exercises. Participants will focus on core and ab work while strengthening arms, legs and glutes. Great for all ages. Wear comfortable clothes and bring a mat and water.

DEXTER LIBRARY

■ Friday, Dec. 31 and Saturday, Jan. 1
Library is closed.

■ **Monday, Jan. 3**
• Registration begins for Winter Story Times
• Toddler, Monday, Wednesday or Thursday at 10:30 a.m.
• Preschool, Monday or Thursday at 11:30 a.m., Tuesday at 1 p.m.
• Toddler/Preschool Combined, Wednesday at 11:30 a.m.

■ **Tuesday, Jan. 4**
• **Teens Celebrate National Trivia Day:** Pick up a trivia entry.

form from the Teen Room, answer the questions and return it to the National Trivia Day Contest box. Trivia sheets will be checked and those with the most correct answers will be entered into a drawing for some fun prizes. Contest drawing will be held on January 4. Must be in Grades 6-12.

■ **Wednesday, Jan. 5**
• **Small Business:** Surviving in Turbulent Times (6:30 p.m.). Presented by SCORE. Registration Required.

■ **Friday, Jan. 7**
• **Drop-in Beach Party Story Time and Craft** (11 a.m.): For Ages 6 and under. Wear your shorts and sandals. Refreshments available.

■ **Saturday, Jan. 8**
• **Friends of the Dexter District Library Used Book Sale** (9 a.m. to 3 p.m.): Book prices range from 25 cents to \$2 and all proceeds benefit the library. Donations for the book sale are always appreciated. If you are interested in joining

the Friends of the Dexter District Library, please contact Sue Smith at sueandbernie@aol.com.

■ **Beginning Knitting for Teens** (2 p.m.): Learn a new craft this year. Nancy Rhoads will be on hand to teach you how to knit. No experience necessary. Grades six through 12. Registration required.

■ **Monday, Jan. 10**
• **Somewhere in Time Book Discussion Group** (7 p.m.): "The Lost Painting" by Jonathan Harr. Adults - registration required.

■ **Wednesday, Jan. 12**
• **After School Anime** (3:30 to 5 p.m.): Stop in after school and watch anime, enjoy some Japanese snacks and check out the library's new manga books. "Enter the raffle to win a new manga."
• **Super Stories** (4:30 to 5:30 p.m.): For grades kindergarten through second grade. "Bartholomew and the Oobleck." Registration required.

■ **Thursday, Jan. 13**
• **Chinese Cooking with Ming** (6:30 p.m.): Sweet and sour chicken will be made and sampled. Adults - registration required.

■ **Friday, Jan. 14**
• **Wildlife Safari Presents: Tide Pool Touch Show** (11 a.m.): With live marine animals for ages 6 and up.
• **Friday Night Movie** (6:30 p.m.): "Elizabeth: the Golden Age" - PG-13.

Dexter District Library is located at 3255 Alpine St. in Dexter.

All programs are free and open to everyone. For further information call 426-4477 or visit the website at www.dexter.lib.mi.us.

PARKS

• Gerald E. Eddy Discovery Center, 17030 Bush Road in the Waterloo Recreation Area near Chelsea. Call 734-475-3170.

• Hudson Mills Metropark, 8801 N. Territorial Road, Dexter. For additional information or to register for programs, call 1-800-477-3191.

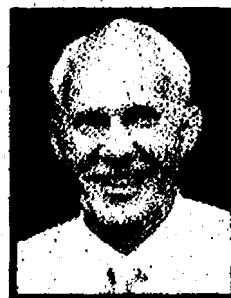
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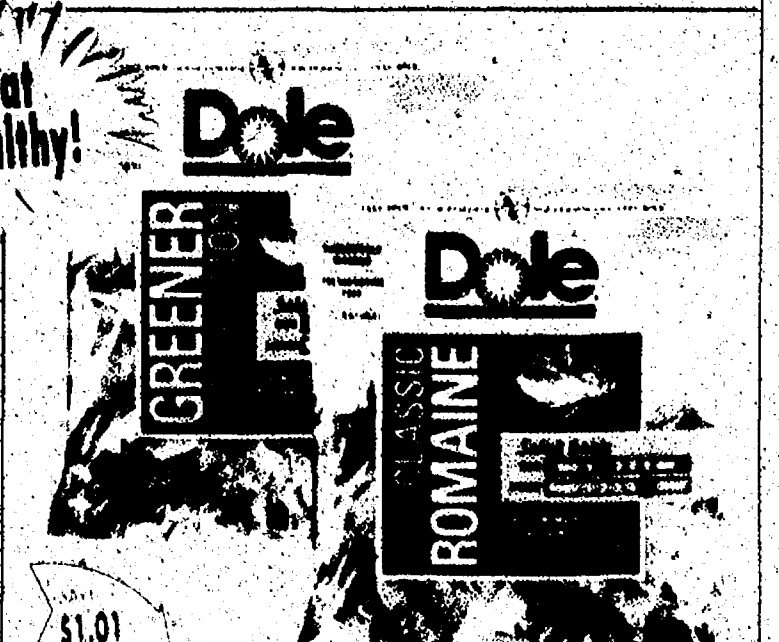
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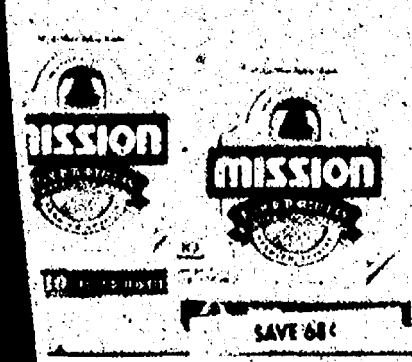
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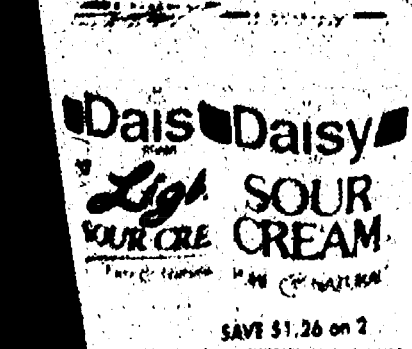
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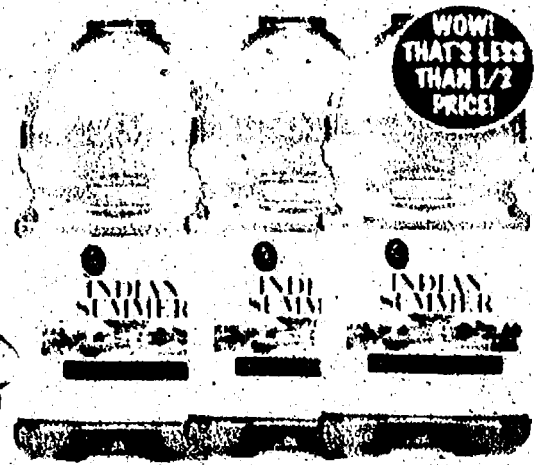
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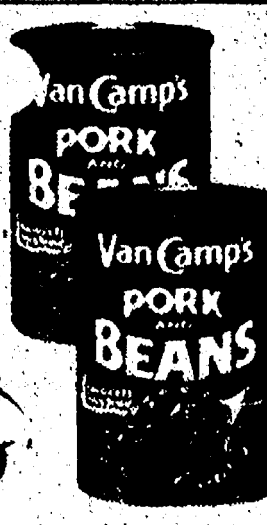
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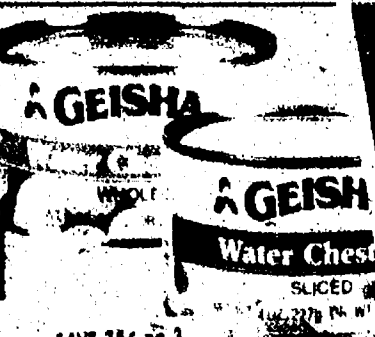


