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U.S. House: Tim Walberg and John Dingell

State House
52nd District: Gretchen Driskell
53rd District: Jeff Irwin
54th District: David Rutledge
55th District: Adam Zemke

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District 2: Dan Smith
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Results at a glance

State Proposals
Proposal 1: Yes
Proposal 2: No
Proposal 3: No
Proposal 4: No
Proposal 5: No
Proposal 6: No

Chelsea Area Fire Authority
Yes

Editor's Note: Election results are unofficial and reflect outcome as of midnight Tuesday. State Proposal 1 was close, but appeared in favor as of midnight Tuesday.

Sylvan supervisor ousted

Lyndon, Lima uncontested Tuesday

By Nathaniel Siddall
Special Writer

A challenger has beat out the incumbent in the race for Sylvan Township supervisor. Scott Cooper, who was elected trustee four years ago, won 905 votes against 731 for current supervisor Robert Lange.

"Voters were looking for a change," Cooper said. "I was fortunate to be an agent of change."

Douglas Smith, running unopposed, will be the new township clerk.

Rodney Branham, also unopposed, will be the new treasurer.

Four candidates, all newcomers, ran for two trustee positions. Kurt Koseck and Roy Schmidt won, splitting about two thirds of the votes between them.

All of the winning candidates ran on a Republican



Photo by Nathaniel Siddall

Parking was tight at the Lyndon Township Hall, but voters were able to get inside quickly.

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CAFA millage passes, will generate \$1.26 milion

By Amy Bell
Heritage Media

Residents within the Chelsea Area Fire Authority voted Nov. 6 to continue funding the organization. CAFA provides services for properties in Chelsea, Lima, Lyndon and Sylvan townships.

According to unofficial election results, the proposal to pass in Chelsea 1,922 to 965; Lyndon Township 929 to 593; Lima Township 1,128 to 724 and Sylvan Township 1,070 to 749.

"It's a credit to voters," said CAFA president Rod Anderson. "Times are

tough but they recognize we are being fiscally responsible."

The five-year, 1.80 millage will generate \$1.26 million in the 2014 calendar year. Funds will be used for operational expenses and equipping the authority.

Although voters passed the millage, CAFA does face issues in the future.

Anderson said the organization is tightening its belt. The organization's auditor projected that taxable values within the coverage area would decrease by 3 percent. In addition, personnel costs

are projected to increase by 3 percent as well as a 6-percent increase in fringe benefits.

"We're going to be eating into our reserve fund in the next few years if this holds true," he said.

Currently, the fund is still above the minimum required balance until mid 2014, he said.

Though personnel expenses are expected to increase, the organization should not have to worry about making any major purchases within the next several years.

A recently purchased

tower truck replaced the 1976 model and the department recently refurbished its station.

New construction would have cost more than \$725,000 as opposed to the expense of the refurbishments, which did not include labor costs as it was provided for free from the firefighters.

Even though there are no major expenses expected, the department is still affected by the economy.

"We have to keep an eye on it," he said.

The department has

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Dexter Township's Kelly earns victory

By Nathaniel Siddall
Special Writer

A hard fought race in Dexter Township ended in narrow victory for the incumbent township supervisor, Democrat Pat Kelly.

She received 1818 votes against 1737 for her opponent James Drolett, according to unofficial results made available by county elections officials.

Drolett's wife, however, Libby Brushaber, was elected township trea-

suror with 1817 votes, against 1633 for newcomer Dana Bullen. Brushaber, running on the Republican ticket, is currently a township trustee.

There was a large field of seven candidates for four trustee seats, and the winners were evenly split between the parties. Top vote getter was Republican incumbent Carl Lesser, who first served as a trustee in the 1950s.

The other trustees elected were Michael

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Complete results

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Olsen, Bush earn school board seats

By Danny Shaw
Heritage Media

Incumbent Steve Olsen will be returning to the Chelsea Board of Education along with newcomer Laura Bush for the two, four-year

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AATA sees more ridership, new services growing

By Jim Pruitt
Heritage Media

The Ann Arbor Transportation Authority set a new record as it reported 6.3 million riders on its fixed routes for fiscal year 2012, a recent report shows.

The new amount represents a 6.6 percent increase over 2011 and is 3.4 percent higher than the previous record set in 2009. Total ridership was 6.1 million

last year.

The service saw an average of 32.8 riders an hour, the report states. While that is up 1.9 percent from last year, it's down 0.6 percent from 2009.

Ridership trends have been on the rise with a 50 percent increase over the past eight years.

Much of the growth has been on existing service. Productivity -- defined as average riders per hour -- has increased 43 percent.

Overall the fixed-route service saw higher average weekday passenger totals every month of the fiscal year, October through September. September 2012's average was 28,148. The service's worst month was December 2011 at 19,600. The service dipped below 20,000 again in June. Most other months ranged from 20,000 to 24,000.

Nine routes set records for ridership in fiscal year 2012: No. 2, Plymouth; No. 3, Huron River; No. 4, Washtenaw; No. 7, South Main East; No. 9, Jackson; No. 10, Ypsilanti Northeast;

No. 15, Scio Church and West Stadium; No. 17, Amtrak-Depot; and No. 18, Miller-University.

The Washtenaw route topped 1 million riders for the year. But the Eastern Michigan University College of Business route led with an average of 56 riders per hour.

The express services for Chelsea and Canton set a record for riders with 32,165. Productivity is up nearly 100 percent, with Chelsea averaging 15.8 riders per hour and Canton 14.2.

This all translates into a 9.6 increase in fare revenue, yet the total still fell below budget, according to AATA documents.

Chief Executive Michael Ford talked about the good reports of the AATA's ridership and overall service while addressing the Milan City Council Oct. 29.

"We hit the 6.3 million in 2012. That's the highest we've ever had since we started fixed-route service in 1979," Ford said. "And that's continuing."

Ford also talked of the AATA's increases express service and its airport service.

"It began at 400 per week. It's up to almost 1,200 per week," he said. "We've also started our van pool and we have about 22 vans on the road."

AATA reports indicate the Air Ride service peaked at 1,186 riders the week ending Sept. 1. The service has had six weeks where it served more than 1,000 riders. The best week since the peak was the week ending Oct. 6 at 968.

The van pool allows companies to rent a seven-person van to help workers commute back and forth to the plant and home.

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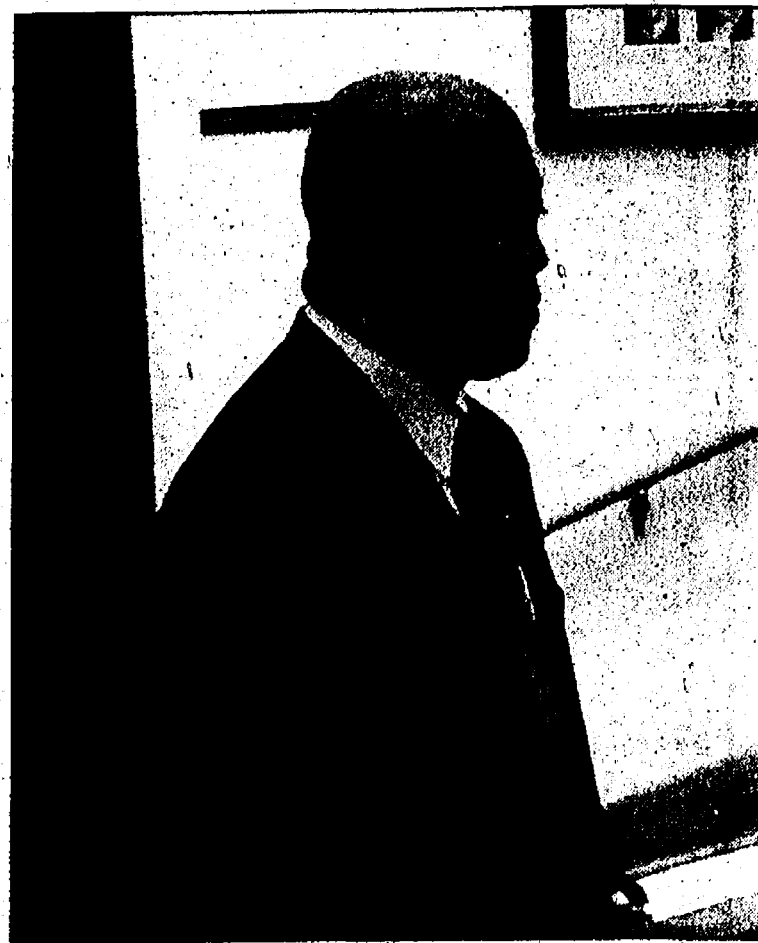


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Ann Arbor Transportation Authority CEO Michael Ford was at the Milan City Council meeting Oct. 29. Ford talked about the AATA's record year for ridership while urging the council vote to opt-in to the proposed county-wide transit system.

Free energy efficiency improvements available

By Amy Bell
Heritage Media

Some Washtenaw County residents may have a chance to qualify for free energy efficiency improvements to their homes.

The county recently began taking applications for its "Test and Tune" program, which provides energy efficiency improvements to qualified customers within the DTE Energy coverage area.

Aaron Craft, housing program supervisor for the county, said it is hard to determine how many customers the program will help because it's a new initiative.

"It's something new so we are going to take it as we go and help as many people as we can," he said.

The program is funded through the Michigan Public Service Commission and a utility bill surcharge that

funds energy efficiency improvements.

Eligibility requirements include a variety of factors, including income.

For example, a family of four with an annual income of \$65,000 may qualify.

In addition, those who are on other assistance programs such as WIC and Social Security Supplemental Income automatically qualify.

Once the applicant is deemed eligible for the program, a contractor who would be sent to the residence to check the efficiency and safety of the furnace or check the refrigerator for efficiency.

The program can also provide residents with low-flow showerheads and other products as designed to promote energy efficiency.

The program does allow renters of single family units to qualify, but both the landlord and tenant are required

to sign an agreement.

Kraft said the program is available through the end of December, but it could end earlier depending on the number of applications received.

For more information and eligibility requirements, visit Washtenaw County's website <http://www.ewashtenaw.org/government/departments/community-and-economic-development/housing-and-community-infrastructure/test-tune-refrigerator-upgrade/test-tune-refrigerator-upgrade-1> or call 622-9025.

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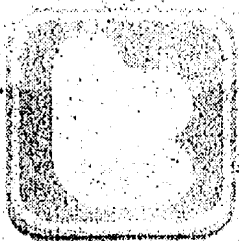
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Parking was tight at the Lyndon Township Hall, but voters were able to get inside quickly.

KELLY

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Howard, Republican; Anne Sullivan Buchholz, Democrat; and incumbent Jason Maciejewski, Democrat.

Buchholz edged out Republican challenger Bill Gajewski by a single vote, according to the preliminary results.

Incumbent trustee Steve Feinman finished last of the seven candidates.

"It was an interesting race, to say the least," commented Pat Kelly.

"The precinct data looks different than it has ever looked in the past," she said.

In a generally Republican district, precincts 1 and 3 are usually the more conservative ones.

"But really what worried me this election was precinct 1, which is weird," Kelly said.

Dexter Township Clerk, Harley Rider, said voter turnout was down slightly. In the last presidential election around 82 percent of registered voters cast a vote. This time it was 77.64 percent. "I expected turnout in the low 80s, Rider said. "But 77 percent is not

a bad turnout." A little less than one third of the votes were cast with absentee ballots.

For the most part voting went smoothly, although Rider heard a report of waits up to 50 minutes during the morning rush. He moved voting stations from precinct 3 to precinct 1 to even out the flow. By the time he voted himself in the afternoon, with a stop-watch in hand, voting took exactly 6 minutes and seven seconds.

Rider himself ran unopposed, and will continue to serve as township clerk.

Although Republicans dominated in straight party votes, Obama picked up

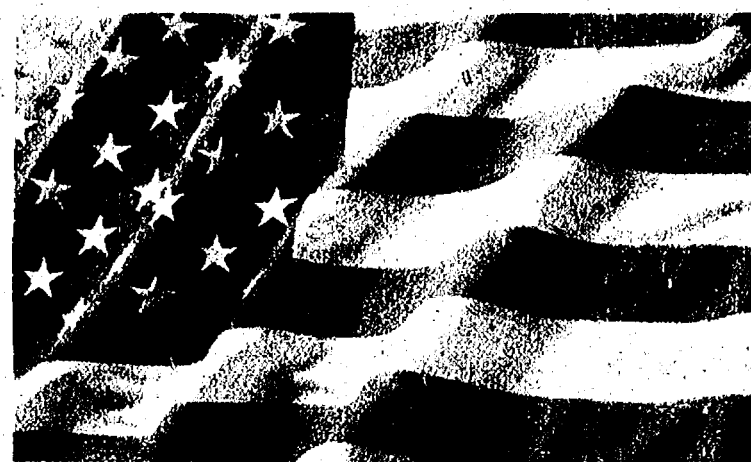
12 more votes in Dexter Township than did Romney. Debbie Stabenaw also picked up more votes in the township than her Republican rival Pete Hoekstra. Republican Mark Ouimet edged out Gretchen Driskell by just 5 votes, among Dexter Township voters, although Driskell appeared to be heading for victory in the 52nd district, for the state house.

"Everything was close," said Pat Kelly. "You just don't know what is going to happen in these races."

"It's going to be an interesting board," said Kelly. "We've had Democrats and Republicans mixed on our board forever, almost."

Kelly emphasized wanting to thank her supporters. "I very much appreciate their support, and it helps a lot," she said.

"Now we roll up our sleeves and get to work," she said.



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Driskell unseats Ouimet

Adam Zemke wins 55th District seat

By Sean Dalton
Heritage Media

State House Rep. Mark Ouimet, after working his way up from the Washtenaw County Commission to defeat incumbent Pam Byrnes in 2010 for her seat on the Legislature, was ousted narrowly by Democratic candidate and now former Mayor of Saline Gretchen Driskell.

Driskell gave her victory speech at about 12:30 a.m. Wednesday, with 16,286 votes, or 50.21 percent of ballots, to Ouimet's 16,043 votes, with-out Scio or Webster Township reporting. Scio was under- stood early on to be strongly in favor of the Democratic Party ticket, leaving Ouimet without enough rural voters to turn the tide.

"I'm looking forward to working with my fellow representatives in the county and in Lansing," Driskell said. "I think we've gone too far on cutting education and I think talking about that with voters really resonated. We need to stop taking money out of the School Aid Fund and I believe we should be funding higher education more than we have."

With 43 of 50 precincts reporting, incumbent Rep. Jeff Irwin appears to have won District 53 with 28,201 votes of 81.5 of ballots counted. Fellow incumbent Democratic Rep. David Rutledge is clearly the winner with 10,102 votes, or more than 77 percent of ballots counted, with 16 of 38 precincts reporting. As of 1:37 a.m. Wednesday, precincts in Ypsilanti Township had not been counted yet.

Democratic newcomer Adam Zemke slid into the 55th District seat, succeeding state Rep. Rick Olson with 22,297 votes, or 66 percent of the vote, with 32 of 39 reporting as of 1:37 a.m. Wednesday.

"I'm tremendously excited to be a part of this Washtenaw County delegation. It is going to be phenomenal because we all share a similar vision for Michigan," Zemke said. "We may differ on various issues, but we want to move Michigan forward and we believe Michigan's people are critical in bringing the state back."

Irwin, whose win was a forgone conclusion from his perspective, said that he spent the days and nights leading up to the election helping other candidates in the county campaign and pushing for Democratic-aligned outcomes on ballot proposals in the county.

"Now my goal is to make education a priority in our state and I think we're going to be successful with that," he said.

Redistricting produces smaller County Board

Ping beats mentor Prater in race for District 3 seat on County Board

By Sean Dalton
Heritage Media

Redistricting has drastically changed the face of the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners, which went from 11 to nine districts.

In District 1 Kent Martinez-Kratz, who could not be reached on election night, beat incumbent County Commissioner Rob Turner by 746 votes with 51.34 percent of the overall vote.

"I knew winning this district would be very difficult. I was hoping I had the support of the Democrats, but it's hard not having name recognition," Turner said regarding the areas of Scio Township that were rolled into District 1.

He attributed the defeat to the electorate voting straight Democratic Party ticket for the national elections, which impacted the local election and turned an early 1,400 vote lead for Turner in the other direction.

Turner added that he hopes Martinez-Kratz continues his work helping Sylvan Township continue to deal with its woes stemming from a wastewater treatment plant that township officials built at the end of the residential and commercial development boom.

"He's going to have to deal with a \$25 million deficit for 2014-15 by streamlining pensions because of the growing unfunded liability that will cost the county a lot of money," Turner said. "I'm hoping to at least work toward getting an animal control contract between the county and (Humane Society of Huron Valley)."

In District 2, Republican County Commissioner Dah Smith was unopposed.

In District 3, two incumbent commissioners squared off for the new consolidated District 3 that encompasses the cities of Milan and Saline, as well as the townships of Bridgewater, Freedom, Lodi, Manchester, Sharon and York. Republican Alicia Ping beat Wesley Prater with 10,219 votes, or 55.77 percent of ballots as of 2:45 a.m. Wednesday.

"This is a bittersweet result for me," Ping said, since the man she had to beat to stay on the commission was a friend and, when she was a new commissioner, mentor.

"I think very highly of Wes. We spent a lot of time together outside of the board of commissioner meetings at breakfast talking about issues," she said.

Prater, as well as election non-participants Leah Gunn and Barbara Bergman, neither of which sought reelection, represent several decades of institutional knowledge and historical perspective, Ping said.

"There's something to be said of that knowledge they had from being on for a long time," Ping added, saying that the board would be utilizing the three outgoing commissioners' wisdom in dealing with looming budget concerns.

"We have quite a bit of work to do... we have to do more with less and we have to educate the public," Ping said.

Ping said four-day workweeks will continue to be more prominent for county employees, as furlough days are currently being used to save money in the county's budget.

In District 4, Felicia Brabec held onto her appointed seat through four elections in 10 months — a feat that she feels solidifies, in her mind, the fact that the District 4 electorate is behind her as a commissioner.

"Four elections in 10 months has definitely been a challenge and has kept me moving at a brisk pace," Brabec said. "I'm very grateful that I've been so supported and welcomed by the people."

Brabec attributed her 10 months of bringing the public's concerns to the county commission as the reason she garnered 9,349 votes, or 65 percent of ballots cast.

Like her colleagues, Brabec has her eye to the future budgets, which call for more cuts after the last budget included \$18 million in now existing cuts.

"We've done big cuts and now we really need to look at the budget for what we can do... I'm focused on the consolidation of departments and other things," she said.

Brabec supported full funding for the Humane Society of Huron Valley and human services.

"I feel like funding those various entities is vital to our community and the success of our community," she said. "I believe that the best option for us for animal control is with the Humane Society."

In District 5, sitting Commissioner Rolland Sizemore clearly won another term with 10,953 votes, or 74 percent of ballots, as of 3:27 a.m. Wednesday, with Ypsilanti Township's ballots being some of the last counted by the county.

In District 6, County Commissioner Ronnie Peterson won in a landslide with 7,504 votes, or 86 percent of ballots cast.

Andy LaBarre, in a race between two newcomers for reconsolidated District 7, won with 12,817 votes, or 77 percent of ballots cast.

LaBarre said that with "less resources (the commission) needs to think of the choices (it has) to make and the choices (it) wants to make," with regard to future cutting decisions.

"With Barb Bergman and Leah Gunn leaving, we're losing two champions of human services and champions for the people," LaBarre said. "We don't want to turn our back from their work."

In District 8 Yousef Rahbi was another clear winner with 10,562 votes or 78 percent of ballots cast.

Conan Smith retained his seat in District 9 with 15,849 votes or 80 percent of ballots cast.

Kuhnke beats Fink; Connors returns

Simpson, Burke, O'Brien re-elected

By Amy Bell
Heritage Media

Courts in Washtenaw County will have a number of incumbents serving another term, as well as a new face.

In the 22nd Circuit Court, Carol Kuhnke defeated James Fink for a seat vacated by Melinda Morris. Morris was unable to run again due to a state constitutional law stating a candidate must be younger than age 70 at the time of election.

As of 2 a.m. Nov. 7, with 73 percent of precincts reporting, Kuhnke appeared to have defeated Fink 56.04 percent to 43.04 percent.

Fink and Kuhnke were the winners of the August primary, which involved

four candidates vying for the position.

"I think the work of a Circuit Court judge is always challenging. I hope that as a new voice or a new person on the court that I am able to bring some fresh perspective and to be able to help the court work better and more efficiently," she said.

"I think that our justice system is imperfect. It will always be imperfect, but I hope to make it a little better than what it is now."

Kuhnke, a lawyer and Milan High School graduate, said she plans to work at resolving cases earlier in the process, which benefits those litigants and also frees up court resources for other matters.

In addition, she would like to strive to improve access to the courts and to rehabilitate juvenile offenders to keep them lawfully engaged in society, she said.

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Kuhnke said she has many ideas to improve access to the courts and to improve court efficiency for all residents of Washtenaw County.

"Juvenile cases represent in many cases our last chance to put a young person's life back on track, while at the same time saving tax dollars, which would otherwise be spent on incarceration," she said. "Emphasizing rehabilitation of youth who are not a danger to society will benefit the entire community."

Results also show incumbent Timothy Connors will retain his seat on the 22nd Circuit Court for another term. Connors won against challenger Michael Woodyard, a Wayne County assistant prosecuting attorney.

Unofficial results show Connors defeated Woodyard 75.6 percent to 23.16 percent.



Connors said key issues include continued improvements in child and family protection laws, increased access to justice for all citizens, prompt and thoughtful resolutions of disputes.

He plans to address these issues by continuing his leadership roles at the state levels on these matters, he said.

Both Kuhnke and Connors will serve six-year terms.

A number of incumbents went uncontested and will serve an additional six-year term.

J. Cedric Simpson will serve another term as judge for the 14th District. Joseph F. Burke will serve another term as a judge for the 15th District. Darlene O'Brien will serve another six years as county probate judge.

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County voters say yes to incumbents, re-elect treasurer, clerk, prosecutor

Subhead goes here, typically three decks

By Amy Bell
Heritage Media

Washtenaw County voters have spoken and voted for three incumbents to serve additional terms.

County treasurer

Catherine McClary will serve another term as county treasurer.

According to unofficial results, McClary defeated challenger Marlene Chockley in Tuesday's general election.

"I'm thrilled," McClary said. "I love this job immensely. I really enjoy working with the public and I really have found it helpful to be able to provide the foreclosure prevention services we've done."

McClary will be entering her fifth term as



treasurer of Washtenaw County.

McClary said she and her challenger agreed to run a positive campaign.

"She is a good person of high integrity," McClary said.

Chockley said she would like to thank McClary for her service and wishes her the best for the next four years.

Issues that are facing McClary this next term include receipt, deposit, and account for all public funds coming into and going out of the county; managing Washtenaw County's investment portfolio; collecting delinquent property taxes and

prevent foreclosure.

County prosecutor

Unofficial election results show Brian Mackie will serve his sixth term as Washtenaw County's prosecutor.

Mackie defeated challenger Justin Altman, according to unofficial results posted on the county's website, www.ewashtenaw.org.

"It's a tribute to the 50 employees of my office," he said. "I think we do a good job and that's because we have an outstanding staff."

Mackie said his department will continue deliv-

ering the services it has under his reign, and will have a greater concentration on issues such as elder abuse and consumer protection.

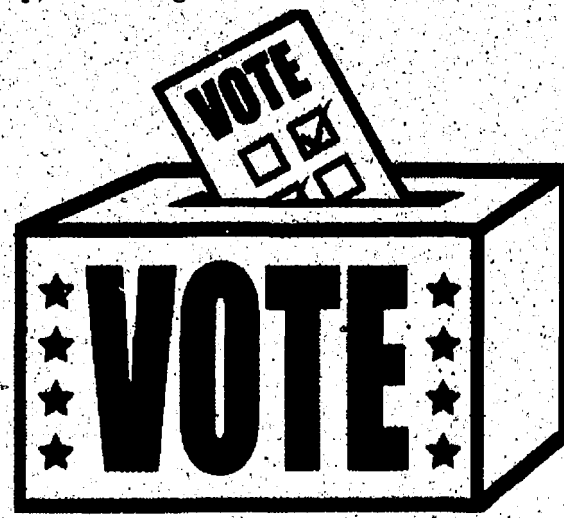
County clerk

Incumbent clerk Lawrence Kestenbaum will serve another term as Washtenaw County clerk.

Kestenbaum defeated challenger Stanley Watson of Pittsfield Township, according to

unofficial election results. For an updated story and all of your local election coverage, visit www.Heritage.com.

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Beach 'Leadership' students are raising funds for St. Louis Center

Students at Beach Middle School in Chelsea are raising money to support a barrier-free playground and operations at the St. Louis Center.

This unique project is taking place under the direction of teacher Kathryn McCalla and her cross section of student leaders from grades 6-8. Formally known as the "Leadership Class," these youngsters are identified as leaders by the school faculty, and are recruited for this class.

Beach Principal Nick Angel praised the class. "The old way of choosing student council leaders was more of a popularity contest than anything else," he said. "Today, we're identifying our leaders through their actions."

McCalla began working with the class at the beginning of the school year to assist them in identifying a charity they would like to help. Then the students had to learn everything they could about their charity so that they could do a presentation to the entire student body to gain support.



