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Uncle Apollo

I'll tell you, sometimes it's very frustrating writing for a newspaper, what with deadlines and all. Here it is, the weekend before the big election and I have to write this column that comes out after it's over.

With all the action in Chelsea lately, you never know what might happen between now and then. What if a bunch of people mount secret write-in campaigns and sweep everybody out of office? What if one of the candidates drops out, citing post-traumatic stress disorder from the last few meetings? What if one of them declares bankruptcy? What if I get caught with an open book in my car and lose my library card? Things are just going crazy out there, and it's simply impossible to predict what this little village will look like on Thursday.

What we really need around here is a roving reporter with a satellite link to the cable channel so we could bring you the news as it happens. I could just see myself standing there at the township hall, microphone in hand, giving you the blow-by-blow description of election results. Most of these elections are decided by a handful of votes, so it would be a cliff-hanger all the way to the end.

The video place would probably go out of business because nobody would find Sly Stallone interesting anymore, opting instead for the slam-dunk action at the township hall. We could do exit polls and live interviews with

the candidates as they emerge from the voting place. Then we could go to the victory parties being scheduled at all the local hot spots and watch the political heavyweights making speeches and raising their cholesterol levels.

At my party, I have a very special guest of honor planned, and you wouldn't want to miss it. Maybe Chelsea Clinton will even show up and endorse my candidacy. I invited her, but haven't heard back from her yet.

I don't know about you, but I get all excited about this kind of stuff. I just love the smell of voting booths in the morning. It's the American way of doing things and we all benefit from it. Just think what would happen, who would make these decisions, if we didn't elect people to do it. Sure, we could do the system I talked about in my last column, but that will take some time to get started and as long as we gotta pay taxes, we might as well have somebody else doing the decision making.

So if you work at the paper and you're reading this before the election, get out there and vote! (For me, of course) If you are the rest of the people, then I hope you voted because it's the only way the thing will work. I have my fingers crossed and my popcorn popped, and I'm ready to sit through the long grueling day of watching election results. By Thursday, if you voted me in to begin the revolution, I can start being revolting.

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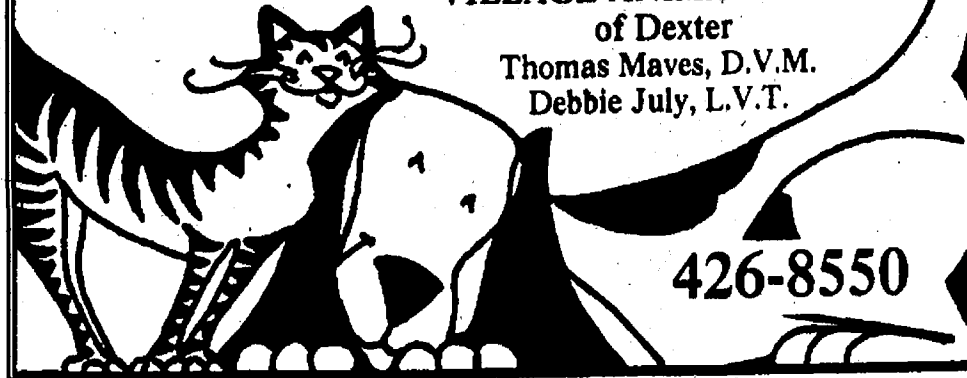
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Opening Remarks

By Brian Hamilton

As we have an elementary-aged son, we received one of the surveys from the Chelsea School District asking us where we think he ought to go next year.

If you were to put a compass point on our house and draw a circle, you'd come pretty close to hitting each of the schools. So distance isn't much of a factor.

Our son has attended North (Creek) since kindergarten and has had several very fine teachers. It's been a good experience for him.

Up until a month or two ago, there was no question where he wanted to go next year—North Creek. Everything is familiar and comfortable there.

But that's all changed now and it has nothing to do with North Creek. He thinks his best friends are going to Pierce Lake. He also likes those nearby baseball fields, but that's another story.

Nowhere on the long list of criteria for school assignment does "where your child's best friends are going" appear, but for many kids it would be the number one reason they should be assigned to any school. Kids don't get bogged down in logistical details.

Teachers assigned

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bara Locks. Art teachers are Patti Rogers and Jan Alford, and music teachers are Lyn Culver, Steve Hinz and Andrea Miller. Physical education teachers are Cheryl Vogel and Bill Wehrwein, and the speech and language teacher is Sandy Hamilton.

A team comprised of Whitmore and Stieber, current elementary principals, Bill Wescott, Beach Middle School principal and former North Creek Elementary School principal, Curriculum Director Laurie Kotchenruther, and Superintendent Ed Richardson, worked together to come up with the assignments.

Richardson said the process used to assign the teachers to buildings was designed so that the principals didn't know which teachers would be assigned to them.

After the initial assignments were made known to the teachers earlier this year, they then had the opportunity to appeal for a change of location. The committee then met earlier in March to go over the appeals and make changes where they saw necessary.

Council considers office location

(Continued from Page One) have expressed quite diverse opinions about where the new village offices should be located, ranging from downtown, to building new on Park Street, to building in the industrial park.

Looking for interesting reading? Check today's classified section.

I happen to agree with his choice of schools, mainly for one reason. He won't have to cross either Main Street or the railroad tracks to get there.

With the reassignment of elementary school teachers, one guy really has an enormous amount of work ahead of him—North Meadows fourth grade teacher Eric Smith.

If you've ever seen Smith's room, you would understand.

He has hundreds, if not thousands, of items all over his classroom that will have to be packed, moved, and set up again. What a job that will be.

Congratulations are in order for the Chelsea swimming team, which took fourth place at the state meet last weekend after being ranked ninth for much of the season.

By most accounts, almost no one gave the Bulldogs much chance of finishing that high, which makes the feat even more remarkable. They were ready to go and had an outstanding day. Coach Dave Jolly should get a lot of credit, although he'd probably give all of it to his swimmers.

Chelsea should be strong again next year as many top swimmers are returning, including super soph Josh Hack. It's hard to imagine how good he could be by his senior year.

CHS junior Brent Young and senior Andy Kargel should also be congratulated for placing at the State Division II wrestling meet last weekend. Young wrestled 140 and Kargel, 189, against the usual outstanding competition.

Frankly, all swimmers and wrestlers are out of their minds. The amount of dedication they need and the physical pounding they have to endure to become one of the best is almost more than most of us can imagine.

Letters to the Editor

Many helped with trip fund-raiser

Recently the Beach Parents Organization sponsored the Beach Middle School 8th Grade Washington D.C. Trip Benefit Candy Bar Sale. Many parents participated in the planning and implementation of the sale and without their help it could not have happened.

The Beach Parents Organization is grateful to:

- Bill Wescott for his guidance in getting the sale off the ground;
- Donna Johns, Diane Winter, Mike Winter, LuAnn Koch, Mary Deis, Kathy Brigham, Connie White, Lori Butler, LouAnn Jolly, Sue Myers, Chris Cobb, Paula Herzog, Debbie Kennedy, Sharon Radka, Marcia Kennedy, Mike Young, Deb Schuyler, Terri Smith, Beth Widmayer, Cheri Marshall, Dawn Wacker, Ruth Freeman, Sheree McConville, Christine Daley, DeeDee Hurst, Margy Boshoven, Jackie Maveal, and Diane Wright for their support and participation in planning the event;
- Connie White, Jackie Maveal, Cheri Smith, Kathy Brigham and Sharon Radka for supervising the before and after school candy distribution periods;
- Sherry McConville who coordinated the candy ordering;
- The community at large who purchased candy bars.

We are thrilled to report the 54 students who participated raised \$2,445 towards the cost of this year's trip.

Gail M. Turluck
Parent Coordinator

Lack of library hurts Lyndon Township

Lyndon Township is one of the loveliest townships in Michigan. Any threat to its rolling, wooded countryside and lakes would surely arouse opposition since Lyndon's physical attractions brought many of us here in the first place.

The elimination of Lyndon from the newly-formed district library is just as serious a threat to the township's well-being. But since this damage is invisible, and the hurt incalculable as it passes into that impersonal body called the community, we discount its importance and urgency.

The township board's refusal to join the district li-

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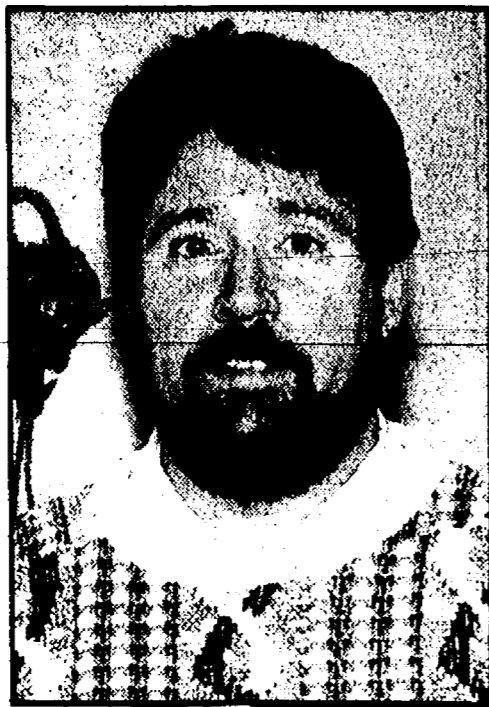
Three elected to council in village election

As expected, the Village of Chelsea's voters elected three men to positions on the village council in an uncontested race March 10, and re-elected clerk Suzanne Morrison to another two years.

Only 157 of the village's more than 2,900 registered voters turned out for the annual election, which amounts to about five percent.

Village Trustees Steve Daut and Brian Cashman were both re-elected to another two years on the village council, and local political newcomer James Myles will fill the third open seat. Myles replaced former village trustee Robert Clark, who did not seek another term on the council. Clark did receive three write-in votes in the election.

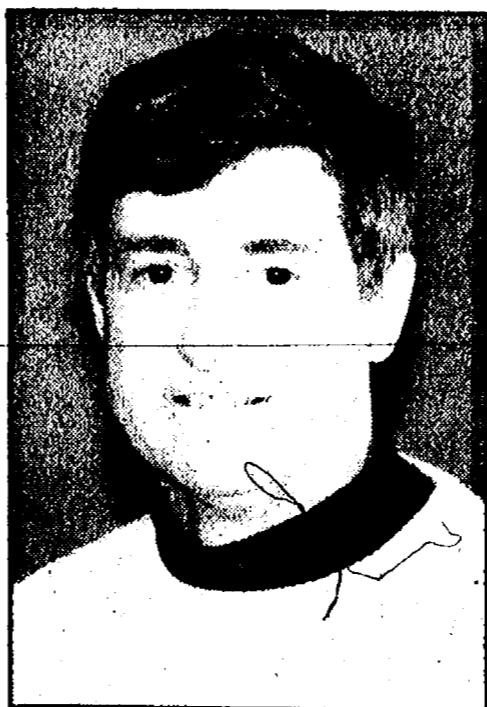
Daut and Cashman are both beginning their third term as elected village council trustees, although Cashman was appointed to finish off a term



Brian Cashman



Steve Daut



Jim Myles

before being elected for the first time.

Cashman received the most votes in the contest, with 128. Myles came in second with 125 favorable ballots, and Daut received 114 votes.

Morrison, the incumbent

village clerk, ran successfully for another term in an uncontested race. She garnered 144 votes.

The position of village assessor will remain vacant, as no one ran for the position and there were not any names

written in for the post.

The new local government officials were sworn in to their positions at the March 11 meeting of the Chelsea Village Council, and assumed their positions as the municipal leaders at that time.



Charlotte Tucker, a 1996 graduate of Dexter High School, is on the Dean's List at Western Michigan University for the fall term 1997. She is a vocal music and education major. As a successful and motivated student, this summer will find her managing crews of painters for Student Works Painting. If you're interested in summer work, call Charlotte at 1-800-899-WORK

Sylvan Twp. changes road name, annexes land

Sylvan Township Board changed the name of a road, decided on a millage rate for the next year, denied one request for rezoning and approved another at its March 4 meeting.

The board held a public hearing on the matter of changing the name of "Musbach Road" to "Musbach Road."

Many years ago, the road was named after Henry Musbach, a resident who lived on it. Musbach Road is the name found in all of the historical documents up to a point, however at some point, an 'h' was added and the name of the road was changed to Mushbach.

"It very likely was a scrivener's error," said Township Supervisor Jerry Dresselhouse. "That's about all I can offer."

Dresselhouse said one thing he found confusing was

that in the township's tax records, the name of the road is found with three different spellings: Musbach, Mushbach and Muschbach.

Randy Musbach, nephew of the man after whom the road is named, said his father, who passed away in December, had worked on getting the name of the road changed for some time.

"My family would like to see the spelling corrected," Musbach said.

Since all of the historic records, including some from the Washtenaw County Historic District Commission, show the spelling to be "Musbach," the township board voted unanimously to change the name of the road back to its original spelling.

In other action, the Sylvan Board of Trustees decided to levy a property tax of .9621 mills beginning in the fall, which is the same amount Syl-

van taxpayers have been paying for the past few years.

"I would propose that we levy the same millage this fall," Dresselhouse said. "I see that .9621 mills will provide sufficient dollars for the operation of our budget."

The board also held a public hearing on this year's operating budget, and is expected to adopt it at the board's April meeting. Included in this budget are plans to purchase a fax machine and computers for the township.

The board denied a request to rezone two acres of land near the I-94 interchange from agricultural to commercial. This action followed a recommendation by the township planning commission to deny the request.

"I would recommend not to rezone, because it's not compatible with the master plan," Dresselhouse said. He said the owner of the two acres would like to build a truck stop there, but because the off-ramp is designed as a rural interchange, it could not handle the traffic this would create.

The board did, however, grant another rezoning request for five acres on Cava-

naugh Lake. The request came from Irving Feller, who wants to develop some of his land on the lake in accordance with the Site Condominiums Act. Currently on Feller's property, there are 11 houses fronting Cavanaugh Lake, on 121 feet of frontage. These are zoned as lake residential, but do not conform to current standards for this designation, which requires lots of one acre in size.

In Feller's proposed development, he wants to reduce the number of lots fronting the lake to eight, all of an acre in size. However, in order to do this, he needs to extend the lots back further than the current 11 lots extend. The land in question, about five acres, was zoned agricultural. The board voted to change this to lake residential, so Feller's eight lots will meet township requirements.

"This action doesn't create any more lots," Dresselhouse said. "It just makes the lots conform to the ordinance."

Dresselhouse said the 11 existing lots all have inadequate septic systems that probably drain into the lake.

The board voted unanimously in favor of this rezoning.

Village needs many repairs

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He said not only are the water lines on Madison and Middle Streets badly deteriorated, but they are also too small.

"We've got four inch lines running through town and you can't feed a fire hydrant with a four-inch line. You need an eight-inch line," Pindzia said. He said in many places, it would be appropriate to replace the four-inch mains with 10- or 12-inch mains.

Installing new water mains is very expensive, Pindzia said, and the village would like to tackle this project in conjunction with re-surfacing the roads. He said the village would like to do some local road resurfacing in 1997, but has not identified any specific projects yet.

A third project the village will need to tackle is a partial collapse in the sanitary sewer lines. Pindzia said there is only one specific location that needs attention, and it is under one of the buildings of the Chelsea Industries complex.

Fixing this will be a major project, because the system, as well as the factory, would have to be shut down during the process. A portion of the building's floor will have to be torn up to facilitate the repairs. Pindzia said the blockage is only partial. Materials can still get through. Nonetheless, the problem needs to be addressed.

Pindzia said there are a number of different options for financing these repairs. The village could raise the fees for its various services, or raise tap fees. Other options would be a general tax levy or a special assessment.

"We're looking at these right now to see which would best suit us," he said.

The council has recently debated raising water user rates in order to finance some of the improvements to the system, but members have not yet been able to agree on how much, if any, of an increase is needed.

The village has taken measures to facilitate needed infrastructure repairs due to new developments at no cost to established taxpayers. For example, the installation of the final clarifier at the wastewater treatment plant, which will increase plant capacity by 80 percent, was paid for solely through capital connection fees.

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Letters to the Editor

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 library means that Lyndon residents will have no borrowing privileges. This is a stupefying event in more senses than one. So much so, it forces one back to first principles. A library is essential to any society that considers itself civilized: it is a custodian of intellect, a dispenser of information, the collective memory of the community and the nursery of progress.

Thomas Jefferson said democratic life would be impossible without it. Indeed, the American values of self-perfection and social improvement are enshrined in this public institution. How much poorer our human imagination and experience would be should libraries disappear. All this seems (to borrow from Jefferson again) self-evident.

Yet Lyndon faces the prospect of losing its library! Schools cannot be expected to compensate for this loss, unless you assume learning is confined to those buildings. Nor can bookstores, unless one thinks knowledge is only for sale. This issue should not divide the residents of Lyndon. There is no "us" and "them" about the moral unacceptability of ignorance. We all have a responsibility for the common welfare that is more than the sum of our personal interests.

A library is the embodiment of that mutual dedication. The difficulty is that this social responsibility is everyone's burden, so nobody's; it is so pervasive — like the air we breathe — we take it too much for granted. It now stands in real need of advocates and supporters.

We must begin a conversation with the township board to ensure that the quality of life matches the quality of living in Lyndon. I urge all Lyndon residents to attend the meeting of the Lyndon Library Lobby on March 17, at 7 p.m., in the McKune Building, to consider how to initiate such a constructive exchange.

Stanley Shapiro
Sylvan supervisor's expectations not realistic

Let's stay on course and focus on our objectives; that is, to limit the scope of a manufactured home development and allow for a recreational area that will service not only the newly developed, but existing needs of our community, while to the extent possible, preserving the natural features of the area.

In order to do so we need to make some assumptions as to the anticipated decisions the council and planning commission may make. However, this is to illustrate what problems may arise further in the process and in no way am I implying what, in fact, the planning commission or village council may decide.

Assume both will proceed
Ag banquet scheduled

The 1997 Washtenaw County Agriculture Banquet, co-sponsored by the Washtenaw County Dairy Livestock Council and Washtenaw County MSU Extension, will be held on March 20 at Chelsea High School.

The annual banquet will commence with a swiss steak and ham dinner being served at 7 p.m. in the high school gymnasium. A short business meeting will be held to elect board members, highlight sheep promotion through Rural Education Days, and present the "Distinguished Service to Agriculture" award.

The Fiddlers Philharmonic of Saline will provide the evening's entertainment.

Tickets are available from Dairy Livestock Council members Willard Blumenauer, Gerald Kuhl, Paul Rothfuss, Mark Blumenauer, Jeff Horning, Larry Hopkins, Dennis Trinkle, Nick Heller, Dennis Huehl, Harold Trinkle, Loren Heller, Dan Grau, Bob Heller, Charles Koenn, Ruben Lesser and Jim Bristle.

Tickets are also available at the following agribusinesses: McCalla Feeds — Chelsea; Michigan Livestock Exchange — Manchester; IMC Farm Market — Ann Arbor; Wacker's General Store — Manchester; Dubble Equipment — Ann Arbor; and Saline Town & Country/Cutler-Dickerson — Saline.

on a basis directing the further process of annexation.

At the township level, based on previous discussions, their supervisor, Jerry Dresselhouse, will recommend to the Sylvan Township Board to deny annexation.

If they agree to do so, as he is aware, the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners, the ultimate authority in boundary change, in a dispute between township and village, will typically table the issue.