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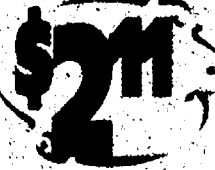


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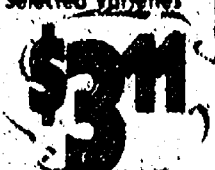
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<p>SAVE 84¢</p> <p>PILLSBURY SWEET MOMENTS BROWNIES 5.6 - 6.1 oz. Selected Varieties</p> <p>\$2¹¹</p>	<p>TOTAL BOTTOM LINE SAVINGS!</p> <p>BITONI CHEESE FILLED PASTA & PASTA SAUCE 9 - 15 oz. Selected Varieties</p> <p>2/5¹¹</p>	<p>SAVE 74¢ ON 2</p> <p>BITONI FRESH CUT PASTA 9 oz. Selected Varieties</p> <p>2/3¹¹</p>	<p>SAVE \$1.86 ON 2</p> <p>BAREMAN'S SOUR CREAM & CHIP DIP 24 oz. Family Size</p> <p>2/3¹¹</p>	
<p>POCKETS Croissant CRUST LEAN POCKETS HOT POCKETS</p> <p>SAVE \$2.19 ON 3</p> <p>NESTLE HOT, LEAN & CROISSANT POCKETS 6 - 9 oz. 2 - 4 ct. Selected Varieties</p> <p>2/5¹¹</p>	<p>SAVE \$3.27 ON 3</p> <p>BANQUET FAMILY SIZE ENTREES 25 - 32 oz. Selected Varieties</p> <p>2/5¹¹</p>	<p>SAVE \$2.64</p> <p>STOUFFER'S PARTY SIZE LASAGNA 57 - 96 oz. Selected Varieties</p> <p>\$10¹¹</p>	<p>SAVE \$2.37</p> <p>MARIE CALLENDER'S FRUIT & CREAM PIES 28 - 45 oz. Selected Varieties</p> <p>\$4⁸⁸</p>	
<p>Totino's Pizza Rolls</p> <p>SAVE \$2.38 ON 2</p> <p>TOTINO'S PIZZA ROLLS 40 ct. Value Pack Selected Varieties</p> <p>2/5¹¹</p>	<p>BANQUET BONELESS CHICKEN 24 - 26.5 oz. Selected Varieties</p> <p>2/7¹¹</p>	<p>SAVE 89¢</p> <p>STOUFFER'S FRENCH BREAD PIZZA 2 ct. Selected Varieties</p> <p>\$2¹¹</p>	<p>SAVE \$1.24</p> <p>HOMEMADE PREMIUM ICE CREAM 48 oz. Selected Varieties</p> <p>\$3¹¹</p>	

FROZEN FAVORITES

USDA CHOICE MEATS AT LOW LOW PRICES

ECKRICH HAM Virginia, Honey & Canadian Maple Per lb. \$5.49	CADY CREEK CO-JACK OR COLBY CHEESE Per lb. \$4.59
LEON'S SPINACH DIP Per lb. \$4.49	SANDRIDGE MAC & CHEESE SALAD Per lb. \$2.69
PRICE'S OR OWL'S NEST CHEESE SPREADS Selected Varieties 10-12 oz. \$3.39	NEW YORK BAGEL CRISPS & PITA CHIPS Selected Varieties 6-9 oz. \$2.69
DELALLO HARD OR GENOA SALAMI Per lb. \$3.99	DELALLO TURKEY BREAST Classic or Swirled Pepper Per lb. \$4.99
DELALLO MUENSTER CHEESE Per lb. \$4.99	BOAR'S HEAD BOLOGNA Regular or Garlic Per lb. \$3.99
BOAR'S HEAD LIVERWURST Selected Varieties Per lb. \$3.99	BOAR'S HEAD PROVOLONE CHEESE Per lb. \$5.29

We Carry Only USDA Choice Beef, The Best in Town. Don't Be Fooled By Select Beef or Lower #1 Grades.