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This year, McCalla suggested they choose a local charity, and St. Louis Center was their choice.

On Sept. 14, Joe Yekulis, public relations director of the St. Louis Center, visited the class, shared

a video, and answered a number of great questions from the students about what St. Louis Center was

all about.

One week later on Sept. 21, the leadership class did a presentation to students

in grades 6-8 to teach their peers about St. Louis Center and ask them for their support at upcoming fundraisers.

Three events were planned. The first one took place on Oct. 6 with the students holding a car wash. They raised \$268 at Pierce Lake Elementary School.

The next fundraisers will take place: Nov. 9 and is a 7-8 grade dance from 3:15 - 5 p.m. On Nov. 16, there will be a Rock-A-Thon rocking chairs from 8 p.m. - 6 a.m.

Past fundraisers have included the ASPCA and Faith-in-Action, and each averages between \$1,500-2,000. The students are proud of their ability to give something back to the community.

St. Louis Center is a residential care center for persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities located five miles west of Chelsea, and is administered by the Servants of Charity Congregation. For more information about St. Louis Center, please visit the stlouiscenr.org.

Single-stream recycling up, running in Chelsea

By Kathleen Murphy
Heritage Media

Single-stream recycling is up and running in Chelsea.

Now, Laura Scriven, who has been education coordinator of Western Washtenaw Recycling Authority for about a month, wants to get the word out to residents about how to use the system.

"Basically the single-stream machinery is all up and running now," she said. "We're going through final test and getting it all ready."

Many residents know that single-stream recycling means they don't have to sort their recyclables anymore. Everything — plastic from numbers 1-7, cardboard, glass — goes into one bin and is picked up at the curb. Then it all goes to the recycling center

on Werkner Road.

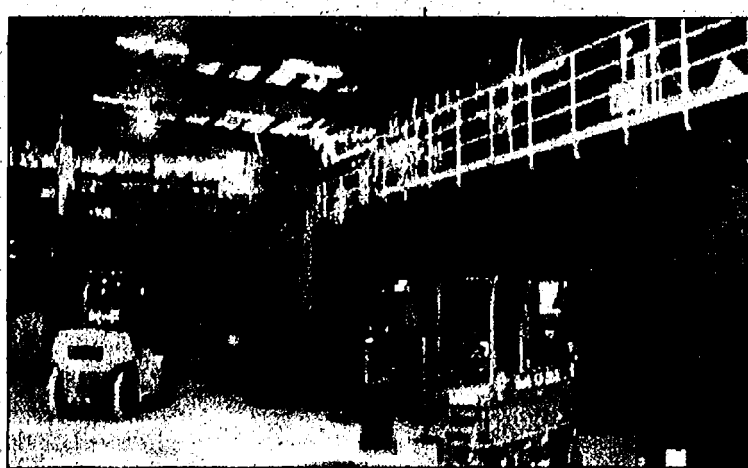
"We are accepting more materials than previously. Unfortunately, we still are not accepting plastic bags," Scriven said. "The bags tear up mechanisms (in the recycling machines)."

The recycling authority does request is that you clean up food containers. As an example, Scriven said take out cheesy globs and the greasy liners from pizza boxes.

Styrofoam also is not being accepted at this point, she said.

Enthusiasm for the program seems to be running high among Chelsea residents with demand for recycling bins exceeding availability. "We're having a little bit of a bin issue," Scriven said.

The recycling authority ordered 25% more bins than number of requests, but there is still a back



Single-stream recycling is sorted at the Western Washtenaw Recycling Authority's plant on Werkner Road. Also pictured is the bundling machine pictured inside the facility.

order. More bins will not be available until January, she said.

Despite the back order on bins, Scriven sees a bright side. "It is really encouraging as far as the amount of recycling."

The good news is that even if you don't have an official bin from the recycling authority, you

can still take part in single-stream recycling. "We're accepting recycling in any container until you get your bin," Scriven said.

When you place your bin out for collection, do not place it in the street, Scriven cautions. Place it on the curb or side of your driveway so the bin does not pose a traffic hazard.

There have been a few reports of stolen recycling bins. Scriven said there are serial numbers on the bins and residents should write those down. If it becomes a bigger issue, she said someone from the recycling authority will come and check the bins.

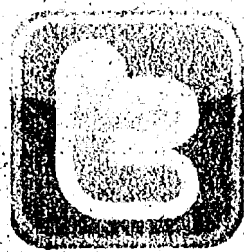
Chelsea residents with questions about single-

stream recycling need to call Western Washtenaw Recycling Authority rather than city hall or the transfer center.

"We are separate entity," Scriven said.

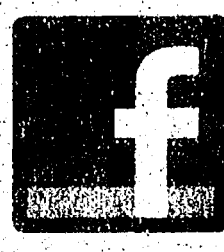
The number to the Western Washtenaw Recycling Authority is (734) 475-6160 or wwrrarecycles.org@gmail.com.

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How satisfied are you with the election outcome?

A. Very satisfied

C. Unsatisfied

B. Satisfied

D. Disgusted

A new life in Germany starts

I am now an American student living on an American airbase with my family.

My stepdad got offered a job in Germany at an active-duty airbase and, to not pass up this opportunity, I decided to go with my family. Although, I'm not too happy about missing out on my senior year with my friends, I think it's the perfect time to get away.

I will continue to write about teen issues, but also my experiences and the differences between school in Germany and Milan.

Day One in Germany

My first day after arriving in Germany was exciting, but also nerve racking for the fact that I didn't know what to expect.

Germany weather seems to be just like Michigan's — one minute it's in the 50s,

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ALYSSA STUART

leaves falling and cloudy outside and the next it's about 0 degrees outside.

Walking out of the airport onto German soil, it's an interesting sight. Teens are legally smoking cigarettes right outside the airport doors. I saw a guy walking into the air-

port with a beer can in his hands. I also got a glimpse of the chaotic driving that goes on here.

I've learned if there isn't space on the road, you make a space. You can cut off people, slam on your brakes and drive as slow as you want. But truck drivers always have the right of way. On most highways in Michigan, the speed limit is 70 mph and it's enforced by police. In Germany, the lowest speed is 80 mph and most every highway has a top speed of 100 mph. If you go over, don't worry because

there's no police hanging out on the side of the road. There are, however, cameras that take your picture and send a ticket in the mail to you.

Another thing I've learned is that many Germans speak English. So, you can't get away with calling them something you think they wouldn't understand.

Germans like to conserve. I've learned that if something is recyclable, even if it's not stated, you recycle it. If you're taking a shower, you hurry up. If it's walk-able, you walk it. If it's garbage, you throw it away. One thing you'll notice in Germany is there's no litter on the roads and streets. I'm sure they would like to keep it that way, too.

Living on an airbase has its pros and cons. Pro is security. There are many uniformed officers on the base who don't joke around when it comes to safety concerns. If you go over the speed limit, then you lose your driver's license for a week. That's how serious they are on the base.

Another pro is they have a mall, American food and English-speaking TV shows. There is also peanut butter. Movie theaters, restaurants and bowling alleys are all within walking distance.

The only con is if you want to charge something, you need to unplug something else.

Glad to be in Germany

It's just a few weeks into the school year and it's safe to say that I don't really miss Milan. I do, however, miss my friends, family, Friday night football games, the Milan Dragway, the Milan Bakery and the familiar, friendly faces.

I'm glad I'm here, though, someplace new. It's a fresh start. We get a new student at least every two weeks. I haven't heard a nasty comment made from any student, seen a dirty look given, heard a laugh at somebody else's expense or a bully in action.

Alyssa Stuart is a student columnist. She can be reached via Managing Editor Michelle Rogers at mrogers@heritage.com.

OUR TAKE: Editorial

Employers should have right to not employ smokers

Shouldn't we expect medical professionals and their institutions to lead the way toward better health?

Of course we should. So it's difficult to argue with announcements from two Detroit-area hospital systems that they'll no longer hire tobacco users.

Royal Oak-based Beaumont and Detroit-based Henry Ford systems said they'll start screening job applicants for signs of nicotine use in January.

Both hospitals' CEOs emphasized their positions as role models.

"We have a responsibility to take a leadership role in promoting healthy behaviors...." said Beaumont CEO Gene Michalski.

The hospitals will take a closer look at those already employed in the systems. They have prohibited smoking for several years. But they'll go on to prohibit tobacco use or smelling of tobacco smoke at any time during the workday.

Beaumont will provide a credit on health insurance premiums for employees and spouses who don't smoke or participate in a free quit-smoking program. Ford will offer a similar benefit.

We've had reservations in the past at exclusion of smokers from public places. And several years ago, a Michigan employer who wished to control health insurance costs ignited a controversy when he told employees they would have to quit smoking if they wished to keep their jobs. More than a dozen did quit smoking. Four refused or were unable to quit and lost their jobs.

The hospitals haven't gone that far yet. But a heavy smoker who lives in a smoke-infested dwelling may have a difficult time showing up for work each day in clothing free of the smell.

While some of the moves seem harsh and sometimes unfair, it's clear that every move to curb tobacco use is having an impact on remaining users.

And it's clearly a good impact: Smokers make more demands on health systems, driving up health insurance, Medicaid and Medicare costs. Their smoke harms those around them.

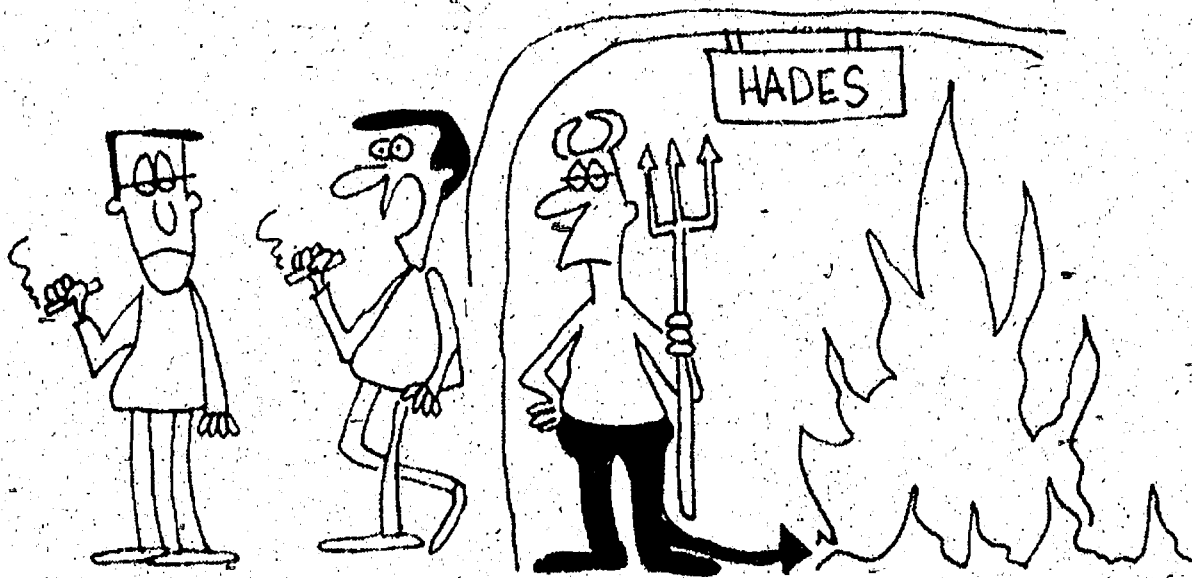
The proportion of Americans who smoke has been declining since the years when we expected suave movie stars to smoke, when passengers on planes lit up and city council meetings were smoke-filled.

We're getting the word.

—Journal Register News Service

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"I KNEW IT WOULD BE BAD... BUT I WASN'T EXPECTING THEM TO MAKE US GO OUTSIDE TO SMOKE."

We need to offer more than token thanks for our veterans

The Front Page review in the Oct. 7 New York Times Book Review of an Iraq War novel, "The Yellow Birds," by Kevin Powers, says the author:

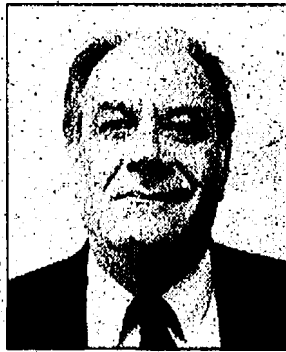
"Wakes the readers of 'the spoiled cities of America' to a reality most would rather not face. Here we are, fretting over our Netflix queues while halfway around the world people are being blown to bits. And though we might slap a yellow ribbon magnet to our truck's tailgate, though we might shake a soldier's hand in the airport, we ignore the fact that in America an average of 18 veterans are said to commit suicide every day. What a shame, we say, and then move on quickly to whatever other agonies and entertainments occupy the headlines."

The truth of the above statement came home to me while my wife and I joyously flew last month to see our son in San Diego, where he has just started a job he loves with a famous regional theater. Toward the end of the flight we started up a conversation with a woman who was traveling with her young daughter. Both were

wearing red T-shirts that had something written on them about a military reunion, and the little girl had a button with picture of a soldier over her heart. I asked the woman about the T-shirts and the button. The woman said she and her three children were going to a reunion of families who had lost a soldier in either Iraq or Afghanistan. The picture on the button was the little girl's father. He had given the supreme sacrifice for his country.

It has never ceased to amaze me how little thought we as a nation have given to the fact that for over a decade the U.S. has fought two wars while at the same time refusing to make even minimal sacrifice at home to support the troops we have sent into battle abroad. In 2003, just 18 months after the Sept. 11, 2001, World Trade Center attacks, we invaded

GUEST COLUMN



MORRIS GOODMAN

and occupied Iraq and still lowered taxes a second time in three years.

Long before President Barack Obama even took office, as opposed to taking ourselves to pay for these wars, which our representative government considered crucial to our national security, we were borrowing billions of dollars from China to cover the wars' expenses.

It is not a minor matter that Mitt Romney did not once mention either Afghanistan or our troops serving abroad in his acceptance speech for the Republican presidential nomination. Presumably, he and his writers spent a great deal of time preparing that speech and only emphasized those things they thought were important to the American people in electing him to the presidency. This stark omission is indicative of the fact that for the first time in generations, the Democratic Party is not per-

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ceived as weaker party on defense issues.

This is not to say that the Obama administration has been exactly stellar in support of our serving military. While making good on his promise to exit Iraq at the end of 2011, President Obama has also not asked Americans to make sacrifices to support our all-volunteer armed services.

Yes, we honor the Navy SEAL who took out Osama bin Laden, but we have not made much of an effort until recently to substantially assist returning servicemen and women in transitioning to civilian life — either in terms of job placement or mental health. It is disgraceful how little attention has been given to the huge number of veterans who suffer from post-traumatic stress disorder

and whose depression has led to suicidal actions, far too many of which are successful.

The war widow we spoke to was incredibly upbeat. She said she had attended these reunions several times in San Diego, where there is a large concentration of actively serving and recently retired military personnel. The daily San Diego newspaper, the Union Tribune, has a section concentrating on military news in the same manner that the Detroit Free Press and The Detroit News have sections dealing with automotive news. She spoke proudly of what her husband and his fellow comrades in arms have done to defend our country.

Having come of military age during the Vietnam War, I know how lucky I

was to avoid being drafted. The idea of enlisting never entered my mind. Annually, on Memorial Day and Veterans Day, I am always reminded of how little I have personally done to support those who have volunteered to defend my comfortable middle-class existence.

The woman on the plane with her three children knows every day what the costs truly are to defend American freedom.

We as a nation are indeed fortunate to have always had men and women willing to go any length to protect our democratic way of life. Thank you to them.

Dearborn resident Morris Goodman, a litigation and family law attorney, is a longtime political activist and community observer.

Dexter Township voters approve fire station

By Amy Bell
Heritage Media

Residents within Dexter Township voted Nov. 6 to fund a permanent fire station.

According to unofficial election results, the proposal passed 1,269 to 1,174.

The seven-year, 1-mill proposal will generate funds to build a station. The township currently has a purchase agreement on land at the corner of North Territorial and Dexter Town Hall Road, the location recommended by its Public Safety Advisory Committee.

"I'm thrilled that we can get to work on building an appropriate and cost effective permanent station," said Dexter Township Supervisor Pat Kelly. "It's a big step forward for public safety."



File photo

Dexter Township voters have approved a 1-mill levy to build a permanent fire station.

Kelly said preliminary design plans for the station are underway but the township did not want to proceed with any more detailed plans until after the elec-

tion. Since January, a number of DAFD firefighters have been working out of a temporary substation at the Multi Lake Water and

Sewer Authority at 12088 N. Territorial Road in Dexter Township.

The new station would feature two double length bays, another half bay, sleeping quarters, office and a meeting/training room. Total construction costs are estimated to be between \$1.2 and \$1.6 million.

With the creation of the temporary station, more than 99 percent of township residents are within five miles of a fire station when before, the figure was 38 percent, she said.

Township Clerk Harley Rider said he doesn't anticipate the township will need the entire amount of the millage. However, officials have learned from the past and therefore had the ballot language drafted to say it would be levied "up to 1 mill" for seven years.

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The temporary substation also allows for coverage in parts of the Portage Lake area that was previously handled by the Putman Township Fire Department.

It has also been useful in the department's Public Protection Classification, which is determined by the Insurance Services Office, Inc.

Many insurance companies use ISO ratings when determining rates, which are given on a scale of 1 to 10, 1 being the best.

The DAFD's rating is a 5.

ISO ratings are determined by using a number

of factors including receiving and handling fire alarms, including telephone systems, staffing, and dispatching systems; fire department, including equipment, staffing, training, and geographic distribution of fire companies and the water supply system condition including the maintenance of hydrants, evaluation of the amount of available water compared with that needed to suppress fires.

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Residents within the Chelsea Area Fire Authority voted Nov. 6 to continue funding the organization. CAFA provides services for properties in Chelsea, Lima, Lyndon and Sylvan townships.

CAFA

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made other improvements, including its Public Protection Classification rating from Insurance Services Organization, Inc. The organization gives nearly 45,000 departments from throughout the area a rating, which is used to determine insurance rates.

Ratings are based on a scale of one to 10, one being the best. Basically, the better the rating, the lower the rate of insurance.

CAFA's current rating is now 4, up from 6, which places it among the top 10 percent of departments within the state. Lima, Lyndon and Sylvan townships all recently received an 8A rating, an improvement from the previous rating of 9.

CAFA Fire Chief Jim Payeur said funding the department with a millage is the smoothest way to fund the organization.

"For budgeting purposes it's absolutely the best way to run the operation," he said.

Prior to the millage, the department was funded through usage hours, which caused issues because

municipalities would frequently have spikes in their number of usage hours. For instance, if a municipality had several large fires in one year, that would cause their number of usage hours to spike and make it difficult to budget for the next year.

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ticket. "We've got a new board coming in, and we are all enthusiastic about getting to the work at hand," Cooper said.

He noted that half the people in the township have moved there in the last eight to ten years.

"There's a new economy here, there's a new culture here," he said. And that requires a new view on our future."

"I've found that a lot of people want us to move forward, take care of our financial house, and look to some new ideas, and new ways to push the township into the future," Cooper said.

Cooper also spoke of the need to "mend fences." During the campaign he mentioned the need to improve relationships with surrounding townships and the city of Chelsea.

In addition to serving as a Sylvan township trustee, Cooper has been a member of the planning commission, a representative to the WAVE board, and a member of the Sylvan Water and Sewer Authority.

Lyndon Township

All positions were uncontested: Supervisor Marc Keezer; Linda Lou Reilly, clerk; Mary Jane Maze, treasurer; John H. Francis, trustee; and Robert Mester, trustee.

Lima Township

Supervisor Craig Maier, and candidates Gregory McKenzie, Arlene R. Bareis, Nanette L. Havens, and Donald Laier were all elected without opposition.

CRIME BRIEFS

Car crashes into church porch during bad weather

A driver went off road the morning of Oct. 30 during weather from Hurricane Sandy and crashed into the porch of Hope Alive Church, 332 Wilkinson St.

Chelsea Police Chief Ed Toth said the driver was going southbound at about 10:30 a.m. on Wilkinson when she lost control and went off the road over the curb. She wasn't even too sure what happened herself, he said.

Toth said there were weather factors that made it a tough day for driving, including strong winds and sleet.

Neither the driver nor her passenger were injured, he said. He said there was some damage to both the vehicle and the church.

Chelsea man arrested for felony domestic assault

A 25-year-old Chelsea man was arrested after his girlfriend told police he assaulted and strangled her multiple times during an altercation.

Police responded to the 911 call at about 12:30 a.m. Sunday from the 200 block of Pierce Street, according to police.

Officers made contact with both the victim and suspect, who were

separated. The suspect was arrested for felony domestic assault after officers spoke to the victim.

He was taken to the police department for processing and later was lodged in the Washtenaw County Jail pending review of the case by the county prosecutor's office.

The victim was transported to Chelsea Community Hospital for a medical evaluation.

Handgun reported stolen out of vehicle

A resident with a registered concealed pistol license reported his gun was stolen out of the console of his vehicle.

The theft occurred sometime between 9 p.m. Oct. 29 and 12:30 p.m. Oct. 30 while the vehicle was in the 300 block of West Middle Street, according to Chelsea police.

The owner believes the vehicle may have been left unlocked. It didn't appear anything else was stolen.

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board terms.

Bush, a local registered nurse, earned 3830 votes, 31 percent, while Olsen had 3316, 27 percent of the overall count.

"I'm excited and looking forward to working with the school board," Bush said after hearing the results.

Bush saw the most votes in nine of the 12 precincts. One of the most-contested school board races in the county, Olsen and Bush earned their victory over Chelsea residents Kathy Keinath and Dana Emmert. Olsen, current Board



Steven Olson was returned to the Chelsea school board Tuesday, while Laura Bush was elected to her first term.

president, and Trustee Jeff Crowder had terms expiring. Crowder did not seek re-election.

Of the 12,689 registered voters, 9,562 cast a ballot in the race. Keinath took 2,332 of the votes while Emmert

took 2,710.

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EMU honors Chelsea, Dexter notables

Two noted Chelsea and Dexter residents will be honored by Eastern Michigan University.

Howard 'Howdy' S. Holmes, president and CEO of the Chelsea Milling Co., and a longtime supporter of Eastern Michigan University, has been named the commencement speaker for the university's Dec. 16 ceremony. The EMU Board of Regents approved his nomination during its regular board meeting Oct. 30.

The EMU board also approved awarding of an honorary degree to Phillip Jenkins, philanthropist and founder of Sweepster, Inc.

Holmes is the eighth generation of his family in the flour milling business and the fourth generation in Chelsea. His firm is internationally known for Jiffy Mix and its small, iconic



Holmes

blue and white boxes. Jiffy Mix was created in 1930 by Holmes' grandmother as the first commercially marketed biscuit mix in the U.S. Designed so it would "be a project easy enough for a man to prepare," the Jiffy Mix line has expanded to include corn muffins, pie crusts, frosting and an all-purpose baking mix.

Holmes is well known for his support of Eastern's College of Business. As a guest speaker at the college's Breakfast with the Dean event, Holmes talked about his vision for leader-

ship. He also has spoken to the student chapter of the American Marketing Association and hosted student members of The Association for Operations Management for a plant tour.

The College of Business also hosted some of the area's most important business executives during the Jiffy Mixes Distinguished Speaker Series, which was designed to promote leadership development.

Prior to joining the family business, Holmes pursued a 20-year long auto-racing career. He competed six times in the Indianapolis 500, where he was named Rookie of the Year in 1979. Holmes also raced in the Championship Auto Racing Teams (CART) series. He finished in the top ten 26 times, with his best finish a second in 1984.

Holmes retired after the 1988 season.

Holmes will receive two honorary degrees at the ceremony, which takes place at EMU's Convocation Center.

Jenkins, a Dexter resident, took over his family farm equipment business in 1949. Soon after, he collaborated on the preliminary design of the current attachable, walk-behind, self-propelled and airport runway sweepers for equipment used in airports, municipalities, agriculture and construction around the world.

Sweepster Inc. also is an Earth Share of Michigan company that supports environmentally responsible workplaces.

Jenkins has funded scholarships for graduate students in Eastern's College of Education

through the Jenkins-Tracy Scholarships in the Leadership and Counseling Department. The scholarships are designed to address a critical shortage of trained school administrators and counselors in Michigan and the nation.

A long-standing member of the University of Michigan Depression Center's National Advisory Board, Jenkins has donated numerous large gifts to Eastern Michigan and the

University of Michigan toward the treatment and prevention of depression. He also supports such non-profits as the Neutral Zone teen center and the Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum.

An active community member, Jenkins helped establish the Generations Together Center in Dexter, an intergenerational day-care center that provides day-care for both seniors and children.

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Hospital welcomes new corporate wellness director

There's a new corporate wellness coordinator at Chelsea Community Hospital.

The hospital's Business Health/Occupational Medicine Services has announced that Teddi Creekmore, a registered nurse, has been named to the position.

Creekmore has worked for CCH since 1996 in the areas of East Medical Surgery and Surgery Departments. In a statement released by the hospital, she said is pleased to be in her new role, and looks forward to establishing relationships with area employer groups who may benefit from CCH Occupational Medicine Services and Worksite Wellness programs.