This policy was confirmed by Joe Yekulis from the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners during a recent meeting he and I had and again by several planning commissioners on March 5.

During conversations with Mr. Dresselhouse over the last few months he has raised several issues which, if not resolved to his satisfaction, will cause him to object to annexation.

1) I must provide a 120-foot easement across the entire property for an alternate route (bypass).

2) He has an imaginary "line in the sand," which he insists we cannot cross.

3) He insists on creating an island outside the village limits to which the village will need to provide utilities.

As to the alternate route, while it isn't a bad idea to look ahead and an alternate route may be manifest destiny, its location has not been decided yet. Its purpose is to relieve congestion in one area by placing traffic in another area to create a quicker passage. But in any case it should not be so far in any direction that one would hesitate to use it, as it would be just as quick to go down Main Street, therefore negating its purpose.

The alternate route problem begins with Main Street which is in the Village of Chelsea, which is governed by the Chelsea Village Council and its planning commission. Mr. Dresselhouse is a member of neither.

But if Mr. Dresselhouse insists on trying to resolve road issues for the Village of Chelsea, then perhaps he can start with Gene Drive.

The Village of Chelsea has determined the extent of annexation should not exceed a muck area that basically follows Letts Creek on the west side of Bush Road.

Sylvan Township stops short of that, insisting on a line running north and south from the centerline of Bush Road to Cavanaugh Lake Road

along the eastern line of the Gauss property.

Once again the Village of Chelsea through its council and planning commission have made the right call.

If this project were done as Mr. Dresselhouse suggests, it would create a 45-acre parcel between the creek and the village limits. This property is in a well-first area because of very low water yields and its soils are not very conducive for on-site septic systems. Even so, Mr. Dresselhouse insists it be created.

His reasoning is that it creates a straight line for a boundary change. He also says it will require the village to extend utilities beyond its limits. Of all of Mr. Dresselhouse's ideas, this is patently ridiculous.

First, why in the world would the village, which can barely keep up with utilities now, extend services into an area where it can't even collect tax revenue to expand its systems.

Moreover, can you imagine the explosion of development around the village should it make this mistake.

Look at just one example; Dexter-Chelsea Road.

If utilities are extended on Cavanaugh Lake Road beyond the village limits, you can expect mobile home developers Steve Tracy, Martin Merkel, and Phil Jenkins to put on their "Keds" and jump higher and run faster up the steps of the village offices to submit a new site plan followed by a lawsuit to provide the same utilities for them.

And you know what, I wouldn't blame them.

It's an idea that is so alarming I will start a recall on Mr. Dresselhouse should he pursue it.

But thankfully, the village is not about to do that.

This project needs to move forward.

I want to do what is best for our community. But I do have a limit as to how long I can wait.

Harold Allen
Stone wall is not the same as original

I am hoping that the developers of the Village Place Condominiums do not think the residents of Chelsea are so sleepy as not to notice the difference between the old Schneider stone wall the the cinder block fence with a flagstone facade they are erecting. I thought the wall was to be reassembled with the original

stones and to look like it had for the last 90 years or so.

I can be contacted for names and artisans that can rebuild the stone wall in its original style, not a "suburban" interpretation.

Carol Rauschenberger
Can't believe Standard would publish story

Regarding last week's article on the front page about a developer's business:

Would you like your business (good or bad) published on the front page of this newspaper?

I have lived in this community 65 years and am just heart sick that *The Chelsea Standard* feels "news" is more important than to love your neighbor as yourself. "Let he who sins not throw the first stone."

Surely no one asks to be stomped on when he is down by someone publishing someone's business for the world to know.

What are we—the people of a wonderful small town—going to do to stop this kind of thing from happening to anyone again?

I can't believe any human being could do this to another. What is *The Chelsea Standard* going to do to this community? This isn't the first negative thing [written] but I hope it is the last.

We are a loving and compassionate community. Let's set this straight. This isn't just any little community. This is a community that cares about each other. A community where most people know Jesus died for each one of us and we believe "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you."

Harold is young and is learning. He loves this community. It's sad when some people are so free with their conversation and accusations not even knowing what has gone on in another life.

I know none of us is perfect, but let's try harder. God will help us if we ask Him.


I challenge *The Chelsea Standard* to take a 180-degree turn and let us see your positive side more—your love for your fellow man and your's and our community.

Marjorie Robbins

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Weddings, Engagements and Anniversaries



ENGAGED: Kendra Hope Brown, daughter of Dianne and Craig Brown of Webster Township and Joseph Anthony Morabito, son of Sharon and Frank Morabito of South Lyon, are engaged and planing an April wedding. The future bride is a 1995 graduate of Dexter High School. She is enrolled at Washtenaw Community College and is employed at Gretchen's House IV. The future bridegroom is a 1993 graduate of South Lyon High School. He received a degree from ITT Technical Institute in 1996 and is employed by Venture Engineering.



ENGAGED: Jenifer S. Dintaman of Ypsilanti, daughter of Carleen and Matthew Van Middlesworth of Kalamazoo and David and Eva Marie Dintaman of Allegan, is engaged to be married to Matthew S. Selwa of Chelsea, son of Michael and Barbara Selwa of Chelsea. The couple are planning an Oct. 11 wedding. The future bride is a graduate of Parchment High School in Kalamazoo and Kalamazoo Valley Community College. She attends the Detroit College of Business and is employed as a travel consultant for Lovejoy, Tiffany and Associates in Ann Arbor. The future bridegroom is a graduate of Chelsea High School and Western Michigan University. He is employed as a project engineer for Pilot Industries in Dexter.



MARRIED: Cynthia Leigh Higgins and Mark Maurice Benson were married Sept. 7 at First United Methodist church in Ann Arbor. The bride is the daughter of Kathleen Higgins of Dexter and David (Nancy) Higgins of Dexter. The bridegroom is the son of Sharon and Maurice Benson of Petersburg, Fla., formerly of Dexter. Jennifer Macleod was maid of honor and Todd Benson served as best man. Groomsman included Noah Samborn and Matt Higgins. Bridesmaids were Mary Beth Menelli and Chrissie Evanchak. The couple spent their honeymoon in Niagara Falls. Both are Dexter High School graduates.



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY: Doris and John Wheeler of Dexter will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house at Webster Township Hall Sunday, March 23 from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. They were married March 28, 1947 in Ann Arbor. The Wheelers have one daughter, Thelma Tucker; two sons, Kevin and Brian Wheeler; and seven grandchildren.

Employees recognized

Employees of RE/MAX Community Associates were recently honored by the RE/MAX® Real Estate System for outstanding sales and service in 1996. They received their awards at the RE/MAX of Michigan 18th annual Regional Conference held February 6-8, 1997 at the Grand Traverse Resort in Traverse City.

Sales associates David Dean, Marilyn Harton, Sue Perry and Kathy Toth with the Ann Arbor office; and Patricia Kortcan, Saline office, were presented with the prestigious RE/MAX 100 Percent Club Award for helping 36 or more families with their real estate transactions (3 times the industry average).

Barbara Eichmuller, Mary Lou Hughes, Dennis Longo, Barbara Waitz, Judy Whitfield, Lauren Zahn and Broker/Co-Owner Kay Merx of Ann Arbor; Elizabeth Toncevlch, Dexter; and Paul Mayer, Saline, were awarded Executive Club honors for 22-35 real estate transactions (2 to 3 times the industry average).

Associates Susan Armstrong, Susan Cusick, Kathleen Diehl, Jacquelyn Frank Greg Koepf and Mary Robertson in Ann Arbor; Randy Dieter, Saline received the RE/MAX President's Club Award for helping between 12-21 families with their real estate transactions in 1996, which is above the national industry average of 11 transactions per year.

Additionally, the following associates garnered top advertising honors: Jacquelyn Frank, first place — personal brochure — and second place — fractional homes page ad, and Barbara Eichmuller, first place — fractional homes page ad, and first place property brochure; Elizabeth Toncevlch, first place — full page homes ad (color); and Marilyn Harton, second place — full page homes ad (black and white). The company took first and second place honors in the office promotions category.

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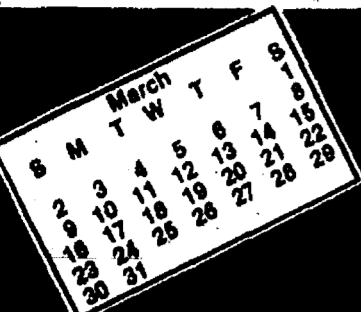
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Thursday, March 13
 7-8 Grade Volleyball vs. Tecumseh, 4 p.m. H
 Alzheimer's Assoc. Caregiver Support Group meets at the Crippen building at Chelsea Retirement Community 7 p.m.
 Chelsea Rod and Gun Club meets at the clubhouse on Lingane Road, 7:30 p.m.
 Lyndon Township Planning Commission meeting at the township hall, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, March 15
 Country Crafts and Folk Art Show at Chelsea High School, 100 juried artisans. Lunches served. Proceeds benefit Chelsea Senior Citizens Organization. Hours, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 "Back Country Survival" at the Geology Center. Basic survival—building a primitive shelter and fire, taught by Jo Kelly from the Waterloo Natural History Association. Portion of program outdoors, 2:30 p.m. Info. (313) 475-3170.
Sunday, March 16
 "Maple Sugar Farmer" a movie, and discussion at the Geology Center for do-it-yourself maple syrup making. Concludes with walk through woods to identify and tap maple trees, 1:30 p.m. Info. (313) 475-3170.
Monday, March 17
 Chelsea Kiwanis Club meeting at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.
 Waterloo Area Historical Society Board meets at Waterloo Farm Museum, 7 p.m.
 Chelsea Recreation Council meeting, second floor, village of fices, 7:30 p.m.
 Chelsea School Board meets in the board room, 7:30 p.m.
 Chelsea Area Players meet at Society Bank, 7:30 p.m. Info. 475-2829.
Tuesday, March 18
 Rotary Club meets at the Common Grill, 12:15 p.m.
 Lions Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:45 p.m.
 McKune Memorial Library Board meets at the library, 7:30 p.m.
 Dexter Township Board meeting at 7 p.m., township hall.
 Chelsea Village Planning Com-

mission meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.
 Lima Township Planning Commission meets at Lima Township Hall, 8 p.m.
Wednesday, March 19
 Chelsea Zoning Board of Appeals meets at Sylvan township Hall, 5 p.m.
 Chelsea Athletic Boosters membership meeting at Chelsea High School media center, 7:30 p.m. Info. (313) 475-3170.
Thursday, March 20
 "Open Fire Cooking" at the Geology Center. Indoors and outdoors, demonstrations using a dutch oven, cooking with foil, and stick cooking with Jo Kelly, 2:30 p.m. Info. (313) 475-3170.
Friday, March 21
 Chelsea Kiwanis Club meeting at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.
Tuesday, March 25
 La Leche League of Western Washtenaw County for breast feeding mothers meets at the Congregational Church, 10 a.m. Babies welcome. Info. (313) 498-3375.
 Rotary Club meets at the Common Grill, 12:15 p.m.
 Chelsea Amateur Radio Club meets at Society Bank, 7 p.m.
 Chelsea Village Council meeting at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.
DEXTER
Thursday, March 13
 Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 8 a.m.
 "The ABCs of Alzheimer's: An Orientation" at the Ann Arbor Public Library, 6:30 p.m. Info. 800-782-6110 or 313-741-8200.
Friday, March 14
 "End of Winter Night Hike" at Hudson Mills Park, 6:30 p.m. Info. 800-477-3191.
Saturday, March 15
 "Nature Stories For Kids" at Hudson Mills Park, 10 a.m. Info. 800-477-3191.
 "Invite Butterflies, Bugs, and Birds to Your Garden" program at Hudson Mills Park, 1 p.m. Info. 800-477-3191.
 "Men's Night." Round and square dancing at St. Andrew's Church, 7:30 p.m. Info. (313) 426-2617.
Monday, March 17

Harmony Rebekah Lodge 469 meets at the Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.
 Dexter Village Planning Commission meets at First of America Bank for workshop session, 7:30 p.m.
 Dexter School Board meeting at Cornerstone school, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, March 18
 Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at DAPCO cafeteria, 6:30 p.m.
 Dexter Township Board meets at Dexter Township Hall, 7 p.m.
 Lima Township Planning Commission meeting at Lima Township Hall, 8 p.m.
 Webster Township Board meeting at Webster Township Hall, 8 p.m.
Wednesday, March 19
 Dexter Heritage Guild meets at the Dexter Museum, 1 p.m.
 American Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 557 meets at the Legion Home, 8 p.m.
 Webster Township Planning Commission meets at Webster Township Hall, 8 p.m.
Thursday, March 20
 Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 8 a.m.
Monday, March 24
 Dexter PTO meeting in the pool lobby, 7:30 p.m.
 Dexter Village Council meeting at First of America Bank, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, March 25
 Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at DAPCO cafeteria, 6:30 p.m.
 Dexter Village Parks Commission meets at First of America Bank, 7 p.m.
MISCELLANEOUS
 Chelsea Senior Nutrition Program at the Senior Center. To reserve lunch, call Arlene Larson a day ahead at 475-0160.
 Alzheimer's Association is seeking volunteers for their "Helpline" and care management/family counseling program. Training in March available. Call (313) 741-8200 or 800-782-6110.
 Waterloo Natural History Assoc. and State Recreation Area offers programs at the Eddy Geology Center, located on Bush Road, open 9-5 daily. A Michigan State Park Motor Vehicle permit is required for entry, daily \$4, annual

\$20. Info. (313) 475-3170.
 Home Meal Service, Chelsea. Meals served daily to elderly or disabled. Cost per meal, \$3.25 with milk, \$3 without milk for those able to pay. Interested parties call Mary at 475-9494 or Faith in Action at 475-3305.
 Yoga Classes free to senior citizens sponsored by Washtenaw Community College and Dexter Senior Citizens Assoc. Register for classes Jan. 16-March 20, 667-5019 or 426-5397.
 New Beginnings, a grief support group for persons experiencing the loss of a loved one. Offered as a community service by the Chelsea Retirement Community, meetings are in the Crippen building, first and third Wednesdays, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Info. Kearney Kirkby, 475-2868.
 Alcoholics Anonymous meets at St. Joseph Parish Hall in Dexter, Tuesdays at 8 p.m. and Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.
 Substance Abuse Lectures "Co-Dependency" presented by Chelsea Community Hospital, main dining room, 7:15 p.m. Call Chelsea Arbor 313-930-0201 or 1-800-828-8020 for more info.
 Immunizations available by appointment through Human Services Department, Public Health Division, Ypsilanti. Contact Esther Teich, (313) 484-7200.

Dexter Family Service, contact Pat Burnett, 313-449-2149, Marian Burgett, 426-2196, Shawn Dettling, 426-4343 or Nellie Naylor, 426-4485.
 Western Washtenaw Drop-In Support Group meet Mondays during March at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Dexter, 6:30 p.m. For women who are or have been in an abusive relationship. 24-hour crisis line, (313) 995-5444.
 "Breast and Cervical Cancer Screenings" available free for many women over 40, through Title XV Program. Information: (313) 484-7220, or 484-7200.
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 New Beginnings, a support group dealing with death and divorce, meets Tuesdays at St. James Episcopal Church, Dexter, at 5:30 p.m. Call Faye Wisely, 426-8931 or the church, 426 8247 for information.
 Smokers Anonymous meets Tuesdays at St. James Episcopal Church, Dexter, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Call 426-8696.
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 Senior Nutrition Program meets Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon. Waterloo Township Hall. For reservations call 475-7439, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Lunches, cards and fellowship.
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Pollution of drinking water is an issue of concern to everyone.
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 The conference will begin promptly at 1:30 p.m. with a local panel discussing water pollution concerns and prevention strategies in Washtenaw County. Panelists include Janice Bobrin, Washtenaw County Drain Commissioner, Mike Score, Washtenaw County Agricultural Agent, and Rick Badics, Chairman of SAFER, representing Washtenaw County Department of Environment and Infrastructure Services.

From 2:30 until 4 p.m., participants will turn in to the Nationally Broadcast, interactive Video Workshop. Nationally known experts on drinking water protection will focus on both regulatory and non-regulatory ways to protect drinking water. They will discuss case studies of successful strategies that have been used in other areas, including the very successful programs developed in Dayton, Ohio and Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.
 The program will run until 4:30 p.m. at the MSU Extension office located in the Washtenaw County Service Center

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Church sponsors Easter festivities

The Chelsea Free Methodist Church is holding its third annual Easter Celebration at the Chelsea High School Auditorium on Easter Sunday, March 30.
 The annual event began as a means to offer to community members without a church home, an opportunity to celebrate Easter Sunday with their families. Average attendance for this service has been close to 500 people.
 The event also gives members of the Free Methodist Church the opportunity to worship together as a church family, as the growth of the church in recent years has necessitated offering two Sunday morning services.
 The Rev. Mearl Bradley, pastor of the church, is excited about this year's event. "In 1997, we are celebrating 20 years in this community, both as a church and my family personally. This is our opportunity to give something back to a community that has embraced and supported us throughout those 20 years," stated Pastor Bradley. "This event celebrates the true meaning of Easter and it is one of the highlights of my ministry each year."
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Dexter Village

Property Damage
Malicious destruction of property was reported at Dexter High School, 2615 Baker Rd., March 3. The assistant principal told a Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy he suspects a 17-year-old female student of writing with permanent marker on a bathroom stall. Damage is estimated at \$2,900. The girl was accused after the assistant principal obtained her notebook containing writing samples. The school will not press charges, however, instead it will be handled internally.

Retail Fraud

Retail fraud was reported at Mugg & Bopps party store, 2940 Baker Rd., March 8. A 48-year-old clerk told a sheriff's deputy a customer purchased a six-pack of beer but left with a bulge in his pant leg near his ankle. The clerk said she followed the man to his car and approached him. She pulled a bottle of beer out of his sock and the man fled northbound in his vehicle with two passengers. A 17-year-old Chelsea boy witnessed the incident at 11:30 p.m. March 7. The stolen property is valued at \$1.39.

Retail fraud was reported at Hop In, 8135 Main St., March 1. A store manager told a sheriff's deputy a woman stole \$6 worth of cigarettes. The manager said the woman fled in a station wagon. A license plate number turned over to police was inaccurate. Police have no other leads.

Assault and Battery

Assault and battery was reported at Dexter-Bowling Alley, 2930 Baker Rd., March 8. The bar's owner told a sheriff's deputy he fired a 37-year-old Stockbridge man and the man attacked him. The victim said the man pushed him, poked him in the chest and threatened to attack him again if he saw him in public. The suspect told police the bar owner assaulted him first and he pushed the owner in self defense. Both men declined to press charges.

Drunken Driving

A 25-year-old Ann Arbor man was arrested on Central Street near Main Street, March 9, for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor. The man was stopped in his Ford F-150 at 1 a.m. after a sheriff's deputy noticed the vehicle swerving from curb to center road and after the man failed to signal at a turn. A deputy noticed the man had signs of intoxication, including glassy eyes and slow actions. The man admitted to drinking alcohol prior to driving. His blood-alcohol level was tested at .16 percent, which is more than the legal limit.

Warrant Arrest

Carlo Stuart, 20, of Ypsilanti was arrested by a sheriff's deputy on Baker Road near Dan Hoey Road, March 9. He was encountered during a traffic stop. A computer check revealed Stuart was wanted on two bench warrants.