USDA Choice Lamb LAMB LOIN CHOPS LB. \$5.99	1855 Natural Choice Premium Park BONELESS SIRLOIN CHOPS Family Pack \$1.99
1855 Natural Choice Premium Park BREADED PORK CUTLETS LB. \$2.39	Ground Fresh Several Times Daily GROUND SIRLOIN LB. \$2.99
Wild Caught from USA SOCKEYE SALMON FILLETS LB. \$8.99	CenSea COOKED SHRIMP 41-50 ct. • 2 lb. Bag \$4.99

SAVE UP TO \$3.00 LB.

SAVE UP TO \$1.30 LB.

SAVE UP TO \$1.20 LB.

SAVE UP TO \$1.00 LB.

St. Louis **PORK SPARE RIBS**
 H.C. BBQ or Smokey Chipotle Rub
 LB.
\$2.79

1855 Natural Choice Premium Park **CHOP SUEY & STIR FRY MEAT**
 LB.
\$2.49

Wise Buy Fresh Grade A **SPLIT CHICKEN BREASTS**
 Family Pack
 LB.
\$1.19

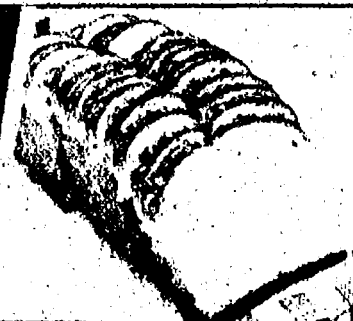
Bea's Best **CORNEBEEF BRISKETS**
 Mild or Spicy 3 lb.
\$2.99

CenSea **COOKED SHRIMP**
 26-30 ct. • 2 lb. Bag
 LB.
\$7.99

Wild Caught from USA **HUGE SHELL ON GULF SHRIMP**
 LB.
\$9.99

TYSON ANY TIZERS 25.5 - 32 oz. Selected Varieties \$6.99	KOWALSKI NATURAL CASING FRANKS & STADIUM KIELBASA 15 oz. \$3.99
TYSON CORNISH HENS 24 oz. 2/\$5	ARMOUR MEATBALLS 12-14 oz. Selected Varieties 2/\$5
OUR FAMILY SEAFOOD SENSATIONS SNOW CRAB 2 lb. \$11.99	OLD WISCONSIN SNACK BITES 8 oz. Selected Varieties \$3.49
OUR FAMILY BACON 1 lb. Selected Varieties \$2.79	ECKRICH BOLOGNA OR COTTO SALAMI 1 lb. Selected Varieties Excludes Beef Bologna \$1.79
ECKRICH ALL MEAT FRANKS 1 lb. Selected Varieties Excludes Beef & Cheese \$1.79	EL MONTEREY SNACK BAGS 21-24 oz. Selected Varieties \$4.99
CHUNG'S EGG ROLLS 12 oz. Selected Varieties \$2.79	HILLSHIRE FARM ULTRA THINS 8-9 oz. Selected Varieties \$3.49

SPECIALTY & NATURAL FOODS



Fresh Baked
**SIX GRAIN
BREAD**
20 oz.

\$2.69



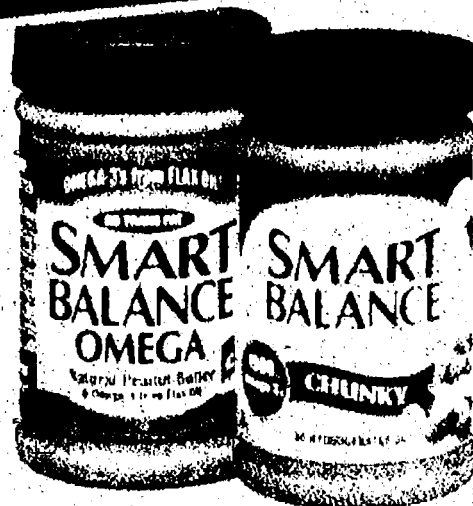
Fresh Baked
BREADSTICKS
8 ct.

\$1.79

SAVE \$1.08

**SMART BALANCE
PEANUT BUTTER**
16 oz.
Smooth or Chunky

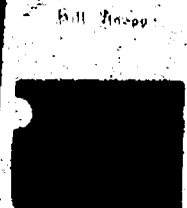
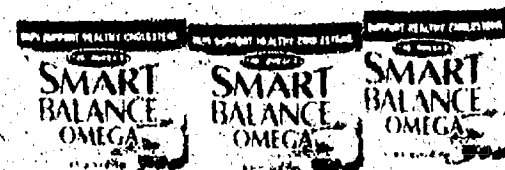
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SAVE \$2.78
ON 2