"I am excited to reach out to area employers about our

Business Health Services," Creekmore said. "Our goal is to provide employers and their employees with health care services that enable them to stay healthy and productive at work. Because we can design a program based on each employer's specific requirements, I plan to work closely with each employer to ensure they receive the services they need, when they need them."

Creekmore's office is located inside Chelsea Orthopedics Specialists in the Chelsea Wellness Center, 14800 East Old US 12. She may be contacted at (734) 593-6397 or creekmot@cch.org.

Chelsea High alum completes Marine recruit training

Marine Corps Pvt. Christopher R. Bluteau, son of Jody and Roger Bluteau of Manchester, earned

the title of United States Marine after graduating from recruit training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C.

For 13 weeks, Bluteau stayed committed during some of the world's most demanding entry-level military training in order to be transformed from civilian to Marine instilled with pride, discipline and the core values of honor, courage and commitment. Training subjects included close-order drill, marks-

manship with an M-16A4 rifle, physical fitness, martial arts, swimming, military history, customs and courtesies.

One week prior to graduation, Bluteau endured The Crucible, a 54-hour final test of recruits' minds and bodies. Upon completion, recruits are presented the Marine Corps emblem and called Marines for the first time.

Bluteau is a 2011 graduate of Chelsea High School of Chelsea.

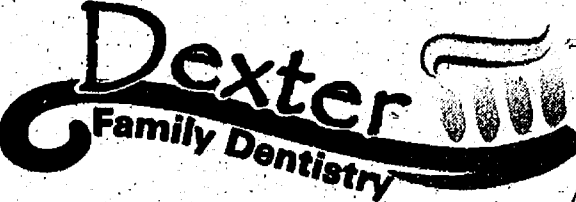


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Five state proposals fail; Prop 1 undecided

By Charles Crumm
Journal Register News Service

Five proposals aimed at altering Michigan's Constitution on matters from collective bargaining to taxes to renewable energy to international bridges were apparently rejected by Michigan voters Tuesday.

But partial returns on the state's controversial emergency manager law showed the outcome too close to call late in the evening before press deadline. Michigan Gov. Rick Snyder spent much of the week leading up to the election urging people to vote "Yes on 1, no on the rest."

Proposal 1 asked people to affirm Public Act 4, the state's emergency manager law. The law allows broader control for state-appointed emergency managers in financially troubled cities like Pontiac, which has had a manager since 2009. The outcome remained too close to call with partial returns reported.

However, voters appeared to easily reject the other five aimed at changing the state constitution:

• Proposal 2 asked that collective bargaining be

made a constitutional right for public and private workers.

• Proposal 3 asked for a constitutional amendment requiring 25 percent of the state's electricity come from renewable sources by the year 2025.

• Proposal 4 sought to amend the state Constitution to give home health-care providers limited collective bargaining rights.

• Proposal 5 asked that an increase in the state tax rate or tax base to be approved by two-thirds of the state legislature or a vote of the people.

• Proposal 6 sought a constitutional amendment to require voter approval for any new bridge or tunnel from the state to Canada. The proposal is an ongoing feud between the governor and the owners of the Ambassador Bridge, who oppose a government-sponsored second span over the Detroit River.

"For the sake of Michigan's families and economic recovery we can only hope the union bosses finally got voters' message — 'Hands Off Our Constitution!'" said a statement for Citizens

for Protecting Michigan's Constitution, an opponent of Proposal 2.

In Pontiac, state-appointed emergency manager Lou

Schimmel said it would be business as usual, at least for now, regardless of the outcome on Proposal 1.

"We simply have been

informed that if Public Act 4 is not in place, then really nothing happens, we just carry on in the position we're in now," he said.

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Change coming to Michigan's Supreme Court

By Charles Crumm
Journal Register News Service

Michigan voters made some changes to the Michigan Supreme Court Tuesday, sending at least one new judge to the seven-member court.

But partial returns indicated the outcome too difficult to call Tuesday evening.

With three seats up for grabs on the state's high court and one incumbent stepping down, the philosophy of the high court in future cases was at stake.

Republicans nominated incumbent Justice Stephen Markman and Oakland Circuit Court Judge Colleen O'Brien for eight-year terms on the court, and nominated incumbent Justice Brian Zahra for a partial term.

Democrats nominated law professor Bridget Mary McCormack and Wayne County Circuit Judge Connie Marie Kelley for the eight-year terms, and Southfield District Judge Shelia Johnson for the partial term.

Partial returns showed a close race between

Markman, O'Brien and McCormack for the eight-year terms, and a competitive race between Zahra and Johnson for the partial term.

Michigan's Supreme Court election this year was expected to be among the nation's costliest in terms of campaign spending.

There are currently four Republican-nominated judges and three Democrat-nominated judges on the bench.

With one judge stepping down, there was an opportunity for political parties or special interests to tip the court's balance.

The Michigan Supreme Court is the state's court of last resort on matters involving state law.

The high court hears maybe 100 cases a year out of about 2,000 requests for a hearing.

The high court's other role is administrative over the state's lower courts.

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Voters return Stabenow for another term

By Charles Crumm
Journal Register News Service

U.S. Sen. Debbie Stabenow easily won a third six-year term Tuesday.

She bested Holland Republican Pete Hoekstra despite a tightening presidential race and control of the U.S. Senate potentially up for grabs nationally.

Stabenow was the projected winner long before election results were tabulated in many places in the state.

She addressed her followers shortly before 10 p.m. to thank them for re-electing her.

"I want to thank my outstanding staff and the thousands of volunteers in every part of our state who worked tirelessly for what they believe in," Stabenow said in part. "And I want to send my best wishes to my opponent, Pete Hoekstra, and his family."

Hoekstra did not immediately issue a statement. Hoekstra, 58, from Holland, spent 18 years in Congress until a failed run for governor in 2010.

Polls consistently showed Stabenow, 62, with a double-digit lead over Hoekstra throughout the election season.

A series of television ads by Hoekstra did little to change Stabenow's advantage in polls leading up to election day.

With Republicans in control of the U.S. House, the GOP looked to add control of the U.S. Senate as well in the hopes that a Romney victory would give them unfettered control over the legislative and executive branches in Washington.

But in Michigan's Senate race, it was not to be.

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DeROO, DeWIGHT CHARLES; age 77; passed away suddenly on October 18, 2012. DeWight was born on September 5, 1935 in Trenton, MI, the son of the late Charles Westley and Gertude Helen DeRoo. DeWight is survived by his wife, Sally of 52 years; and his son, Nicholas of Dunedin, Florida. Cremation has taken place. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, December 8, 2012 at 11 a.m. at St. Vladimir Russian Orthodox Church, 9900 Jackson Rd., Dexter, MI 48130. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Fraternal Order of Police, Detroit lodge 144 and motor 188, MI-COPS or St. Vladimir Russian Orthodox Church. Please visit DeWight's personal webpage at www.niefuneralhomes.com to leave a memory.



GREGORY, THOMAS CHARLES; age 51; died Wednesday, October 31, 2012; at his home in Dennison, MN. Tom was born the sixth of eight children to James and Betty Gregory in Ann Arbor, MI, on March 21, 1961. Due to serious injuries incurred while on a hayride, Tom was a patient at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN in 1985 where he met and married his nurse, Karla Duke. They were married on October 8, 1987. Together they had a daughter, Lindsey Ann. On June 1, 2000, Tom married his second wife, Dori Sundin. Tom loved NASCAR, CHEVROLET, and #3 Dale Earnhardt. Tom spent many years working as a press operator at Pearson, Inc. Tom owned and operated the DENNISON MEAT LOCKER since June, 2001. Tom is survived by his wife, Dori; daughter, Lindsey Ann Gregory of Kasson, MN; mother, Betty Gregory, of Hastings, MI; five brothers, Gary (Candy) of Dexter, MI; Michael of Jackson, MI; Patrick of Ann Arbor, MI; Charles of Ann Arbor, MI; and James (Evelyn) of Petersburg, MI; and two sisters, Shirley (Dick) Bailey of Dexter, MI and Sue French of Hastings, MI. He is also survived by an uncle and aunt, Walter and Louise Page, another aunt, Donna Gregory, and many nieces, nephews, and cousins. Tom was preceded in death by his father, James Gregory; his paternal grandparents, Norman and Eva Gregory; and his maternal grandparents, Walter and Melvina Page. Tom has been cremated and per his daughter's wishes, his ashes will be returned to Michigan at a later date.



PAYNE, HELEN LOUISE HUTCHINGS. Beloved mother, grandmother, sister, and aunt of those of us who remain. Helen was born on September 7, 1915, in Bloomsburg, PA, the daughter of Ira and Stella Maude Hutchings. She treasured the love of her brothers, Paul, Edward and Robert; and sister, Dorothy. Robert survives along with his dear wife, Phyl. Helen married Herbert Eddy Payne and moved to Shamokin, PA, where she raised her family of three children, Roger, Laurie, and Jeffrey. Herbert died in 1991, soon after their 50th wedding anniversary. She spent the last 12 years of her life in Michigan, close to her family, and enjoyed the friendship of those in her church and neighborhood. Much can be said about our mother's kind heart and simple lifestyle, especially how she rejoiced in the events of her extended family and friends, never missing the opportunity to acknowledge a birthday or anniversary. She loved her grandchildren, her nieces, nephews, and all of their children, some of whom she never had a chance to meet. She was an extraordinary cook, a closet poet, artist, and an amazing legal secretary. And she was a lady in every sense of the word...lovely and loved, gracious, gentle, and caring. Well done, Miss Helen, well done. A Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, November 8, 2012, 1 p.m. at St. James Episcopal Church, 3279 Broad St., Dexter, MI 48130. Gifts in her memory may be made to St. James Church. www.hosmermuehligh.com

READE, KEN; age 88; of Ann Arbor; passed away November 4, 2012 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. He retired from the University of Michigan Pipe Fitters Department. He is survived by his daughters, Karen (Jim) Lamb and Dee Dee Reade; 12 grandchildren and several great grandchildren. A Graveside Service will take place on Friday, November 9, 2012, 2 p.m. at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Dexter, MI. Please visit www.hosmermuehligh.com to read Ken's full obituary and leave a condolence.



KALLENBACH, JESSAMINE SHIVELY KALLENBACH "Jes"; loving wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother; died Friday, September 21, 2012, at Frederick Memorial Hospital in Frederick, MD. She was 96. Born October 22, 1915, in Laconia, NH. Jes lived most of her life in Southport, CN. She received a B.A. in history from Mount Holyoke College in NH, and taught English Literature and Natural Science, at Brewster Free Academy in Wolfeboro, NH. In 1939, Jes married Joseph E. Kallenbach, a professor at the University of Michigan (U of M), Ann Arbor, and they remained together until Joe's death in 1991. While dedicated first to her family, Jes participated in many community activities and in 1962 earned her MALS from the U of M School of Library Science (now Information Sciences). From 1963 to 1983, she was a Professional Librarian at Eastern Michigan University (EMU). She earned an MA in English Literature in 1968 from EMU and distinguished herself in the field of Library Science, progressing from Instructor to full Professor with Emeritus standing. She became the first working librarian at EMU to receive a sabbatical leave to write a three-volume book series, Biographical Dictionary of American State Governors 1776-1976. Jes was active in the EMU chapter of Phi Kappa Phi academic honor society, and she earned a Distinguished Service citation from EMU in 1983 for her work in higher education. In 1987, the Mount Holyoke College Club of Ann Arbor honored Jes with the Sesquicentennial Award for her pursuit of excellence and significant contributions to her profession while raising a family. Jes was blessed with intelligence, a loving heart, motivation to accomplish much in her life, and she was admired by many. She was first a devoted wife and mother. Her other interests included flower gardening, music, golf, volunteer work with the League of Women Voters and at the U of M Matthaei Botanical Gardens. In 2001 she left Ann Arbor to reside at the Homewood Retirement Center in Frederick, MD. There she founded a music appreciation group, volunteered for various Homewood services, and enjoyed sharing her love of literature and music with the many wonderful friends she met.

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Jes is survived by three daughters, Juliette O'Connell of Gaithersburg, MD, Jobi Kennedy of Sleepy Hollow, IL, and Jennifer Kallenbach of Portland, OR; three grandchildren, Kim Del Monico-Ziolkowski, SC, Christopher DelMonico, SC, and Kela Parker, OR; other surviving family members are her sister, Janice Woodhull of Davidsonville, MD; two great-granddaughters; nieces and nephews. She was also preceded in death by two sisters; and her parents. A Memorial Service is planned for the spring in Ann Arbor. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The American Heart Association or to the County Hospice of choice.

OTTO, JAMES WILLIAM; age 71; of Dexter; passed away on November 4, 2012. He is affiliated with St. Joseph Catholic Church and was a supervisor with Argersinger and Morse Construction. He is survived by his wife, Carol A. (Mantyk) Otto; sons, J. Barry Otto (Marti), C. Paul Otto (Amy) and Cameron W. Otto (Kelly); five grandchildren, Whitney, Brandon, Kenydee, Carter and Cooper; sister, Carol Duatti; and brother, David L. Otto (Marilyn). He is also survived by former, Peggy A. Weber-Otto; many nieces, nephews, cousins and longtime friends and buddies. A Mass of Christian Burial will take place on Friday, November 9, 2012, 11 a.m. with instate at 10 a.m. at St. Joseph Village Catholic Church, (corner of 4th and Dover). In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to American Lung Association. www.hosmermuehligh.com

WEBER, JOSEPH C.; age 77; passed away November 4, 2012. He is a lifelong resident of Dexter and served his country in the U.S. Army. Joe is survived by his wife, Carole; brother, John (Virginia); and sister, Janice (Joseph) Brosnan. He is also survived by many nieces and nephews. Funeral Services were held at St. Andrews United Church of Christ, Dexter. Memorials may be made to the St. Andrews Church. www.hosmermuehligh.com

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# Study: Phone calls help patients manage blood pressure

New University of Michigan research evaluated the impact of automated calls from a U.S.-based server to the mobile phones of patients with hypertension in Honduras and Mexico.

Hypertension is one of the greatest epidemics threatening the health of people in low and middle-income countries, especially patients struggling with high blood pressure in countries with limited access to health care.

The automated call program was designed to be a low-cost way of providing long distance checkups and self-management education.

Patients were provided

with home blood pressure monitors and reported information about their blood pressure, medication use and symptoms during the weekly automated calls. During the calls, they received tailored health information from U of M via a cloud computing system.

Compared to patients receiving usual care, those who received the weekly 12-minute calls for six weeks were more likely to say that they understood how to take their medication, experienced fewer depressive symptoms and were more satisfied with care.

Blood pressures decreased significantly,

especially among patients with the greatest need for education about their hypertension management.

"What some people may not realize is that the biggest health threats in less-developed countries aren't just communicable diseases like HIV. Chronic disease and high blood pressure are the biggest killers," said lead author John D. Piette, professor of internal medicine at the U of M Medical School, in a news release.

"Our work shows that mobile technology can be used to help people living in poor areas of the world that don't have the infrastructure for health ser-

vices. It was gratifying to see how something based at U of M could give these patients in remote areas information they needed to manage their hypertension."

The results were published in *Telemedicine and e-Health*.

Despite high poverty levels in both Honduras and Mexico, about 70 percent of the population has a cell phone - making it an instrumental tool to improve access to health monitoring and information, Piette says.

The telehealthcare model had the most successful outcomes among people who had limited literacy - averaging just

six years of formal education - and who lived on an average income of \$2,900 a year.

Hypertension is a leading cause of cardiovascular diseases and is a top health issue in Latin America, where more than 100 million adults are hypertensive and rates among men are the highest in the world.

Two-thirds of people with high blood pressure live in low and middle income countries.

"Our work provides evidence that this model of telehealthcare can deliver meaningful services to patients in remote areas of the world lacking access to health services," said

Piette, who is also senior research scientist with the Veterans Affairs Ann Arbor Healthcare System.

"We hope to further study how this model helps with other conditions such as diabetes or depression."

Additional authors on the study were Hema Datwani, Sofia Gaudioso, Stephanie M. Foster, Joslyn Westphal, William Perry and Nicole Marinac, all of U of M, as well as Dr. Joel Rodriguez-Saldana of the Remedi Medical Research and Development, Pachuca, Mexico and Dr. Milton O. Mendoza-Avelares of the Yojoa International Medical Center, Santa Cruz de Yojoa, Honduras.

## Free Alzheimer's training sessions offered in November

Michigan Home Instead Senior Care franchise offices will host free, in-person Alzheimer's training sessions during November, in conjunction with Alzheimer's Awareness Month and National Family Caregivers Month.

The recently launched Alzheimer's CARE: Changing Aging Through Research and EducationSM program is a first-of-its-kind training

program that addresses current and future needs by offering family members a fresh approach to Alzheimer's care.

The approach encourages mental engagement to help relatives remain safely at home and in familiar surroundings as long as possible and to help family members learn to immerse themselves in the mindsets of their loved ones to help manage difficult

behaviors associated with Alzheimer's disease.

Approximately 80 percent of Alzheimer's home care is provided by family members. The Alzheimer's CARE program, based on input from renowned aging and dementia experts, offers them a much-needed resource for coping with challenges presented by the disease while maintaining their loved one's dignity and helping them

live more fulfilling lives.

"As the Baby Boomer population continues to age, it is essential for current and future caregivers to be educated and prepared on how to manage behaviors associated with Alzheimer's disease," said Jeff Huber, president and chief operating officer of Home Instead Inc., in a news release.

"We hope that by reaching such a wide audience, more family caregivers

will be equipped with the proper knowledge and tools to face the everyday challenges of the disease."

The Alzheimer's CARE training program was created exclusively by and for the Home Instead Senior Care network.

Based on co-author David Troxel's "best friends" approach to Alzheimer's Care - and informed and endorsed by experts in aging, Alzheimer's and related

fields - the program focuses on the care and dignity of the individual rather than the symptoms, diagnosis and treatments.

It encourages caregivers to capture a senior's life journey and use that information to relate to them personally.

For a schedule of the training programs in Michigan or to take free online training courses, visit [www.helpforalzheimerfamilies.com](http://www.helpforalzheimerfamilies.com).

## Red Kettle campaign kicks off Friday across county

The Salvation Army of Washtenaw County will kick off its 2012 Red Kettle Campaign at noon Friday at Briarwood Mall, featuring the first bell ring of the season and a visit from St. Nick.

The festivities will take place in the Von Maur seating area on the south side of the mall.

The public is invited to attend the celebration, with a miniature Salvation Army gold bell going to

the first 100 guests.

Major John Williams, Salvation Army of Washtenaw County coordinator, will lead the program and announce goal of \$330,000 to help provide essential services, such as food and shelter, to Washtenaw County neighbors in need.

Donations gathered during the annual appeal help fund assistance programs throughout the entire year. The Salvation Army's

iconic red kettles will be stationed at more than 35 storefronts throughout Washtenaw County, including JC Penney, Busch's, K-Mart, TJ Maxx and Walmart, starting Friday and running through Dec. 24.

"With Ann Arbor's poverty rate at 24 percent, we expect the demand for assistance to continue increasing," said Major Williams in a news release. "Every dollar donated in



Washtenaw County helps us provide important services to people right here

in this community."

In 2011, Salvation Army of Washtenaw County helped provide more than 12,200 meals and 17,300 nights of shelter to families, veterans and individuals in Washtenaw County.

According to information provided by The Salvation Army, Washtenaw County, the local organization uses an average of 82 cents of every dollar donated to

provide a food pantry, soup kitchen, clothing assistance, a family shelter, transitional housing and counseling for veterans, character building for youth, camp programs, emergency and disaster relief, utility assistance and eviction prevention services.

Online Red Kettle contributions to Salvation Army of Washtenaw County can also be made at [www.sawashtenaw.org](http://www.sawashtenaw.org).

## Crisler to host Army-Navy Wheelchair Basketball game

Typical cheers of "Go Blue!" in the Crisler Center will be replaced with chants of "Go Army!" and "Go Navy!" Nov. 20, as two, wheelchair basketball teams representing military veterans take to the court to raise awareness for those with disabilities and celebrate veterans in the community.

The third-annual University of Michigan Army-Navy Wheelchair

Basketball game will feature official wheelchair basketball players, U of M and Eastern Michigan University student veterans and U of M ROTC students.

For the first time, the game will be played at U of M's Crisler Center, with tipoff set for 7:30 p.m.

The event is part of U of M's Veterans Day celebration and the final event of the university's Investing

in Ability Week, a more than weeklong recognition of the talents and skills of those with disabilities.

"We want this event to be a celebration of both our veterans as well as those with disabilities," said Gerald Hoff, the event's organizer and insurance verification representative at U of M, in a news release.

"This year's game is going to the next level,

with fans and players having the chance to enjoy themselves at the Crisler Center."

The event is free and open to the public.

U.S. Paralympics athlete Scot Severn is scheduled to participate in this year's game, Hoff said. Severn is an Army veteran who participated in the 2008 Paralympic Games and won a bronze medal in the 2012 Games.

This year's grand marshal is U of M Regent Kathy E. White, who is also an instructor of law at the U.S. Military Academy and a lieutenant colonel in the Army reserves.

Other event highlights include a national anthem performance by the U of M Tri-Service Color Guard and the U of M Men's Glee Club, a silent auction hosted by U of M student veterans in

support of the Michigan Paralyzed Veterans and the Student Veterans of America and performances during the game and at halftime from the U of M Dance Team.

Crisler Center is located at the corner of South Main and East Stadium in Ann Arbor.

For more information about the event, contact Gerald Hoff at 936-8177 or [ghoff@med.umich.edu](mailto:ghoff@med.umich.edu).

## Charles Reinhart Realtors coat drive runs through Nov. 30

Charles Reinhart Company Realtors kicked off its 17th annual coat drive Nov. 1, with the goal of collecting more than 1,500 adult and children's coats to distribute to local agencies throughout Washtenaw County.

Through the month of November, Charles Reinhart Company Realtors will collect new and "gently used" winter coats at all of the Charles Reinhart sales offices as well as all Sunday open houses.

Capital Cleaners, Chelsea Cleaners, and Gold Bond Cleaners have donated their services to professionally clean the coats before they are donated to more than 20 local agencies.

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# State health groups urge residents to get vaccinated

The Michigan Department of Community Health, along with the Michigan Osteopathic Association and Michigan State Medical Society, are urging all Michigan residents to get vaccinated against pertussis, also known as whooping cough, and influenza to protect themselves and vulnerable infants.

"Most parents today have never seen the devastating consequences that vaccine-preventable diseases can have on a family or community," said James K. Haveman, director of the MDCH, in a news release.

"Through vaccination, Michigan families are much better protected than they were in the past, but vaccine-preventable diseases are still a very real threat and they continue to exist in the communities in which we live, work and play."

On May 17, Veronica McNally, mother of Francesca Marie, lost her 3-month-old daughter to pertussis, also known as whooping cough.

McNally believes she and the baby and her young son had pertussis, which went unrecognized by numerous health care providers.

McNally was not advised of the importance of receiving a tetanus-diphtheria-acellular pertussis vaccine for herself and those around Francesca to protect her daughter against this disease.

Vaccination of those around infants is critical because infants cannot be fully immunized against this disease until 15-18 months of age. Additionally, her two older children were on a delayed immunization schedule.

"In deciding to delay my children's vaccination schedule, I thought I was doing what was in their best interest," McNally said.

"I thought I was informed. I thought my vigilance in seeing a doctor when my children were sick was

going to help protect them. I thought I was on top of my children's health. But I was naive."

Whooping cough is one of the most commonly occurring vaccine-preventable diseases in the United States and cases are on the rise.

In Michigan, there has been a steady increase in pertussis throughout the past decade, with a peak of more than 1,500 reported cases in 2010.

This year in Michigan, there already have been 597 reported pertussis cases as of Sept. 30.

Influenza is also a life-threatening disease especially for infants. During the 2010-11 flu season, there were six influenza-associated pediatric deaths in Michigan.

Currently, flu activity nationwide is beginning to increase. Michigan already has seen 12 cases.

"Since health care personnel are the first line of defense in diagnosing, treating, and preventing the spread of these infectious diseases, it makes sense that we lead by example to protect not only our patients, but the entire health care workforce," said Michigan State Medical Society President-elect Kenneth Elmassian.

"Whether we commit to it as individual providers, or as health care institutions, we must take all appropriate measures to prevent the spread of infectious diseases in health care settings. This certainly includes vaccinating ourselves against seasonal and pandemic flu and pertussis."

In Michigan, vaccination rates among adults are very low, with almost 17 percent of adults ages 19-64 and only 66 percent of Michigan adolescents ages 11-12 having received the Tdap vaccine.

Studies have shown that immunity to pertussis wanes after the childhood series has been given; therefore it's critical to vaccinate adolescents and adults to

further boost their pertussis protection.

Vaccination rates are also low for the flu vaccine, with only 31 percent of Michigan adults ages 18-64 vaccinated against the flu during the 2011-12 season.

"Today's vaccines are created using modern technology and involve many scientific disciplines. Our patients and their families should feel confident that the 'how to' and 'wherefore' of vaccine administration is greatly understood today," said Dr. Anthony Ognjan, a member physician with the MOA.

"The techniques involved for safe and effective vaccination delivery have been simplified for the average physician, specialty physicians and other health care providers, by diverse groups of scientists, physicians and clinical practitioners."

MDCH, MOA, and MSMS are urging Michigan families to talk to their health care provider right away about the vaccines they need for themselves and their family.