Chelsea Village

Property Damage
Malicious destruction of property was reported at Beach Middle School, 445 A.D. Mayer Dr., March 9. A 37-year-old Jackson woman told Chelsea Police someone damaged her 1991 Toyota Camry between 7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. March 8. The vehicle sustained a broken windshield and two dents in its hood. The car was parked next to another vehicle which was also damaged.

Malicious destruction of property was reported at Chelsea High School, 500 Washington St., March 7. A 16-year-old Chelsea girl told police someone damaged her 1987 Plymouth Reliant while it was parked in the school's lot. Police noted it appeared as if someone attached a tow rope to the vehicle's front and pulled it some 200 feet. Damage to the front grill and a luggage rack is estimated at \$350.

Warrant Arrest

Trevor K. Holt, 31, of Munith was arrested by the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department and transferred into the custody of Chelsea Police March 3. He was released later on bond and ordered to appear in court within 10 days. James A. Slotkowski, 30, of Westland was arrested by Chelsea Police behind Polly's Market around 1 a.m. He was

wanted by Westland Police for violating probation.

Larceny

Larceny was reported at Taco Bell, 1590 M-52, March 5. A 19-year-old Jonesville woman told Chelsea Police she suspected five female employees of stealing \$126. The accused teens told police they did not have any information about the theft and they would take polygraph tests if necessary. The complainant, however, told police the next day she re-counted the money and it was all there.

Possible Stalking

Chelsea Police investigated a possible stalking complaint at Chelsea Hospital, 775 S. Main St., March 6. A 34-year-old Ypsilanti woman told police she met the suspect, a 23-year-old Howell man, in Pinckney because he owed her money. The woman has a domestic personal protection order against the man, but met him anyway. When he refused to get out of her vehicle, the woman began complaining about chest pains and drove to Chelsea Community Hospital. The suspect followed her in his vehicle, and the woman told hospital personnel she feared he would harm her. The man was asked not to enter the hospital and police were called. The man left the scene before an officer arrived, however.

Dog at Large

A Chelsea woman who resides in the 300 block of Madison Street was issued a citation because her dog was roaming at large. She was given the ticket after police asked her to bring the German Shepherd inside. The woman must appear in court over the charge, which is a misdemeanor.

Dexter Township

Warrant Arrest

George E. Meister, 59, of Dexter Township was arrested by a sheriff's deputy at his home in the 9600 block of Portage Lake Avenue. Meister was wanted on a felony warrant for fraud out of Northville.

Property Damage

Malicious destruction of property was reported in the 7400 block of Noah's Landing, March 7. A 17-year-old Gregory girl told a sheriff's deputy she suspects a 20-year-old Chelsea man of vandalizing her Ford Escort. The vehicle was parked at her friend's home. The girl reported hearing a noise at 11 p.m. She checked outside a half hour later and discovered the damage. The suspect is wanted on two bench warrants. He is the former boyfriend of the girl; the victim was staying with.

Lyndon Township

Traffic Fatality

Alice C. Whitney, 48, of Gregory was killed during a traffic crash on Hadley Road near Goodband Road, March 8. Whitney was southbound on Hadley Road when she lost control of her vehicle on the icy road and struck a tree. She was transported to Chelsea Community Hospital and was pronounced dead at 6:47 a.m. of multiple trauma.

Webster Township

Mental Health Problem

A sheriff's deputy responded to the 7500 block of Chamberlin Road for a report of a mental health problem. Huron Valley Ambulance was also on the scene, where a 16-year-old girl combined medication but not enough to threaten her life. The girl said

she took the medication to stop the harassment and confusion she was experiencing related to her former boyfriend and the baby they had together, a police report stated.

Lima Township

Accidental Damage

Accidental damage was reported on Scio Church Road near Fletcher Road, March 4. A 27-year-old Chelsea man told a sheriff's deputy the window in his Jeep shattered around 7:40 a.m. The man was on his way to work when the rear window exploded. He said there were no other vehicles around and he did not hear a gun shot or any other noise.

Scio Township

Breaking and Entering

Breaking and entering was reported in the 3500 block of N. Delhi Road, March 3. A 44-year-old woman told a sheriff's deputy someone broke into her home between 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. A bathroom window was smashed with a baseball bat from the woman's garage to gain entry. Damage is estimated at \$500. The woman will provide a list of stolen property to police. No estimate was available.

Voluntary Missing

A 44-year-old man reported his live-in girlfriend as missing from their home in the 100 block of Luella Drive, March 8. But the sheriff's department discovered the woman was a victim of domestic violence at the residence Feb. 13. She returned Feb. 28 escorted by po-

lice and staff from Safe House to retrieve some of her property. The man said the woman called March 7, but only spoke his name and hung up. He is worried she may be on the street. A deputy noted in a report the whereabouts of the woman will be verified with Safe House. But if the woman is there and does not want him to know, then the information will not be released.

Larceny

Larceny was reported at the Park 'N Ride on Baker Road, Feb. 21. A 32-year-old Webberville man told a sheriff's deputy tires and rims val-

ued at \$1,000 were stolen off his vehicle.


Attempted Suicide

Attempted suicide was reported at the I-94 rest stop east of Baker Road, March 2. Police encountered a 49-year-old Southgate man who said he had taken medication and was contemplating suicide. The man was transported to University of Michigan Hospital for an evaluation.

(Compiled by Associate Editor Michelle Rogers based on reports filed with Chelsea Police and Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department.)

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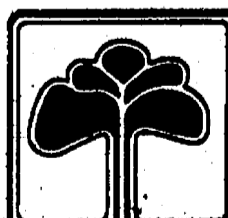
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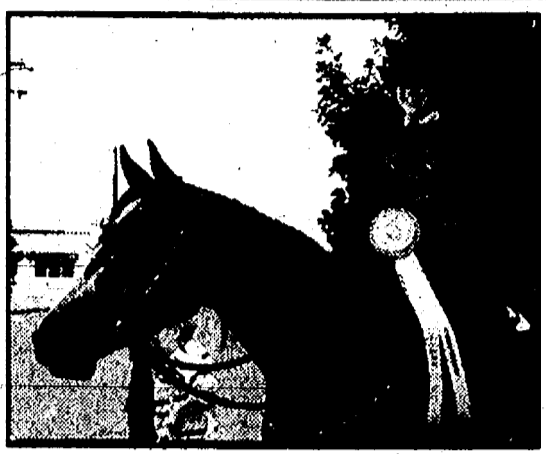
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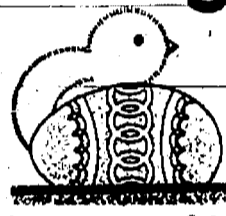
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Members of the Chelsea Baton Corps, front row from left to right, are Alisha Jacobs, Leigh Stoll, Lindsey Kindt, Tawny McSweeney, Brittany Bourdon, Rachel Armstrong and Kelly Jo Milliken. Back row, left to right, are Nicole Risner, Chelsea Gibbs, Ashley Houle, Lisa Armstrong, Sarah Swartz, Shannon Weeks, Ashley Brainerd and Susan Barkman.

Baton corps enjoys success

Chelsea Baton Corps traveled to Ida recently and participated in a baton contest at Ida High School. The Chelsea Baton Corps Dance Twirl Team performed a routine and placed first in its division.

The girls that performed were Rachel Armstrong, Brittany Bourdon, Alisha Jacobs, Lindsey Kindt, Tawny McSweeney, Kelly Jo Milliken, Leigh Stoll, Lisa Armstrong, Susan Barkman, Ashley Brainerd, Ashley Houle and Shannon Weeks.

The Corps members also competed in individual marching, solo routines and modeling events. Lindsey Kindt placed first in special beginner solo and fourth in special beginner basic strut.

Ashley Houle placed first in special beginner solo and second in novice solo. Brittany Bourdon placed first in beginner best appearing and third in beginner basic strut. Ashley Brainerd placed sixth in special beginner basic strut.

Kelly Jo Milliken placed second in novice solo. Susan Barkman placed second in special beginner solo and fifth in special beginner basic strut. Sara Swartz placed fourth in beginner fancy strut. Shannon Weeks placed first in special beginner basic strut.

Alisha Jacobs placed first in novice solo and third in beginner solo. Chelsea Gibbs placed first in beginner basic strut. Tawny McSweeney and Nicole Risner entered events in the contest. Leigh Stoll placed fifth in special beginner basic strut.

The girls entered events in their age range and by skill level. Many of the events had as many as 15-30 contestants. Chelsea Baton Corps is holding its annual baton contest at Chelsea High School on March 23.

Stamp club meeting set

The Ann Arbor Stamp Club will hold its monthly meeting on Monday evening, March 17, beginning at 7:30.

Club member Jack Weigel will present a program about the effect the Nazi occupation of Norway had on the postal system in that country. His presentation — entitled "The World War Two Issues of Norway" — is based on research he has done in connection with his own collection of both German and Scandinavian stamps.

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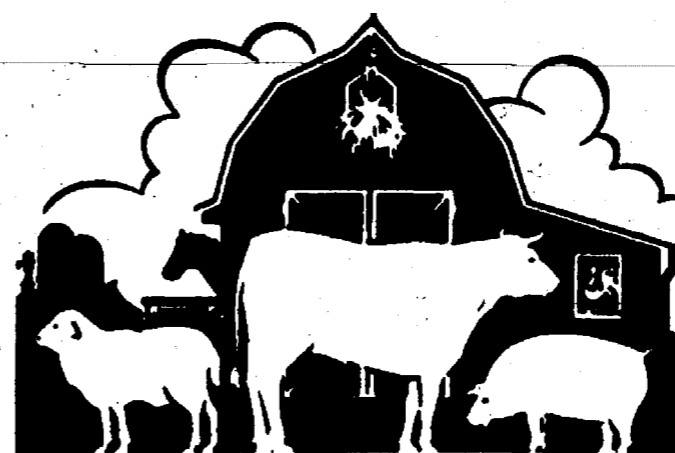
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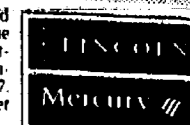
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Craft fair to feature blacksmith

By Angela Trotter
Staff Writer

Blacksmithing is commonly thought of as a craft of the past, used for such purposes as shoeing horses and making tools. However, in contemporary society, the art is still very real, and brings a strong sense of enjoyment and accomplishment to artists like Kerry Sandford of Manchester.

Sandford, who will be featured in the upcoming Pioneer Craft Fair, uses the age-old craft to design functional, but ornamental pieces, such as hooks, hinges, latches and fixtures.

"I've played with metal since I was about four years old," Sandford said. "I tried to teach myself blacksmithing about 15 years ago, but I wasn't too successful. I tried again a few years later, and have been working at it since."

He said the craft basically consists of repeatedly heating the metal and then pounding it with a hammer to get it to the desired shape.

In his shop, Sandford has a display of historical blacksmith pieces he has collected from various places, and it is from these pieces that he draws his inspiration.

"I try to stay with rustic designs and use traditional forms," he said. "That doesn't necessarily mean copying these pieces, but I get ideas from them."

Sandford said he tries to make pieces people will use, rather than just hang on the wall for decoration. For example, his wife, who is also an active folk artist, makes hand-dipped candles. Sandford crafted a device for her that allows her to dip four candles at once.

The basic tools used for blacksmithing, the hammer and the anvil, remain untouched by all of the technology of this century. However, blacksmiths of today generally use a form of steel, rather than the traditional wrought iron, as their metal of choice.

"To my knowledge there's only one mill in the world that still makes wrought iron, and



John Sandford works on a blacksmithing project in his shop. The local artist will be featured in the upcoming Pioneer Craft Fair in Dexter.

it's in London," Sandford said.

The artist said for him, blacksmithing is mainly a hobby, but he does gain some income from it. Although this will be his first time appearing in the Pioneer Craft Fair, Sandford has displayed his work at the Waterloo Farm Museum and has done some displaying in conjunction with his wife for art shows.

Sandford not only enjoys

participating in blacksmithing, but he has also made an effort to learn about the history of the skill. He said up to the 1800s in the United States, all of the fine tools came from Europe, because no one here had the skills to make them. But by the 1900s, blacksmiths were an essential part of nearly every village.

He said often a blacksmith apprentice would start out

with only a hammer and an anvil, and would have to begin his career by making all of his tools.

Sandford's art, along with that of many other artists from around the state, can be seen in the Pioneer Craft Fair on March 15, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at Dexter High School.

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The Way It Was

Methodists have history in Chelsea

By Kathy Clark
Staff Writer

Methodism was well established in the area before the Chelsea area had a church building. This was highlighted by the conversion in 1837 of Judson Dwight Collins, a farm boy who lived north of town near Unadilla. He obtained his education at the University of Michigan and went to China as a missionary. Collins laid the foundation of China's educational life in a little public school in the city of Foochow. He is said to have made a most significant contribution to China's history.

He returned to the Chelsea area in 1851, suffering from ill health due to overwork, poor food, and hardships in China, and died in 1852.

In 1858 the Rev. B. A. Hedger, pastor of the Lima Center Methodist Church, rode his horse into the village with its population of some 62 souls to establish a Methodist Society in Chelsea. Services were held in the old brick school at Park and East Streets.

A Sunday school was organized in 1854 with Silas Sargent as superintendent. The population of the village in 1855 was about 200 and many of the incoming families became Methodists.

In 1859 the first church



was built on Park Street. The Rev. Ebenezer Steel was the first assigned pastor and Chelsea became part of the Lima circuit. It stood for 40 years until it was destroyed by fire on Jan. 8, 1899.

Immediately the congregation set about building the present structure and it was dedicated Feb. 15, 1900.

A print from an old glass negative shows this struc-

ture. Notice the dirt road (streets were not paved until 1911).

A newspaper account of the dedication of the present church said, "The success of the M. E. Society of Chelsea in erecting this new edifice has been most remarkable. The church is undoubtedly the finest, for its cost, in southern Michigan. It is built entirely of field stone

with a broad unbroken front. It is constructed on the plan of an old Scotch church, low with crow-stepped gables. The entrances are at the sides, and at the right a square tower with battlements rises some 60 feet. The auditorium and chapel of the church are finished in quarter-sawn oak, the pastor's study in curly birch, and the choir room in bird's eye maple."

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Juniors-High Honors

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Seniors citizens learn to avoid scams

Chelsea-area senior citizens learned about how to avoid becoming victims of fraud from Lisa King, a crime prevention officer with the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department, at a March 7 meeting.

King advised seniors that they are often targeted by scam artists, but if they are careful, they can avoid falling into the clever traps set by these criminals.

"Has anyone ever gotten a call that says you've won a free trip to Florida?" she asked. Most of the seniors present had received such calls.

King said in most telephone fraud cases, a caller will tell the victim that they've won something for free, but have to pay taxes or attorney fees before receiving the prize. They will then ask for a social security number, a drivers license number and a credit card number.

"I don't want any of you to lose any of your money to someone doing scams," King said. "If someone calls and is trying to sell you something or is asking for personal information, just hang up. You don't have to be polite to these people."

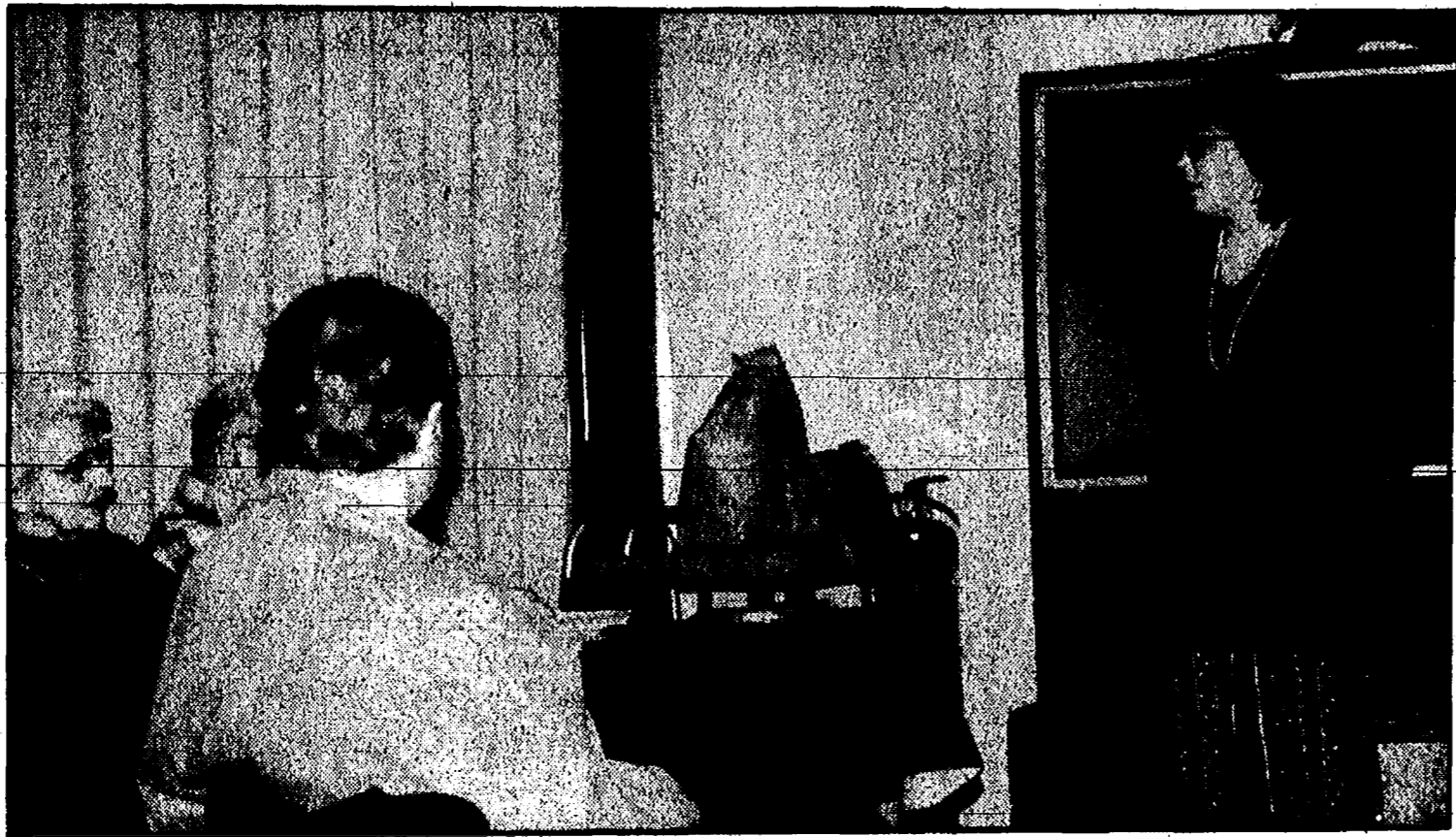
She said a good thing to remember is that if you need a company's service, you will call them and request it. They should not be calling you to solicit business.

"Never accept business from someone coming to your door," King said.

She said citizens should also be wary of people soliciting donations for charitable purposes over the phone. The sheriff's department no longer solicits donations over the phone, because of the large number of scams people came up with.

"If you want to donate, go right to the place and donate," King said. "Don't give out your credit card number over the phone."

She said one type of robbery that is becoming popular among criminals is to read the local obituaries for area deaths. The criminal will target the victim's home for a robbery during the time scheduled for the funeral, be-



Lisa King of the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department spoke to Chelsea senior citizens recently about how to avoid becoming a victim of a scam and fraud.

cause they know the resident will not be home.

The Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department is starting a new program in response to this trend. If notified that a person will be attending a funeral that was published in a newspaper, officers will patrol the area of the home during the funeral so the owners can be put at ease.

King also said the time of year is approaching that Gypsies will be making their rounds in the area, offering to paint houses, re-pave driveways and do other types of maintenance. She advised the seniors to not talk to these people either.

"If you don't know who is at your front door, don't answer it," she said.

She recalled one crime last summer, where a husband-and-wife team came to the front door and distracted the home owners while a third person sneaked into the back door and stole the couple's safe.

Another telephone scam to watch for is someone calling claiming to be from the victim's bank, saying something is messed up with their account. They will then ask the victim to verify their account number, and will use the informa-

tion they get to steal money. People have had hundreds of dollars stolen from their accounts through this scam, King said.

"If someone calls claiming to be from your bank, tell them you'll call them back, and then call the number you have for your bank and ask if there is a problem," King said.

She said citizens should also be extra careful if someone in a car behind them runs into the back of their car. She said before stopping, drivers should go to a well-populated,

well-lit location. It is common for criminals to rear-end someone, then rob the victim when he pulls his car over.

King said in general, people can avoid becoming victims of scams by using common sense. Some of the signs you are being fed a scam include high-pressure sales tactics, risk-free investments, offers that seem too good to be true, and a statement that something is "free," followed by a requirement that you pay for something.

Chamber begins breakfast series

The Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce recently presented the first in a series of breakfast meetings at which topics of interest to Chelsea area business leaders will be addressed. At the first meeting, Carleen Nelson-Nesvig of Bee Tree Consulting spoke on "The How-To's of Human Resources." She addressed such issues as federal wage and hour laws, labor relations, benefits and employees handbook preparation.

The second breakfast meeting will be held at 7:30 a.m. on Thursday, March 20 in the main dining room of Chelsea Community Hospital. The speakers will be Susan

Lackey, president of the Washtenaw Development Council, talking on the future of economic development in Washtenaw County.

Also speaking will be Marc Higginbotham, Public Affairs Representative from Norfolk and Southern Railway Company. Norfolk and Southern has announced its intention to acquire Conrail in an all-cash offer to its shareholders. This could have implications for Chelsea and other communities on the rail line.

A continental breakfast will be available at a nominal fee. Reservations can be made by calling the Chamber of Commerce office at 475-1146.



—North Creek Family Fun Night—

Fourth grader Landon Family tries to get the bottle to stand up during last Saturday's Family Fun Night at North Creek Elementary School. This was one off the most difficult games at the event. The annual fund-raiser is sponsored by PTN.

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Swim team caps great year with fourth at state

The state Class B-C-D Swimming and Diving Championships were a huge success for the Southeastern Conference last weekend as Milan Dexter and Chelsea finished a second, third, and fourth, respectively, at Eastern Michigan University in the Michael H. Jones Natatorium.

Most impressive is the fact that competing in this year's championships were 52 schools and Chelsea now ranks among the elite teams in the state.

Bloomfield Hills Andover won the meet with 157 points, Milan had 142, Dexter had 140 and Chelsea had 88.5.

The Bulldogs relied on the veteran leadership of seniors Christian Desarbo, Aaron Heaven, and Curt Street, said coach Dave Jolly. Each young man responded to the intense pressure of the state finals and led fellow teammates Josh Hack, Nathan Vachon, Matt Kolodica, Brian Fischer, Chris Frayer, Rob Frayer, Nick Harms, Bobby Rohrkemper, and Matt Johns to the best finish for the swimming program in nearly 14 years.

Though Chelsea has not won a state championship in the history of the program, one has to wonder what the near future holds with many swimmers returning from this year's squad and some very impressive freshmen joining the team next year.

"It is obvious that great things are just around the corner for this young team," Jolly said.

The finals began in fine fashion for the Bulldogs as the 200-yard medley relay placed ninth, scoring vital points for the team.

Jolly knew that this was one of the most vital events for the Bulldogs.

"To finish in the top five in the state as a team you must have three relays place in the finals. Either that or you have to have a lot of luck. Maybe we had a little of both this year," Jolly said.

The relay of Desarbo, Kolodica, Chris Frayer, and Curt Street proved that they were among the best in the state, stopping the clock at 1:43.53.

Junior Rob Frayer continued to improve as he swam his way to an 18th-place finish in the 200-yard individual medley. His time of 2:07.87 was nearly a three second drop from his time set at this year's conference meet.

Frayer was equally impressive in the 100-yard backstroke as he stunned the coaching staff with a 10th-place finish. His time of :57.67 was over two seconds faster than the time he set at the Southeastern Conference Championships. He will be one of the favorites for next year's state championships, Jolly said.

Sophomore Josh Hack amazed the crowd with a come-from-behind win in the 100-yard breaststroke. Hack was in third place going into the last wall and after the turn came up in front of everyone. He never gave the lead back as he touched the wall and the display board read clearly that he was the state champion in the event. His time of :59.54 eclipsed the school record he already held and he became only the second All-America to swim for Chelsea. Chelsea's other All-America is Matt McVittie who is swimming for Florida State University.

Hack also earned All-State honors in the 50-yard freestyle. This year's event was the fastest in the history of the meet. Hack finished sixth with a time of :22.04.

Senior Curt Street was a real work horse in this year's spectacular performance. For the first time in his swimming career, Street was expected to compete in four events, something that had the coaches a little concerned going into this year's meet.

"Street was probably the most intense and focused swimmer this year, and he had

to be. It's a lot to ask a swimmer to perform at that level four times and to do it both days is superhuman," Jolly said. Street placed 10th in the 100-yard freestyle stopping the clock at :49.88. He was on three placing relays.

Stroke for stroke, Street, Chris Frayer, Desarbo and Hack raced in one of the most intense events of the meet. With the entire crowd on its feet, Andover, Milan, Sturgis, and Chelsea seemed to touch the wall simultaneously. As the crowd looked up at the clock, the times flashed and Chelsea was second, just 16 seconds behind the winner, Andover. Their time of 1:29.49 will earn each of them All-America consideration and a new school record formally held by Steve Straub, Kevin Kolodica, Jim Bergman and Matt McVittie.

Matt Kolodica was the only other individual scorer for the Bulldogs as he stroked his way to a seventh-place finish in the 100-yard breaststroke. Kolodica was the 26th seed going into this year's meet.

"No one gave him much of a chance of scoring, but, he knew what he had to do," Jolly said.

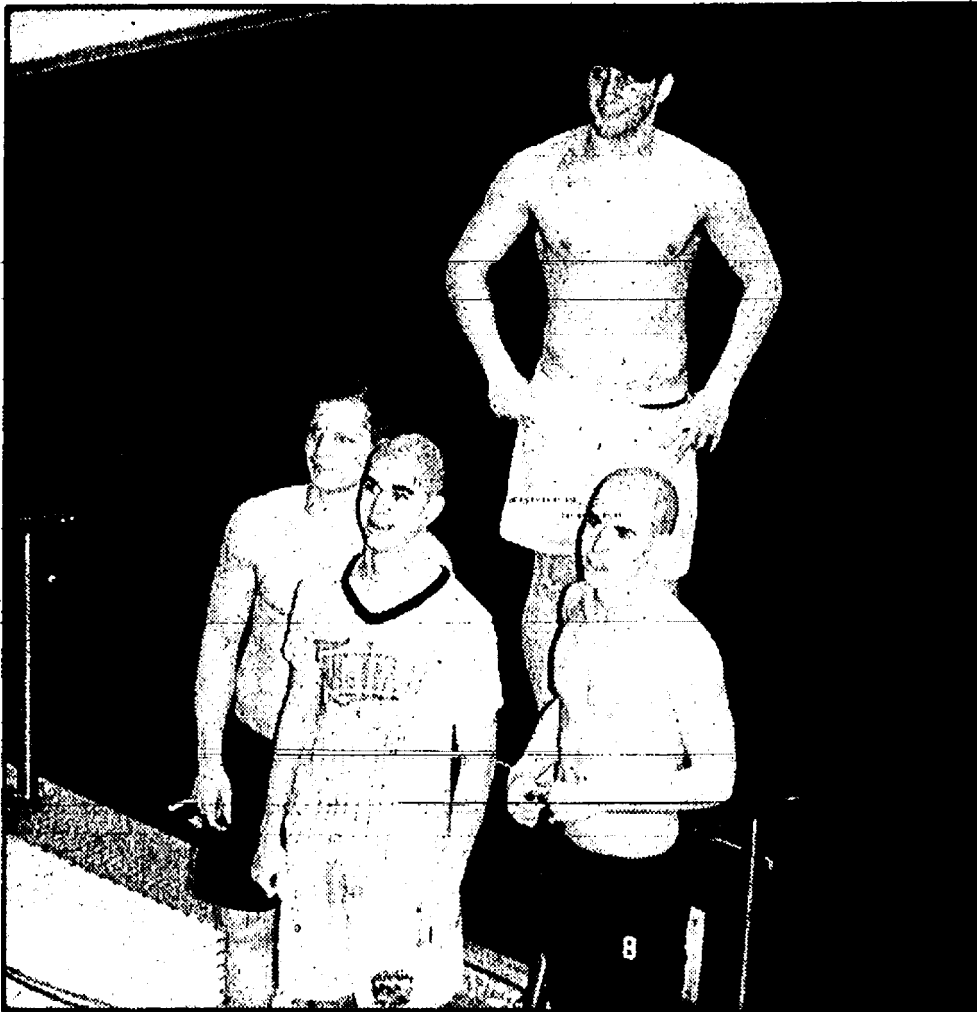
"After the prelims he had moved up to 12th place; only three one hundreds of a second away from 13th place, which would have kept him out of the finals. Once again, he proved everyone wrong and won the conciliation finals. He will be the fourth fastest returning breaststroker for next year's championships."

The final event was the 400-yard freestyle. And with every bit of energy spent, Street,



Chelsea Bulldogs finished fourth at the Class B-C-D State Meet last weekend at Eastern Michigan University. Pictured above are Brian Fischer, Nathan Vachon, Matt Kolodica Bobby Rohrkemper,

Chris Frayer, Curt Street, Matt Johns, Nick Harms, Christian Desarbo, Aaron Heaven, Josh Hack, Rob Frayer, coach Dave Jolly, and assistant coach John Crispin.



Chelsea's 200 medley relay team finished ninth at the state meet last weekend. Pictured are Chris Frayer, Matt Kolodica, Curt Street and, on top, Christian Desarbo.

Chris Frayer, Aaron Heaven, and Hack gave everything they had left. Their efforts earned them All-State honors as they swam to a sixth-place finish and a time of 3:20.44.

"This year's performance was the culmination of a tremendous amount of effort and commitment to success," Jolly said.

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Chelsea Aquatics Club can't overcome deep Dexter Piranhas

Excellent swimming and improved team records were not enough for the Chelsea Aquatics Club to stop the Dexter Community Aquatics Club Piranhas.

Records fell with the 9-10 girls medley relay team of Katrina Moffett, Alise Augustine, Kim Vachon and Daniele Hughes, eclipsing a previous mark set in 1981. Katrina also set a record in the 50-yard backstroke and then joined her freestyle relay team of Alise Augustine, Kim Vachon, and Kayla Hack to take down another mark.

Andy Hack set the record in the 100-yard backstroke for the 13 and 14 boys age group.

There were also good performances from Jennifer Minnick, Maggie Manville, Margaret Yekulis, Matt Moffett and Andy Kellogg.

Following are swim times and places by events for the Chelsea swimmers:

Medley Relay

8-under boys (100 yds.): 2. Nick Armstrong, Robbie Moffett, Dan Augustine, Kyrt Olejniczak, 1:32.02

8-under girls (100 yds.): 3. Allison Frayer, Christine Kelley, April Adams, Kat Fitzgerald, 1:31.49; 5. Jessica Lodewyk, Tracy Steinbach, Cassie Vachon, Kellyn Pagliarini, 1:48.33; 7. Heather Neff, Katie Hill, Julie Kueker, Julie Adams, 1:58.24

9-10 boys (200 yds.): 2. Doug Kueker, Nathaniel Christman, Alex Wilson, Ryan Kelley, 2:56.39; 3. Ian Bell, Ryan Fark, Kirt Tidwell, John Maynard, 4:31.94

9-10 girls (200 yds.): 1. Katrina Moffett, Alise Augustine, Kim Vachon, Daniele Hughes, 2:23.50; 3. Elizabeth Rohrkemper, Lindsay Cook, Kayla Hack, Anne Seelbach, 2:46.94; NS. Katie Herman, Kelly Butcher, Katie Widmeyer, Hannah Taylor, 3:22.02

11-12 boys (200 yds.): 3. Mike Policht, Tim Wacker, Matt Holmes, Jon Wagenchutz, 2:56.72; 5. Aaron Connell, Corey Policht, Joel Wilke, Matt Kellogg, 3:39.62

11-12 girls (200 yds.): 2. Rebecca Armstrong, Sarah Manville, Alexis Jolly, Laura Adams, 2:21.59; 4. Marie Beaudoin, Shevaun Wacker, Julie Mida, Kelly Varady, 2:38.99; NS. Sabrina Roberson, Hayley Marzec, Marissa Hogan, Chelsea Kummer, 3:37.39

13-14 boys (200 yds.): 2. Andy Hack, Kevin Sahakian,

Booby Rohrkemper, Jeff Heydlauff, 1:54.63; 3. Jared Wacker, Greg Cook, Jared Daniel, Nathan Ziegler, 2:10.42; 5. Mike Wilson, Jesse Sutton, Eli Gerstenleur, Rob Dymond, 2:23.61

13-14 girls (200 yds.): Jessica Inwood, Ashley Augustine, Jennifer Minnick, Deb Adams, 2:10.79

Freestyle
8-under boys (25 yds.): 2. Robbie Moffett, 16.92; 5. Daniel Augustine, 18.06; 7. Kyrt Olejniczak, 22.49. 8. Chett Hopp, 28.47

8-under girls (25 yds.): 3. April Adams, 16.84; 5. Maggie Manville, 18.37; 7. Kat Fitzgerald, 18.83; 8. Christine Kelley, 20.18; 11. Kellyn Pagliarini, 21.40; 12. Katie Hill, 21.56; 14. Christina Cooper, 32.43

9-10 boys (50 yds.): 2. Alex Wilson, 32.70; 4. Ryan Kelley, 36.66; 7. Andy Kellogg, 38.87; 8. Christopher Moyle, 39.53; 11. Ken White, 42.43; 13. Ryan Fark, 47.30; 14. Doug Kueker, 47.69; 15. Ian Bell, 51.14; 16. John Maynard, 59.78

9-10 girls (50 yds.): 3. Kim Vachon, 31.75; 2. Daniele Hughes, 32.26; 3. Alise Augustine, 32.28; 6. Jennifer Adams, 34.90; 7. Meghan Minnick, 35.04; 10. Lindsay Cook,

37.10; 12. Kelly Butcher, 39.34; 13. Margaret Wheeler, 41.26; 14. Katie Herman, 43.59; 16. Kate Guzik, 45.38; 17. Katie Widmeyer, 46.70; 19. Chrissy Widmeyer, 56.34

11-12 boys (50 yds.): 3. Matt Moffett, 30.04; 5. Zach Christman, 31.35; 6. Tim Wacker, 31.35; 8. Mike Policht, 38.54; 13. Matt Kellogg, 41.21; 14. Joel Wilke, 47.54; 15. Ray White, 48.25; 16. Corey Policht, 50.82; 17. Aaron Connell, 52.04

11-12 girls (50 yds.): 4. Sarah Manville, 31.07; 5. Alexis Jolly, 31.37; 7. Laura Adams, 31.97; 8. Marie Beaudoin, 33.59; 9. Kelly Varady, 33.84; 10. Tracy Stetson, 34.01; 12. Shevaun Wacker, 37.56; 13. Chelsea Kummer, 37.60; 14. Katie Minnick, 38.23; 15. Stefanie Harder, 16. Marissa Hogan, 42.80; 17. Hayley Marzec, 46.21; 18. Sabrina Roberson, 1:00.38

13-14 boys (50 yds.): 2. Bobby Rohrkemper, 24.47; 3. Nathan Vachon, 25.84; 5. Andy Hack, 26.00; 6. Greg Cook, 26.96; 7. Kevin Sahakian, 26.99; 8. Rob Dymond, 27.97; 10. Eli Gerstenleur, 28.93; 11. Jared Daniel, 28.94; 15. Mike Wilson, 31.89; 16. Aaron Wacker, 33.47; 18. Jesse Sutton, 34.18; 19. David Stone, 42.45

13-14 girls (50 yds.): 1. Ashley Augustine, 27.52; 3. Deb Adams, 28.98; 5. Jennifer Minnick, 29.65; 8. Jessica Inwood, 32.46; 9. Laura Turluck, 32.69; 10. Mary Paul, 32.81; 11. Grace Rapai, 33.37; 12. Margaret Yekulis, 33.44

Backstroke
8-under boys (25 yds.): 4. Robbie Moffett, 21.35; 6. Nick Armstrong, 24.74; 7. Chet Hopp, 28.05

8-under girls (25 yds.): 3. April Adams, 21.37; 6. Allison Frayer, 22.31; 7. Julie Kueker, 22.55; 8. Cassie Vachon, 23.38; 12. Jessica Lodewyk, 23.76; 15. Heather Neff, 26.49; 16. Tracy Steinbach, 26.90; 19. Maggie Manville, 28.17; 20. Julie Adams, 29.95; 21. Christina Cooper, 32.74

9-10 boys (50 yds.): 3. Alex Wilson, 40.96; 6. Ryan Kelley, 43.34; 7. Christopher Moyle, 47.27; 8. Nathaniel Christman, 47.78; 13. Kirt Tidwell, 56.38; 14. Andy Kellogg, 58.15; 15. John Maynard, 1:05.43; NS. Kenny White, 55.33

9-10 girls (50 yds.): 1. Katrina Moffett, 35.33; 3. Kayla Hack, 39.16; 4. Daniele Hughes, 39.35; 5. Elizabeth Rohrkemper, 41.76; 9. Meghan Minnick, 43.94; 10. Jennifer Adams, 44.07; 11. Margaret Wheeler, 46.63; 14. Hannah

Taylor, 48.21; 16. Anne Seelbach, 48.89; 17. Katie Guzik, 50; 24. Katie Herman, 54.94; 25. Chrissy Widmeyer, 1:00.21

11-12 boys (50 yds.): 1. Matt Moffett, 35.93; 3. Zach Christman, 36.98; 7. Matt Holmes, 42.40; 8. Mike Policht, 46.99; 13. Jon Wagenchutz, 49.49; 16. Joel Wilke, 54.83; 17. Corey Policht, 57; 18. Ray White, 57.17

11-12 girls (50 yds.): 3. Alexis Jolly, 34.98; 6. Rebbecca Armstrong, 38.53; 7. Laura Adams, 39.39; 8. Tracy Stetson, 39.83; 11. Julie Mida, 40.58; 13. Shevaun Wacker, 47.06; 14. Stefanie Harder, 47.11; 15. Katie Minnick, 50.48; 20. Marissa Hogan, 52.61

13-14 boys (100 yds.): 1. Andy Hack, 1:02.36; 3. Nathan Vachon, 1:08.34; 4. Jared Wacker, 1:12.24; 5. Jeff Heydlauff, 1:15.03; 6. Nathan Ziegler, 1:15.79; 8. Rob Dymond, 1:18.36; 9. Mike Wilson, 1:20.49; 11. Jared Daniel, 1:27.08; Aaron Wacker, 1:41.02; 14. David Stone, 2:25.06

13-14 girls (100 yds.): 2. Deb Adams, 1:11.09; 3. Ashley Augustine, 1:12.13; 5. Jennifer Minnick, 1:16.32; 8. Mary Paul, 1:19.83; 9. Laura Turluck, 1:24.14; 10. Jessica Inwood, 1:25.92; 11. Grace Rapai, 1:26.00; 12. Margaret Yekulis, 1:31.76

Freestyle Relay

8-under boys (100 yds.): 3. Kyrt Olejniczak, Nick Armstrong, Chet Hopp, Daniel Augustine, 1:28.13

8-under girls (100 yds.): 2.