**SMART
BALANCE
COOKING OIL**
48 oz.

2/\$5.11



Bill Knapp

**BILL KNAPP
CHOCOLATE
CAKE**
27 oz.

\$8.99

SAVE 64¢

**ANNIE'S
FAMILY SIZE
MAC & CHEESE**
10.5 oz.
Selected Varieties

\$2.11



SAVE UP TO
74¢

**HODGSON MILLS
GLUTEN FREE
MIXES**
7.6 - 13 oz.
Selected Varieties

\$2.11



**PETITE
CROISSANTS**
8 ct.

\$3.29

SAVE \$1.66
ON 2

**PACIFIC
ORGANIC
SOUPS**
32 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/\$5.11



SAVE \$1.66
ON 2

**KETTLE
BRAND
CHIPS**
5 oz.
Selected Varieties

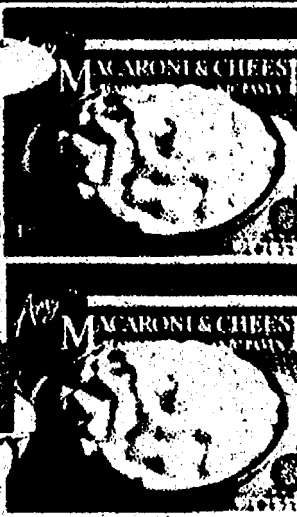
2/\$3.11



SAVE 64¢

**AMY'S
FAMILY SIZE
MAC & CHEE**
9 - 9.5 oz.
Selected Varieties

\$2.11



**HAWAIIAN
BREAD**
16 oz.

\$3.39

**FATHER'S
TABLE
CAKE ROLLS**
22 oz.
Selected Varieties

\$5.99



SAVE 84¢

**ALEXIA
FRIES**
16 oz.
Selected Varieties

\$2.11



SAVE \$1.38
ON 2

**SMART
BALANCE
SPREAD**
13 - 16 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/\$5.11



SAVE \$2.86
ON 2

**SMART
BALANCE
MILK**
64 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/\$5.11



HOME & HEALTH CARE SAVINGS

SAVE 74¢
ON 2

CLOROX BLEACH
82 & 96 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/\$3.11



SAVE \$4.82

BOUNTY PAPER TOWELS
8 Rolls
Selected Varieties

\$6.11



NUNN BETTER PREMIUM SONGBIRD & CARDINAL BIRD SEEDS
6.5 lb.

\$4.11



SAVE \$1.64

NUNN BETTER SUNFLOWER SEEDS
10 lb. Bag

\$4.99



SAVE 84¢

KLEENEX FACIAL TISSUES
75 - 200 ct.
Selected Varieties

\$1.11



SAVE \$3.14

CHARMIN ULTRA STRONG BATH TISSUE
24 Roll

\$6.11



NUNN BETTER WILD BIRD SEED
20 lb. Bag

\$4.99



NUNN BETTER DOG BISCUITS
4 lb. Value Bag
Medium Variety or Large Golden

\$3.11



SAVE \$1.48

PALMOLIVE PREMIUM DISH DETERGENT
20 oz.
Selected Varieties

\$2.11



SAVE 67¢

TREND 2X ULTRA LIQUID DETERGENT
60 oz.
Selected Varieties

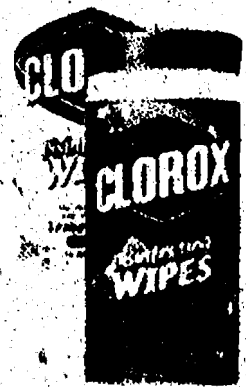
\$2.11



SAVE 76¢

CLOROX DISINFECTANT WIPES
35 ct.
Selected Varieties

\$2.11



NUNN BETTER DRY DOG FOOD
33 lb. Value Bag
Golden Nuggets & Mini Chunks

\$10.11



SAVE \$1.64

SAVE 78¢

SOFTSOAP
7.5 oz.
Selected Varieties

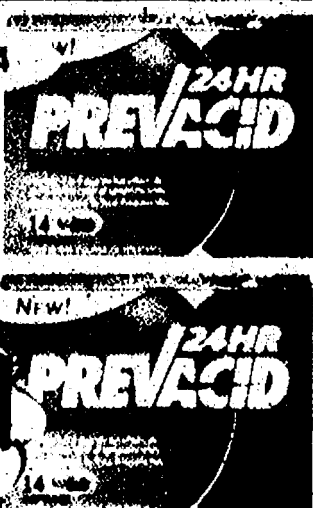
\$1.11



SAVE \$2.64

PREVACID 24 HOUR
14 ct.

\$1.11



SAVE \$1.88

HUGGIES SNUG & DRY, SUPREME, JUMBO & PULL-UPS
19 - 50 ct.
Selected Varieties

\$8.11



NUNN BETTER ORIGINAL DRY CAT FOOD
16 lb.

\$7.11



SAVE 84¢

TIDY CATS LITTER
20 lb.
Selected Varieties

\$3.11



SAVE \$1.32

PET CARE SAVINGS!

SNACK SPECIALS



SAVE 90¢
ON 4

UNCLE RAY'S
POTATO CHIPS
5 oz.
Selected Varieties

4/\$3.11



SAVE \$2.38
ON 2

NABISCO
OREO COOKIES
9.6 - 16.6 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/\$5.11

SAVE \$2.38
ON 2
GENERAL MILLS
SNACKS,
GARDETTOS,
CHEX MIX &
BUGLES
6 - 8.75 oz.
Selected Varieties

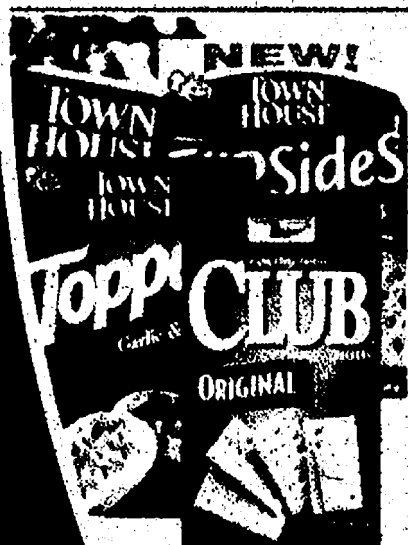
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SAVE \$2.46
ON 2

SUNSHINE
CHEEZ-IT
FAMILY SIZE
9.75 - 14 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/\$5.11



SAVE UP TO
\$1.58

KEEBLER
TOWNHOUSE
& CLUB
CRACKERS
9.9 - 16 oz.
Selected Varieties

\$2.11



SAVE 74¢

ON THE
BORDER
TORTILLA CHIPS
& SALSA
13 - 16 oz.
Selected Varieties

\$2.11



SAVE \$1.68

LAY'S
POTATO
CHIPS
10.5 - 12 oz.
Selected Varieties

\$2.11



SAVE \$2.46
ON 2

TOSTITOS
TORTILLA
CHIPS
9.5 - 13 oz.
Selected Varieties

2/\$5.11

SAVE UP
TO 64¢

BAREMAN'S
FRUIT
DRINKS
1 Gallon
Selected Varieties

\$1.11



SAVE 46¢
ON 2

OUR FAMILY
CLEARLY SPARKLING
WATER, TONIC WATER
& CLUB SODA
1 Liter Bottle
Selected Varieties
(plus deposit)

2/\$1.11



SAVE \$1.05
ON 5

OUR FAMILY
POP
2 Liter Bottle
Selected Varieties
(plus deposit)

5/\$3.11



TOTAL BOTTOM
LINE SAVINGS!