Further, Michigan health care providers are encouraged to never miss an opportunity to vaccinate and to strongly recommend vaccines to patients of all ages.

Even if you don't have a baby in your family or social circle, these diseases can be passed on anywhere that air is shared. Infants depend on all of us to be vaccinated to protect them.

"To all expectant mothers, I urge you: please ask your doctor about vaccination against pertussis and flu for you and all members of your family," said McNally. "Protect your infants."

For more information about vaccinations in Michigan, including pertussis and flu, visit [www.michigan.gov/immunize](http://www.michigan.gov/immunize) and [www.michigan.gov/flu](http://www.michigan.gov/flu). To read more about Francesca's story, visit [www.frannys-trong.org](http://www.frannys-trong.org).



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# Grieving families invited to remember loved ones

Anyone who has lost a loved one in the last year is invited to a community Service of Remembrance Nov. 18 at 3 p.m. at the Chelsea Community Hospital dining room.

This non-denominational service is open to anyone who has lost a loved one in the past year. The service, which is expected to last approximately 45 minutes. There will be speakers discussing grief during the holidays, reading of the names of those who have passed away, and lighting candles in their memory.

Each grieving family will be presented with a personalized memorial angel ornament.

After the service, light refreshments will be provided, along with a time to share memories and experiences. Brochures about coping with the holidays will be available.

There is no cost for the program, and pre-registration is not required. The service is jointly sponsored by Chelsea Community Hospital, Cole Funeral Chapel, and Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home. Questions may be addressed to Allen Cole at 475-1551 or John Mitchell at 475-1444.

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## Trick or treat!

Children visited Dexter businesses for trick-or-treating Oct. 31. Here is Peter Theodorakis and a trick-or-treater at The Dexter Pub.

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# Library hosting literacy talk

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This program will give those who are interested in volunteering to teach adults how to read an opportunity to meet representatives from Washtenaw Literacy to find out about tutoring opportu-

nities and learn about the tutor training provided.

Washtenaw Literacy provides free literacy instruction, customized to the needs of adults throughout Washtenaw County, by utilizing a trained network of

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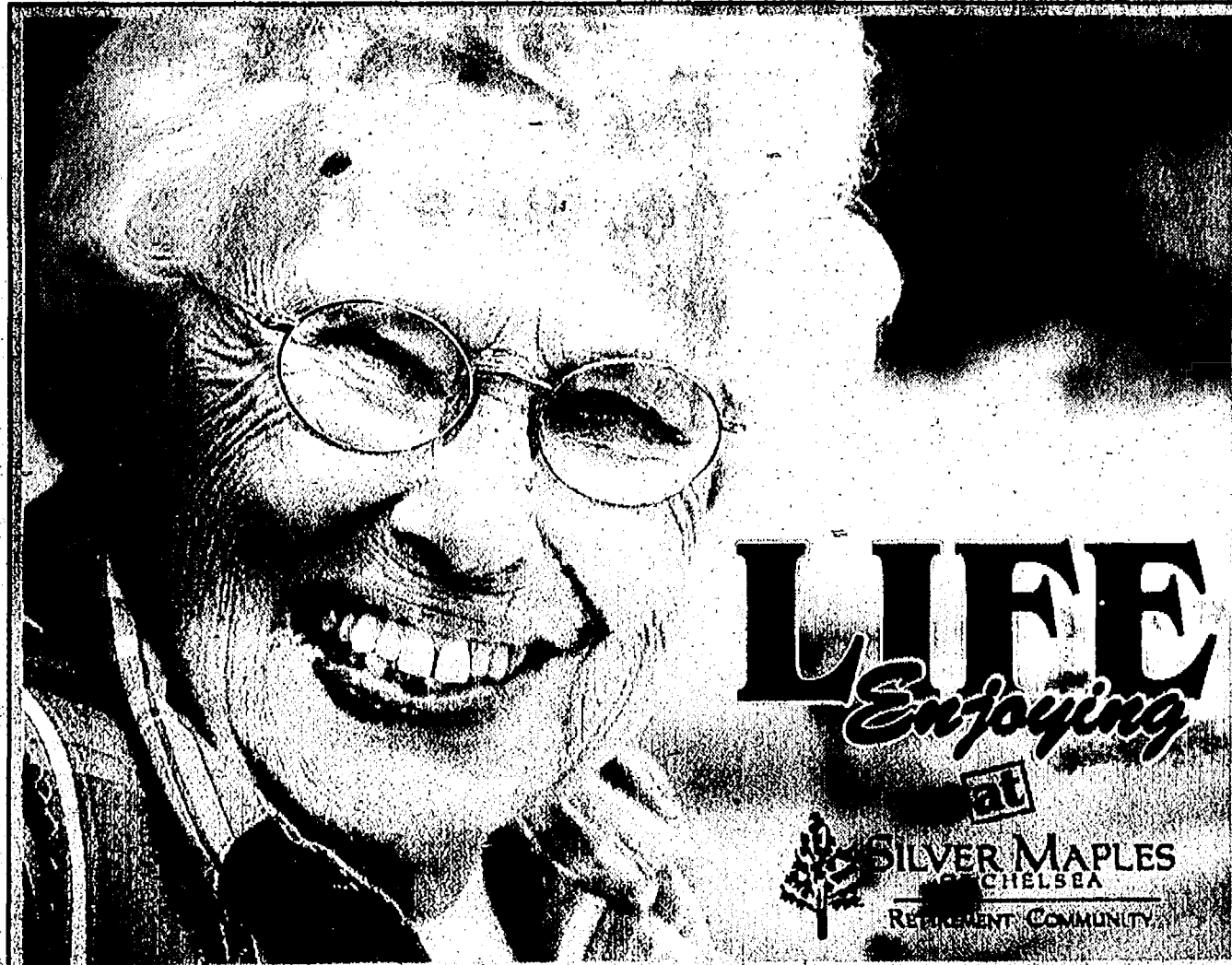
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There's a lot to be said for retirement living, especially when it comes to eating well, getting things fixed, and keeping your mind and body engaged.

Just ask John and Dorothy Strand, residents of The Meadows, Silver Maples' assisted living apartments. Since they moved to Chelsea in June of 2011, the Strands have found much comfort and relief in not having to worry about fixing things, housekeeping, or, especially, cooking. With three meals a day provided by Chef Tom Zigman's kitchen, they are both enjoying the ease of not having to grocery shop, prepare, and clean up. And while Dorothy's favorite meal is dinner, John is not quite so discerning.

"I like all the meals," said John, "especially the dessert. I do like the desserts," he laughs.

Both John and Dorothy are graduates of the University of Michigan. A couple of years apart in age - John is 95, Dorothy, 93 - they met in their high school Latin class, after the teacher paired them up at the Latin Banquet.

They married in December 1941, and built three houses together over the years in Ann Arbor, where they lived most of their life. In retirement, they moved to Dexter and eventually decided to check out Silver Maples' short-term stay respite program. Before too long, they realized that a permanent move to Silver Maples seemed like a good idea.

John especially appreciates the caliber and efficiency of the maintenance department.

"I get things fixed before they're broken!"

With any move, there were surprises, too, once they settled in. While both had led a typically active lifestyle, they've both found that they enjoy the structured exercise classes that Silver Maples offers.

"I go five days a week," Dorothy said. "It's a good class."

John is a member of the Chelsea Wellness Center, a perk of living at Silver Maples. He heads over, on average, two to three times a week.

The daily exercise class at Silver Maples is taught by Natalie McKenney, the Activity Coordinator at Silver Maples. She recently became a certified group fitness instructor and is a graduate of Eastern Michigan University's health administration program. While she feels that physical exercise should be an important part of everyone's life, there's so much more to aging well.

"Activities can boost quality of life in various ways," McKenney said. "We try to tap in on all levels of well-being (social, spiritual, vocational, creative, intellectual, and physical) to meet the needs of our diverse population."

She said that regardless of physical limitations that would discourage some, many Silver Maples residents take this on as a challenge.

"As a certified group fitness instructor, I can expand the variations of our exercise program, implementing cardio, flexibility, strength and resistance training. It is an amazing feeling when a resident tells me how much these exercises have helped them. Everything from increasing the dexterity in their hands, to getting them out of their wheelchair for a daily walk."

McKenney, like so many of Silver Maples residents, has also benefitted from life at Silver Maples.

"I have grown so much on a personal level just from being with the residents on a daily basis," she said.

"Every day is like a virtual interactive history class. I am reliving history through their intriguing, personal life stories! We have so many talented and intelligent residents here at Silver Maples; behind each one is a unique and touching story of selflessness and compassion. The traditional values of this generation are something I connect with, we really are like a big family around here."



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## Chelsea graduate leads students in musical

By Crystal Hayduk  
Special Writer

**T**heater-goers can aspire to financial success as they dream along with the young J. Pierrepont Finch when Chelsea High School Theatre Guild brings the unpredictable musical comedy "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" to the stage.

The story is about Finch, who begins his working life as a window washer in New York City, but uses advice learned from a book to rise to chairman of the board of the World Wide Wicket Company.

Carrie Jay Sayer, Chelsea High School's new artistic and vocal director, chose the seven Tony Award-winning 1961 Broadway hit because it has many great roles and fresh, fun music. "It's such a great story that will keep you guessing all the way to the end," she said.

**"To have the opportunity to give back to the community where I grew up and got my start in theatre is unbelievable"**

**CARRIE JAY SAYER**  
Chelsea High School artistic and vocal director

a career.

"I'm still trying to wrap my mind around this huge gift," Sayer posted on her blog. "To have the opportunity to give back to the community where I grew up and got my start in theatre is unbelievable."

Sayer is co-producing the show with the high school's Chuck Griffin, who is also the technical director. "The set Chuck has designed is amazing," Sayer said. "He's brilliant."

Sayer credits the newly formed CHS Theatre Boosters, a parent volunteer organization that exists to support the program and the students, for helping to create a "true sense of community."

Sayer chose Christine Landis to provide choreography. "The original Broadway show did not have much in the way of dance, but one of the revivals was very jazzy," Landis explained. "I'm trying to design a middle

ground between too much dance and not enough."

Landis said that the students are working well together at building the trust factor that is required for the dance lifts in the big finale.

All of the songs will be accompanied by live music, conducted by



Photos by Crystal Hayduk

**Cast members rehearsing a scene for "A Secretary Is Not a Toy" number. Left to right: Nicole Herman, Nolan Peterson, Kallina Koch, Nick Katke, Lindsay Smith, Katherine Moise, Allie Reynolds, James Straub (lying), Audrey Timberlake, Kelsey Bradley, Gabe Raines, Alex Duncan, Teagen Parkinson, Reeve Segrest.**

Robert Cindric of Saline.

Sayer is pleased with the progress the cast has made with learning the difficult music. "Most songs have a lot of structure," said junior Reeve Segrest, who plays Jasper B. Biggley, the boss. "But this music is unpredictable and jazzy."

Junior James Straub, who provides comic relief in the part of Bud Frump, said that the cast has worked especially hard to perfect the challenging music.

Sayer, whose passion is to inspire others to do and be their best, begins rehearsals with plenty of team-building activities and dramatic games to teach the cast to create connections that allow them to "be real" on - and off - stage. Alex Duncan, a junior who plays the part of the sarcastic and cynical Smitty, said that

cast members gain a tremendous amount of confidence in other parts of their lives as a result of theatre involvement.

Junior Allie Reynolds, who began acting in her freshman year, agreed. "Theatre changes (our) lives, and we hope that the story and the entertainment will change the lives of those in the audience, too."

Sayer hopes that her work in Chelsea will be the beginning of a new perspective on high school theatre. "We're not treating this as a high school musical," she said. "We're treating it as a professional musical that just happens to have high school students cast in the roles."

"How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying" will be at the Chelsea High School Auditorium, 740 North



Photos by Crystal Hayduk

**Despite the workplace competition, the company has become like a family to Finch. Left to right: Nick Katke, Gabe Raines, Reeve Segrest, Audrey Timberlake, Nolan Peterson and James Straub.**

Freer Road, on Nov. 16-17 at 7 p.m. and Nov. 18 at 3 p.m.

Tickets are available

in advance at the Chelsea Pharmacy or at the door. Adults are \$12, and students and seniors are \$8.

## Got cake? Glee Havens' pastry shop does

Chelsea's Glee Cake & Pastry is celebrating the shop's one-year anniversary with a week long event and wedding cake tasting.

The celebration kicks off Nov. 10 as part of the Wine, Women and Shopping event. The next day Glee will host a wedding cake tasting from noon to 3 p.m. for prospective brides and grooms, and their guests.

The celebration continues throughout the week following and features daily specials, drawings for prizes, entertainment and more.

Executive Pastry Chef Glee Havens opened her retail bake shop in November of 2011, offering classic European-style cakes, wedding cakes, gourmet cupcakes, dessert bars and pastries. She also caters to local high-end restaurants, and caterers and event planners.

"This first year has been amazing," said Havens.

"Business has been great, we have met so many wonderful people and I am having an absolute blast baking every day."



**Glee Havens opened Glee Cake and Pastry in Chelsea a year ago. She will mark the one-year anniversary with a celebration kicking off Nov. 10. These are just some of the creations people will find.**

When she opened the business a year ago, Havens wasn't sure how her tasty creations would be received. It took about two days after she opened for her to realize that her shop was being embraced by the community, and soon after, she had customers from places like Ann Arbor.



Birmingham, Chicago, Grand Rapids and Toledo.

"We had a hard time keeping up with demand when we first opened," Glee said. "The holidays were fast approaching and people were very curious. We sure opened with a bang."

Word spread like the scrump-

tious mousse filling that are the center of her gourmet cupcakes and business has been booming ever since.

"We are fortunate to have a following of regulars now, some from out of town, that have discovered us on their way through the area. They stop in whenever

they are back this way," Glee said. "We had a customer stop on their way back to Chicago to pick up a turtle cheese cake, which made it's way onto the set of the Oprah show -- word is Oprah absolutely loved it!"

The wedding cake tasting on Nov. 11 features a sampling of cakes, gourmet cupcakes, and other desserts for brides, grooms -- at no charge and their guests for \$5.

Reservations are required for the event and can be made by calling (734) 475-3000 or stopping by in person. Space is limited on a first come basis.

Brides and couples that book a wedding that day will receive a free anniversary cake certificate.

Glee Cake & Pastry is also now accepting orders for the holiday season including corporate gift packages for select Glee cakes, cupcakes and cookies.

Glee Cake & Pastry can be found on Facebook. They are located at 117 S. Main St. Call (734) 475-3000, or gleeecakeandpastry.com.

## Purple Rose, library team up for free concerts

The Purple Rose Theatre Co. will present two free concert readings of plays under consideration for future production at the Chelsea District Library in November and December.

As part of the professional theatre company's ongoing partnership with the award-winning library, the readings will take place at 10:30 a.m. Saturday and Dec. 1 in the McKune Room of the Chelsea District Library. The library is located at 221 S. Main Street, Chelsea. Each reading will be followed by an audience talkback with the director and actors.

On Saturday, at 10:30 a.m., Purple Rose actors will read an untitled new play by Michael Brian, the



author of "Bleeding Red" and "Corktown."

Nurse Rachel Migilny is ringing in the New Year with her husband and looking towards a bright future together when the unthinkable happens: Zombies

attack!

Flash forward to a post-zombie-apocalyptic society where a small band of survivors is trying to make their way to a safe zone where there may (or may not) be a cure. Will Rachel

**Pictured at reading last summer at the Chelsea District Library are Purple Rose actors (from left) Jim Porterfield and Michael Brian Ogden**

Photo by Danna Segrest

and her newfound allies survive the journey? This gripping new play pushes the bounds of theatrical conventions and asks audiences to go along for the ride.

Community members are invited to the first public reading of this work-in-progress and give their feedback to the playwright and director after the reading. This play contains adult language and themes.

On Dec. 1 at 10:30 a.m., members of the Purple Rose will read a new play by David MacGregor of "Consider the Oyster," "Gravity" and "Vino Veritas." His new play is called "Scrooge Macbeth or a Shakespearean Christmas."

This yuletide comedy tells the story of Bob, Sylvia, Victor, and Renee: the last actors standing after a food poisoning outbreak sidelines the cast of their community theatre's holiday production. But that's not the only setback: Sylvia has just discovered a boatload of red ink in the theatre group's ledger. With impending financial ruin, a shortage of cast members, and an expectant audience just outside the doors, can these four amateur thespians concoct some holiday entertainment in time to save their theatre?

Both readings are free and open to the public. Registration for these events is strongly encouraged, due to limited seat-

ing. Registration is available by calling the Chelsea District Library at (734) 475-8732 or by visiting: <http://bit.ly/SkRGVO> for the Saturday reading, and <http://bit.ly/Tqe125> for the Dec. 1 reading.

Founded in 1991 by acclaimed actor and Chelsea native Jeff Daniels, The Purple Rose Theatre Co. is a leading American theatre dedicated to producing the new American play and creating opportunities for Midwest theatre professionals.

The Chelsea District Library serves 14,000 residents in the City of Chelsea plus Dexter, Lima, Lyndon and Sylvan townships. More than 20,000 people visit each month.



## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

**Marjorie Daniels upset, saddened by demolition of historic show room**

Over the last few weeks, I have spoken with many concerned individuals, read the articles, and heard from both sides. The subject: the demolition of the Daniels Show Room.

In 1946, W.R. "Sporty" Daniels opened the Buick-Oldsmobile dealership on the corner of Main and Jackson streets. When World War II

came to a close in June, 1947, his first customers were returning veterans. For the next two years at prices they could afford, W.R. sold only to veterans. No one else. "It was my way of honoring their sacrifice," he said. The building was also one of Michigan's few remaining 1940s automobile show rooms. Its unique and simple design was part of the state's architectural heritage.

Today, when I look north on Main Street, I see a hollow space and I am saddened. We

all should be.

We lost an irreplaceable gem.  
Marjorie Daniels

Chelsea

**Removing political signs is illegal**

Regardless of the outcome of the election, as an American believing in democracy and that the majority rules, I will support the ones elected.

I also believe in free speech and our individual rights. That includes the right to put politi-

cal signs on our own property. In fact, it is against the law for anyone other than the person who placed the sign, or owns the property, to remove signs.

Two different times recently political signs expressing the choices of my wife and I for candidates were removed from my lawn.

Is it mere coincidence that the signs supported Republican candidates? Is it coincidence that signs supporting particular school board candidates have been removed? Is it a

coincidence that I see signs supporting Democratic candidates still in place?

This is America, where we are free to express our opinions publicly, in the press, or on signs in our lawns. And, this is politics in Chelsea, not Chicago. While we have brave ones fighting and dying around the world to protect our rights, we have cowards under the cover of night stealing signs. Get a life!

Art Dils  
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## CALENDAR

**Friday**

■ At 11 a.m. at the Dexter District Library, the Dancer's Edge @ Studio "D" Presents: Music and Movement for ages 5 and under.

**Sunday**

■ The Dexter Community Band will open their 2012-13 season with a free concert at 3 p.m. at Dexter High School. The concert is in honor of Veteran's Day.

■ The Huron-Clinton Metroparks, including Hudson Mills in Dexter, will waive vehicle entry fees and boat launch fees today on Veterans Day and on Thanksgiving November 22. All parks are open on Veterans Day and Thanksgiving. Interpretive centers are open on Veterans Day. Entry fees are also waived on Christmas Day. For more information, call the Huron-Clinton Metroparks at 1-800-477-2757 or visit [www.metroparks.com](http://www.metroparks.com).

■ Veterans of the Armed Forces of the United States, and those currently serving their country will be honored guests again this year at St. Andrew's United Church of Christ, 7610 Ann Arbor at 10 a.m. All veterans and service personnel in the community, and their families, are invited to this special event paying tribute to their dedication and sacrifice along with the members of their families as part of Veterans' Day.

**November 15**

■ The Dexter District Library will host a Washtenaw Literacy Volunteer Recruitment and Orientation at 7 p.m. This program will give those who are interested in volunteering to teach adults how to read an opportunity to meet representatives from Washtenaw Literacy, find out about tutoring opportunities and learn about the tutor training provided by Washtenaw Literacy. The Dexter District Library is located at 3255 Alpine St., Dexter. All library programs are free and open to the public. For more information, call (734) 426-4477.

**November 16**

■ Chelsea seniors will gather at noon for friendship, a traditional Thanksgiving feast, and musical entertainment. Enjoy performances from the Senior Center Barbershop Quartet followed by Friends in Song. Sponsors are the Cole family and the Chelsea School District. Call (734) 475-9242 to reserve your space for this annual community gathering. Suggested donation is \$5.

**November 16-18**

■ Chelsea High School's fall musical is "How to Succeed in Business... Without Really Trying." Show dates and times are November 16-17 at 7 p.m. and November 18 at 3 p.m.

Tickets \$12 and \$8 at the door or at Chelsea Pharmacy.

**November 18**

■ A Community Service of Remembrance will be held at 3 p.m. at the Chelsea Community Hospital dining room. This non-denominational service is open to anyone who has lost a loved one in the past year. The service will feature speakers discussing grief during the holidays, reading of the names of those who have passed away, and lighting candles. Each grieving family will be presented with a personalized memorial angel ornament. After the service, light refreshments will be provided, along with a time to share memories and experiences. Brochures about coping with the holidays will be available. There is no cost for the program, and pre-registration is not required. The service is jointly sponsored by Chelsea Community Hospital, Cole Funeral Chapel, and Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home. Questions may be addressed to Allen Cole (734) 475-1551 or John Mitchell (734) 475-1444.

**November 24**

■ The Friends of the Dexter District Library will host their raffle drawing at 3 p.m. Tickets are available for \$2 at the library front desk from an friend member and

various community events, including the book sale this Saturday. Three prize packages are available: An Arts and Crafts prize, electronics prize or sporting event prize.

**Dec. 1**

■ Just in time for holiday shopping, local Dexter organizations are opening their doors from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Visit the Dexter Area Girl Scouts at St. Andrew's Church 7610 Ann Arbor St., Dexter Senior Center 7720 Ann Arbor St. and Dexter Historical Museum 3443 Inverness. All will have a wide variety of crafts, quilts, holiday ornaments, jewelry, knitted and crocheted hats and mittens, and many other unique gifts for sale. At the Girl Scout Bazaar, in addition to the handmade arts and crafts made by the girls and their families, new this year, auction baskets donated by Dexter Girl Scout Troops: St. Andrew's Church Senior Choir will have lunch available for purchase. The Holiday Bazaar at the Dexter Area Museum, will feature antique linens, colorful knitted scarves, headbands and mittens, holiday ornaments plus special items for everyone in the family and for the home! There will be a drawing for a hand-woven basket, hand-woven rug and hand carved wooden bowl. Plus a delicious assortment of baked goods. The Museum Corner Gift Shop will be open for your shopping.

■ There will be a Bird Hike

beginning at 8 a.m. at the Hudson Mill Metropark Activity Center in Dexter. Bring your binoculars and a field guide to observe bird species seen in the park and record dates, locations, and trends from year to year. You will explore a variety of habitats throughout the park. Fee: \$3 per person. Pre-registration is required.

**Dec. 2**

■ Genealogical Society of Washtenaw County will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the Education Center Auditorium at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Campus, 5305 Elliott Drive, Ypsilanti. Dr. James McConnell will speak about "Michigan at War: the Struggle for the Old Northwest, 1812-15." The event is free and visitors are welcome. Contact: Marcia McCrary, president at (734) 483-2799 or [president@washtenawgenealogy.org](mailto:president@washtenawgenealogy.org). For more information, see the GSWC web site at [www.washtenawgenealogy.org](http://www.washtenawgenealogy.org).

**Dec. 3**

■ The Friends of the Dexter District Library will host their annual meeting at 7 p.m. All are welcome. The meetings are generally held on the fourth Tuesday of each month.

**Dec. 5**

■ The Community Media Lab, located at 215 W. Michigan Ave. in Ypsilanti, is

offering a free workshop with Rick Kessler, a veteran journalist, page designer, copy editor, and blogger affiliated with Heritage Media, will present "Blogging 101" from 1 to 3 p.m. The lab offers help on writing press releases, setting up social media accounts, blogging, editing video and creating photo slideshows, among other things, between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Mon-day through Friday. Email [communitymedialab@heritage.com](mailto:communitymedialab@heritage.com) or call 1-267-229-6037 for more information.

**Dec. 9**

■ Santa Central is from 10 a.m., 12:30 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. in the Activity Center at Hudson Mills Metropark near Dexter. Children can visit Santa Central to play reindeer games, make crafts, enjoy a hayride and snack, and share their wish list with Santa. Tickets are \$6 per child, children under the age of 1 are free. The ticket includes all activities and hayride, and \$3 per adult, includes refreshments and hayride. Admission by advance ticket purchase only. Tickets are available for purchase Thursday at the park office. Bring your camera or purchase a photo for \$2, or bring a new toy for Toys for Tots and receive a free photo. For more information, call (734) 426-8211.

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# Three projects receive \$1,000 grants from A2Awesome

The trustees of the micro-philanthropic group A2Awesome Oct. 27 awarded three \$1,000 grants for special projects in the Ann Arbor/Ypsilanti area.

The cash awards were handed over in brown paper bags to artist Trevor Stone, 826Michigan's Executive Director Amanda Uhle and photographer Bill Streety.