Kat Fitzgerald, Jessica Lodewyk, Christine Kelley, Allison Frayer, 1:21.30; 5. Kellyn Pagliarini, Heather Neff, Julie Kueker, Cassie Vachon, 1:33.18; 7. Julie Adams, Christina Cooper, Tracy Steinbach, Katie Hill, 1:55.43

9-10 boys (200 yds.): 3. Nathaniel Christman, Doug Kueker, Andy Kellogg, Christopher Moyle, 2:55.81; 4. Ian Bell, Ryan Fark, Kirt Tidwell, Kenny White, 3:16.48

9-10 girls (200 yds.): 1. Kayla Hack, Alise Augustine, Kim Vachon, Katrina Moffett, (Continued on Page 20)

Eighth grade spikers continue to play hard

Beach Middle School eighth grade volleyball team defeated Pinckney this week at home Thursday and was beaten at Dexter Tuesday.

The Chelsea girls played very well but came up a little short, 12-10 in the fifth and deciding game in their match with Dexter.

Dexter took games one and two with scores of 11-2 and 11-7 before Chelsea came back with wins in games three and four, 11-7 and 11-6, thus forcing the fifth game which was rally scored.

The entire match was marked with very good volleyball, highlighted with good scoring, passing, setting and hitting. Chelsea raised their season high attack attempts to 74.

Leading the team with 12 of 12 serving and six points was Emily Royce. Jesse Cole had five service points and Ann Larder, Michelle Deitling, Caitlin Beidron and Molly Welton added four service points.

Royce, Welton and Cole led in pass attempts and Lindsey Baker, 28; Caitlin Beidron, 17, and Caitlin Deis, 15, led in assists.

Leading hitters were Amber Mattocks, 19, Laura Baird, 16, Royce, 11, and Josie Wells, eight.

The team continued to play well as they won their match at home with Pinckney in three games with scores of 11-4, 11-2 and 11-4.

Everyone on the team made a contribution with their good serving and play, said coach Ann Schaffner.

Leading in service points were Michelle Deitling with five and Cattle Boshaven with four.

Seven team members played terrific games including Deitling, Boshaven, Baird, Baker, Welton, Cole and Kate Wheeler.



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About the Outdoors

by Jerry D. Posey



This is a bad time of the year — bad that is for most outdoorsmen.

It is the time of the year that the fever gets a firm grip on many households. You know the fever I'm talking about — cabin fever, an illness that strikes the outdoors types when they have been cooped up inside the house for too long. The hunting seasons are over and the ice is going through a stage where it is safe enough to get in a little fishing one day. Then because of unseasonable warm weather, when the weekend arrives it's not safe enough to spend the day wandering around on it without the constant fear of getting an unexpected freezing bath. Those kind of days I would rather just try to find something else to occupy my time.

There is still a lot of ice up north as this column is being written, and the fishing is still being reported as worthwhile. So, one might consider a couple more weekend trips in that direction when the urge gets so bad you can no longer fight it.

The winter was a weird one. It started out with a little snow during the last two weeks of November that allowed the deer hunters in all parts of Michigan to be able to track the deer. It also made deer easier to spot while hunting.

The lack of snow never seems to be a problem in the U.P. and the northern half of the lower peninsula. But snow during the first week of the season is always welcomed by the hunters in the bottom three tiers of counties since they sometimes do not get snow until the second week. That's not a problem faced by the U.P. and the northern hunters. They usually watch the weather closely just before the season opens, hoping the snow is not so deep that it hinders their hunting efforts.

The snow didn't last long though. It was gone in my area before the second week was under way. Then the rest of the winter was spent watching the thermometer bounce up and

down, from as low as 20 below zero, to as high as 50 above, then back down again.

The ice was slow in forming on many inland lakes and in some areas. I'm sure the birds thought summer had arrived in January when the temperature again soared.

The ice wasn't in real good shape for long before the warm weather made much of it unsafe again.

Many fishermen like myself made more trips this year to the north to get in a little fishing than had been necessary for several years. But we had to somehow get the desire to fish out of our systems.

My group brought a lot of nice fish back from the Harrison, Boyne City and Cheboygan areas this winter. We also made new friends that we plan to visit next year when the ice sets in.

The last of Michigan's hunting seasons end when the rabbit season closes March 31 each year. After that, even the old beagle has nothing to do.

Varmint hunters can still go out after the coyote, but even though the coyote population is increasing in most parts of Michigan, the chances of getting a lot of action during a day of hunting are slim. Some of the most experienced callers that I've talked to say that getting a shot at more than one or two is rare, even on a good day.

It's still a little early to find a fat, old groundhog who may or may not have seen his shadow back in February, and the only thing we have to look forward to is the spring turkey season. The Michigan turkey population is not yet to the point where every one gets a chance to hunt them, but the few that are lucky enough to be drawn in the turkey lottery will surely be taking their shots when the time comes.

Back to the cabin fever. The boredom brought on by the lack of good ice and no open hunting season, can, if not properly treated, lead to a very severe case of the well known but rarely fatal illness known as cabin fever.

The first symptoms are the lack of energy to get up off of the couch during the weekend for any reason other than meals, and an increase in the amount of time spent staring out of the window for a long period, watching the ice melt. I'm not saying that this has ever happened to me, but did you know that it takes a four-inch icicle exactly five hours and thirty-seven minutes to melt completely away when the temperature is 48? You have to be pretty bored to figure that one out.

The next stage of the illness, and possibly the most dangerous, is the urge to make unintended comments to the wife, offering to do some of the little repair jobs she has been trying to get you to take care of all winter. Why, it was only yesterday that I felt that uncontrollable urge to replace the washer in a faucet that had been dripping since last fall. And the burned out lightbulb on the front porch? I think I might tackle that project tomorrow. I think I'm going to make a doctors appointment before this weekend.

The worst thing about cabin fever is that just when you think you're going to pull through, you find you have taken a turn for the worse. Now it seems it has developed into another non-fatal illness with the medical name spring fever.

We don't have the space here to explain all of the symptoms of spring fever. But I will say, the best cure I've found for both the cabin-type fever and the spring-verse-is-to settle back in my recliner and read a good outdoors column. It will sometimes help to relive some of the pain.

Hospice strives to reduce pain

Using a tool it developed to measure patients' pain, Hospice of Michigan has shown that severe pain can be relieved in most patients within 48 hours.

Hospice of Michigan's pain measurement tool, developed using clinical research and expert opinions uses a 10-point scale, where 0 represents no pain and 10 represents the worst pain a patient can imagine.

The Hospice of Michigan goal is to control patients' pain so that it is less severe than a "4" rating on the 10-point scale. Approximately one-third of all patients admitted to Hospice of Michigan experience a pain rating of 4 or greater at the time of admission, said Dr. Mary Huber. After hospice care was initiated, patients were reassessed.

"Our data show that patients' pain was reduced by 72 percent after only a few days," said Huber.

Hospice of Michigan is the first hospice in the country to empirically measure pain data from patients.

"We were very careful in our selection of a pain scale. We reviewed several visual analog pain scales, but decided to use a 0 to 10 numerical rating scale because it allowed patients to report their pain severity during phone assessments as well as during nursing visits. Patients can use the scale to confirm perception of pain severity without having to rely on pictures in a handout," said Mary Louise Huber, PhD, Hospice of Michigan vice president.

Hospice of Michigan staff validated the decision to use the 0 to 10 scale with major referring hospitals to ensure that they were also using the same rating for pain. A much-publicized article in the January 15 issue of the "Annals of Internal Medicine" stated that most Americans die in pain. That study examined

patients in hospital intensive care units, not patients under the care of a hospice program.

"No one has to die in pain," said Huber. "At Hospice of Michigan, we use state-of-the-art palliative care protocols to control pain and other symptoms of disease. Those of us who work in the hospice field have always known that hospice care can eliminate or greatly reduce the pain associated with cancer and other diseases. Since developing our pain measurement tool and using it with every patient, Hospice of Michigan has been able to demonstrate that our claims have a basis in fact."

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The County Perspective

By Joseph Yekulis, County Commissioner

I'd like to spend some time with you this month sharing my recent experiences in Washington, D.C. As many of you know, I received an appointment to the National Association of Counties (NACO) Justice and Public Safety Steering Committee last month, and had the chance to participate in the committee's discussions during the NACO Legislative Conference held from Feb. 28 through March 4.

The NACO Legislative Conference is an annual event held in Washington during this time every year and its purpose is to bring county commissioners and supervisors together from all over the country to study policy issues, attend educational seminars, and hear what's on the minds of our national leaders, who feel that it's important to share information with our nation's county commissioners.

This year's conference set an attendance record, as 2,500 county officials were in attendance, and the most notable speakers at this year's conference were Vice President Al Gore, Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott (R) of Mississippi and House Speaker Newt Gingrich (R) of Georgia. President Clinton spoke at the conference in 1995 and 1996, and former Sen. Bob Dole spoke in 1985.

The Steering Committee met for most of the day on Saturday and a number of important issues were studied and discussed.

The Cost Effectiveness of Crime Prevention.

A RAND Corporation study by researcher Peter Greenwood was discussed, which attempted to compare the effectiveness of incarcerating juvenile offenders who have been convicted of crimes, vs. the impact of attempting to divert children from a life of crime at an early age. Starting from the premise that many violent

crimes are now being committed by young juveniles offenders, the RAND study considered four early intervention techniques that would target "high risk children of young single, poor mothers who are considered to be at a higher risk of engaging in criminal activities than others."

These strategies included early in-home visits by child-care professionals, training and therapy for families whose children demonstrate aggressive behavior in schools, graduation incentives, and close monitoring of known delinquents.

NACO's Grassroots Information System.

This allows county commissioners to be more effective grassroots lobbyists for their local communities by providing easy access to their legislators through a new toll-free number and the Internet.

U.S. Sen. Conrad Burns, R-Montana.

He stressed the importance of investing our dollars in family-based organizations for our children that have proven to be effective. Burns cited 4-H and Future Farmers of America (FFA) as examples.

County Leadership in Preventing and Treating Drug Abuse.

David Mactas, director of the National Center for Drug Abuse Treatment, runs an agency funded by Congress at \$1.5 billion, whose funds are block-granted back to the states.

After specializing in this area for nearly 30 years, Mactas pointed out that contrary to popular belief "the majority of drug abusers in this country are employed and white. Funding for poor drug abusers becomes easy for legislators to cut because these people are viewed as morally weak, while pillars of the community are considered to be no more than impaired. It becomes a matter of perception."

In a 1986 National Treatment Study of 6,600 substance abusers, 78 percent of the patients involved showed marked improvement after a year of treatment. Mactas argues that "these factors should strongly be considered when evaluating the costs of building more prison space vs. the costs of proactive treatment for substance abusers."

Resolutions to the NACO Executive Committee.

Three resolutions were reviewed and approved to be sent on to the NACO Executive Board for adoption. They included support for the Re-Authorization of the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act, changing the funding formulas in the Local Law Enforcement Block Grants to more accurately reflect the county's role in funding the courts and corrections and ensuring that public safety's needs are taken into account as the FCC considers auctioning off portions of the Broadcast Spectrum to the private sector.

Included in the conference were opportunities to hear a number of lively political debates. The Opening General Session on Sunday afternoon featured a debate between Bob Beckel, "Liberal Political Analyst and Talk Show Host" and Arianna Huffington, "Conservative Political Analyst and Commentator."

They took a number of lighthearted jabs at one another in the style of the old "Point/Counterpoint" segments that used to be seen on CBS's "60 Minutes," and both took several hits at the Clinton White House and the use of

the Lincoln Bedroom for alleged fundraising abuses during the last election.

Most significant to me was a point made by Huffington, who suggested that when it comes to National Politics and Federal Campaign abuses, "we as a country have become totally oblivious to what goes on in Washington. Why doesn't anyone care anymore? Where's the indignation? Why isn't anyone indignant over the lack of indignation in this country?" On that Point I couldn't agree with her more.

Along with several other seminars I attended, the last one that I'll mention of note was the National Conference of Republican County Officials, of which William J. Canary, former special assistant to President Bush from 1989 to 1991, was a guest speaker. Canary pointed out a number of key points, and predicted several future trends.

- With a Republican Congress and a Democratic President, neither side can work without the other and both sides win be forced to work together if they hope to accomplish their goals during the next two years.

- Campaign finance reform is high on the "issues calendar," as \$2.5 billion was spent on the 1996 Congressional elections and there appears to be no end in sight.

- "Policy for Sale" will dominate the national political discussion in Washington during 1997 and beyond.

- Never underestimate the intelligence of your voters but don't overestimate the amount of information they receive.

Michigan Sen. Carl Levin

(D) was in attendance at the Michigan Delegates Reception on Sunday night. It's obvious that our representatives in Washington are hearing our cries for help concerning Michigan's crumbling roads as this was the only issue that he publicly discussed with us.

He stated that a solution may be imminent as Congress is considering block-granting the 4.3 cents/gallon federal gas tax back to the states that is currently being paid by motorists at the pump. Michigan motorists pay 18.3 cents/gallon, with the remaining 14 cents

going into the Federal Highway Trust Fund. This would generate \$200 million more for Michigan on an annual basis. Stay tuned.

With that I'll close by saying that I learned a great deal from my Washington experience, and hope that the information that I've shared with you this month has enlightened you a little bit more as well. For more detailed information on the items discussed above, feel free to call me at 475-3874, drop me a line at 830 N. Main St., Chelsea 48118, or e-mail me at yekulisj@co.washtenaw.mi.us.

Aquatics club posts scores

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2:09.50; 3. Elizabeth Rohrkemper, Lindsay Cook, Meghan Minnick, Jennifer Adams, 2:24.73; 5. Kelly Butcher, Anne Seelbach, Margaret Wheeler, Hanna Taylor, 2:38.05

11-12 boys (200 yds.): 3. Matt Holmes, Zach Christman, Tim Wacker, Matt Moffett, 2:16.34; 5. Ray White, Matt Kellogg, Jon Wagenchutz, Aaron Connell, 3:10.82

11-12 girls (200 yds.): 3. Rebecca Armstrong, Kelly Varady, Marie Beaudoin, Sarah Manville, 2:11.08; 4. Julie Mida, Chelsea Kummer,

Katie Minnick, Tracy Stetson, 2:32.93; 5. Sabrina Roberson, Marissa Hogan, Stefanie Harder, Hayley Marzec, 3:20.74

13-14 boys (200 yds.): 1. Bobby Rohrkemper, Kevin Sahakian, Greg Cook, Nathan Vachon, 1:43.58; 3. Jared Wacker, Nathan Ziegler, Eli Gerstenleuer, Jeff Heydlauff, 1:53.05; 4. Aaron Wacker, Rob Dymond, Jesse Sutton, David Stone, 2:24.42

13-14 girls (200 yds.): Grace Rapai, Mary Paul, Margaret Yekulis, Laura Turluck, 2:21.24

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ATTENTION LYNDON TOWNSHIP

THE REGULAR LYNDON TOWNSHIP MARCH BOARD MEETING DATE HAS BEEN CHANGED TO TUESDAY, MARCH 18, 1997 AFTER THE BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING (7:00 P.M.) AT THE LYNDON TOWNSHIP HALL.

LYNDON TOWNSHIP
Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk

LYNDON TOWNSHIP NOTICE OF BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING

Tuesday, March 18, 1997 at 7:00 P.M. at Lyndon Township Hall, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118

The Lyndon Township Board will hold a public hearing on the proposed township budget for fiscal year 97-98 at Lyndon Township Hall, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118 on March 18, 1997 at 7:00 p.m.

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.

A copy of the budget is available for public inspection at the office of the Clerk, 17301 M-52, Chelsea, MI 48118.

This notice is posted in compliance with PA 267 of 1976 as amended (Open Meeting Act), MCLA 41-72a(2)(3) and the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA).

The Lyndon Township Board will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting upon 7 business days notice to the Lyndon Township Clerk.

Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Lyndon Township Clerk by writing or calling the following: Janis Knieper, Clerk, 17301 M-52, Chelsea, MI 48118 or phone 475-3686.

A copy of this notice is on file in the office of the clerk.

LYNDON TOWNSHIP
Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk

Review 1996-97 Financial Report
Proposed 1997-98 Budget Hearing
Old Business
New Business

LIMA TOWNSHIP
Arlene R. Bareis, Clerk

Is seeking applicants to fill the positions of Zoning Inspector, and Anti-Blight Inspector.

Zoning Inspector — Responsibilities are to enforce the ordinance, issue occupancy permits, attend Zoning Board of Appeals meetings, Planning Commission meetings when necessary, and the Township Board meetings.

Anti-Blight Inspector — Responsibilities are to help prevent, reduce or eliminate blight, blighting factors or causes of blight within the Township.

Both positions are considered part time.

Applicant does not have to be a resident of Dexter Township.

If interested please send a resume to:

John P. Sdao, Supervisor
Dexter Township
6880 Dexter Pinckney Rd.,
Dexter, MI 48130

If you have further questions, please call 426-3767 during regular business hours, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Monday-Friday.

LIMA TOWNSHIP NOTICE

Lima Township Hall, 11412 Jackson Road, Chelsea, MI 48118

All PDR applications must be received by noon on March 27, 1997 at the Lima Township Hall, or by mail to the Lima Township Clerk, 10411 Chelsea Road, Dexter, MI 48130, by noon, March 27, 1997.

LIMA TOWNSHIP
Arlene R. Bareis, Clerk.

DEXTER TOWNSHIP NOTICE

Special meeting of the Dexter Township Board to be held at 9:00 a.m., March 15, 1997 at the Township Hall, 6880 Dexter Pinckney Rd., Dexter, MI 48130.

Agenda:
Preliminary discussion of the 1997-98 Budget.

DEXTER TOWNSHIP
William Eisenbeiser, Clerk

LIMA TOWNSHIP Notice of Adoption of Zoning Ordinance Amendment

The Lima Township Board adopted an Amendment to the Lima Township Zoning Map, rezoning Parcel 81-07-17-400-008, owned by Stanley L. Kint, from RS to C-2, on March 3, 1997. Located on Old U.S. 12 and I-94, a part of the southeast 1/4 of Section 17, Lima Township.

The effective date of the amendment is 30 days from date of this publication. I hereby certify the above amendment was adopted at a regular meeting of the Lima Township Board on March 3, 1997.