COCA-COLA
PRODUCTS
2 Liter Bottle
Selected Varieties
(plus deposit)

\$1.11



SAVE \$3.38
ON 2

AQUAFINA
WATER
24 Pk.
16.9 oz. Bottles

2/\$7.11



SAVE \$1.28

OUR
FAMILY
WATER
24 Pk.
16.9 oz. Bottles

\$3.11



SAVE \$1.64

MONSTER
ENERGY
DRINKS
4 Pk.
Selected Varieties
(plus deposit)

\$5.11



SAVE \$4.14
ON 3

PEPSI-COLA
PRODUCTS
12 Pk. 12 oz. Cans or
8 Pk. 16.9 oz. Bottles
Selected Varieties
(plus deposit)

2/\$10.11



BEVERAGE BARGAINS

WINE CELLAR

SPIRITS

WE SELL LIQUOR AT THE MINIMUM PRICE THAT THE STATE WILL ALLOW

COOK'S CHAMPAGNE
750 ml Bottle
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)

\$6.99



SAVE \$2.00

TOSTI ASTI SPUMANTE
750 ml Bottle
(plus tax)

\$8.99



SAVE \$1.96

FAYGO TONIC, CLUB SODA & SPARKLING WATER
1 Liter
Selected Varieties
(plus deposit)

88¢



MR. & MRS. T'S MIXES
64 oz.
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)

\$4.99



SAVE 30¢

BAREFOOT BUBBLY
750 ml Bottle
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)

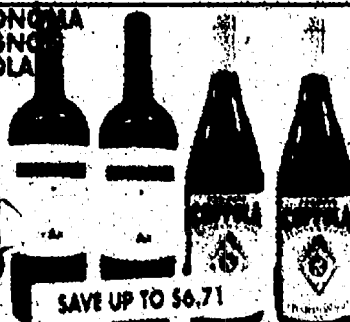
\$7.99



SAVE \$1.94

LOUIS MARTINI SONOMA CABERNET SAUVIGNON & FRANCIS COPPOLA CHARDONNAY
750 ml Bottle
(plus tax)

\$10.88



SAVE UP TO \$6.71

NEW! INCENTIVE VODKA
750 ml.
(plus tax)

\$27.99

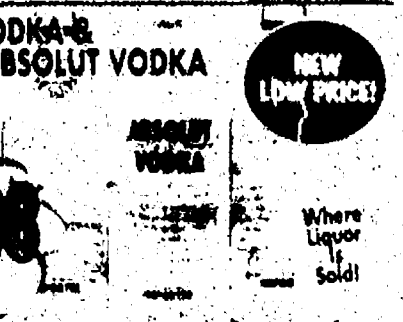


PREMIUM VODKA DISTILLED FROM WHEAT

Where Liquor Sold

ABSOLUT VODKA & FLAVORED ABSOLUT VODKA
750 ml.
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)

\$17.99



NEW LOW PRICE!

Where Liquor Sold

CUPCAKE, MENAGE A TROIS & CHOCOVINI DESSERT WINES
750 ml Bottle
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)

\$8.88



SAVE \$4.11

DETROIT RED WINGS WINES
750 ml Bottle
Red & White
(plus tax)

\$11.88

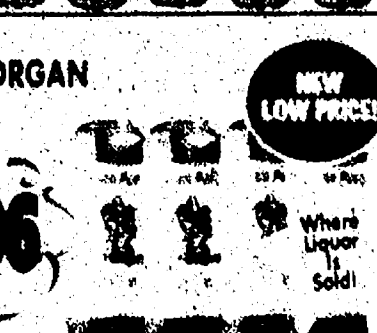


A GREAT GIFT FOR A RED WINGS FAN!

SAVE \$5.11

CAPTAIN MORGAN SPICED RUM
1750 ml.
(plus tax)

\$23.96



NEW LOW PRICE!

Where Liquor Sold

JAMESON IRISH WHISKEY
750 ml.
(plus tax)

\$22.95



NEW LOW PRICE!

Where Liquor Sold

KENDALL JACKSON WINES
750 ml Bottle
Selected Varieties
(plus tax)

\$10.99



SAVE UP TO \$5.00

FRANZIA BOX WINE
5 Liter Box
White Zinfandel, Chablis, White Grenache, Burgundy & Rhine
(plus tax)

\$10.88



SAVE \$3.51

TANQUERAY GIN
750 ml.
(plus tax)

\$19.97



Where Liquor Sold

KAHLUA
750 ml.
(plus tax)

\$18.97



Where Liquor Sold

THE BREWERY

NEW! BAD ASS BEER
6 Pk. 12 oz. Btl.
(plus tax & deposit)

\$4.88



SAVE \$1.11

MICHIGAN BREW CRAFT BEERS
6 Pk. 12 oz. Bottles
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)

\$6.99



SAVE \$1.50

BELL'S MICHIGAN CRAFT BEER
6 Pk. 12 oz. Bottles
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)

\$7.99



SAVE \$1.40

LEINENKUGEL'S
12 Pk. 12 oz. Bottles
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)

\$10.99



SAVE \$1.60

HEINEKEN & AMSTEL LIGHT
12 Pk. 12 oz. Bottles
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)