The grants will be used for projects that each had submitted through A2Awesome's website for consideration.

With these three grants, A2Awesome has invested a total of \$9,000 in the local community, making possible everything from an elementary education project involving bike-powered lighting systems to be used for growing vegetables, to a drama program at the Women's Huron Valley Correctional Facility based on the works of William Shakespeare.

"It's really amazing how many people in our community have brilliant ideas that can be realized with as little as a thousand dollars," said A2Awesome Chair Lisa Dengiz.

"When we started this chapter of the Awesome Foundation almost a year ago, we had no idea just how much potential there was. Our grants, among other things, have helped launch Bona Sera Cafe on Michigan Avenue, bringing a renewed sense of vibrancy to downtown Ypsilanti, and put exercise equipment inside Ozone House, improving the lives of local at-risk youth. That's incredibly gratifying."

With their A2Awesome grant, 826Michigan will be able, for the first time in four years, to bring the students who partici-

pate in their after-school tutoring program at Ypsilanti Middle School to the non-profit's creative writing facility, which is secreted behind the Robot Repair shop in Ann Arbor.

These field trips will happen several times over the course of the school year.

"We've made a great deal of progress with these students in the school setting, but we want to go further, and create memorable experiences for them," said Uhle.

"We want to get them out of their schools, where they've already been for 10 hours, and bring them to this special place that we've created. We want them to know that a place like this exists."

Spontaneous Art, comprised of Natalie Berry, Chris Sandon and Trevor Stone, will use their A2Awesome grant to set out on a Washtenaw County tour.

Performing regularly at the Museum of Contemporary Art in Chicago and the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, the group, which is known for creating humorous, interactive performances for the public, rarely has the opportunity to share their work in the greater Ann Arbor area.

With the A2Awesome grant, they will be able to engage people in Chelsea, Dexter, Saline, Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti.

Streety will use his \$1,000 a "Ypsi-Arbor Unsung Musical Heroes" project.

A past president of the Ann Arbor Blues and Jazz Festival, Streety will photograph and interview at least 40 area jazz and blues musicians, both young and old, as a way of docu-

menting the musical activity taking place in our community today.

The results will be self-published in book form (both digital and print), of which approximately 65 copies will be distributed to Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor school libraries.

"With the shrinking educational budgets and the reduction in funding for the creative arts," said Streety, "I see this as a way to preserve a piece of our shared history."

A2Awesome, which is composed of 13 individuals, is organized under the banner of the Boston-based Awesome Foundation.

The stated purpose of the local chapter, according to its dean, Mark Maynard, "is to provide seed funding for innovative, inspiring and awesome projects envisioned by our fellow community members that might not otherwise come to fruition."

The organization intends to make one grant a month for the foreseeable future. All grants will be in the amount of \$1,000.

Those with creative, inspired ideas are encouraged to apply for the grant online. Grant deadlines are on the last day of each month.

Every month, chapter trustees contribute their own personal funds toward a \$1,000, no-strings-attached grant to an awesome project that promises to make life better.

In addition to Dengiz and Maynard, the group includes Dick Soble, Paul Saginaw, Jeff Meyers, Linh Song, Heather MacKenzie, Monique Deschaine, Hans Masing, Alice Liberson, Omari Rush, Tanya Luz and Larry Gant.



The trustees of the micro-philanthropic group A2Awesome Oct. 27 awarded three \$1,000 grants to local charitable projects, including 826Michigan

Created in 2009 in Boston, the Awesome Foundation now has chapters in more than 40 cities around the world.

For more information about the Ann Arbor / Ypsilanti chapter, contact Maynard at markmaynard11@gmail.com or visit <http://awesomefoundation.org/chapters/annarbor>.

Those with innovative ideas are encouraged to submit proposals at <http://awesomefoundation.org/submissions/new>.



Spontaneous Art was the recipient of a \$1,000 grant from A2Awesome. The Spontaneous Art team will use the funds to set out on a Washtenaw County Tour, bringing interactive performances to the greater Ann Arbor area.

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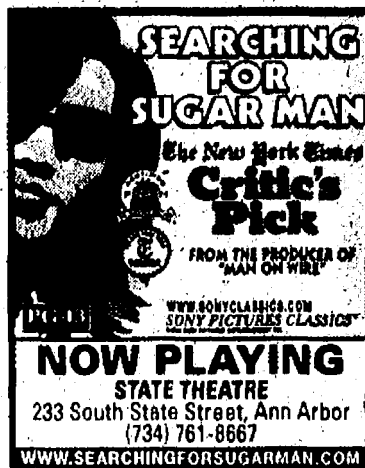
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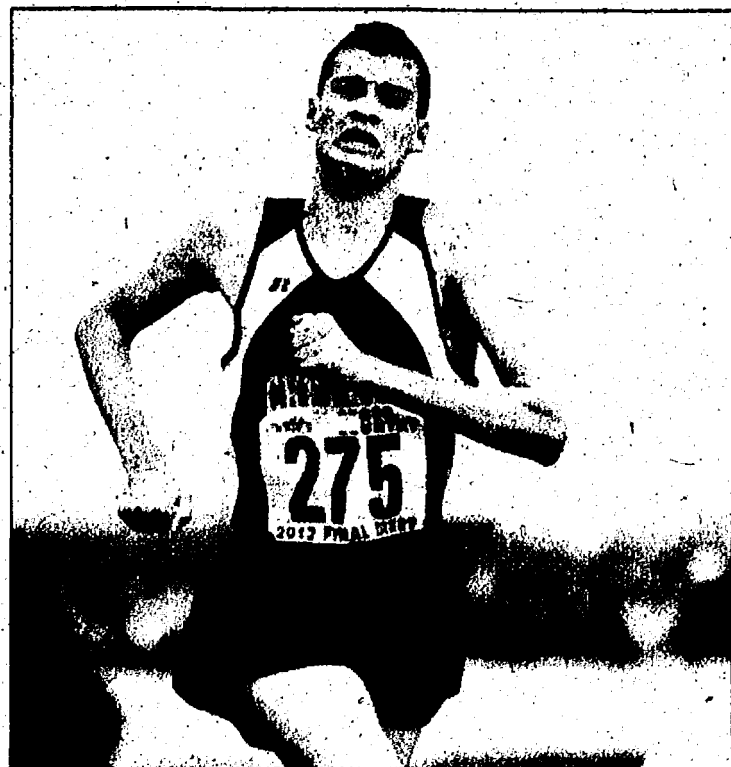
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## Cross Country



Photos by Burrill Strong

Austin Horn (above) and Jacob Stubbs (at bottom)  
earned All-State honors on Saturday.

## Bulldogs run to sixth best in the state

By Terry Jacoby  
Heritage Media

The Chelsea boys' cross country team does what the Chelsea boys' cross country team does every year - excel and surprise.

"It was another great result for the guys," said Chelsea coach Eric Swager. "We once again beat our ranking, and surprised many teams with our strong finish. I figured the top four teams were pretty much out of reach, so we almost maximized our possibilities in this meet."

Chelsea's sixth-place finish marks the seventh time in the past 13 years that Chelsea has finished

in the top 10.

"To be a perennial top-10 threat is a tribute to our guys attitude, work ethic, and confidence in the program," Swager said.

The Bulldogs finished in sixth place at Saturday's State Finals at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn. The Dawgs had 242 points, only two points behind Mason. St. Clair won the race with 114 points out of 28 teams.

Austin Horn capped off his senior year with another outstanding effort. His second straight All-State award came with a 20 second lifetime best,

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## DISTRICT DAWGS!



Photos by Terry Jacoby

TOP: The Bulldogs are all smiles after winning a District title. RIGHT: The Bulldogs celebrate after knocking off Onsted.

## Chelsea topples Onsted to win District title

By Terry Jacoby  
Heritage Media

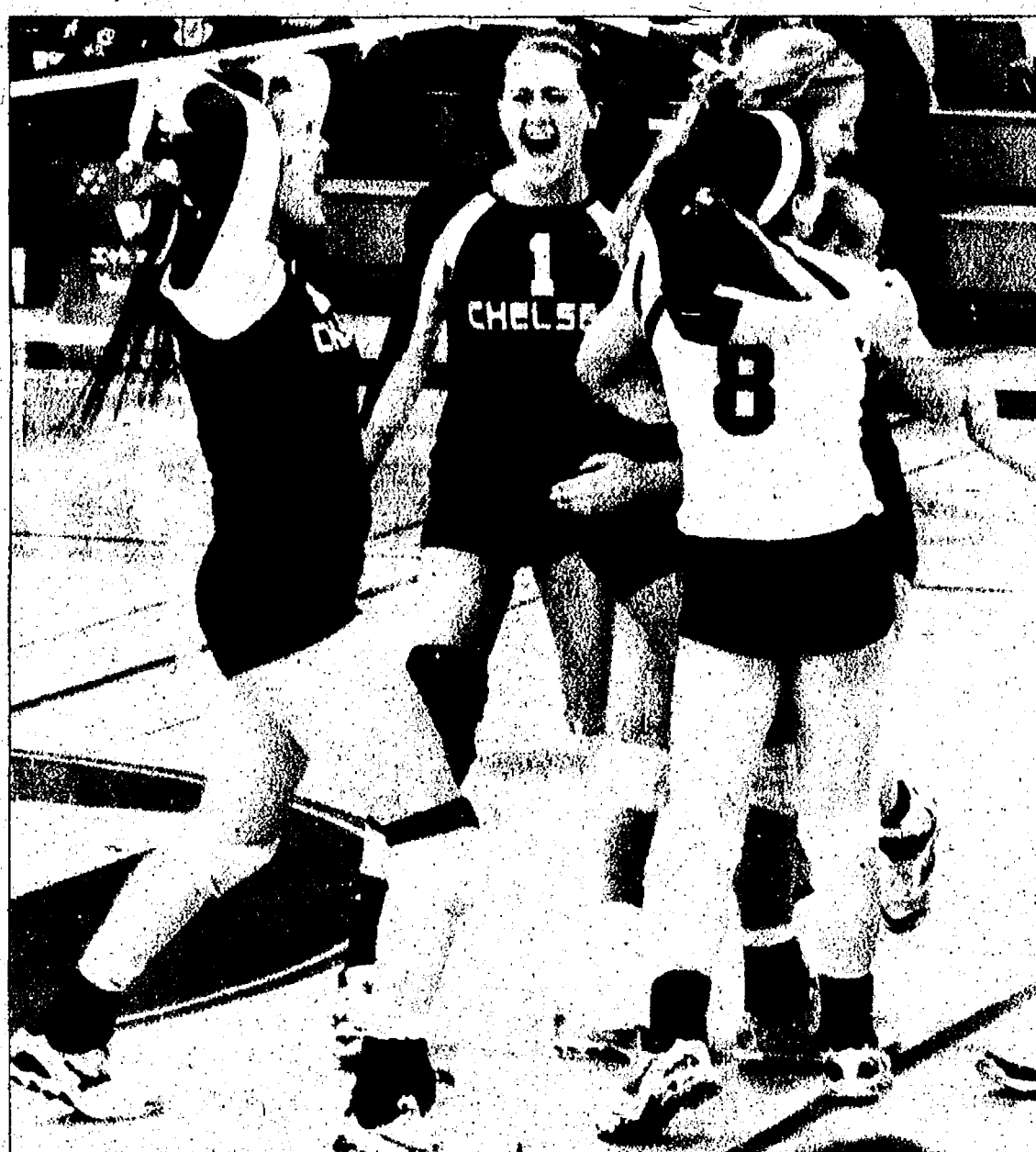
Sometimes, championships come easily. Other times, luck plays a part. But most of the time, they are earned. And there is little doubt that the Chelsea volleyball team earned its District title on Saturday afternoon at Napoleon High School.

The Bulldogs knocked off nemesis Onsted in a Class B District championship, winning the title in four games and advancing to Tuesday's regional game against Eaton Rapids at 5 p.m. at Corunna High School. The winner will play at 7 p.m. on Thursday against the winner of the Lake Fenton-Haslett game in a regional final.

After earning that last point against Onsted, the Bulldogs jumped in the air, screamed and let out a giant sigh of relief. They've known all season that they had the talent to succeed. What they didn't know was whether they would bring their best to the biggest game of the season.

They answered that question on Saturday.

"I really felt at the beginning of the season that this team had the ability to win a district," said Chelsea coach Laura Cleveland. "We went up and down



during the course of the season, but we really got dialed in at the right time. We made some adjustments in our rotations that made us one or two points better."

And one or two points against a team as good as Onsted, made all the difference on Saturday.

"We have been serving really well and hitting our zones," Cleveland said. "We've been playing aggressively and really improved our blocking during the season."

The Bulldogs have been whispering about districts - and Onsted, in particular - since August. Everything

they worked for during the season; the long hours, the preparation, the commitment all led up to Saturday. So when they finally put Onsted away, there was, of course, excitement but also relief in the sense that the hard work had paid off.

"It's such a great feeling, because we beat them earlier in the season and they came back and beat us, but we got them (Saturday) and we get to go to regionals," said Chelsea senior Taylor Cooley, who like her teammates, played cool

under pressure all afternoon against Onsted.

The Bulldogs pulled off the victory despite Onsted having a leg up in the finals after Chelsea's standout senior Laurel Hall badly injured her ankle in the

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## Athletes of the Week



**Rylee Rosentreter, Chelsea**

The sophomore helped lead the Bulldogs to a District title on Saturday as Chelsea knocked off Onsted in the finals. Rosentreter came up big in the final moments of the deciding game four, helping take the Bulldogs to Tuesday's regional game.



**Elianna Shwayder, Saline**

The junior was one of three Hornets to make the All-State team at Saturday's cross country state finals at Michigan International Speedway. Shwayder finished in a team-best sixth place with a time of 18:02 to help lead the Hornets to a third-place finish.



**Matt Greve, Dexter**

Greve ran 35th overall at Saturday's cross country state finals at Michigan International Speedway. The senior finished with a time of 15:49 in the Division 1 race and helped lead the Dreads to a top 10 finish.



**Matt Kemner, Manchester**

Kemner was one of four Flying Dutch runners to qualify for the state meet. He finished in 40th place with a time of 16:44 at Saturday's cross country state finals at Michigan International Speedway.

## Group works to protect, restore and manage Michigan's land and water



Photo by Rick Taylor

**Ann Arbor's Tina Yerkes** after shooting a doe with her crossbow. Yerkes is the COO for The Stewardship Network in Ann Arbor.

I'd like to think that I'm pretty well versed when it comes to wildlife behavior, habitat and conservation.

The truth of the matter is my friend Tina Yerkes knows more about conservation than most of us "experts" will ever know. Dr. Tina Yerkes has her PhD in Zoology and has worked throughout North America.

Tina and I have known each other for a few years and I've always been impressed with her passion for improving and restoring conservation. Most of us wish we could do something about it but Tina leads the way in improving wildlife conservation. Tina is the chief operating officer for "The Stewardship Network" based out of Ann Arbor.

This highly effective organization works on a multitude of items relating to the restoration and improvement of land, the eradication of

invasive species and promotion of native flora. More specifically, The Stewardship Network is a grassroots cooperative organization working

to protect, restore, and manage Michigan's natural lands and waters. It helps individuals, organizations, and businesses manage specific sites through sharing ideas, resources, and information.

"The Stewardship Network" works with landowners throughout the area and will gladly assist them with their concerns.

I'd recommend you call them if you have questions about your property.

Tina is so busy with her profession and raising a family that she doesn't get out like she used to. So, I offered to take her deer hunting to the famous "Dexter Honey Hole."

Tina and I met on a beautiful sunny afternoon and she followed

me to the hunting property. Tina grabbed her crossbow; we put on our safety harnesses and headed out to my ladder stand.

Once tied into the tree I began to tell Tina the most likely places for deer to come into view. Tina was responsible for finding deer to the right and I the left.

The winds were howling at over 20 miles an hour and we had a dreaded southeast wind. Normally I would not have hunting on this day but our crazy schedules forced us to live with it.

Tina saw the first deer about an hour and a half into our hunt. I was just glad we saw something as this button buck milled around behind us. We didn't have much luck after that and knew we only had another 30 minutes of hunting light.

But, Tina caught movement to her right and we waited in anticipation. One of the 3 does made the mistake of walking in front of us long enough for Tina to get her crossbow ready.

I grunted to stop the doe at 25 yards but the doe kept walking. I grunted louder and she

finally stopped offering Tina the perfect broad-side shot. Tina squeezed off the shot and the doe dropped in her tracks. I couldn't believe the shot!

No tracking needed on this huge doe. Honestly, I was looking for antlers thinking this deer was a buck.

I looked over at Tina and she had that trademark smile that we know so well. I can't begin to tell you how rewarding it is to guide people on hunts. I'd recommend you take someone out; you might enjoy it yourself.

This was Tina's first deer with a crossbow and I was proud to be a part of the experience.

Feel free to contact Tina or anyone else at "The Stewardship Network" at (734)996-3190 or visit their website: [www.stewardshipnetwork.org](http://www.stewardshipnetwork.org). Of course, there are also membership and volunteer opportunities available and donations are happily accepted as well.

Your comments and story ideas are warmly welcomed, feel free to call me at (734) 223-5656 or email me at [rtaylor@reinhardtrealtors.com](mailto:rtaylor@reinhardtrealtors.com)

### GREAT OUTDOORS



**RICK TAYLOR**

## NHL cancels Winter Classic at the Big House

By Chuck Pleiness  
For Heritage Media

**TROY** - The NHL and its players moved one step closer to perhaps having another lost season after canceling one of its marquee events.

The league announced Friday that the Winter Classic, which was scheduled to be played at The Big House between the Wings and Toronto Maple Leafs on Jan. 1, 2013, will not take place this season.

"It sucks," Wings forward Danny Cleary

said. "I'm almost in disbelief, really. I think everybody was looking forward to the Winter Classic. It was going to be such a great event, not only for downtown Detroit with all the events, but in Ann Arbor, setting a record attendance."

"It's sad," Wings defenseman Ian White

said. "I was really looking forward to playing in that game. I've been looking forward to it since they announced it. I know everyone probably was. The state of Michigan was thrilled to have to it. It would have been a great event."

The move seemed inevitable since the league owed the

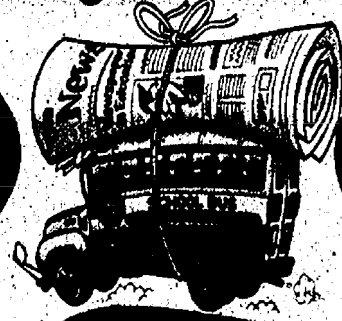
University of Michigan a payment of \$250,000 on Friday with the rest of the payments scheduled for Dec. 7 (\$1 million) and Dec. 28 (\$1 million) and Dec. 28 (\$650,000).

The league had already cancelled regular season games through the end of November, which totals 326 games.

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### INTERMEDIATE





A close-up view of a beautiful deer a hunter might encounter in northern Michigan.

## Northern Michigan deer hunting headed for a comeback

You really don't have to have a lot of gray in your hair to remember when deer hunting was largely a northern Michigan endeavor. There was a long tradition of going to deer camp somewhere north of Clare, and reports of traffic jams on northbound I-75 a couple of days prior to Nov. 15 were commonplace.

That trend changed through the 1990s, and somewhere around the turn of the century, the pattern reversed itself. More hunters spent more time – and killed more deer – in the southern third of the state than in the northern Lower and Upper peninsulas.

In 2002, for instance, Michigan hunters killed an estimated 35,000 bucks in the Upper Peninsula and 79,000 in the northern Lower Peninsula, while southern Michigan hunters killed 127,000 bucks – more than half the bucks taken in the state. That trend has continued.

But due to a combination of factors – including new license regulations and three mild winters in a row – northern Michigan deer hunting appears to be poised for a comeback.

"We haven't necessarily seen increased license sales or more hunter numbers in northern Michigan, but what we are seeing is the hunters who are out there are more successful and that's always a good thing," said Department of Natural Resources deer program biologist Ashley Autenrieth.

Autenrieth, who works out of Gaylord, said more hunters have been calling, looking to buy property adjacent to public land to establish deer camps in the northern Lower Peninsula.

"The last three mild winters we've had have really helped," Autenrieth said. "People are seeing more game. Our deer herd has been on a nice, steady increase for the last three years, which is what we want – a slow progression of deer numbers."

"Where we have good habitat we're seeing more deer and even in areas with medium-quality habitat we're seeing more deer," she said. "In general, numbers are up and the deer seem to be very fit. They look healthy. We're getting reports of good trail camera pictures and people say they're seeing some very nice quality bucks."

The change in buck regulations in the Upper Peninsula – where hunters who opt for a combination license are limited to a buck with at least three



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Laughs and good times abound at this multigenerational deer camp in Menominee County, during the 2011 season.

antler points on one side and four on one side (state-wide) with the second tag – may have helped pass some bucks into an older age-class. (A similar change was adopted in 2010 in DMU 487 – the area in the northeastern Lower Peninsula where bovine tuberculosis has been an issue with the deer herd.)

"The last three winters have been pretty good to deer in the Upper Peninsula, with this past winter being one of the mildest on record," Autenrieth said. "This has given the deer a great chance to rebound from the harsh winter of 2008. I would expect both the population numbers and the harvest to increase this year."

"I think we'll see an increase in hunter success throughout much of northern Michigan again this year."

Autenrieth said that this year more antlerless permits are available in new areas in northern Michigan.

"A number of areas in both the U.P. and northern Lower have been opened for the first time in a number of years," she said. "Otsego, Cheboygan and Roscommon counties were all opened this year on both public and private land after being closed for the



After a successful outing, hunters head south at the toll booth on Mackinac Bridge.

last three years.

"Kalkaska is still closed on public land, but is open for private-land antlerless licenses, and we also opened Mason, Wexford and Missaukee to public land this year, too. That's a reaction to our indicators telling us the population numbers are up and healthy."

"In the U.P., we did open a few areas previously

closed including DMU 117 (Drummond Island) and 121 (Bay De Noc Unit) and we did increase the number of licenses in some areas."

Antlerless licenses have been reduced in the northeastern Lower Peninsula, where bovine tuberculosis is a major concern, but that represents more of a change in strategy than a change in deer populations, Autenrieth said.

"We're really looking forward to another great hunting season in northern Michigan," she said. "Things are looking good. We've heard very good things from archery hunters, and we hope that continues right into gun season."

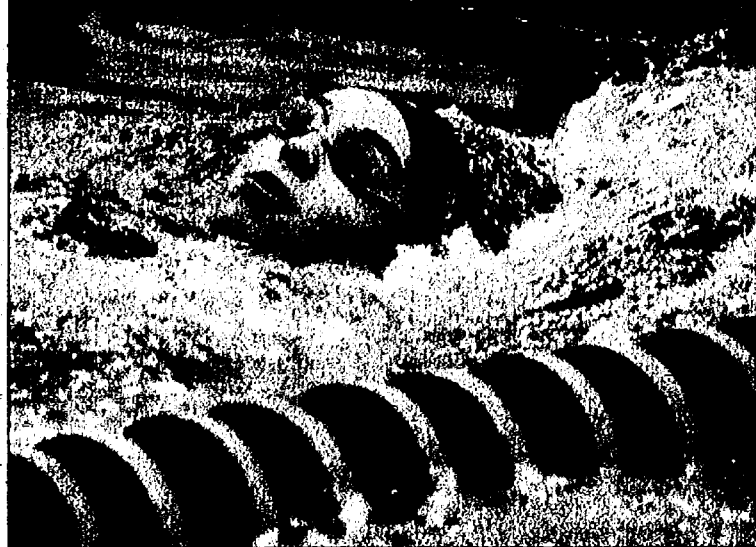
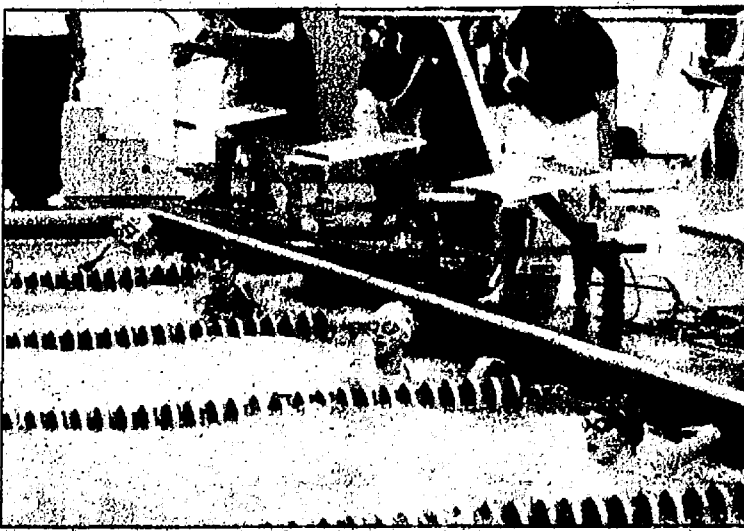
The DNR believes southern Michigan will continue to produce the bulk of hunting effort as well as

the bulk of the harvest this year – and probably for the foreseeable future. But northern Michigan deer hunting, which has been in decline in recent years, seems ready for a bounce. Though no one is predicting traffic jams heading north anytime soon, the tradition of hunting deer in northern Michigan appears to be on an upswing.