LIMA TOWNSHIP
Arlene R. Bareis, Clerk

NOTICE TO DEXTER TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

The regular meeting of the Dexter Township Board will meet Tuesday, March 18, 1997 at the Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter, Pinckney Rd., Dexter, MI 48130 at 7:30 p.m.

Agenda:

1. Preservation of Development Rights - Presentation
2. Washtenaw County Road Commission
3. Hazardous Material Ordinance

Note: Due to time constraints additional items may be placed on the Agenda.

A complete agenda can be obtained by March 15, 1997 at the Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter Pinckney Rd., Dexter, MI 48130 (Office hours Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.)

DEXTER TOWNSHIP
John P. Sdao, Supervisor

LYNDON TOWNSHIP BOARD REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, March 18, 1997 at 7:00 P.M. at Lyndon Township Hall

AGENDA:

- Public Hearing on Budget
- Private Road Ordinance Variance - Martin
- Rental of Township Hall
- Division of land requirements on Private Roads
- Reigel Property/Township Hall - feasibility study
- Road Commission
- Reports, Pay Bills, and Correspondence
- Other Business

LYNDON TOWNSHIP
Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk

LIMA TOWNSHIP

The regular meeting of the Lima Township Board was called to order by Supervisor Adrian at 8:00 P.M. on March 3, 1997 and opened with the Pledge to the Flag. Present were Supervisor Adrian, Clerk Bareis, Treasurer Havens, Trustees Heller and Trinkle and zoning inspector Koch, several residents and guests. Motion by Heller supported by Trinkle to approve minutes of 2/3, 2/4, and 2/5 as printed. Carried.

The Treasurer's report was received.

Zoning Inspector reported 2 permits and 1 new address.

Correspondence from McKune Memorial Library stated our contract will be terminated September 1, 1997. No library cards will be sold nor will existing cards be honored after that date.

The Chelsea Area Traffic Study group will hold a public hearing on March 20, at 7:00 P.M. at the Sylvan Township Hall to discuss bypass possibilities.

Motion by Bareis supported by Heller to refer to attorney the fee resolution for assistance and approval. Carried.

Motion by Heller supported by Trinkle to accept all PDR applications not later than noon on March 27, 1997 at the Township Office, or by mail to the clerk at 10411 Chelsea Road, Dexter, MI 48130. A notice indicating this to be placed in the Standard and Leader. Carried.

Motion by Trinkle supported by Heller to update the fiscal year ordinance. Carried.

Motion by Bareis supported by Trinkle to set the annual meeting date on March 22, 1997 at 1:00 P.M. and Settlement Day Friday, March 14, at 7:30 P.M. Carried.

Motion by Heller supported by Bareis to amend the official zoning map from RS to C-2, for High Tech Homes Petition #96-004, in accord with the Lima Township Planning Commission, Washtenaw County Planning Commission and the township planning consultant report. Ayes: Bareis, Trinkle, Heller, Havens, Adrian. Nays: None.

Motion by Bareis supported by Trinkle to send Robert Koch, Robert Heller and a planning Commission member to the Subdivision Control Act training sponsored by MTA on Thursday, March 27, 1997 in Southfield. Carried.

Motion by Bareis supported by Heller to send a letter supporting the Village of Chelsea in their grant request for Dana Park expansion. Carried.

Motion by Heller supported by Trinkle to pay bills. Carried.

Motion by Heller supported by Trinkle to adjourn at 10:30 P.M. Carried.

LIMA TOWNSHIP FISCAL YEAR ORDINANCE #4 REV. A

An Ordinance to establish the fiscal year of the Township of Lima, Washtenaw County, Michigan and the annual settlement day for such Township pursuant to the Michigan Public Act 598 of 1979.

The Township of Lima, Washtenaw County, Michigan Herby Ordains,

SECTION I
Commencing in 1979, the fiscal year of the Township shall extend from April 1 of each year until March 31 of the following year.

SECTION II
The annual settlement day meeting of the Township Board shall hereafter be held on the 15th day of the last month of the fiscal year of the Township unless said day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday whereupon said meeting shall be held on the following Monday, or a day to be determined by the Township Board at least 7 days but not more than 14 days prior to the annual meeting.

SECTION III
The annual meeting of the electors of the Township shall be held on a Saturday between the Settlement Day meeting and the end of the fiscal year at such time and place as is determined by the Township Board, normally the last Saturday of the month of the fiscal year.

Ayes: Trinkle, Heller, Bareis, Havens, Adrian. Nays: None.

I hereby certify the above Ordinance was adopted at a regular meeting of the Lima Township Board on March 3, 1997.

Arlene R. Bareis, Clerk

The regular meeting of the Sylvan Township Board was held March 4, 1997 at 7 P.M. in the Sylvan Township Hall, 112 W. Middle Street, Chelsea.

The following board members were present: Supervisor Dresselhouse, Clerk Koch, Treasurer Grau, Trustee Lesser and Trustee Heller.

Also present was Leila Draugelis, Randy Musbach and Charlie Burgess. Minutes were approved as presented.

Motion by Lesser, supported by Heller to pay bills as presented. Carried.

A Public Hearing was held on the "Mushbach" road spelling. Randy Musbach was present on behalf of his father, Arden requesting consideration be given to correct the spelling of Mushbach Road. The Board's findings are that a scribner error occurred between the 1895- and 1915 plat maps. Motion by Heller, supported by Grau that the spelling/scribner error be corrected to MUSBACH.

A Public Hearing was held on the 1997-98 Budget. Discussion was held on line items and this budget will be adopted at the April 1, 1997 meeting. Motion by Koch, supported by Grau to adopt .9621 mills to be levied as of December 1, 1997. Carried.

Zoning Inspector Burgess reported 1 permit and 3 violations were issued in February.

Supervisor Dresselhouse reported on the Chelsea Milling appeal status and the upcoming UATS meeting regarding the bypass to be held March 20, 1997 at 7:30 at the Sylvan Township Hall.

Motion by Lesser, supported by Grau to deny the Rezoning request of Carter/Koenn at Kalmbach Road upon recommendations of the Sylvan Township Planning Commission and the Washtenaw County Planning Commission. Carried.

Motion by Heller, supported by Koch to approve the Rezoning request of Irving Feller at Cavanaugh Lake upon recommendations of the Sylvan Township Planning Commission and the Washtenaw County Planning Commission. Carried.

Motion by Lesser, supported by Grau to appoint Koch as the FOIA Coordinator per H.B. 4849. Carried.

Motion by Grau, supported by Koch to accept the resignation of Alan Cole from the District Library alternate list. Carried.

Motion by Lesser, supported by Koch to support the Village of Chelsea in the Michigan Land and Water Conversation Grant with no monetary contribution requested. Carried.

Motion by Grau, supported by Lesser to approve and authorize Clerk and Supervisor to sign the Washtenaw County Road Commission Agreement. Carried.

Motion by Heller, supported by Koch to accept Assessor contract as amended to reflect salary change to \$33,200.00 and also recommend to pay \$3,000.00 in addition for the efforts in the Chelsea Milling appeal. Carried.

Motion by Heller, supported by Lesser to appoint Trent Satterthwaite to attend the Huron River Watershed Council meetings. Carried.

Darrell Satterthwaite submitted an application for Purchase of Development Rights for the State. A Resolution Supporting a PDR nomination was passed with a roll call vote of all ayes. Carried.

Motion by Lesser, supported by Heller to adjourn.

LuAnn S. Koch, Clerk

Chelsea High School Honor Roll

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 Jeffrey Herman, William Hohnke, Thomas Holdsworth, Yvonne Humenay, Ines Iranzo, Lisa Irish, Catherine Jaques, Sarah Jedele, Erin Kampmann, Ryan Koch, Matthew Kolodica, Melody Liebeck, Stephanie Lundquist, Heather McKenzie, Stacy Melton, Kathleen Messner, Allison Montero, Jean-Pierre Mouilleseaux, Richard Murphy III, Destiny Nelson, Corinna Nilsen, Leslee Parker, Gerilyn Pearce, Karen Pieper, Joshua Powers, Sarah Pruess, Jessica Ritter, Jennifer Saarinen, Adam

Schaper, Jeremy Shaw, Kristen Smith, Megan Smith, Jeanne Spink, Leah Thompson, Kristine Tripp, Robert Vasas, Kyle Verge, Katherine Wells, Jillian Wesolowski, Shelly Williams, Adam Winans, Jay Winchel, Christine Winters, Melissa Yekulis
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 Mindy Arnett, Catherine Baibak, Anna Balyo, April Bassett, Aimee Black, John Carter, Mark Crandell, Daniel Dault, Kyle Davidson, Nicholas Elkington, Brian Fischer, Justin Fusco, Kyle Griffith, Brian Groesser,

Paloma Haist, Candice Hall, Jenna Hall, Emily Hammett, Matthew Hand, Kathryn Harper, Miranda Harris, Laura Heller, Andrew Hepburn, Paul Hinshaw, McKenna Houle, Louisa Hubbard, Vanessa Humenay, Matthew Johns, Matthew Kalmbach, Kate Kedroske, Daniel Kloosterman, Matthew Knight, Adam Knott, Melissa Lefurge, Melissa Letizio, Kathryn Long, Sarah Martin, Jason Mast, Amy McCalla, Aaron McGranahan, Nickolas McVay, Joshua Miller, Megan

Morgan, Laura Nilsen, Darrel Noye, Katie Parker, Shelly Rickelmann, Sarah Riecks, Lillian Sacks, Vincent Scheffler, Morgan Schoch, Daniel Seward, Aaron Smith, Michael Solo, Sara Stankevich, Brooke Stolaski, Joshua Tabaka, Amanda Tarantowski, Steven Tarolli, Emily Taylor, Christine Tracy, Lauren Turek, Lauren Varady, Andrea Wallace, Rebecca Williams, Lisa Zimmerman
Freshmen-Honor Roll
 Owen Anderson, Joseph Arend, Mora Arnold, James

Bailey, Samantha Barlow, Kristine Barner, Ryan Barwick, Laura Borden, Andrea Bullock, Crystal Cederna, Leslie Ching, Daniel Courdway, Stephanie Darrow, Meredith Davis, Derek Egeler, Stephen Erskine, Deanna Fulton, Teresa Furmanski, John Goss III, Catherine Graczyk, Lisa Hadley, Adam Hall, Kristopher Hammerberg, Shawn Hayes, Annaliese Hofing, Kate Huehl, Deanne Hunt, Jessica Inwood, William Kaltz-Hall, Autumn Koch, Jeffrey Kolodica, Anna Lussier, April Marzec, Justin Medeiros, Kathryn Melton,

Katherine Mets, Gerald Milliken, Quentin Mindel, Colette Montpetit, Christopher Moore, Elias Morrel-Samuels, Sara Mossburg, Justin Nadolny, Brenda Newman, Emily Norton, Lucas Olinyk, Danielle Patt, Brian Phillips, Thomas Power, Lindsay Powers, Laura Saarinen, Valerie Schiller, Chad Schwartzberger, Sarah Skyles, Sarah Smith, Karen Tabaka, Joscelyn Temple, Andrew Thiel, Valisa Thompson, Mary Torrice, Dennis Watson, Betty Wescott, Daniel Whitesall, Bonnie Wisner

a commission called the Chelsea Village Historic District Commission. Each member of the commission shall reside within the Village of Chelsea. The membership of the Chelsea Village Historic District Commission shall be not less than five nor more than seven members. A majority of the members shall have a clearly demonstrated interest or knowledge of historic preservation. The members shall be appointed by the Village President and approved by the Village Council. Appointment shall be made within six months after the adoption of this Ordinance. Members shall be appointed for three year terms except that the initial appointments shall be less than three years so that the initial appointments are staggered and that subsequent appointments do not recur at the same time. Members shall be eligible for reappointment. A vacancy on the commission shall be filled within 60 calendar days by appointment. An appointment may be terminated and a member of the commission removed due to the acts or omissions of the member, for good cause, and after a due process public hearing before the Village Council and by action of the Village Council. If the population of the Village of Chelsea exceeds 5,000 individuals by its most recent census, then the Village Council shall appoint at least one member to the commission from a list of citizens submitted by one or more duly organized local historic preservation organizations. The commission shall include as a member, if available, a graduate of an accredited school of architecture, who has two years of architectural experience or who is an architect registered in the State of Michigan.

Section 7. WORK AFFECTING EXTERIOR APPEARANCE OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES: PERMIT, APPLICATION; CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS OR NOTICE; PROCESS FEE; RIGHT OF APPEAL; STANDARDS AND GUIDELINES; HEARING; DELEGATED AUTHORITIES.

(1) A permit shall be obtained before any work affecting the exterior appearance of a resource is performed within a historic district. The person, individual, partnership, firm, corporation, organization, institution, or agency of government proposing to do that work shall file an application for a permit with the Ordinance Enforcement Officer of the Village. If the Enforcement Officer receives the application, the application shall be immediately referred together with all required supporting materials that make the application complete to the commission. A permit shall not be issued and proposed work shall not proceed until the commission has acted on the application by issuing a certificate of appropriateness or a notice to proceed as prescribed in this Ordinance. A reasonable fee may be charged, as established from time to time by the Village Council, to process the application.

(2) An applicant aggrieved by a decision of a commission concerning a permit application may file an appeal with the Village Council. The appeal shall be filed within 20 days after the decision is furnished to the applicant. The appellant may submit all or part of the appellant's evidence and arguments in written form. The Village Council shall consider an appeal at its first regularly scheduled meeting after receiving the appeal, but may not charge a fee for consideration of an appeal. The Village Council may affirm, modify, or set aside a commission's decision and may order the commission to issue a certificate of appropriateness or a notice to proceed. The Village Council shall make a decision within 30 days after having first considered the appeal. A permit applicant aggrieved by the decision of the Village Council may appeal the decision to the state historic preservation review board of the Michigan historical commission within the department of state.

(3) After decision by the Village Council or the expiration of 30 days after the Village Council first considered the appeal, whichever occurs first, an applicant aggrieved by a decision of the commission, concerning a permit application, may file within 60 days thereafter an appeal with the state historic preservation review board of the Michigan historical commission within the department of state. The appellant may submit all or part of the appellant's evidence and arguments in written form. The review board shall consider an appeal at its first regularly scheduled meeting after receiving the appeal, but may not charge a fee for consideration of an appeal. The review board may affirm, modify, or set aside a commission's decision and may order a commission to issue a certificate of appropriateness or a notice to proceed. A permit applicant aggrieved by the decision of the state historic preservation review board may appeal the decision to the circuit court having jurisdiction over the historic district commission whose decision was appealed to the state historic preservation review board.

(4) In reviewing plans, the commission shall follow the U.S. secretary of the interior's standards for rehabilitation and guidelines for rehabilitating historic buildings, as set forth in 36 C.F.R. part 67. Design review standards and guidelines that address special design characteristics of historic districts administered by the commission may be followed if they are equivalent in guidance to the secretary of interior's standards and guidelines and are established or approved by the bureau. The commission shall also consider all of the following:

- (a) The historic or architectural value and significance of the resource and its relationship to the historic value of the surrounding area.
- (b) The relationship of any architectural features of the resource to the rest of the resource and to the surrounding area.
- (c) The general compatibility of the design, arrangement, texture, and materials proposed to be used.
- (d) Other factors, such as aesthetic value, that the commission finds relevant.
- (e) The commission shall review and act upon only exterior features of a resource and shall not review and act upon interior arrangements unless the interior work will cause visible change to the exterior of the resource. The commission shall not disapprove an application due to considerations not prescribed in subsection 4, above.
- (f) If an application is for work that will adversely affect the exterior of a resource the commission considers valuable to the Village of Chelsea, state, or nation, and the commission determines that the alteration or loss of that resource will adversely affect the public purpose of the Village of Chelsea, state, or nation, the commission shall attempt to establish with the owner of the resource an economically feasible plan for preservation of the resource.

(7) Work within a historic district shall be permitted through the issuance of a notice to proceed by the commission if any of the following conditions prevail and if the proposed work can be demonstrated by a finding of the commission to be necessary to substantially improve or correct any of the following conditions:

- (a) The resource constitutes a hazard to the safety of the public or to the structure's occupants.
- (b) The resource is a deterrent to a major improvement program that will be of substantial benefit to the community and the applicant proposing the work has obtained all necessary planning and zoning approvals, financing, and environmental clearances.
- (c) Retaining the resource will cause undue financial hardship to the owner when a governmental action, an act of God, or other events beyond the owner's control created the hardship, and all feasible alternatives to eliminate the financial hardship, which may include offering the resource for sale at its fair market value or moving the resource to a vacant site within the historic district, have been attempted and exhausted by the owner.
- (d) Retaining the resource is not in the interest of the majority of the community.

(8) The business that the commission may perform shall be conducted at a public meeting of the commission held in compliance with the open meetings act, Act No. 267 of the Public Acts of 1976, as amended, being sections 15.261 to 15.275 of the Michigan Compiled Laws. Public notice of the time, date, and place of the meeting shall be given in the manner required by Act No. 267 of the Public Acts of 1976, as amended. A meeting agenda shall be part of the notice and shall include a listing of each permit application to be reviewed or considered by the commission.

(9) The commission shall keep a record of its resolutions, proceedings, and actions. A writing prepared, owned, used, in the possession of, or retained by the commission in the performance of an official function shall be made available to the public in compliance with the freedom of information act, Act No. 442 of the Public Acts of 1976, as amended, being sections 15.231 to 15.246 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

(10) The commission shall adopt its own rules of procedure and shall adopt design review procedures, standards and guidelines for resource treatment to carry out its duties under this Ordinance.

(11) The commission shall delegate the issuance of certificates of appropriateness for specified minor classes of work to the Village Enforcement Officer. The commission shall provide to the Village Enforcement Officer specific written standards for issuing certificates of appropriateness under this subsection. On at least a quarterly basis, the commission shall review the certificates of appropriateness, if any, issued for work by the Village Enforcement Officer to determine whether or not the delegated responsibilities should be continued.

(12) Upon a finding by a commission that a historic resource within a historic district or a proposed historic district subject to its review and approval is threatened with demolition by neglect, the commission may do either of the following:

- (a) Issue a notice to the owner requiring repair of all conditions contributing to demolition by neglect and a time for repair.
- (b) If the owner does not make the repairs within the time set forth in the above notice, the commission or the Village Enforcement Officer, together with agents, contractors, and employees of the Village may enter the property and make such repairs as are necessary to prevent demolition by neglect. The costs of the work shall be charged to the owner, and may be levied by the Village as a special assessment against the property which is threatened by neglect, as described by the tax roll, in accordance with the statute and Ordinance made for such cases. The commission and the Ordinance Enforcement Officer, together with the Village's contractors and employees may enter the property for purposes of this section upon obtaining an Order from the Washtenaw County Circuit Court.

(13) When work has been done upon a resource without a permit, and the commission finds that the work does not qualify for a certificate of appropriateness, the commission may require an owner to restore the resource to the condition the resource was in before the inappropriate work or to modify the work so that it qualifies for a certificate of appropriateness. If the owner does not comply with the restoration or modification requirement within a reasonable time, the commission may seek an order from the circuit court to require the owner to restore the resource to its former condition or to

modify the work so that it qualifies for a certificate of appropriateness. If the owner does not comply or cannot comply with the order of the Court, the commission or its agents may enter the property and conduct work necessary to restore the resource to its former condition or modify the work so that it qualifies for a certificate of appropriateness in accordance with the court's order. The costs of the work shall be charged to the owner, and may be levied by the Village of Chelsea as a special assessment against the property. When acting pursuant to an order of the circuit court, a commission or its agents may enter a property for purposes of this action.