\$12.99



SAVE \$1.80

MILLER & COORS
20 Pk. 12 oz. Bottles
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)

\$12.99



SAVE \$1.38

BUDWEISER
20 Pk. 12 oz. Cans
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)

\$12.99



SAVE \$1.38

MILWAUKEE'S BEST, ICE HOUSE & KEYSTONE
30 Pk. 12 oz. Cans
Selected Varieties
(plus tax & deposit)

\$14.99



SAVE \$1.58

GARDEN FRESH PRODUCE

Large Sweet
CLEMENTINES
5 lb. Box

SAVE
\$1.71

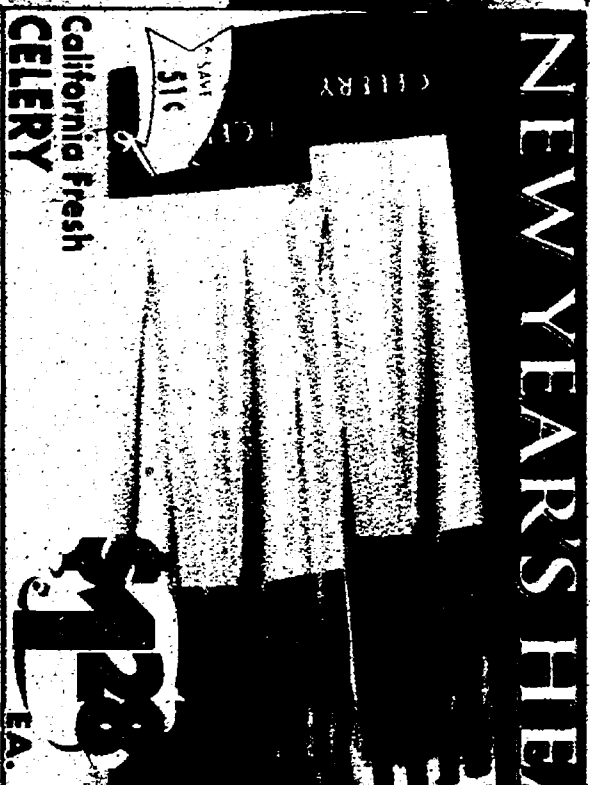
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EA.



California Fresh
CELERY

SAVE
\$1.16

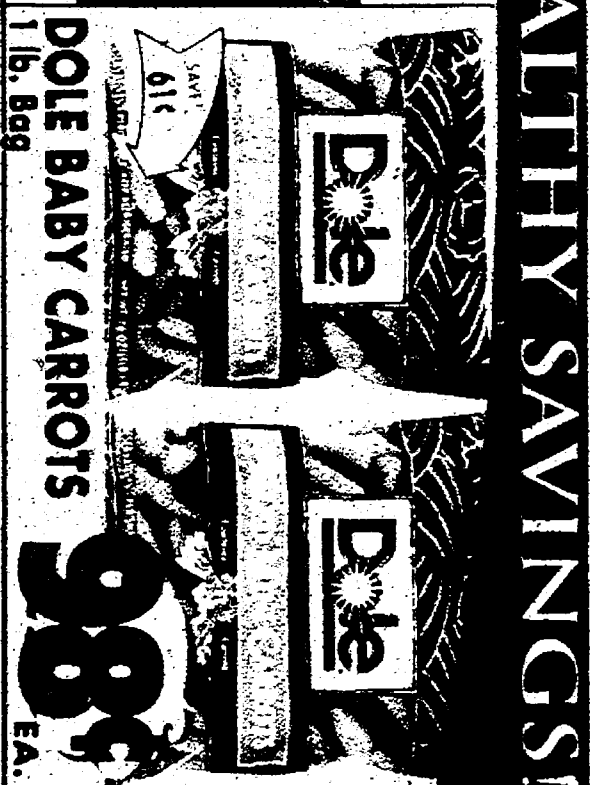
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EA.



Dole
DOLE BABY CARROTS
1 lb. Bag

SAVE
61¢

98¢
EA.



Snow-White
CAULIFLOWER

SAVE
\$2.01

\$1.98
EA.



MARZETTI'S
VEGGIE DIPS
12 - 15 oz.

SAVE
\$1.98

2.55



Extra Large
LEMONS

SAVE
58¢

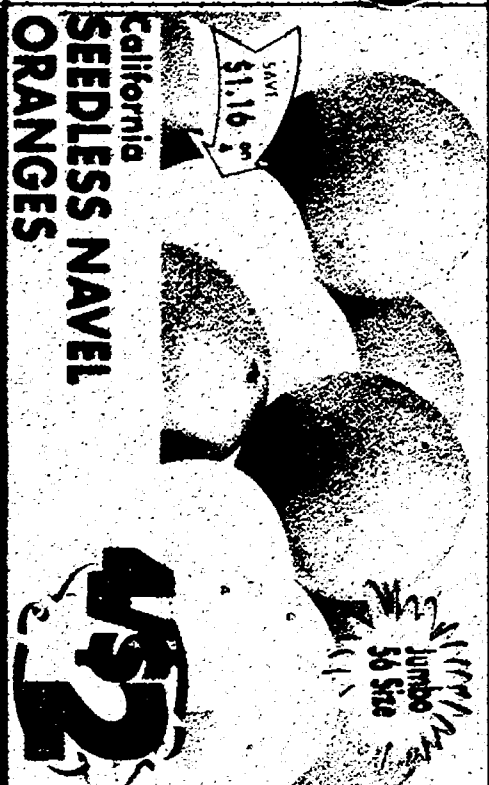
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California
SEEDLESS NAVEL
ORANGES

SAVE
\$1.16

4.52



ROMAINE

Dole

Eat
Healthily!

Greener Select or
Classic Romaine
DOLE SALADS
9 - 12 oz.