# Bulldogs hitting their stroke!



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| Thursday   | Thu. night | Friday                   | Saturday                 | Sunday                   | Monday                   | Tuesday                  | Wednesday                |
|------------|------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
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| 48° to 54° | 27° to 33° | 52° to 58°<br>37° to 43° | 55° to 61°<br>41° to 47° | 59° to 65°<br>40° to 46° | 58° to 64°<br>40° to 46° | 44° to 50°<br>25° to 31° | 40° to 46°<br>26° to 32° |

## ALMANAC

Statistics for the week ending Monday, Nov. 5

**Temperatures:**  
 High/low for the week ..... 50°/18°  
 Normal high/low ..... 54°/33°  
 Average temperature ..... 37.2°  
 Normal average temperature ..... 43.6°

**Precipitation:**  
 Total for the week ..... 0.08"  
 Total for the month ..... 0.00"  
 Total for the year ..... 18.72"  
 Normal for the month ..... 0.39"  
 Normal for the year ..... 28.47"

## PAST WEEK'S TEMPS

| Temperatures |      |      |      |      |      |      |  | ● High | ● Low |
|--------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|--|--------|-------|
| 41           | 42   | 50   | 43   | 47   | 41   | 44   |  |        |       |
| ●            | ●    | ●    | ●    | ●    | ●    | ●    |  |        |       |
| 35           | 34   | 39   | 36   | 28   | 21   | 18   |  |        |       |
| ●            | ●    | ●    | ●    | ●    | ●    | ●    |  |        |       |
| Tue.         | Wed. | Thu. | Fri. | Sat. | Sun. | Mon. |  |        |       |

## THIS WEEK'S CONDITIONS

Weekly UV Index and RealFeel Temperature\*

| UV Index | RealFeel |
|----------|----------|
| 2        | 54       |
| 2        | 54       |
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## RIVER LEVELS

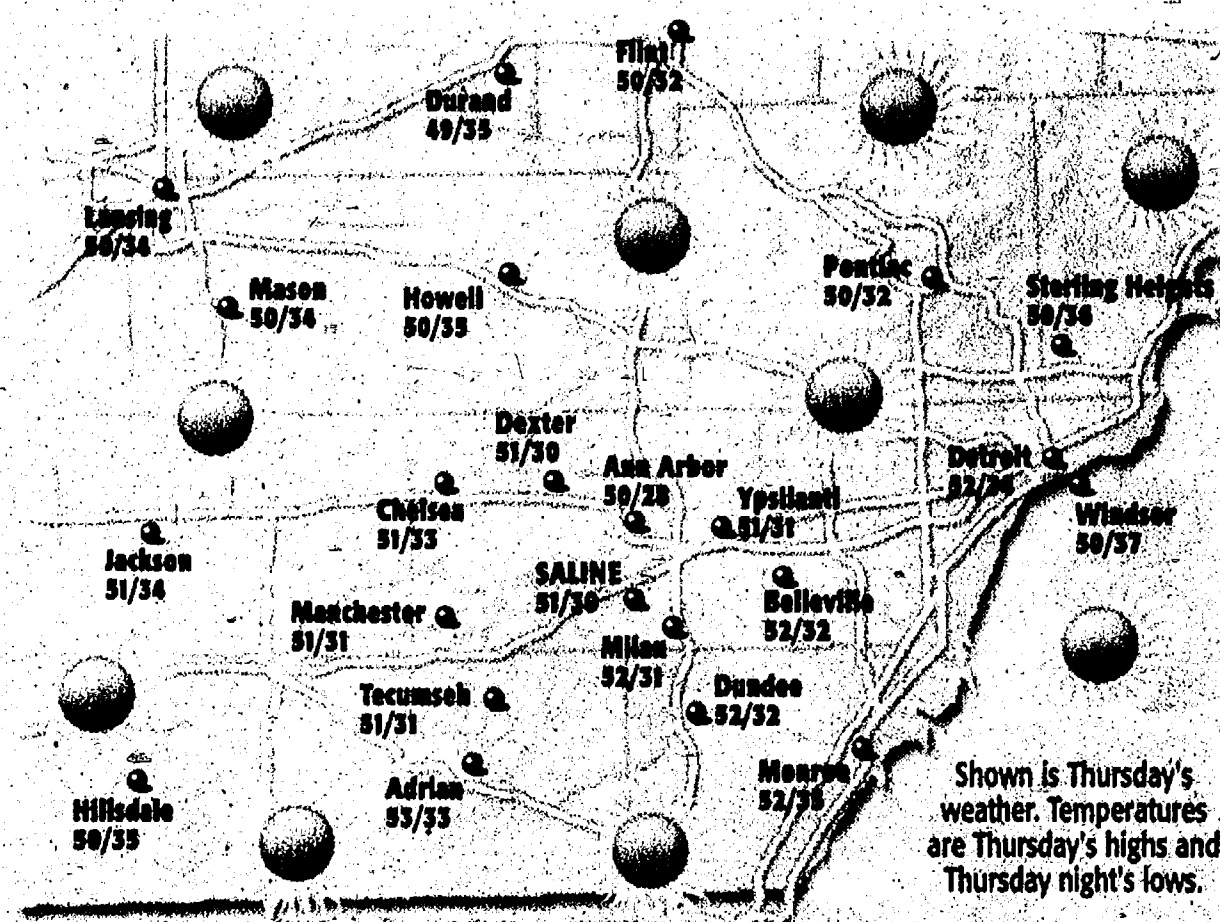
| River               | Flood stage | Current stage |
|---------------------|-------------|---------------|
| As of 7 a.m. Monday |             |               |
| Deer Creek          | 16 ft       | 12.20 ft      |
| Deerborn Heights    | —           | 2.21 ft       |
| Huron River         |             |               |
| Ann Arbor           | —           | 3.02 ft       |
| Malletts Creek      |             |               |
| Ann Arbor           | —           | 5.93 ft       |
| Deer Creek          | 12 ft       | 5.93 ft       |
| Deer                | —           | 2.26 ft       |
| River Raisin        |             |               |
| Manchester          | —           | 2.26 ft       |

## LAKE LEVELS

| Lake           | Normal    | Current   |
|----------------|-----------|-----------|
| Lake Erie      | 580.11 ft | 570.65 ft |
| Lake St. Clair | 575 ft    | 573.06 ft |

## SEVEN-DAY FORECAST FOR WASHTENAW COUNTY

## THE REGION



## REGIONAL CITIES

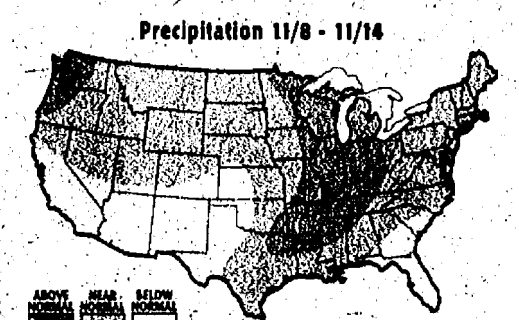
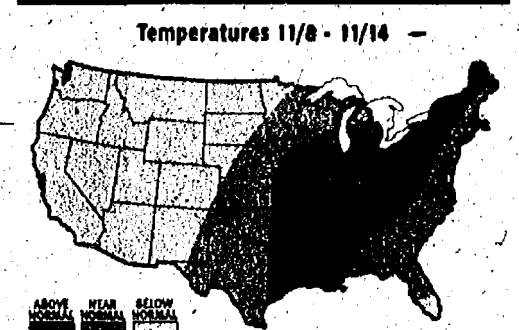
| City         | Wed.     | Thu.     | Fri.     | Sat.     | City             | Wed.     | Thu.     | Fri.     | Sat.     |
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| Adrian       | 48/30/pc | 53/33/s  | 56/40/pc | 61/45/pc | Manistee         | 46/32/c  | 48/35/pc | 51/42/pc | 55/46/c  |
| Ann Arbor    | 48/26/s  | 50/28/s  | 55/40/pc | 58/44/pc | Midland          | 47/28/s  | 49/32/pc | 52/43/pc | 55/46/c  |
| Battle Creek | 47/29/pc | 51/34/s  | 53/43/pc | 60/47/pc | Muskegon         | 48/30/pc | 50/38/s  | 54/47/pc | 59/49/c  |
| Bay City     | 47/30/s  | 50/34/pc | 53/43/pc | 55/46/c  | Pontiac          | 48/28/s  | 50/32/s  | 54/42/pc | 58/46/pc |
| Detroit      | 48/30/s  | 52/34/s  | 55/42/pc | 59/48/pc | Port Huron       | 47/27/s  | 48/30/s  | 54/40/pc | 55/45/c  |
| Flint        | 48/26/s  | 50/32/s  | 54/43/pc | 58/47/pc | Saginaw          | 48/29/s  | 49/34/s  | 53/42/pc | 56/48/c  |
| Grand Rapids | 48/30/pc | 51/37/s  | 54/45/pc | 59/47/pc | Sault Ste. Marie | 41/32/c  | 47/35/pc | 45/37/pc | 46/43/c  |
| Kalamazoo    | 48/29/pc | 51/35/s  | 56/44/pc | 60/47/pc | Sturgis          | 46/31/pc | 51/35/s  | 54/44/pc | 60/48/pc |
| Lansing      | 46/29/s  | 50/34/s  | 55/43/pc | 58/47/pc | Traverse City    | 48/33/pc | 49/36/pc | 48/43/pc | 56/50/c  |
| Livonia      | 48/30/s  | 52/35/s  | 55/43/pc | 60/48/pc | Warren           | 48/31/s  | 50/36/s  | 55/45/pc | 59/48/pc |

Weather (W): s=sunny, pc=partly cloudy, c=cloudy, sh=showers, t=thunderstorms, r=rain, sf=snow flurries, sn=snow, l=ice.

## SUN AND MOON

| The Sun   | Rise      | Set       | The Moon  | Rise      | Set       | New | First | Full | Last |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----|-------|------|------|
| Thursday  | 7:17 a.m. | 5:20 p.m. | Thursday  | 1:05 a.m. | 2:05 p.m. |     |       |      |      |
| Friday    | 7:18 a.m. | 5:19 p.m. | Friday    | 2:10 a.m. | 2:35 p.m. |     |       |      |      |
| Saturday  | 7:20 a.m. | 5:18 p.m. | Saturday  | 3:19 a.m. | 3:06 p.m. |     |       |      |      |
| Sunday    | 7:21 a.m. | 5:17 p.m. | Sunday    | 4:30 a.m. | 3:40 p.m. |     |       |      |      |
| Monday    | 7:22 a.m. | 5:16 p.m. | Monday    | 5:44 a.m. | 4:20 p.m. |     |       |      |      |
| Tuesday   | 7:23 a.m. | 5:15 p.m. | Tuesday   | 7:00 a.m. | 5:06 p.m. |     |       |      |      |
| Wednesday | 7:25 a.m. | 5:14 p.m. | Wednesday | 8:13 a.m. | 6:00 p.m. |     |       |      |      |

## NATIONAL OUTLOOK



## NATIONAL CITIES

| City          | Thu.     | Fri.     | Sat.     |
|---------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Atlanta       | 62/41/s  | 56/45/s  | 58/47/s  |
| Boston        | 46/37/r  | 51/41/pc | 52/44/pc |
| Chicago       | 51/40/s  | 56/46/pc | 62/50/c  |
| Cincinnati    | 53/35/s  | 63/45/s  | 65/48/s  |
| Cleveland     | 47/34/s  | 56/43/pc | 61/47/pc |
| Dallas        | 78/61/s  | 77/64/pc | 75/65/pc |
| Denver        | 70/38/s  | 65/38/pc | 54/18/pc |
| Honolulu      | 85/72/s  | 84/72/s  | 84/72/s  |
| Houston       | 80/59/s  | 81/63/pc | 81/67/pc |
| Kansas City   | 63/47/s  | 71/58/c  | 69/55/c  |
| Las Vegas     | 80/55/pc | 60/43/sh | 53/42/pc |
| Los Angeles   | 68/54/sh | 64/49/c  | 62/46/pc |
| Miami         | 74/58/s  | 77/65/pc | 78/68/pc |
| Minneapolis   | 52/36/s  | 49/45/c  | 63/40/r  |
| New Orleans   | 64/48/s  | 74/59/s  | 77/64/pc |
| New York City | 44/38/pc | 54/42/s  | 58/47/pc |
| Orlando       | 70/50/s  | 73/56/s  | 76/60/pc |
| Philadelphia  | 46/34/pc | 54/39/s  | 60/45/s  |
| Phoenix       | 88/64/pc | 76/53/pc | 66/48/pc |
| Pittsburgh    | 30/28/s  | 53/38/s  | 60/40/s  |
| St. Louis     | 56/43/s  | 67/52/pc | 70/53/pc |
| San Francisco | 59/48/sh | 58/45/sh | 56/45/pc |
| Seattle       | 50/36/c  | 48/33/pc | 43/34/pc |
| Wash., DC     | 54/37/s  | 56/42/s  | 62/45/s  |

## WORLD CITIES

| City           | Thu.     | Fri.     | Sat.     |
|----------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Athens         | 65/54/s  | 67/53/s  | 68/52/s  |
| Berlin         | 49/43/c  | 48/39/r  | 49/41/sh |
| Buenos Aires   | 88/68/pc | 75/52/r  | 68/53/pc |
| Cairo          | 82/64/pc | 76/63/pc | 75/61/pc |
| Calgary        | 27/10/sh | 16/10/sh | 27/23/c  |
| Hong Kong      | 57/37/pc | 82/77/pc | 84/75/sh |
| Jerusalem      | 72/61/s  | 66/54/r  | 60/54/sh |
| Johannesburg   | 69/52/r  | 64/53/sh | 76/58/r  |
| London         | 52/39/pc | 64/41/r  | 50/39/sh |
| Mexico City    | 75/44/pc | 76/42/pc | 78/47/s  |
| Montreal       | 39/32/c  | 48/30/pc | 41/34/c  |
| Moscow         | 41/32/r  | 42/31/sf | 53/25/pc |
| Paris          | 52/39/c  | 51/47/r  | 53/43/r  |
| Rio de Janeiro | 83/73/pc | 80/72/r  | 81/70/sh |
| Rome           | 64/47/pc | 64/52/pc | 67/59/r  |
| Seoul          | 57/37/pc | 55/39/s  | 57/48/pc |
| Singapore      | 88/77/r  | 88/77/r  | 87/77/r  |
| Sydney         | 79/64/sh | 77/57/sh | 72/55/s  |
| Tokyo          | 66/54/pc | 68/52/s  | 64/50/s  |
| Warsaw         | 45/40/c  | 46/36/sh | 46/32/c  |

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## DISTRICT

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third game. Hall had to sit in the bleachers with ice wrapped around her ankle and become a cheerleader for her teammates.

"I was proud of everyone and how they came back and continued playing," she said. "It was fun watching them and being a part of it in a different way. They played awesome."

And so did Hall, who is doubtful to return by Tuesday.

"We left everything on the floor," said senior Bailey Darwin, who saved her best for that final game four victory. "We knew it could potentially be our last game so we had to give it our all and we did. I'm really happy. I'm so proud of our team and it was a fun match."

Beating Onsted was as simple as t-e-a-m.

"We came together as a team," Hall said. "The first time we played them we played together and won, the second time not as much and I think that was really the difference today. We all came together and played well."

They especially played well in the fourth and deciding game — the game that put the Wildcats away.

In the longest rally of the day, which featured great saves on both sides of the net, Darwin's block gave Chelsea a 4-2 lead. The game went back and forth from there. A spike by Chelsea's Georgie Paulsen, who came in and helped fill in for Hall, cut Onsted's lead to 11-10.

A nice play by Mary Kelleher, who played her usual steady game, and a spike by Shianne Butler, who also played solid all afternoon, tied the game at 13-13.

Rylee Rosentreter delivered a spike to tie the game again at 16-16. Only a sophomore, Rosentreter was the difference maker down the stretch for the Dawgs. Finishing close games is always difficult but Rosentreter earned a new nickname, "the finisher," on Saturday.

Her great tip at the net gave Chelsea a 19-16 lead. She followed that up with a massive spike to make it 20-16. After the Wildcats earned a point, Rosentreter ripped another spike to make it 22-17 — and the Bulldogs could clearly see the finish line.

A strong crosscourt spike by Paulsen gave Chelsea a 23-18 lead as they went on to a 25-20 win in the final game.

The Bulldogs won the opener 25-22 and then lost the second game 25-20.

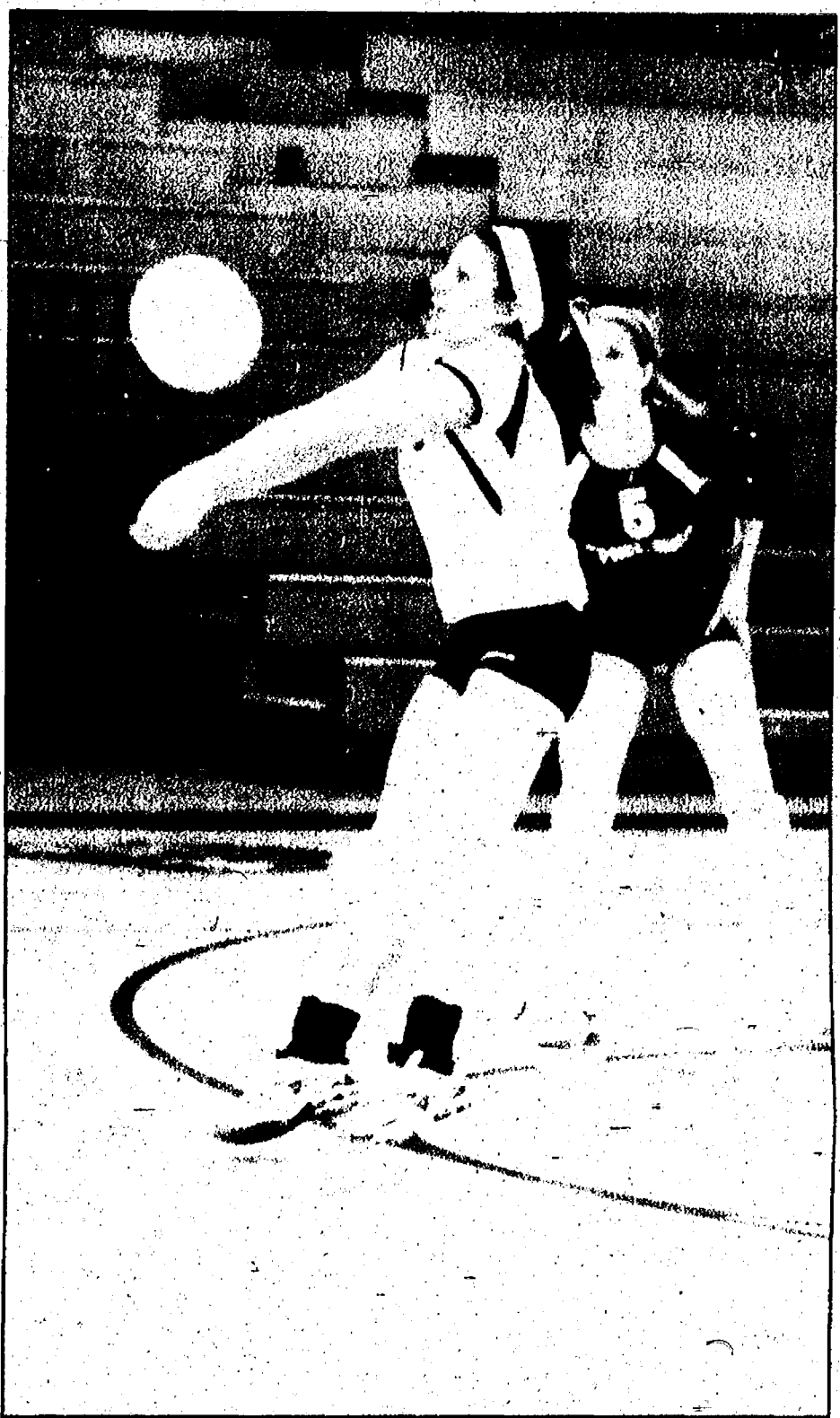
Butler helped get Chelsea going in the all-important game three. She had a spike early and then an ace to give the Bulldogs an 8-6 lead. The Wildcats came back to take the lead but a spike from Darwin and a great block at the net by Riley Singleton, another senior who brought her 'A' game, tied things up at 11-11.

The Wildcats took a 20-16 lead but the Dawgs came roaring back. After an ace from Butler, Darwin rocketed back-to-back spikes to give Chelsea a 21-20 lead. The teams were tied at 22-22 when Chelsea took a one-point lead on an Onsted serve that landed out of bounds.

Kelleher served perhaps the biggest ace of the game to give Chelsea a 24-22 lead. The Bulldogs went on to a 25-23 win.

Photos by Terry Jacoby

Senior Georgie Paulsen (above center) celebrates the winning point with Bailey Darwin (to her left), Shianne Butler (far left) and Taylor Cooley (No. 8). Paulsen (below) and Cooley (right) make plays for the Bulldogs.



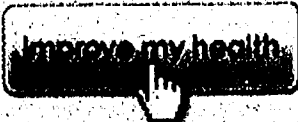
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# A look at the history of antler point restrictions

For many years, Michigan restricted hunters to a bucks-only harvest in order to protect the reproductive capacity of the herd. This approach sustained deer populations that, at times, were scarce but still allowed recreational opportunity and a chance to put food on the table. As deer became increasingly numerous and widespread, however, it became obvious to wildlife managers that a continued focus on maximizing deer production was no longer the best approach.

Meanwhile, hunters – who became increasingly successful as the herd increased in size – began seeking different challenges. Many hunters no longer found it satisfying to simply kill a buck; instead, these hunters wanted to seek older bucks with larger antlers – “quality bucks,” to coin a phrase.

The single most important factor in determining antler size is age. Although genetics and nutrition play into the equation, virtually all bucks grow larger antlers as they age. Given Michigan's tradition of allowing all hunters the opportunity to kill a buck every year and its large hunter population, the majority of Michigan bucks were killed the first year they sported legal antlers.

So, as some hunters began lobbying for a way to pass more of those bucks into an older age class, the idea of antler-point restrictions (APRs) was broached. APRs require that deer have a certain number of antler points before they can be legally harvested – a radical idea in Michigan.

Michigan's basic statewide deer hunting regulation – an “antlered deer” defined as one with at least one antler that measured 3 inches or more – was adopted in 1921 and has remained essentially unchanged,” said Brent Rudolph, the Department of Natural Resources deer and elk coordinator. “Hunters were restricted to one buck when that definition was adopted, though any hunting camps that had four or more hunters in it could get a permit to take an additional ‘camp buck’ for camp meat.”

In 1956 – by which time the herd had grown significantly – the state began to allow hunters to take some antlerless deer, too, by making licenses good for “any deer” in specified areas with high deer numbers. It was a controversial regulation.

Nine years later, antlerless deer hunting was expanded to allow archery hunters to take a deer of either sex with their bow license. But there were so few archery hunters and their success rate was so low, the rule seemed rather inconsequential.

But 21 years later, in 1986, the Legislature created the second-buck license, allowing hunters to purchase an additional deer tag for firearms or archery season (though the second archery tag was good in the Lower Peninsula, only). Because the regulations would not affect the herd's reproductive capacity, there was no biological impact in allowing additional buck harvest. So the season limit was suddenly doubled; hunters who used both firearms and bows could take up to four bucks annually, putting even more pressure on the buck population.

Five years later (in 1991) the rule was changed to limit hunters to two bucks annually, though they could still buy up to four buck tags – two for firearms and two for archery – so the law was difficult to enforce.

In 1997, Michigan enacted APRs for the



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**ABOVE:** A curious spike-horn buck strolls through an autumn forest. **RIGHT:** Thirteen-year-old Henry Lerrett and 16-year-old Zach Parrett stand proudly with healthy-racked bucks at their camp in Menominee County last deer season.

first time,” Rudolph said. “Hunters who used a second-buck tag were not allowed to take a deer unless it had at least four antler points on one side.”

The following year, second-buck licenses for both archery and firearm hunting were eliminated when the Legislature created the combination license. The combination license is good for two bucks – both may be taken in either season, or one each in archery and firearm. Though hunters may still choose to purchase both an archery and firearm license instead of the combination license, any hunter taking two bucks – regardless of the licenses they use – must ensure at least one of them has four or more points on one side.

Also in 1997, the DNR enacted APRs in three deer management units on all tags, requiring that harvested bucks have at least one forked antler to be legal on South Fox Island, Drummond Island and in a portion of Iosco County (DMU 101). “These areas were all essentially viewed as experimental approaches to reducing harvest pressure on young bucks,” Rudolph explained.

In 1999, hunters in a portion of Clare County (DMU 107) successfully lobbied the Natural Resources Commission to enact APRs restricting the harvest to bucks with at least three antler points on one side. Deliberations over the proposal had been ongoing for quite some time, and similar discussions were being held around the state as interest in APRs increased.

After the DMU 107 rule was enacted, the NRC established a uniform process for considering future APR proposals. A key feature of that process was that implementation required a survey to determine support among individuals in proposed APR areas. Two-thirds majority was required in order to create a restricted harvest area. That same level of support would be required in order to keep the APR in place after five years under the restriction.