Section 8. GRANTS, GIFTS, AND BENEFIT PROGRAMS.

The Village Council of the Village of Chelsea may accept state or federal grants for historic preservation purposes, may participate in state and federal programs that benefit historic preservation, and may accept public or private gifts for historic preservation purposes. The Village Council may make the historic district commission, a standing committee, or other agency its duly appointed agent to accept and administer grants, gifts, and program responsibilities.

Section 9. HISTORIC RESOURCES ACQUISITION BY VILLAGE COUNCIL.

If all efforts by the historic district commission to preserve a resource fail, or if it is determined by the Village Council that public ownership is most suitable, the Village Council, if it considers it to be in the public interest, may acquire the resource using public funds, public or private gifts, grants, or proceeds from the issuance of revenue bonds. The acquisition shall be based upon the recommendation of the commission or standing committee. The commission or standing committee is responsible for maintaining publicly owned resources using its own funds, if not specifically designated for other purposes, or public funds committed for that purpose by the Village Council. Upon recommendation of the commission or standing committee, the Village may sell resources acquired under this section with protective easements included in the property transfer documents, if appropriate. In the discretion of the Village Council.

Section 10. FILING OF CERTIFICATES OF APPROPRIATENESS, NOTICES TO PROCEED, AND DENIALS OF PERMIT APPLICATION, DECISION, APPEAL, AND ADMINISTRATION.

(1) The commission shall file certificates of appropriateness, notices to proceed, and denials of applications for permits with the inspector of buildings or other delegated authority. A permit shall not be issued until the commission has acted as prescribed by this Ordinance. If a permit application is denied, the decision shall be binding upon the Village Ordinance Enforcement Officer. A denial shall be accompanied with a written explanation by the commission of the reasons for denial and, if appropriate, a notice that an application may be resubmitted for commission review when suggested changes have been made. The denial shall also include notification of the applicant's rights of appeal to the Village Council and to the state historic preservation review board and to the circuit court. The failure of the commission to act within 60 calendar days after the date a complete application is filed with the commission, unless an extension is agreed upon in writing by the applicant and the commission, shall be considered to constitute approval.

(2) Village officials and employees shall provide information and records to committees, commission, and standing committees, and shall meet with those bodies upon request to assist with their activities.

Section 11. ORDINARY MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR. Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to prevent ordinary maintenance or repair of a resource within a historic district, or to prevent work on any resource under a permit issued by the Ordinance Enforcement Officer, or other duly delegated authority before this Ordinance was enacted.

Section 12. DECISIONS AND APPEALS.

Any citizen or duly organized historic preservation organization in the Village of Chelsea, as well as resource property owners, jointly or severally aggrieved by a decision of the historic district commission may appeal the decision to the Village Council and subsequently to the circuit court, except that a permit applicant aggrieved by a decision may not appeal to the court without first exhausting the right of appeal to the Village Council and to the state historic preservation review board as provided herein.

Section 13. PROCEDURES FOR ESTABLISHING, MODIFYING, OR ELIMINATING HISTORIC DISTRICTS.

(1) The Village Council may at any time establish by ordinance additional historic districts, including proposed districts previously considered and rejected, may modify boundaries of an existing historic district, or may eliminate an existing historic district. Before establishment, modification or elimination of a historic district, a historic district study committee appointed by the Village Council shall comply with the procedures set forth herein and shall consider any previously written committee reports pertinent to the proposed action. In order to conduct these activities, the Village Council may retain the initial committee, establish a standing committee, or establish a committee to consider any specific proposed districts and then dissolve the committee.

(2) If considering elimination of a historic district, a committee shall follow the procedures set forth in section 3 for issuing a preliminary report, holding a public hearing, and issuing a final report but with the intent of showing 1 or more of the following:

- (i) The historic district has lost those physical characteristics that enabled establishment of the district.
- (ii) The historic district was not significant in the way previously defined.
- (iii) The historic district was established pursuant to defective procedures.
- (3) Upon receipt of substantial evidence showing the presence of historic, architectural, archaeological, engineering, or cultural significance of a proposed historic district, the Village Council may, at its discretion, adopt a resolution requiring that all applications for permits within the proposed historic district be referred to the commission. The commission shall review permit applications with the same powers that would apply if the historic district was an established historic district. The review may continue in the proposed historic district for not more than one year, or until such time as the Village Council approves or rejects the establishment of the historic district by ordinance, whichever occurs first.

(4) If the Village Council determines that pending work will cause irreparable harm to resources located within an established historic district or a proposed historic district, the Village Council may by resolution declare an emergency moratorium of all such work for a period not to exceed 6 months. The Village Council may extend the emergency moratorium for an additional period not to exceed 6 months upon finding that the threat of irreparable harm to resources is still present. Any pending permit application concerning a resource subject to an emergency moratorium may be summarily denied.

Section 14. VIOLATIONS OF ORDINANCE, PENALTIES, AND CIVIL INFRAC-TIONS.

(1) A person, individual, partnership, firm, corporation, organization, institution, or agency of government that violates any provision of this Ordinance is responsible for a civil infraction determined as follows:

1st violation within 3-year period*	\$100.00
2nd violation within 3-year period*	\$200.00
3rd violation within 3-year period*	\$300.00
4th or subsequent violation within 3-year period*	\$500.00

*determined on the basis of the date of violation(s).
 Each day that a violation continues shall be considered a separate violation. The total civil infractions for all violations as to a single resource shall not exceed \$5,000.00 per day.

(2) A person, individual, partnership, firm, corporation, organization, institution, or agency of government that violates this Ordinance may be ordered by the court to pay the costs to restore or replicate a resource unlawfully constructed, added to, altered, repaired, moved, excavated, or demolished.

Section 15. SEVERABILITY. The various provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable and in the event that a Court determines any provision to be unenforceable or unconstitutional for any reason, that section shall be severed from the Ordinance and the remaining provisions shall be unaffected and remain enforceable.

Section 16. RELATIONSHIP TO ZONING ENFORCEMENT. Where there are particular conditions of design and construction in historic districts, or structures have been built in violation of existing yard, width, area, lot coverage, or other dimensional requirements of the Chelsea Village Zoning Ordinance, the commission, in its discretion, may declare that the retention of the resource's nonconformity is in the public interest and the commission may recommend the issuance of appropriate variances to the Chelsea Village Board of Zoning Appeals under the provisions of the Chelsea Village Zoning Ordinance.

Section 17. EFFECTIVE DATE. The within Ordinance shall be effective 30 days after adoption and publication as provided by law.

CERTIFICATION OF ADOPTION
 STATE OF MICHIGAN
 COUNTY OF WASHTENAW

I, SUZANNE C. MORRISON, Clerk of the Village of Chelsea, hereby certify that above Ordinance at a regular meeting of the Chelsea Village Council held on the 25th day of February, 1997, at 7:30 p.m. o'clock and that the following members were present: President Steele, Trustees Merkel, Hammer, Clark, Daut, Rigg and Cashman.

The following members were absent: None.
 That upon motion made by Trustee Daut and seconded by Trustee Hammer, said Ordinance was adopted on the following roll call vote:

AYES: Four (4).
 NAYES: Three (3).

I further certify that on the 13th day of March, 1997, I caused a true copy of said Ordinance to be published in the Chelsea Standard, a newspaper circulated in the Village of Chelsea, and that said Ordinance and the record of publication was duly recorded in the Book of Ordinances of the Village of Chelsea and is available for public use and inspection at the offices of the Chelsea Village Clerk.

SUZANNE C. MORRISON
 Dated: February 28, 1997.

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Chelsea orchestra presents annual clinic concerts to local audience

By Amber Clark
Special Writer

The Chelsea and Saline orchestras presented their annual clinic concerts this past week to a series of appreciative audiences. The clinic concerts were originated by Saline orchestra director Bob Phillips and former Chelsea director Peter Rosheger as a non-competitive event designed to "foster the common interest both communities have in the continual development of fine string playing."

Current Chelsea orchestra director Jed Fritzscheier collaborated with Phillips and Saline Middle School orchestra director Paul Bailey to present the clinics once again this year.

The middle school clinic was held on Monday, March 3 at Chelsea High School's Prizing Auditorium. It featured guest conductor and clinician Martha Froseth, who founded the Saline string program in 1972. In 1981, she was

recognized as the American String Teachers Association Teacher of the Year, and she teaches in Ann Arbor.

Froseth led the Chelsea seventh grade orchestra in an Isaac arrangement of the Brandenburg Concerto No. 2 by J.S. Bach. The group also performed Symphony No. 4 by Boyce, and Dackow arrangement of Hayden's "Surprise" Symphony No. 94. The Chelsea eighth grade orchestra presented the "Merry Widow" by Lehar/Isaac and "Round Dance" from Geometric Dances by Myers. Froseth conducted them

in an Isaac arrangement of "Farandole" by Bizet.

Saline director Bailey notes that the clinic concert is useful not only because it provides a non-competitive environment, but because it allows the students to renew friendships established at the Chelsea-Saline orchestra camp in the fall. It also introduces the students to a new conductor who can "inspire and enlighten" them, as well as exposing them to new audiences.

"It's kind of like being on tour for an evening," he reflects.

The high school clinic followed on Thursday, March 6, and was held at the Saline High School Auditorium. Eastern Michigan University orchestra director Kevin Miller served as guest clinician for the evening. Appointed to the EMU faculty in 1991, he teaches conducting and instrumental methods, and serves often as a guest clinician in the area.

Miller led the Chelsea Symphony Orchestra in "Andante Festive" by Sibelius. They also performed

"Short Overture for Strings" by Berger and an arrangement of Bach's Concerto in D by Isaac. The Chelsea Chamber Orchestra presented portions of "Romeo and Juliet" by Prokofiev/Isaac, and the finale from Symphony No. 8 by Dvorak. Miller led them in two movements from the Holberg Suite by Greig.

Fritzscheier explained that the clinic concert is an aid for the teachers, as it "offers a strong perspective on whether the students are going in the right direction." Reflecting on the concerts, he said that he was pleased with all of the groups, noting, "We all would be proud to stand in front of any one of these orchestras."

Chelsea Retirement Community helps send books to youth in Poland

Nearly 1,400 pounds of English books are packed and ready for shipment to Poland, for students and adults who want to learn and use English.

The resident Council of Chelsea Retirement Community made a donation of \$738.30 to cover the cost of shipping the books to Poland.

The Rev. E.W. Downing has collected the books for shipment. The first two shipments contained about 1,100 pounds of books. With the new shipment, over 2,500 pounds of books have been sent to Poland.

The books consist of preschool books, texts on science, mathematics, elementary books, reading books for high school, and adults.

The text books were heading for recycling. Other books were saved by individuals and families as too good to throw away.

Donations came from many sources, including North Creek Elementary School in Chelsea, University Women's Club in Ann Arbor, and local citizens who wanted to see their books put to good use.

This entire project started two years ago with the organizing of a group to Poland. A service project was suggested. Seeing relatives and others needing eye glasses and hearing aids, this was the goal.

An article appeared in an English paper printed in Poland, Barbara Oleksa saw the

article and kept it for a year. Last spring she wrote, "I am teaching an English class and am responsible for a small town library. Could you get me some books?"

Last summer, Downing visited Oleksa and her family to check the need for the books and the community. A lot of love went into her class and her library.

The word went out and the books began to come in. Service clubs, churches and individuals help fund the shipment of the books. It was easier to find the books than the funds to ship them. The first books arrived and were put to use. Oleksa commented that the books from America were better quality, colorful and stimulating the youthful minds in Poland.

Oleksa sorts the books for her class and the library. Duplicates are given to Polish students, children and adults. Others are given to teachers and schools in her area.

Instead of being recycled paper, or collecting dust, these books are feeding the "young minds" of Polish youth. Many Polish youth and adults are hungry for information about English and America as a key to rebuilding their democratic country after Nazism and Communism.

Book donations may be sent directly to Tebién Schools & Library, c/o Barbar Oleksa,

Tebién 52, 84-350, Poland. Or the books and donations to help ship them may be sent and or left at First United Methodist Church, 400 E. Grand River, Brighton, Mich. 48116. Use Xerox paper cartons for handling the books. Otherwise they may be too heavy to handle. Shipping costs are about 50¢ a pound.

PTS sponsoring used sports equipment sale

South Meadows Elementary School is organizing a used-sports-equipment-and-uniform sale for Saturday, April 19.

Parent Teacher South organization is operating the sale. People who bring in items to sell will give 15 percent of their proceeds to PTS and take home the rest.

Anyone who would like to participate should take their sporting goods to the school on Friday, April 18 between 3-7 p.m.

Suggested prices for items will be available and tagged prices will not be negotiable with purchasers.

The sale will be Saturday, April 19 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Unsold items are to be picked up from 4-6 p.m. proceeds can also be collected then.

Earnings not claimed by closing time will be donated to PTS for new items for the school.

All sports equipment for soccer, basketball, skating, skiing, golf, football, bicycling, baseball and other sports will be accepted. Exercise equipment and uniforms will also be accepted, but swim suits will not be accepted.

For more information call Yvonne Hopp at 475-1525, Penny Trinkle at 475-3442, Shawn Personke at 475-0469, or Mary Lynn at 475-3027.

Lovesey novels topic of meeting

McKune Memorial Library's Mystery Book Club will discuss the novels of Peter Lovesey at their April 7 meeting, upstairs in the Chelsea Women's Club room at the library.

The book club meets on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Lovesey, a British writer

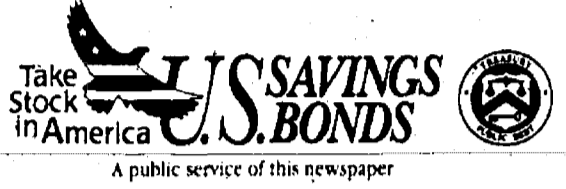
who created many famous sleuths, including Peter Diamond, Sergeant Cribb, and Constable Thackeray, was selected by the club's host for the April meeting.

The mystery novels of Stuard Woods have been selected for the club's May meeting by host Mary Green.

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Garage Sales 120

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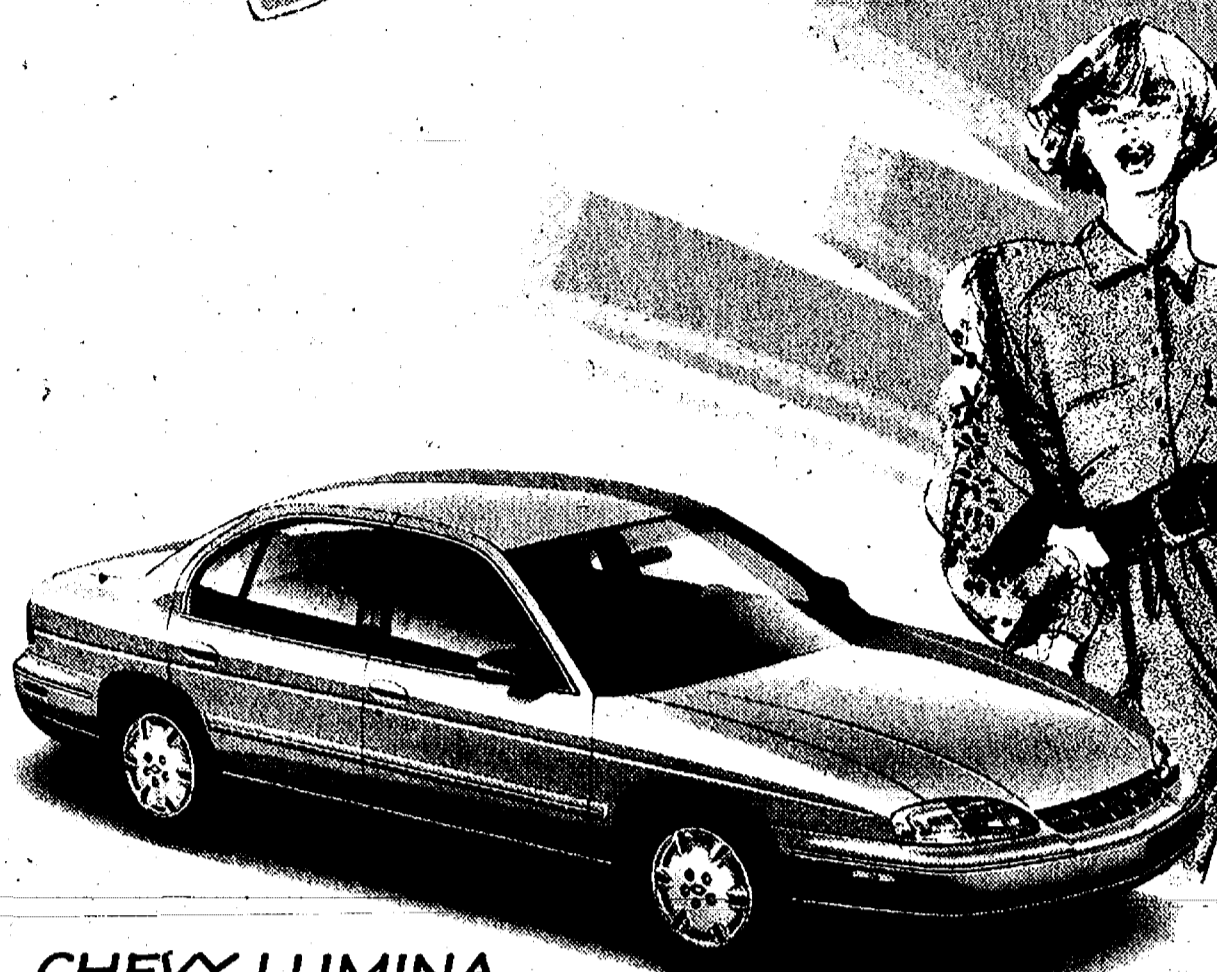
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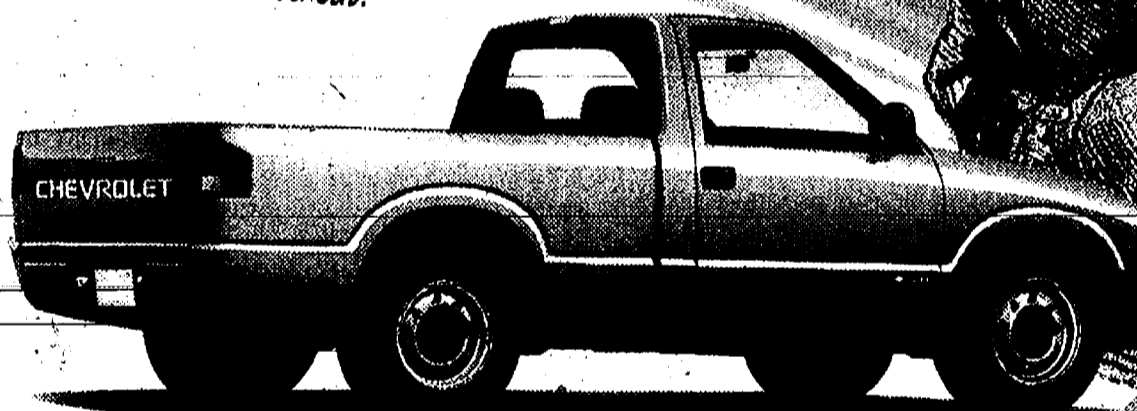
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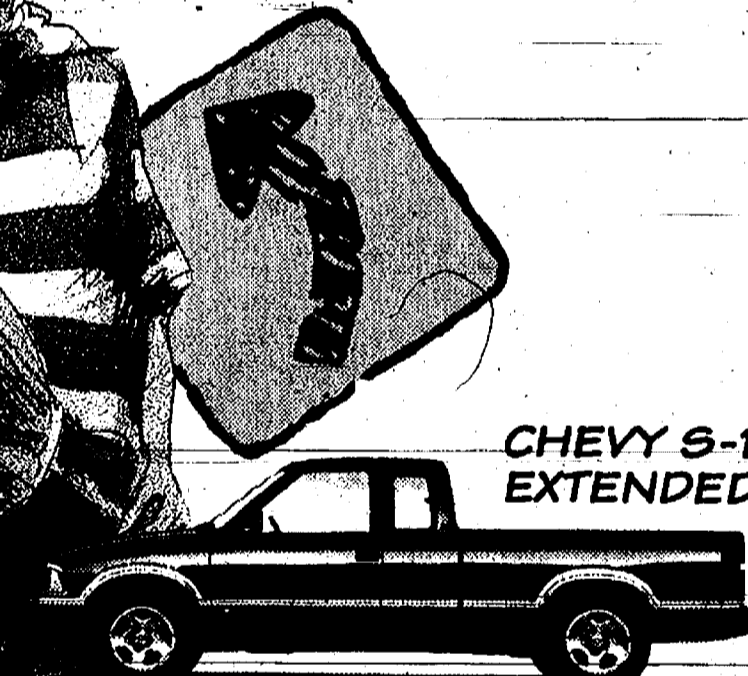
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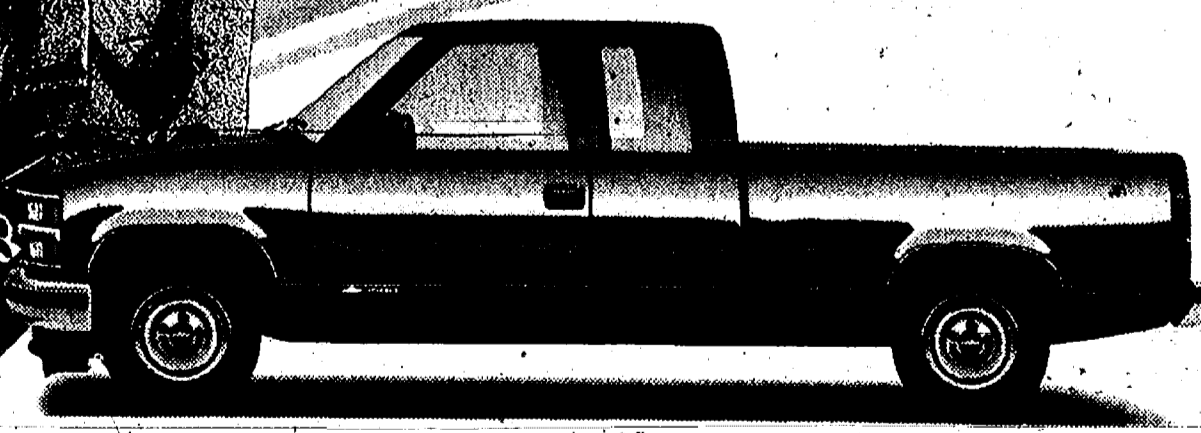
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HELP! WE HAVE ONE too many cats. Elvis looking for a new home. She's a beautiful calico, long hair, spayed, with all shots, and she has all the moves. FREE. Call (313) 475-2445 before 8:30 p.m.