98¢
EA.



Texas
RUBY RED
GRAPEFRUIT
9 - 12 oz.

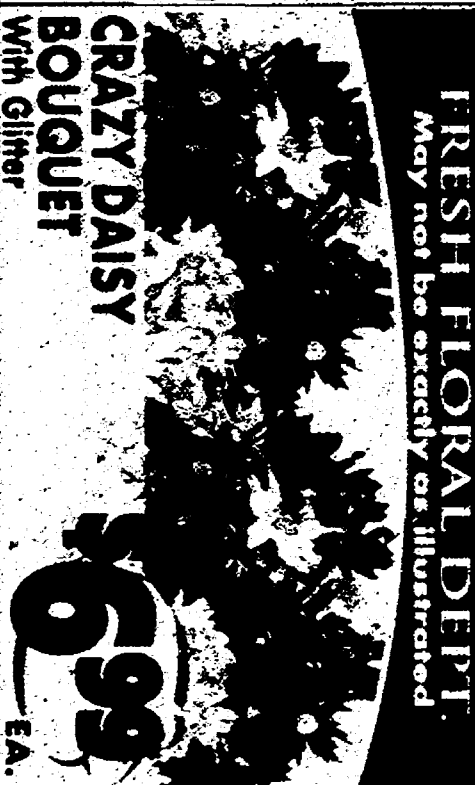
SAVE
\$2.98

2.55



CRAZY DAISY
BOUQUET
With Glitter

\$6.99
EA.



FRESH FLORAL DEPT.
May not be exactly as illustrated

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You can get DOUBLE COUPON SAVINGS this week at Pelly's Country Market. Bring in your manufacturer's "50¢ Off" or less coupons and get double the savings. Must include retailer's logo and product's Pelly's Country Market Coupons. Item or coupons exceeding the item value. You must purchase the product in sizes and quantities specified. Item and coupon have any particular item. Additional coupons for identical items will be redeemed at face value.
We reserve the right to limit quantities. Some items not exactly as pictured. Not responsible for typographical errors.

Live Well



CHELSEA COMMUNITY
HOSPITAL

SAINT JOSEPH MERCY HEALTH SYSTEM

Community Health and Wellness Programs offered by Chelsea Community Hospital

www.cch.org

Visit us at
www.cch.org/events

Visa, Mastercard and
American Express are accepted



Babysitter Training

American Red Cross course for 11-18
year olds that includes First Aid and
CPR skills

Saturdays, Jan. 15, Feb. 19, March 19
9 am-3:30 pm

Bring snacks, lunch, drinks for the day
CCH White Oak Center, Great Room
Fee: \$80

Call at 734-475-4103 to register

Public Lecture Series

• *Vitamins and Supplements*

Learn which vitamins and supplements
are safe and effective for improving
health

Speaker: Emily Nease,
Registered Dietitian, CCH
Monday, March 14, 7-8 pm
Chelsea Wellness Center
Conference Room
Call 734-214-0220 to register

• *Healthy Hearts Lecture*

Interactive discussion on habits to
keep your heart healthy

Instructor: Cindy Dempsey, RN,
Cardiac Rehabilitation, CCH
Tuesday, February 22, 2011, 12 pm
Chelsea Wellness Center
Conference Room
Call 734-214-0220 to register

• *Got Diabetes? Identifying and understanding this silent epidemic*

Kim Campbell, RN,
Program Coordinator
Emily Nease, Registered Dietitian
Outpatient Diabetes Education, CCH
Thursday, Jan. 17, 2011 6:30-8:30 pm
Chelsea Wellness Center
Conference Room
Call 734-475-4103 to register

Diabetes Share Group

New Day and Time!
2nd Monday of every month
(except Aug. and Dec.)

Topics:

- Jan. 10: *Sleep Studies*
- Feb. 14: *How To Be a Good Patient*
- March 14: *Flavors of the World*

3:30-5 pm
CCH White Oak Center
Call 734-475-4103 for information

Healthy Communities Walking Program



*Free program for residents of Chelsea,
Dexter, and Manchester*

Designed to motivate people toward better
health through physical activity and
healthy eating. Pedometer, paces, and
support included

Contact Sheri Montoya 734-475-6124
or montoyes@cch.org

Childbirth Education

Register for you and/or support person in
free labor and delivery preparation class
for expectant mothers and their labor sup-
port coach. Information regarding natural
childbirth techniques, relaxation exercises,
medical interventions, and vaginal births
is included. Bring 2 pillows and a towel or
blanket to use on the floor during
breathing exercises. If you desire, bring
personal snacks and drinks.

Instructor: Elaine O'Neill, RN

- *Session 1:* Saturday, Jan. 22
9 am-4 pm
- *Session 2:* Tuesdays, March 8, 15,
and 22, 6:30-8:30 pm

Fee: \$85 each

Register at stjoeshealth.org. Click on
classes and events, click on childbirth
education, find the drop-down for the
Chelsea location or call 1-800-231-2211

Guiding Good Choices:

Education program for parents of 9-14
year olds that has been proven to reduce
youth drinking and drug use. Consisting
of five weekly two-hour workshops.
Childcare available upon request

Instructor: Reiley Currant, MPH
(currant@cch.org)

Sponsored by SRSA

Dates: Tuesdays, Jan. 18-Feb. 15
Time: 6:30-8:30 pm
Chelsea District Library
Call 734-475-8732 to register



American Heart Association Classes

New AHA Guidelines for 2011

• *Adult Infant Child CPR for lay responders*

Jan. 27, Feb. 22, March 24
6:30-8:30 pm
Fee: \$19. Recertification: \$40
CCH White Oak Center
Call 734-475-4103 to register

• *Basic First Aid*

Tuesday, March 1
6:30-8:30 pm
Fee: \$17. Recertification: \$38
CCH White Oak Center
Call 475-4103 to register

Senior Supper Club

Play cards 2:30-4 pm (optional)
Speaker 4 pm (free). Supper 5:00 pm (\$6)

• *Senior Emergency Department:*
Joanne Grosh, RN, MA, and
Karen Hatcher, RN
Tuesday, Jan. 11

• *Exploring Michigan Wines:*
Sharon Kegeteis
Tuesday, Feb. 8

• *Extending Independence in Your Home:*
Justine Bykowski, MA
Tuesday, March 8
CCH Main Dining Room
Call 734-475-3913 to register

LiveWell Programs Continued

Sanchin-Ryu Self Defense/Karate

A non-competitive martial art that instructs physical and mental techniques to enhance coordination, self-confidence and self-defense awareness.