“With that process in place, some new APR areas were established and some proposals failed,” Rudolph explained. “Likewise, some restrictions were



supported and retained after the initial years, and some lacked sufficient support and were removed – including the Clare County area.

“There were some concerns that the proposal process was too divisive and demanded too much department time, so the NRC declared a moratorium on accepting proposal for any new APR areas in 1996.”

During the moratorium, some Upper Peninsula hunters approached the NRC with a different proposal: Allow hunters who do not buy combo tags the opportunity to take any legal buck, but be limited to a single buck. At the same time those who chose to buy a combo tag would be limited to a buck with at least three points on a side for one of those bucks with the four-point restriction on a second buck. This “hunter's choice” approach – implementing restrictions while leaving an option open to hunters as to which restriction they would face – seemed to address several hunter concerns at once.

The NRC agreed to implement the rules, which have now been in place in the Upper Peninsula since 2009. (A similar regulation has been enacted in DMU 487, the six-county area in the northeast Lower Peninsula where bovine tuberculosis is a problem in the herd.)

In 2011, a proposal was submitted to consider establishing a three-point APR in 12 counties in the northwest Lower Peninsula (Antrim, Benzie, Charlevoix, Emmet, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Lake, Manistee, Mason, Missaukee, Osceola and Wexford counties). Meanwhile, the NRC assembled a work group

to provide input regarding whether the process for APR proposals should be modified. The moratorium on considering proposals was lifted, several changes were made, and the proposal for northwest Michigan came into consideration. A slightly modified version of the public support survey, which continues the two-thirds requirement

of hunters surveyed, remains a key feature.

The survey for northwest Michigan was initiated in September 2012, with potential APR implementation forthcoming for the 2013 season, Rudolph said.

Although antler-point restrictions remain a topic sure to prompt healthy debate, the Department of Natural

Resources and the Natural Resources Commission will continue to explore ways to provide diverse hunting opportunities that will satisfy the desires of deer hunters.

Learn more about our state's many hunting seasons at [www.michigan.gov/hunting](http://www.michigan.gov/hunting).



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**TOP:** A shot of a fork-horn buck. **BOTTOM:** While many hunters are increasingly seeking to take larger antlered deer, some are satisfied to harvest a deer regardless of antler size. These two were taken in Eaton County (photo courtesy David Kenyon).



# Good run!

## Chelsea girls finish strong season at the State Finals

By Terry Jacoby  
Heritage Media

The Chelsea girls' cross country team placed 19<sup>th</sup> out of 27 teams at Saturday's State Finals at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn. The Dawgs finished with 464 points.

Ada Forest Hills won the race with 93 points.

"We ran a fine team race at state," said Chelsea coach Pat Clarke. "Five of our girls had season best races to finish out the year. I am very proud of these girls and the way they ended the season on a high note."

Sophomores Artemis Eyster (70<sup>th</sup> place, 19:39) and Maegen Hopkins (89<sup>th</sup> place, 19:51) both ran strong races breaking the 20 minute barrier to help the Bulldog cause.

Freshman Karana Wickens ran a strong race just missing a PR at 20:26.

"This was a great first state meet performance for the freshman," Clarke said.

Sophomore Maria Osentoski (20:54), junior Madison Nelson (20:57),

senior Kennedy Aldrich (20:55) and senior Lindsey Hopkins (20:59) all ran PR's to end their seasons.

"Overall, it was a good day for us as a team," Clarke said. "Placing 19<sup>th</sup> at state is a great accomplishment for this team and it was one of their goals for this season. We have qualified for the state meet as a team in 21 of the past 28 years and every time we have ended it with a fine effort. This year was no different. I am truly amazed by that statistic."

"This was a wonderful group of young women to work with. They are a truly special group who blended together well to form a fine competitive team."

"We will miss our two senior captains who have provided us with excellent leadership this year. We will return six of our top eight next year. I am really looking forward to working with our returning veterans and our young runners next year when we attempt to continue our fine tradition."



Photos by Burrill Strong

Maegen Hopkins (above) finished in 89<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 19:51 at the State Finals. Freshman Karana Wickens (right) ran a strong race just missing a PR at 20:26.



## RUN

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and his typical "even-running" style. The senior took 12<sup>th</sup> in 15:43.2.

"His three-mile splits were 5:03; 5:11 and 5:01 - a very consistent effort," Swager said.

Jacob Stubbs was 25<sup>th</sup> in 15:57.

"Jacob finally put it all together for this race, moving up from 40<sup>th</sup> at the mile to also earn an All-State award," Swager said. "He is as tough as they come, and I am very happy to see him get at 30-plus second PR and break the magic 16:00 barrier. Both guys

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ERIC SWAGER, CHELSEA COACH

are now on the top-10 list for fastest all time at Chelsea."

Tony Vermilye dropped 20 seconds off his previous best to beat his ranking by a substantial amount.

"To run 16:32 in his first season is a testament to his competitive fire and his focus," Swager said.

Bram Parkinson and David Primas rounded out

the scoring by recording times under 17:00.

"It is the first state meet we have had with five guys under 17 minutes," Swager said. "It is also notable that this was the deepest, fastest, best field I can ever recall in Division II. With 100 guys running under 16:45, the competition was amazing." Joe Vermilye fought

tough through a foot injury to also run his lifetime best (17:06) and Jack Abernethy (17:53) gained experience."

"Overall, our squad came together nicely at the end of the season for a positive day," Swager said.

"I would like to thank all the parents who helped throughout the season, and provided food and encouragement during the state meet. It is another reason that convinces me that cross country is the best sport."

## Middle School Blue volleyball team finishes 8-3

The Chelsea seventh grade Blue volleyball team wrapped up their season with an exciting victory at home against Tecumseh, making their final record 8-3.

In the first game of the match they were down 17-24 and made a big comeback behind the strong serving of Paige Romelhardt to take the lead 25-24, but then lost the next two points and the game 27-25.

In the second game, it was Kara Nold leading the way with 6 points to give the Bulldogs a 25-23 win.

In the third and deciding game, it was Emily Griggs and Sydney Hines putting together long serving runs to put the team ahead for good and take the game and match with the 25-11 win.

"They saved their best for last," said coach Dave Brinklow. "I was very proud of the way they came back from behind in the first two games. That showed a great deal of character and poise."

Griggs ended up with 12 serving points for the match. Romelhardt had 7 Hines and Nold had 6 each, Alise Hale 5, Peyton Vandegrift and Emma Verrette 3 apiece, Zoe Steigerwald 2 and Lexi Clark and Melissa Jolly each had 1.

Earlier in the week, the team traveled to Bedford where they fought hard but dropped all 3 games 21-25, 14-25 and 17-25.

"Bedford was the one team that had our number this year," said Brinklow.

Steigerwald led in serving with 7 points, followed by Griggs with 5, Hale with 4, Nold 3, Vandegrift 2 and Hines and Jolly each had 1.

The team also defeated Ypsilanti winning the first two games 25-16, 25-22 and losing the 3rd 15-25.

Hale and Jolly were the high point servers for this match with 7 each, Nold had 6, Vandegrift

and Griggs 4, Claire Kelly and Clark had 3 each and Romelhardt and Nina White each had 1.

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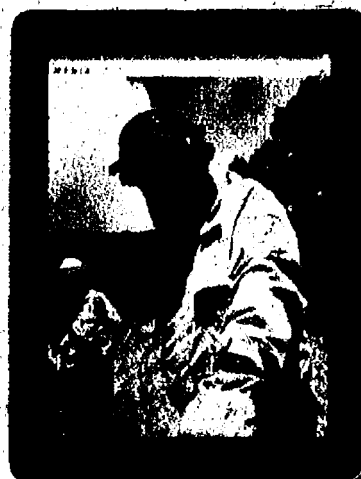
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## Swimming &amp; Diving

## Bulldogs swim to third place at SEC meet

The Chelsea swim and dive team started their postseason off with the SEC White Division championship meet on Friday and Saturday at Dexter. Chelsea posted many great swims, and walked out with a third place finish and 251 points.

Dexter won the White Division championship with 496 points, while Adrian took second (297), Tecumseh placed fourth (196), Lincoln finished fifth (82) and Ypsilanti took sixth (69).

The entire Chelsea team participated in the preliminaries on Friday, and only the fastest 18 in each event were then able to swim for points on Saturday.

"For all of those girls who have really invested the time and energy since Aug. 12, it showed in the pool this weekend," said Chelsea coach Dave Jolly. "When you put in the time and train the way you are supposed to train, it shows with big time drops, great races, and great dives."

"I'm so happy for these girls who worked hard. They deserved to have great swims and dives this weekend."

After a full day of swimming and diving on Friday, the meet started on Saturday with the finals of the 200 medley relay. The Bulldog team of Maddie Doman, Jillian Dixon, Talia Dyerly and River Jensen posted a final time of 1:56.89 and finished third. The team of Rachel Valek, Camden Dammeyer, Katie Olsen and Hannah Mahalak took ninth, finishing in a time of 2:04.78.

In the 200 freestyle, Jensen managed a seventh place finish with a final time of 2:08.11, while Valek touched in 11th place with a 2:17.79. In the 200 individual medley, Dammeyer led the Bulldogs, taking eighth place with a 2:30.48, while Sydney Hodel touched 10th with a time of 2:36.38 and Doman finished 11th in 2:42.51.

In the 50 freestyle, Dyerly led the field, finishing as SEC champion with a final time of 25.60. Dixon managed a fifth place finish with a time of 26.86, while Olsen touched sixth with a 26.87 and Mahalak took tenth with a time of 27.66.

In diving, Wilhelmina Francisco was Chelsea's second SEC champion of the day, finishing with an 11 dive total of 334.65 points. Sarah Carrara placed fourth with 283.00 points, while Mare Almhiemid finished sixth with 278.75 points and Kayla Whipple took ninth with 258.20 points.

In the 100 butterfly, the Bulldogs were again led by Jensen, who finished eighth with a final time of 1:07.27. Olsen touched in 1:09.25, which was good enough for

10th and Meryl McDonnell posted a 1:13.15 and 12th place. The 100 freestyle saw a great race for first, but Dyerly getting touched out by .07 seconds for first place. She finished second with a 54.80, while Hodel touched seventh in 1:00.49.

Alex Dana placed 11th in the 500 freestyle with a final time of 6:18.12, while Lauren Olk took 12th with a 6:18.15 and Emily Simons finished 16th with a 6:40.60.

The 200 freestyle relay team of Jensen, Hodel, Dixon and Olsen took third with a final time of 1:46.32, while the team of Almhiemid, Grace Elie, Mahalak and Olk took ninth and posted a final time of 1:58.61.

Doman led the Bulldogs in the 100 backstroke, finishing eighth with a final time of 1:07.37, followed by Valek in tenth with a 1:10.84 and Mahalak in 11th with a time of 1:12.55.

In the 100 breaststroke Dixon touched sixth with a time of 1:19.81 and Dammeyer finished seventh with a final of 1:17.94. Grace Elie rounded out the event, finishing 17th with a final of 1:29.01.

The meet concluded with the 400 freestyle relay, where the team of Doman, Hodel, Dammeyer and Dyerly took third place with a time of 4:01.71. The relay of Dana, Valek, Olk and McDonnell finished ninth with a final time of 4:19.24.

The Bulldogs will next travel to Tecumseh this weekend for the SMISL Championship before finishing the season at the Division 3 State Meet at EMU on Nov. 16-17.



ABOVE: River Jensen, Grace Elie, Margaret Lindauer, Maria Elie and Hannah Mahalak. LEFT: Meryl McDonnell, Rachel Fredericks, Maria Elie and Alex Dana.

BELOW LEFT: Maggie Caselli (diving) and Maddie Doman (backstroke) make a splash for the Bulldogs.



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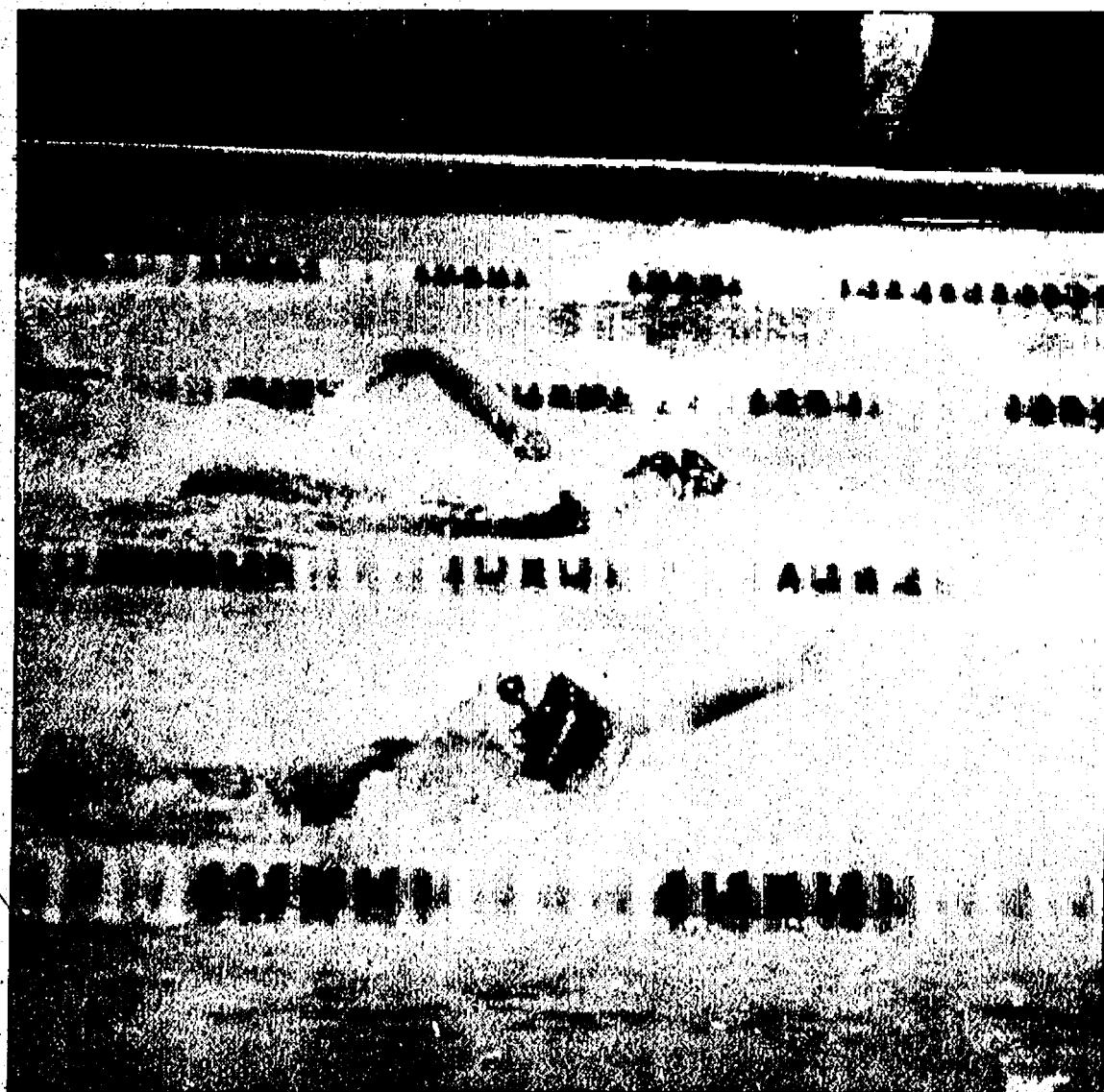


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# Running runs in the family for Saline's Shwayder

By Terry Jacoby  
Heritage Media

It's not that Elianna Shwayder was pushed into running or even encouraged. But let's just say she had no choice if she wanted to keep up with her family. Either run, or be left behind.

"My mother competed in high school cross country and track back in the day when Title IX was first passed," Elianna said. "I remember my mom telling me that her team (Nicolet Knights in Milwaukee, Wisc.) had to fight for training time on the track before Title IX became law in 1972. The determination of her track team paid off as they took second place at the Wisconsin State Meet in 1972. Things sure have changed since my mom was in high school."

Her mom's story was inspirational and her talents and love of running were passed down to her daughters.

"My mom's passion for running quickly rubbed off on my sister, Aviva, who ran cross country from a young age," Elianna said.

But while Aviva took off, Elianna wasn't so sure at first.

"I did not share this enthusiasm in my younger days," she says. "When my sister would drag me out on runs, I would struggle to get through even a mile. I consoled myself with the dream that I would have to be a sprinter. Finally, in the winter of eighth grade, I discovered the beauty of distance running."

Elianna joined Saline's indoor track club and was coached by Mama J (Susan Jones).

"After the workouts, even though my legs were often incredibly sore, I felt so energized that I knew I was hooked," she said.

Hook, Line. And very good.

On Saturday, the junior was one of three Saline runners to earn All-

## Meet Elianna

**Name:** Elianna Shwayder

**Age:** 15

**Parents:** Katherine Glassner-Shwayder and Walter Shwayder

**Siblings:** Aviva Shwayder (18)

**Other sports:** Track & Field

**Other interests:** Model United Nations and playing cello and piano

**GPA:** 4.2 (weighted) and 4.0 (unweighted)

**College plans:** I plan on attending a mid-sized university that can offer me a liberal arts education to prepare me for studies at medical and rabbinical school.

State honors, along with sophomore Lauren Green and freshman William Walter. Shwayder took sixth place in the Division 1 race at the State Finals on Saturday at Michigan International Speedway with a time of 18 minutes, .02 seconds.

She dedicated her race on Saturday to her Grandpa Bill, who also was a runner with a passion for competition.

"My season has definitely had some ups and downs this year," she said prior to the State Finals. "I came into it expecting an immediate improvement from last year's cross country season. The first month or so went by without a personal best. This was really frustrating, but I refused to let up."

"I talked with my mom about my expectations and about what I could do to stay positive to achieve my goals. It took a couple of weeks, but finally I had a breakthrough race at the Coaching Legends Invitational."

Shwayder helped lead the Hornets to third place in the girls' race.

"We have had a great season," she said. "I think it is because of the combination of talent and commitment

that our varsity runners share. All of us are willing to invest hard work and that certainly shows through in our races."

Want proof of that dedication?

Among the seven varsity runners, they have run more than 10,000 miles throughout their collective running careers. Another key part of the team's success comes from the dedicated coaching staff.

"Coach Smith, Mama J, and coach Hagood are always thinking of how they can help us improve," Shwayder said. "They have instituted a strong year-round program that helps us stay in it for the long run, so to speak. Coach Smith plans our workouts and he keeps track of them from year to year. I can look back at the really hard workouts that I did from my freshman and sophomore years and see a consistent trend of improvement. This provides a nice measuring stick to build confidence as the years go by. It also helps me to set an expectation for myself that I will run the workout faster than I did the year before."

Saline's great success this year also has been the product of friendship and support. The Hornets are close-knit group that always puts team first.

"I think this is partly because half of the girls in our training group are sisters (running seems to run in families, here in Saline)," said Shwayder. "This definitely helps us stay close, yet competitive. Never does a practice go by without us laughing uncontrollably. Even if the weather is freezing or if the workout is a killer, we stay positive. We are able to approach each workout as a challenge to see how good we can be."

Many of the runners have traveled together to indoor and outdoor nationals together, including a 12-hour car ride down to Greensboro, N.C. During track season, running in relays has

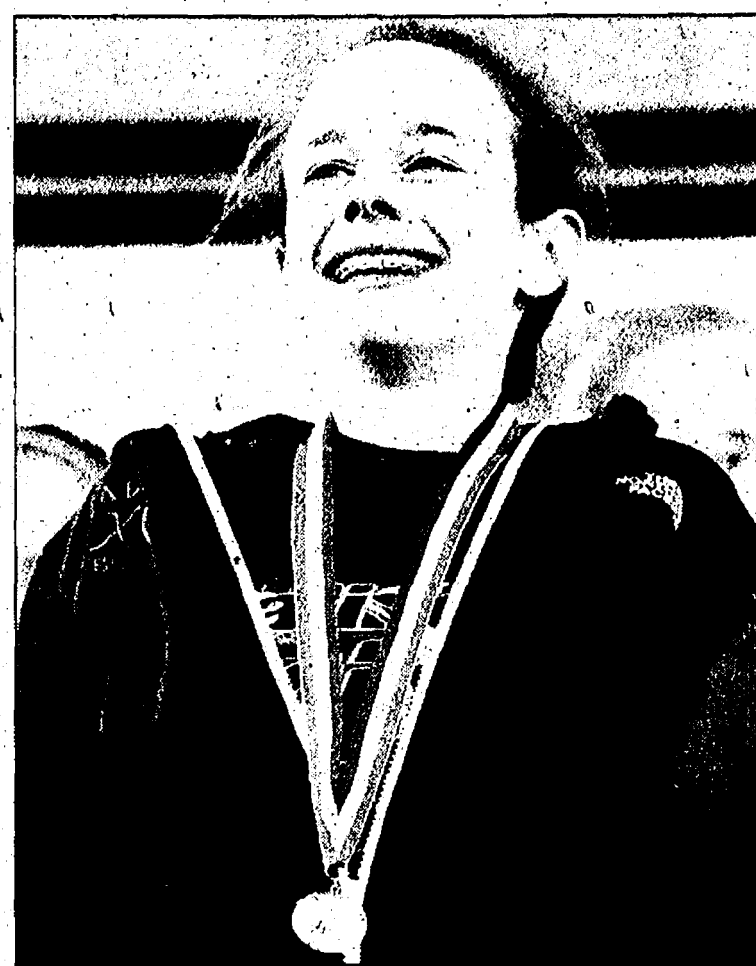


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Elianna Shwayder gets her medal on Saturday for finishing in sixth place at the state finals.

really helped bring them even closer together and hit home the importance of teamwork.

"When Abby Rentschler, Lauren Green, Amy Creutz and I raced in the 4 x mile relay at Indoor Nationals, we expected from ourselves to earn an All-American title," Shwayder said. "After missing sixth place (the podium cut-off) by a matter of seconds, we were extremely

disappointed. But this gave us inspiration to work even harder for Outdoor Nationals where we placed third in the 4 x mile relay. We win together, lose together, rejoice together, and most importantly we run together."

"We have grown really close and gotten to know each other quite well. This is really nice because not only are we teammates, but we're very close friends."



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Mortgage Sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a  
certain mortgage made by Samuel K. Boateng, a single man to  
Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for  
Taylor, Bean & Whitaker Mortgage Corp., Mortgagee, dated  
March 4, 2008, and recorded on May 9, 2008, in Liber 47222,  
Page 698, Wayne County Records, said mortgage was as-  
signed to Ocwen Loan Servicing, LLC by an Assignment of  
Mortgage dated September 10, 2012 and recorded September  
19, 2012 in Liber 50130, Page 807, on which mortgage there is  
claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-One  
Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty-Two and 00/100 (\$71,852.00) in-  
cluding interest at the rate of 7.75000% 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 Wayne County, where the  
premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 11:00  
AM on November 29, 2012.

Said premises are situated in the City of Detroit, Wayne County,  
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Liber 34, Page 48, WOR  
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30 days from the date of sale, or 15 days after statutory notice,  
whichever is later. If the property is presumed to be used for ag-  
ricultural purposes prior to the date of the foreclosure sale pur-  
suant to MCL 600.3240, the redemption period is 1 year.  
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closure sale, the borrower(s) will be held responsible to the person  
who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to  
the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the re-  
demption period.

TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can re-  
scind the sale. In that event, your damages are, if any, limited  
solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus in-  
terest.

If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as  
you may have certain rights.