START NOW to prevent fleas on dogs & cats without internal poisons. Ask FARMERS SUPPLY 475-1777 about HAPPY JACK TABLUCKS. Chewable, nutritious. Repels fleas naturally.

Real Estate 140

OPEN SUNDAY 2-4 P.M. MILLPOND CONDO 215 N. Washington Located in downtown Manchester. Lovely country setting w/mature trees & view of Raisin River. 2 bedroom ranch style units w/large decks or patios. Newly remodeled and ready for your color selections. Only five units left. Starting at \$69,900. Available by appt. daily. Kelly Anderson (313) 434-7963. Garnet Johnson & Associates Limited, Ltd. (313) 662-3282.

Animals & Pets 190

FREE to good home, preferably country home, great with kids, up-to-date shots. 1-yr. old Lab mix. For more info call 313-439-8922.

Lost & Found 200

Saline-Milan

FOUND: Boxer puppy, female, brown & black w/red harness collar, no tags. Found near Kaiser & Burmeister Rds. in Bridgewater. Call 313-647-5780 or 429-7992.

FOUND: mixed breed dog, white w/tan patches, medium sized, wearing blue nylon collar. Found March 4 at Wilma & North in Milan 313-439-3703.

Help Wanted 210

ABBOTT'S LANDSCAPE crew, and nursery help wanted. Please call (313) 665-8733 or (313) 665-TREE.

ANN ARBOR'S newest full service landscape company is now hiring the following positions.

Office manager Sales/customer service Landscaping Lawn maintenance Horticulture Irrigation Tree service Fleet/shop manager Full or part-time, health insurance benefits available. (313) 663-2200.

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Help Wanted 210

ACCOUNTING CLERK ACCOUNTS PAYABLE Candidate must be detail oriented and be able to work well under pressure in a fast paced office environment. Able to perform general to complex accounting and clerical duties requiring use of computer and software application. Programs including processing reports, forms and memorandums. This position requires strong mathematical skills. Strong oral and written communication skills are essential. A minimum of an Associate Degree in accounting and two years practical job experience, or the equivalent of 3-5 years accounts payable experience. Send resume to: Xycorn, Inc. Attn: Human Resources 750 N. Maple Rd. Saline, MI 48176

Help Wanted 210

COUNTER HELP Have a blast! I need friendly, energetic people for part-time afternoon and evening work. Apply in person at: Baskin Robbins 1952 W. Stadium Ann Arbor

Help Wanted 210

DELIVERY / BINDERY person needed part-time in Ann Arbor print shop. Must have neat appearance, insured reliable car. Good driving record. (313) 973-8500.

DEMONSTRATORS for part-time positions to distribute coupons and/or samples in local stores. Training provided. 1-800-229-5260.

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DIETARY AIDES Chelsea Retirement Community is hiring part-time dietary aides. Experience in kitchen/food service preferred but not necessary. Beginning wage \$6.99 with an increase after 90 days. Apply between the hours of 8:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. at the, 805 West Middle, Chelsea. E.O.E. M/F/H.

DISABLED Christian woman needs daily personal care assistant for morning hours. References required. \$7/hr. Call (313) 327-9775.

DISPATCHER Part-time, for towing company. Fri. & Sat., midnight to 8 a.m. Call (313) 665-8888 for interview.

EDWARD SUROVELL CO./REALTORS seeks motivated, full time sales secretary. Excellent telephone skills, data entry and clerical duties required. Call Steve Esauades (313) 475-3737 after 3 p.m. EOE.

TELLERS The enthusiastic individual we seek will possess previous cash handling experience, effective customer service and communication skills, and a good math aptitude. Strong sales experience a plus.

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ELECTRICAL AND/OR PLUMBING DEPT. HEAD Full time. Please contact Dan or Colleen, 2015 W. Stadium, Ann Arbor, (313) 665-7555.

ESTABLISHED CONSTRUCTION Company in the Ann Arbor area is seeking skilled equipment operators, pipefitters and laborers. Good pay, excellent benefits and year round employment. Apply in person at 1571 W. Ellsworth Rd., Ann Arbor, MI from 7 a.m. to noon, Monday through Friday, E.T. Mackenzie Company is an equal opportunity employer.

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FILE CLERK Part-time. Prior experience in office procedures helpful. Pleasant working environment. Syron Engineering a Mfg. Corp., 1325 Woodland Dr., Saline, MI 48176, (313) 429-4989.

FREELANCE SPORTS writer to cover high school sports in western Washtenaw County. Call (313) 475-1371.

GIRLS WANTED From Michigan, between 6-19 to compete in this year's 1996 Devo tour pageants. Over \$20,000 in prizes and scholarships, including trip to Nationals in Las Vegas. Call today! 1-800-367-2125, Ext. 1153.

GOOD, DEPENDABLE help needed on dairy farm near Bridgewater. Call (313) 429-1053.

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CLERICAL Part-time. Basic typing, computer and filing skills. Some phone work. 3-4 hrs./day to begin. Can work around schedule. \$7/hr. Call (313) 475-7373 to schedule interview.

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GENERAL FACTORY work. Full time position, full benefit package. Apply at: Federal Screw Works 425 Congdon St. Chelsea, MI 48118 E.O.E.

HELP WANTED General Laborers and Local Delivery People for local fertilizer/farm supplier. Contact Mark at BMC Agribusiness, (313) 426-8851.

HOME HEALTH CARE AGENCY looking for experienced RNs, LPNs, and Home Health Aides, experienced with quadriplegics. All shifts and visits available. Call (313) 971-6300.

HOT AIR BALLOON manufacturer seeking to increase the sewing team with dependable, hardworking individuals. Apply at 7399 Newman Blvd., Dexter, between 7:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m., Mon. thru Fri.

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Legal Notices 440
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Wanted 250
AVAILABLE April 28 share spacious 3 bedroom home in downtown Saline. \$375 per mo. Call Matt 313-994-5285.

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE NOTICE
made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by JOHN K. HAGEN, husband and wife, of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP DISSOLUTION
TAKE NOTICE: The partnership of Janich & Coburn, a partnership of the State of Michigan, consisting of Janich, Florence E. Janich, James P. Coburn, and Dolores M. Coburn.

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MILAN Spacious, 1,100 sq. ft., 2 bedroom duplex, washer & dryer, large yard. Non-smokers, no pets. \$575 per mo. plus utilities. Available now. Call 313-439-0025.

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PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT
Holy Spirit, you who made me see everything and showed me the way to reach my ideal. You who gave me the divine gift to forgive and forget the wrong that is done to me, and you who are in all instances of my life with me. I, in the short dialogue, want to thank you for everything and confirm once more that I never want to be separated from you no matter how great the material desires may be. I want to be with you and my loved ones in perpetual glory. Amen. Thank you for your love towards me and my loved ones. You must pray this prayer 3 consecutive days without asking your wish. After the third day, your wish will be granted no matter how difficult it may be. Promise to publish this dialogue as soon as your favor has been granted. L.C.

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First Assembly of God
14900 Old US-12, Chelsea
475-2615
Rev. James Massey, Pastor

Chelsea Christian Fellowship
337 Wilkinson St.
475-8305
John Dambacher, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.
Worship Service, 10 a.m. Evening
Service 6 p.m.

Baptist
Faith Baptist
Faith-In-Action Bldg.
Main St., Chelsea
475-7841
Jack Story, Pastor
Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m., 6
p.m.

New Life Baptist
(North Creek Elementary School)
699 McKinley Rd., Chelsea
433-0105
Raymond E. Babb, Pastor
Sunday: Worship, 10 a.m.

North Sharon Baptist Church
17999 Washburne Rd., Grass Lk.
428-7222
Bobby D. Toler, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 10
a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening
Service, 7 p.m.
Wednesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Catholic
St. Mary's Catholic Church
14200 Old US-12, Chelsea
475-7561
Rev. Fr. Philip Dupuis, Pastor
Saturday: Confessions, 12-1
p.m.; Mass, 6 p.m.
Sunday: Mass, 8 and 10 a.m.
Weekdays: Mass, 9 a.m.

Church of Christ
Church of Christ
13661 Old US-12, East, Chelsea
475-8458
Dr. Joe Lorimer, Evangelist
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30
a.m. Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.
Bible study, 6 p.m.
Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.

Church of the Nazarene
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(meeting in Chelsea Retirement
Community Chapel)
805 W. Middle St., Chelsea
475-2526
Jeff Crowder, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45
a.m. Worship, 11 a.m.
Wednesday: Small groups, 7
p.m. in homes.

Episcopal
St. Barnabas
20500 Old US-12, Chelsea
475-8818
Rev. Dr. Jerold Beaumont
Sunday: Christian Education,
10 a.m., Services, 10 a.m.
Wednesday: Services, 7:30 p.m.

Free Methodist
Chelsea Free Methodist
7665 Werkner Rd.
475-1391
Mearl Bradley, Pastor
Sunday: Traditional worship,
8:30 a.m. Contemporary worship,
11 a.m. Evening service, 6 p.m.

Lutheran
Faith Evangelical
9575 North Territorial, Dexter
426-4302 or 426-8442
Rev. Mark Porinsky, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.
Worship 10 a.m.
Wednesday: Lenten worship,
7:30 p.m.

Our Savior Lutheran
1515 S. Main St., Chelsea
475-1404
Rev. Dale Grimm, Pastor
Sunday: Heritage Service, 8:15
a.m. Education hour, 9:30 a.m.
Celebration Service, 10:30 a.m. Jr.
Confirmation Class, 8:30 p.m.

Zion Lutheran
3050 S. Fletcher Rd., Chelsea
475-8064
David Hendricks, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.
Worship, 10:15 a.m.

Methodist
Salem Grove United Methodist
3320 Notten Rd.
475-2370
Rev. Jim Paige
First United Methodist
128 Park St., Chelsea
475-8119
Rev. Richard Dale
Rev. Rebecca Foote
Sunday: Worship, 8:30 a.m., and
11 a.m. Sunday School, 9:40 a.m.

North Lake United
14111 North Territorial Rd.
475-7569
Rev. Wayne Hawley, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30
a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m. Fellow-
ship, 11:30 a.m.

St. Vladimir Orthodox
9900 Jackson Road
761-7311
Rev. Father Paul Karas
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20175 Williamsville Rd., Unadilla
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Quaker
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7748 Clark Lake Road, Chelsea
Isabel Bliss, 475-9976
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10425 Bethel Church Rd.
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Sunday: Communion, 8:15 a.m.
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Washington St., Waterloo
Kathy Groff, Minister
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a.m. Worship service, 11 a.m.

Chelsea Retirement Chapel
805 W. Middle St., Chelsea
475-8633
Rev. J. Gordon Schleicher
Sunday: Worship service, 9:30
a.m.

Mormon
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Ronald W. Clark, Pastor
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Chelsea Cooperative Preschool marks 25 years

In 1973, the first families gathered to form the Chelsea Children's Cooperative Preschool, Inc. (CCCPI) based at the North Lake Methodist Church in rural Washtenaw County. Currently located at the St. Barnabas Episcopal Church (non-affiliated) in Chelsea, the state-licensed preschool now features a professionally designed outdoor playground as well as indoor play area for year-round fun.

CCCPI's 25th anniversary coincides with the 10-year anniversary of Janie Brooks as teacher at CCCPI. Brooks embraces a "learn through play" philosophy, introducing academics naturally and subtly via field trips, creating artistic master-

pieces, throwing theme parties, singing songs, exploring Magic Science with friends, and cooking projects culminating in the Mother's Day Luncheon prepared by the children themselves. Brooks says, "Research has proven the importance of parental involvement in their early educational experiences."

CCCPI will kick off its 25th year at the annual Ice Cream Social in May. Part of the celebration will be the drawing of the raffle ticket winners. Tickets are available through current CCCPI members and at the school. The grand prize is a \$500 travel certificate donated by Gina's Cafe.

First prize is carpeting for a room compliments of the Georgia Carpet Outlet. Some of the other prizes are a cordless drill from Chelsea Lumber, an authentic PC19 Indycar wing part autographed by Rick Mears and donated by Penske Motorsport, a one-night stay at Weber's Inn in Ann Arbor and more.

The cooperative preschool experience allows parents to be involved in the earliest stages of their children's education, to build a foundation for a love of learning which will last a lifetime. Each session, the teacher is assisted by parent helpers to provide a curriculum that allows each child to develop individually.

Not only are parents involved in their children's education, they become involved in the community. Every year, the preschool presents Santa's Workshop at the Festival of Lights, a float in the Chelsea parade, the Trike Pull event at the Chelsea Fair, and a display at the Chelsea Sidewalk Sale.

Registration for the 1997/1998 school year begins March 17 for current and past members, and March 24 for new members. CCCPI offers programs for 3-4 year olds as well as 4-5 year olds. Two-year-old programs are also available. Call (313) 475-8818 to arrange a visit for registration information.

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Chelsea schools to present parenting conference

The Chelsea School District will present a free Saturday morning parenting conference on March 22. The conference will feature a variety of speakers, who will present a program that is expected to be both interesting and helpful for Chelsea parents.

The keynote speaker will be John VerHeek, a child and family psychologist and director of the Family and Community Network Center. VerHeek will speak on "Tapping Your

Child's Potential" from 9 a.m.-10 a.m.

Parents will have the opportunity to choose to attend two of four other workshops during the remainder of the conference.

From 10:15 a.m.-11:15 a.m., parents may choose to attend a workshop presented by VerHeek titled "Adolescents and School Cycles." The other choice will be a workshop presented by Karen Mikus, a child and family psychologist, titled

"Building Self-Esteem: Helping Children Learn From Their Mistakes."

From 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., the workshops available will focus on conflict and discipline. One of the choices will be a workshop presented by John Mooradian, a marriage and family therapist, talking about "Connection and Conflict with Your Teenager: How to Build a Balanced Relationship." The other choice for this time slot will be a work-

shop with Ruth Moscov-Cohen, a child and family therapist. She will be talking about "Discipline with Dignity: Effective Limit Setting with Your Elementary-Aged Child."

The conference is free and will be held in the Chelsea High School cafeteria. Registration is required by March 17. The conference is being sponsored with money from the school's Safe and Drug-Free Schools Grant.

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Shamrock Shuffle for Juvenile Arthritis set

A common misconception about arthritis is that it's a disease of the elderly. In an effort to change that perception and heighten awareness that arthritis also affects children, the Arthritis Foundation will host its third annual Shamrock Shuffle for Juvenile Arthritis as one of many activities planned during Juvenile Arthritis Awareness Month.

Shamrock Shuffle will include two special activities for kids:

- Kid's Leprechaun Mile: Kids 13 and under are invited to run or walk in the Shamrock Shuffle Leprechaun Mile. All Leprechauns will receive a race number and victory ribbon. Participants must be registered by an adult on race day. The Leprechaun Mile will begin at 10 a.m. outside the activity center. Leprechaun Mile registration donation: \$2.

The Shamrock Shuffle for Juvenile Arthritis is scheduled for the morning of Saturday, March 22 at Hudson Mills Metropark in Dexter. Runners, walkers, and teams of all ages are invited to participate in the 5K race that will guide participants through the park and along the Huron River.

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Registration/check-in will take place in the Activity Center between 9 a.m.-10 a.m. Race time is 10:30 a.m. A minimum pledge donation is required to participate: \$18 pre-registration by March 14 or \$20 day-of. To receive a Shamrock Shuffle long-sleeved T-shirt, the fee is \$25. Participants and teams can also recruit pledges and win prizes for their hard work and effort.

In order to get children involved in the event and create awareness that arthritis can affect their peers, this year's

Kara Cowan reports for duty

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Kara A. Cowan, daughter of Helen M. Chambliss of Gregory recently reported for duty at Naval Hospital, Cherry Point, N.C.

The 1992 graduate of Stockbridge High School joined the Navy in May 1994.

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