- **Session 1:** Wednesdays, Jan. 26-Mar. 9
- **Session 2:** Wednesdays, Mar. 16-April 27
- For Kids (K-8) 6-7 pm, \$25
- For Families 7-8 pm, \$50
- For Teens and Adults (14+) 8-9 pm, \$25
- CCH White Oak Center, Great Room
- Call 734-475-4103 to register

Bottom Line on Kegels

Learn Kegel exercises and tips on how to control or stop urinary leakage.

- Wednesday, Feb. 2, 3-4 pm
- Chelsea Wellness Center
- Conference Room
- Instructor: Pam Bennett
- Call 734-475-4103 to register



"Look Good...Feel Better"

A local American Cancer Society Program designed to help cancer patients improve their appearance and self-image by teaching makeup and proper grooming techniques. Healthy by connecting patients to medical professionals and resources to take up on.

- Last Monday of every month, 1-3 pm
- CCH White Oak Center, Atrium Room
- Call 800-227-2345 to register

Support Groups

- **Chelsea Brain Injury Support Group**
For survivors, families, and friends
Wednesdays, 1-2 pm
CCH Woodland Rooms
Call (734) 475-4138 for information
- **Chelsea Stroke Support Group**
"Botox Treatments for Spasticity after Stroke"
Dr. Ash Deshpande
Jan. 6, 11 am-12 pm
PDR B (Private Dining Room B) adjacent to the Main Dining Room
To register, email jefflins@cch.org or call 734-475-4040 x1064
- **Chemical Dependency Treatment**
(800) 328-6261

- **Alcoholics Anonymous**
Open Meeting, Sundays, 7-8 pm
CCH Main Dining Room
- **Sunshine Group**
Tuesdays, 9-10 am
CCH Outpatient Behavioral Health
- **Narcotics Anonymous**
Wednesdays, 7-8 pm
CCH Private Dining Room B
- **Second Chance**
Fridays, 9-10 am
CCH Outpatient Behavioral Health
- **Al-Anon Only**
Fridays, 12:30-2 pm
White Oak Center, Atrium
Call 734-475-6051 for information

LifeLine

An in-home personal response service to provide you and your loved ones peace of mind.

Call 734-475-4074 for information

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To Register call (734) 214-0220

- **Gentle Yoga** - Michelle Massey
A gentle, gentle yoga class that focuses on breath, relaxation, and yoga postures that can be accommodated to fit each level.
Mondays
Session 1: Jan. 3-Feb. 21, 4:30-5:30 pm and 5:30-6:30 pm
Session 2: Feb. 28-April 18, 4:30-5:30 pm and 5:30-6:30 pm
Fees: \$26, \$50, \$55, *Members \$30
Registration required
- **Pilates Healthy Spine Intro Class** - Jean Howatt and Elaine Economou
Participants will learn an introduction to exercises to support proper alignment and build strength in the trunk, pelvis, floor, and back to support the spine.
Intro Class 1: Thursday, Jan. 13, 5-8 pm
Intro Class 2: Monday, March 14, 12:30-1:30 pm
Registration is required. 10 person max.
- **Pilates Healthy Spine Program** - Jean Howatt and Elaine Economou
Participants will learn exercises to support proper alignment and build strength in the trunk, pelvis, floor, and back to support the spine.

- Session 1:** Tuesdays and Thursdays Jan. 18-Feb. 24, 7-8 pm
- Session 2:** Mondays and Wednesdays March 21-May 4, 12:30-1:30 pm
(No class the week of April 4)
Fees: \$160
Registration required

- **Simple Steps Walking Class** - Christine Jarchow
Enjoy walking on the Wellness Center's indoor track twice a week for 1 hour during the harsh winter elements.
Tuesdays and Thursdays, 12-1 pm
Session 1: Jan. 4-Feb. 24
Session 2: March 1-April 21
Fees: \$56, \$50, \$55, *
Registration required
- **Tai Chi** - Greg Knollmeyer
Ancient mind/body discipline to help strengthen and improve balance.
Tuesdays 4:30-5:30 pm
Session 1: Jan. 4-Feb. 22
Session 2: March 1-April 19
Fees: \$80, \$72, \$55, *Members \$30
Registration required
- **Aquacize with Arthritis** - Stacy Sheets
Warm water exercise class.
Mondays or Wednesdays, 12-1 pm
Session 1: Jan. 3-Feb. 21 and Jan. 5-Feb. 23
Session 2: Feb. 28-April 18 and March 2-April 20
Fees: \$64, \$58, \$55, *Members free
Registration is required
- **Line Dancing** - Susan Bauer
Learn line dance routines to fun upbeat music.
Tuesdays, 1-2 pm
Session 1: Jan. 4-Feb. 22
Session 2: March 1-April 19
Fees: \$56, \$50, \$55, *Members free
Registration is required
- **Senior Yoga** - Deb Figiel
A gentle stretch/yoga class designed for people with special needs.
Fridays, 10:15-11:30 am
Session 1: Jan. 7-Feb. 25
Session 2: March 4-April 22
Fees: \$8, \$3, \$5, *Members free
Registration is required

Registration required for above classes.
Call (734) 214-0220

*Chelsea Wellness Center Member