Dated: October 25, 2012

Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C.,  
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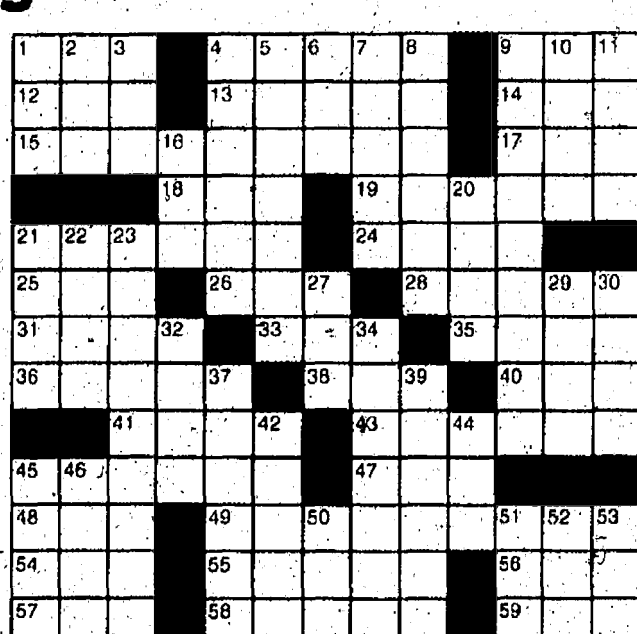
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## ACROSS

- 1 That guy
- 4 Actor Malcolm Warner
- 9 Throng
- 12 Historic time
- 13 Give a speech
- 14 Lawyers' org.
- 15 Mexican street musicians
- 17 Deteriorate
- 18 "CSI" evidence
- 19 Easter bouquet
- 21 Insist on
- 24 Racetrack tipster
- 25 Greek H
- 26 Pick a target
- 28 Water nymph
- 31 The Red Planet
- 33 Curved line
- 35 Knob on a shield
- 36 Of a pelvic bone
- 38 Weep loudly
- 40 Right angle
- 41 Guitarist Lofgren
- 43 Tidbit
- 45 Slanted typeface
- 47 - choy
- 48 Wicked
- 49 Showy yellow flowers

## DOWN

- 1 Height of fashion?
- 2 Gershwin brother
- 3 Scratch
- 4 "AbFab" actress
- 5 Region of simple, quiet pleasure
- 6 -jongg
- 7 Cockeyed
- 8 Injury
- 9 Eastern Canadian provinces
- 10 Reed instrument
- 11 Dugout supply
- 16 Greek mountain



- 20 Waikiki wingding
- 21 Actress Moore
- 22 And others (Lat.)
- 23 Tenderizing sauces
- 27 "Doubtfire"
- 29 Competent
- 30 Barbie or Raggedy Ann
- 32 Take to the seas
- 34 Barbershop treatment
- 37 Goes up
- 39 Dance to rock music
- 42 Weighing device
- 44 Old theater letters
- 45 Wading bird
- 46 Poi base
- 50 Disencumber
- 51 Caustic solution
- 52 Morning moisture
- 53 Away from NNW

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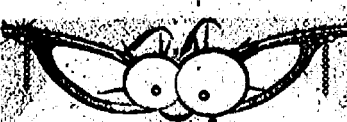
The Michigan Strategic Fund (the "MSF") will hold a public hearing at 9:00 a.m. at the MSF's offices located at 300 North Washington Square, 4th Floor, Lansing, Michigan 48913 on November 27, 2012, on the issuance of bonds by the MSF in one or more series in the aggregate principal amount of not to exceed \$45,000,000 (the "Bonds"). The proceeds of the Bonds will be loaned to Evangelical Homes of Michigan, a Michigan non-profit corporation ("EHM") to (i) finance the costs of certain projects described below, (ii) refinance certain indebtedness of EHM described below, (iii) fund a debt service reserve for the Bonds, and (iv) pay costs of issuing the Bonds. The projects consist of the financing of certain capital expenditures of EHM described as follows: (a) not more than \$5,000,000 of the proceeds of the Bonds to finance the costs of renovating, furnishing and equipping an approximately 18,136 sq. ft. skilled nursing/rehabilitation facility to be known as the Redies Center and located in space leased by EHM from Trinity Health-Michigan ("THM") within the St. Joseph Mercy Saline Community Hospital, 400 West Russell Street, Saline, Washtenaw County, Michigan (the "Redies Center"); (b) not more than \$2,300,000 of the proceeds of the Bonds to finance the costs of renovating, furnishing and equipping EHM's skilled nursing facility located at 440 Russell Street, Saline, Washtenaw County, Michigan ("Saline SNF"); (c) not more than \$1,500,000 of the proceeds of the Bonds to finance the costs of renovating, furnishing and equipping EHM's licensed adult foster care facility and senior assisted living facility located at 101 and 200 Brecon Drive, Saline, Washtenaw County, Michigan ("Brecon Village"); (d) not more than \$1,500,000 of the proceeds of the Bonds to finance the costs of renovating, furnishing and equipping EHM's skilled nursing facility located at 14900 Shoreline Drive, Sterling Heights, Macomb County, Michigan ("Sterling Heights SNF"); (e) not more than \$300,000 of the proceeds of the Bonds to finance the costs of furnishing and equipping the administrative offices of EHM and its subsidiaries Shared Services Home Health Care Corporation and Shared Care Services, Inc. located at 1601 Briarwood Circle, Suites 400 and 475, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and 34024 Eight Mile Road, Farmington Hills, Oakland County, Michigan. EHM is the owner and operator of Saline SNF, Brecon Village, Sterling Heights SNF and the other assets financed or refinanced with the proceeds of the Bonds, except that THM is the owner of the Redies Center facility and EHM is the tenant and operator of the Redies Center facility.

The indebtedness of EHM to be refinanced includes: (i) not more than \$14,425,000 of the proceeds of the bonds will refund the Michigan Strategic Fund Variable Rate Demand Limited Obligation Revenue Bonds (Evangelical Homes of Michigan Project) Series 2008 (the "Series 2008 Bonds") which originally financed (a) the acquisition and construction of a 33,000 square foot memory care center at Brecon Village (not more than \$12,000,000 original principal amount), (b) capital improvements to the Saline SNF, including renovation of therapy facilities, residential rooms, technology upgrades and other renovations, furnishings and equipment (not more than \$6,000,000 original principal amount), and (c) capital improvements to the Sterling Heights SNF including the renovation of a 24 bed home for the aged unit into a 12 bed skilled nursing hospice specialty care unit, technology upgrades and other renovations, furnishings and equipment (not more than \$6,000,000 original principal amount); (ii) not more than \$2,777,000 of the proceeds of the bonds will refinance loan indebtedness of EHM to a private bank the proceeds of which were originally used to pay a termination payment related to a qualified hedge of the Series 2008 Bonds; and (iii) refinance loan indebtedness of EHM to a private bank, the proceeds of which were used to finance certain capital expenditures at the Redies Center (not more than \$2,100,000), Saline SNF (not more than \$250,000), Sterling Heights SNF (not more than \$100,000) and Brecon Village (not more than \$150,000).

The Bonds will be limited obligations of the MSF, payable only from the loan repayments to be made by EHM to the MSF and other security provided by EHM. The Bonds will not constitute an indebtedness of the State of Michigan or any political subdivision thereof within the meaning of any constitutional or statutory provision and will not constitute or give rise to a charge against the general credit of the MSF or the credit or taxing power of the State of Michigan or any political subdivision thereof. The MSF has no taxing power. The hearing shall provide the fullest opportunity for expression of opinion, for arguments on the merits and for introduction of documentary evidence pertinent to the nature and locations of the projects and the proposed issuance of the Bonds. Written comments will be accepted by MSF at the above MSF address, but must be received on or before the date and time of the hearing.

Dated: November 8, 2012  
Diane Cranmer, Loan Administrator  
Michigan Strategic Fund  
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Mortgage Sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Brenda Morgan, and Priscilla Stephen as Joint Tenants With Full Rights of Survivorship and Not As Tenants in Common to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. acting solely as a nominee for Countrywide Home Loans Inc., Mortgagee, dated May 13, 2005, and recorded on May 31, 2005, in Liber 42827, Page 1066, Wayne County Records, said mortgage was assigned to THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-7 by an Assignment of Mortgage dated December 09, 2009 and recorded January 04, 2010 in Liber 48276, Page 1343, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Five Thousand Four Hundred Ninety-Seven and 82/100 (\$75,497.82) including interest at the rate of 9.12500% 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 Wayne County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 11:00 AM on November 29, 2012. Said premises are situated in the City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 108, Feldman and Feldman Palomar Park, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 59, Page 42 of Plats, Wayne County Records.

Commonly known as: 20019 ALCOY ST. If the property is eventually sold at foreclosure sale, the redemption period will be 6.00 months from the date of sale unless the property is abandoned or used for agricultural purposes. If the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 and/or 600.3241a, the redemption period will be 30 days from the date of sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. If the property is presumed to be used for agricultural purposes prior to the date of the foreclosure sale pursuant to MCL 600.3240, the redemption period is 1 year. Pursuant to MCL 600.3278, if the property is sold at a foreclosure sale, the borrower(s) will be held responsible to the person who buys the property at the mortgage foreclosure sale or to the mortgage holder for damaging the property during the redemption period. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages are, if any, limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest.

If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: October 25, 2012

Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C.  
Attorneys for THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-7  
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COMMENCING AT A POINT ON THE EAST LINE OF SOUTH WASHINGTON STREET IN THE CITY OF YPSILANTI, 244 AND 3/10 FEET SOUTH OF THE SOUTH LINE OF BUFFALO STREET; THENCE EAST TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF LAND NOW OR THEN OWNED BY GEORGE E. STRONG AD HENRIETTA STRONG; THENCE NORTH ALONG SAID LAND, 42 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LAND; THENCE EAST, 110 FEET ALONG THE NORTH BOUNDARY OF SAID STRONG LAND TO THE WEST LINE OF SOUTH HURON STREET; THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SOUTH HURON STREET TO THE SOUTH SIDE OF ALLEY; THENCE WEST ALONG THE SOUTH SIDE OF ALLEY TO THE EAST LINE OF SOUTH WASHINGTON STREET; THENCE SOUTH ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SOUTH WASHINGTON STREET TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING EXCEPT SO MUCH AS IS INCLUDED IN THE FOLLOWING DESCRIPTION: COMMENCING AT A POINT ON SOUTH WASHINGTON STREET, 244.3 FEET SOUTH OF THE SOUTH LINE OF BUFFALO STREET AND AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF LAND NOW OR FORMERLY OWNED BY HOWARD CONGDON; THENCE EAST ON THE NORTH LINE OF SAID CONGDON'S LAND, 122 FEET TO THE LAND OF STRONG; THENCE NORTH ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID STRONG'S LAND, 44 FEET; THENCE WEST, 122 FEET TO THE EAST LINE OF SOUTH WASHINGTON STREET; THENCE SOUTH 44 FEET TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING. Commonly known as: 408S HURON

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Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C.  
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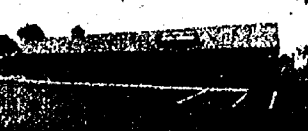
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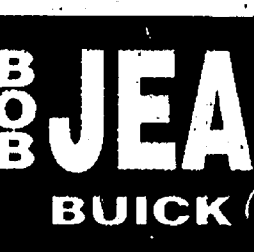
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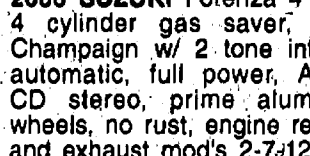
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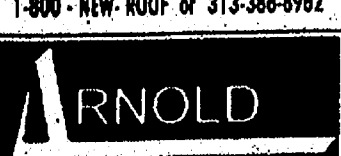
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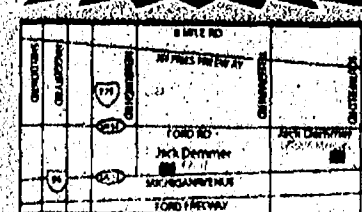
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The LaFontaine Family has been a prominent name in the automotive dealership industry for over thirty years. Owners Michael T. and Maureen LaFontaine started with their first location in Dearborn on the corner of Michigan Avenue and Telegraph Road and their vision of growth has been continuing throughout Southeast Michigan ever since.

Throughout the years, Mr. LaFontaine and his wife Maureen LaFontaine have been joined as Dealer Operators by their two son's Mike LaFontaine Jr. and Ryan LaFontaine as well as their daughter, Kelley and nephew Matt. Having grown up in the business, the entire family plays a crucial role as Owners and General Managers in the organization.

In 2005, the LaFontaine Family moved into Washtenaw County with the addition of LaFontaine Chevrolet in Dexter. LaFontaine Chevrolet quickly took on the passion and focus of the family and the LaFontaine Automotive Group also acquired its first Collision Shop when buying Dexter Chevrolet. Matt LaFontaine, Mike and Maureen's Nephew, expanded his role in the organization by taking over as the General Manager at this location.

In the fall of 2007, the LaFontaine Family purchased Saline Chrysler Dodge Jeep and added it to their growing family of dealerships. In correlation with the entire family, Matt LaFontaine is the General Manager of operations in Saline and Dexter, MI.

In June of 2008, LaFontaine moved its Buick Pontiac GMC Cadillac Dealership down the road to its new



65,000 square foot facility on 34 acres in Highland, MI. This Dealership is not only the #1 Cadillac Buick GMC dealership in the country, it is also the 1st Gold L.E.E.D Certified Dealership in the country for General Motors. The vision behind building an environmentally friendly dealership was not about just going GREEN, it was about doing the right thing.

In August of 2009, LaFontaine Nissan was opened in Highland, MI on M-59.

The LaFontaine family moved to the heart of Washtenaw County in April of 2012 with the opening of LaFontaine Buick GMC of Ann Arbor. Working with Emmanuel Boykin, they have brought the "Family Deal" to Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti customers. This store also has the benefit of Mr.

Boykin's customer relations experience as the former owner of two Saturn dealerships in Syracuse, NY.

2012 has been a busy year for the LaFontaine family. The Chevrolet building in Dexter was torn down and a brand new, state of the art, building was constructed following the same environmentally friendly L.E.E.D. certification process that was initiated with the building of the "Green" store in Highland. This new Chevrolet building features recycled building materials, water and energy efficient fixtures, solar lighting and an energy management system that will help to sustain our resources for the future of the community. The new building is getting set for its Grand opening in the coming weeks and is well worth a visit to learn about what makes it a win for

the community.

Also in 2012 – look for the brand new Volkswagen dealership set to open at the end of the year in Dearborn. The building is currently under construction and the whole group is looking forward to introducing a new brand to the "family"!

The LaFontaine Automotive Group has always been, and will remain, family owned and operated. The "Family Deal" is an attitude and approach to business that is carried by all the LaFontaine Family members and is passed on to all employees of the Automotive Group.

Don't miss an opportunity to take advantage of the LaFontaine family's \$9.95\* oil change, which is available on most makes and models. There are many locations to serve you as well as concierge delivery service to your home or office to make things convenient for you. Visit any of these convenient locations for your new vehicle, pre-owned vehicle, service, parts and collision center needs.

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■ LaFontaine Nissan of Highland

■ LaFontaine Clearance Center of Hartland

■ LaFontaine Honda of Dearborn

■ LaFontaine Toyota, Scion, Kia, Hyundai and Suzuki of Dearborn

■ LaFontaine Volkswagen of Dearborn (coming soon!)

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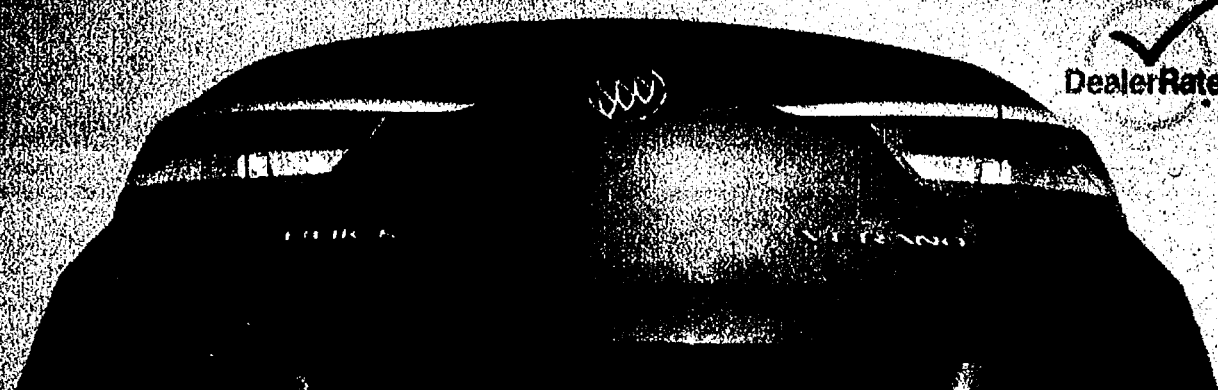
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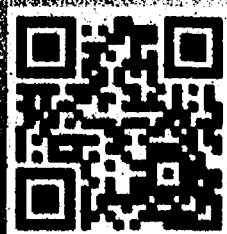
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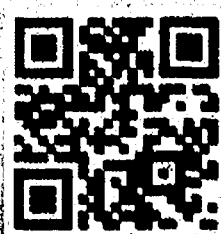
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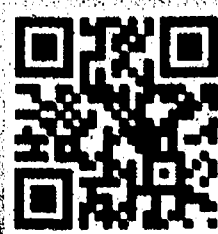
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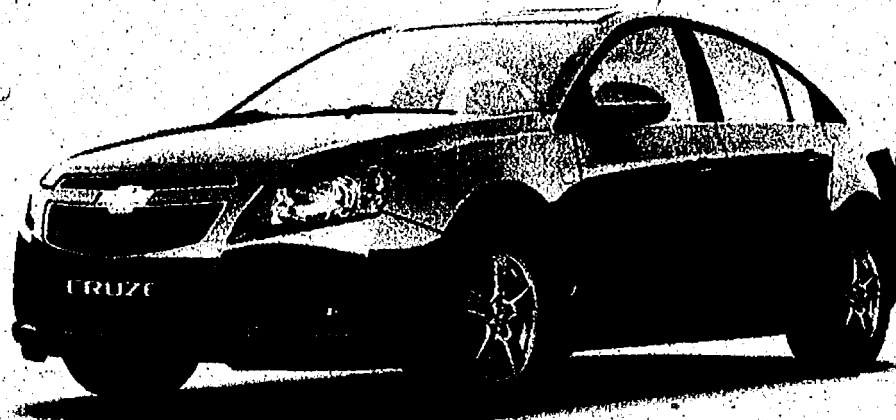
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**\$6,991**



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### 2009 CHEVY AVEO

What's not to love?! Great looking affordable compact car!! This aveo is in great shape inside and out!!!

**\$7,991**

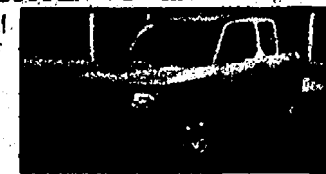


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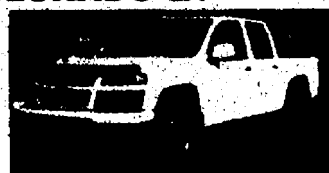
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### 2010 CHEVROLET COLORADO LT

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### 2012 CHEVY IMPALA

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### 2011 CHEVY MALIBU

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### 2009 CHEVY TRAVERSE

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Stock#: 12C1957A

### 2008 CHEVROLET SILVERADO 1500 LT

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Stock#: 13C64A

### 2009 GMC SIERRA

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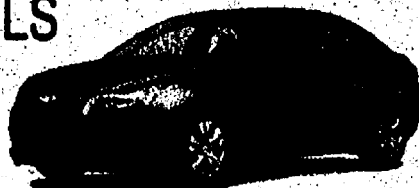
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## 2013 CRUZE LS

Automatic.

**\$145**

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## 2013 SILVERADO 1500 LT 4WD EXT CAB

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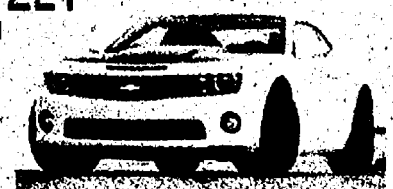
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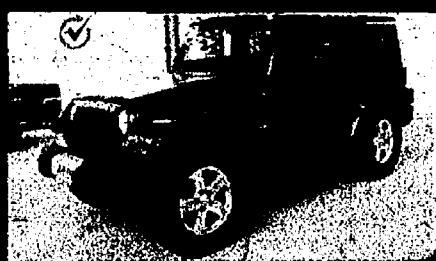
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Touring



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Light Sandstone  
Metallic **\$17,682**

2009 Jeep Wrangler  
Sahara



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Crystal Pearl Coat **\$23,221**

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2010 Chrysler  
300 C Hemi



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Bright Silver  
Metallic Clear  
Coat **\$25,871**

## Budget Wheels

2011 Chrysler  
200 Limited



125137P

Bright Silver  
Metallic Clear Coat **\$16,861**

2006 Jeep Wrangler X



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41,248 Miles **\$15,861**

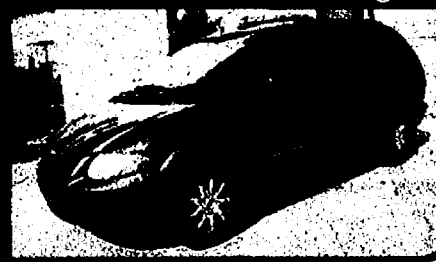
2006 Ford Escape  
V6 XLT



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November to remember  
Lease special \$166  
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### 2013 Chrysler Town & Country Touring Edition

Flex Fuel capable, 3.6L V6 engine, side curtain air bags, rear seat entertainment system, leather seating S1K = 13S284



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**\$25,835\***  
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November to remember  
Lease special \$239  
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### 2013 Chrysler 200 Limited

Featuring heated leather seats, remote starter, and Uconnect voice command S1K = 13S106



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November to remember  
Lease special \$159  
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### 2013 Chrysler 300

Luxury leather seats, 3.6L V6 engine, 8 speed automatic transmission w/6-shifter S1K = 13S150



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November to remember  
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### 2013 Dodge Avenger

29 highway mpg, 2.4L engine, Electronic Stability Control, traction control, Security Alarm, and tire pressure monitor S1K = 13S147

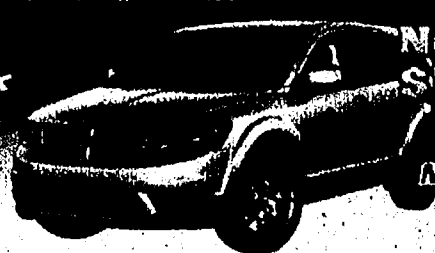


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### 2013 Dodge Journey SXT

28 safety and security features plus 17 aluminum wheels with all-season tires, sunscreen glass, in-floor storage bins, rear reclining fold flat seat, and keyless enter and go S1K = 13S174



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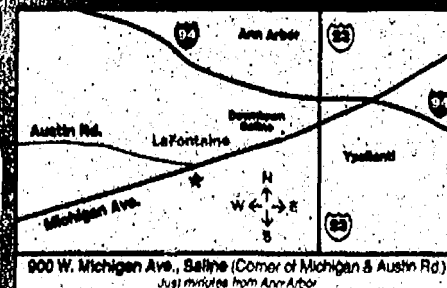
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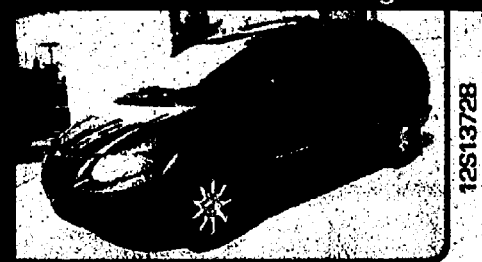
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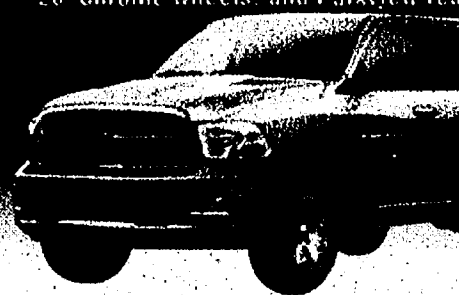
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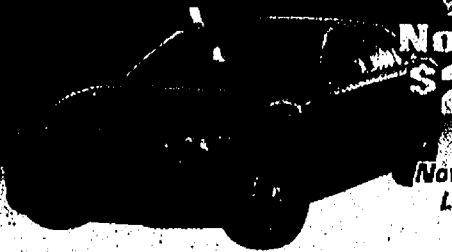


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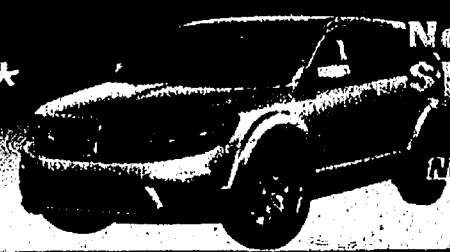
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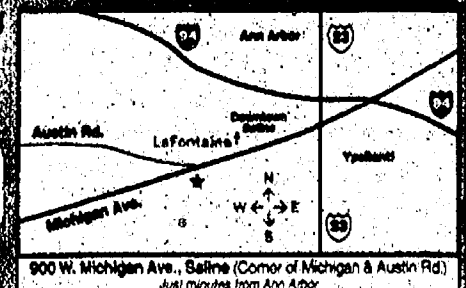
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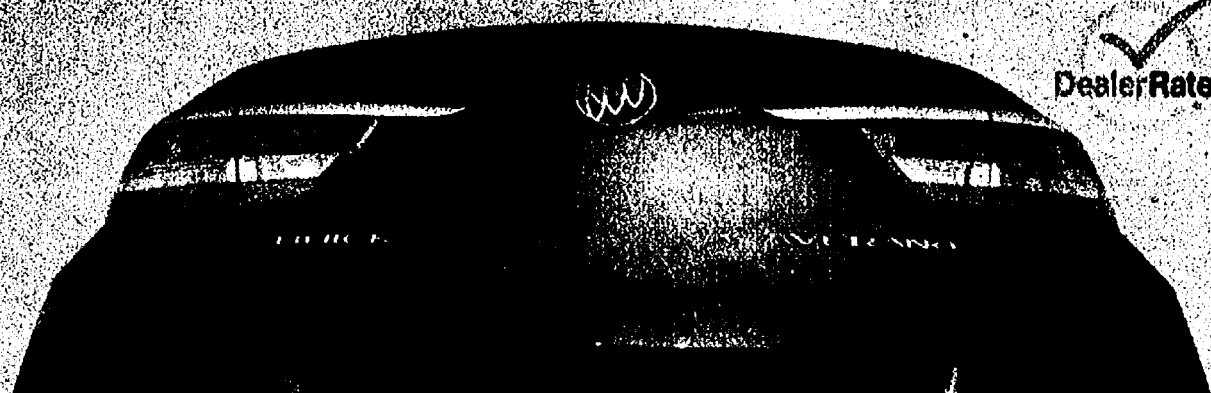
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