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## NEWS BRIEFS

### SEC expansion in applicants' court

Five of the six remaining members of the Southeastern Conference voted recently to accept the applications of Ann Arbor Pioneer, Temperance Bedford and Adrian high schools. Pinckney, which has declared that the school will be leaving the conference, abstained from the vote.

The three new districts will now have to formally accept the invitation to enter the conference. If all three do not enter, the vote will be null, and the SEC will have to draft a new agreement.

Under the motion passed by SEC schools, the conference would be divided into two districts of four teams each. Larger class-A schools will not compete with smaller schools like Chelsea according to CHS Principal Ron Mead. Teams in each division will play each other and could cross over to play the other teams.

Once Milan and Pinckney leave, only five teams, Chelsea, Dexter, Saline, Tecumseh and Ypsilanti-Lincoln, will remain in the SEC.

### District gets grant for child program

Chelsea School District accepted a \$105,818 grant Monday to be earmarked for the Parents as Teachers program. The two-year grant was awarded by the Federal Family Independence Agency.

Parents as Teachers is an early-childhood program that teaches parenting techniques for families with children under the age of three. It is under the auspices of Community Education, but is funded entirely by grant money.

The federal grant program is designed to help at-risk children under the age of three. To meet the requirements, Community Education is required to have at least one child in a family that has income below 200 percent of the federal poverty line.

## Athletic lawsuit dropped, but not dead

By Eric Bowen

Staff Writer

Parents of athletes suspended under Chelsea School District's athletic code of conduct have dropped their lawsuit against the district, but neither side thinks the debate over the code is over.

According to the parents' lawyer Mark Hugger, the athletes and their families plan to ask for changes in the code

when it undergoes a review this year.

"I admire these parents because I think they are committed and involved with their children," Hugger said Monday. "I think their decision to work within the school district despite obvious disagreement is another thing to respect them for. I'm hoping that the school district sees them the same way."

Superintendent Ed Richardson said he and the school board were willing to work with the parents and other district residents to clarify the code of conduct. But he said the district would not have a special review of the code.

Instead, Richardson said, the code will be reviewed, as it is every year, by Athletic Director Wayne Welton, who will give his recommendation to

Richardson before it goes to the board. Richardson said that parents who want to give input on the policy should cite problems in the current policy and send their written comments to either Welton or himself.

"The policy is reviewed annually by recommendation of the athletic director," Richardson said. "There is no special review of the policy, and I will review it based on

recommendation I receive from (Welton) before I give it to the board."

The parents dropped the lawsuit Jan. 27, Hugger said, nearly four months after notifying the district they were suing over the athletic code. He said that since the punishment had already been carried out, the lawsuit became more for principle than any blockage of the

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### Clay Creations

Students in Eric Smith's fourth-grade class at South Meadows Elementary School made Hopi Indian Kachinas during art class Friday. The kids molded their creations from clay, creating figures ranging from badgers to monkeys. Above: Zach Leszczynski, Josh Deaton, Nick Armstrong, Stephanie Dotts and Angela Liebeck. Right: Nicky Hastings. Below: Michael Tohlman and Ashlee Alvarado.



## Candidate field largest in memory

By Eric Bowen

Staff Writer

With eight candidates taking the field in Chelsea's village elections, voters have more choices than in any election in recent memory, according to Village President Richard Steele. He said Monday that the number of candidates hasn't been this high since he started on the council 16 years ago.

"I don't think I've ever seen that many people on the ballot for the council seats," Steele said. "I'm glad that a lot more people than in the past are interested in making decisions for the village. It should make for a very exciting election."

Steele attributed the interest partially to Trustee Steve Daut's decision not to seek re-election. His decision opened up a seat on the council for someone else to move in. The council also has a variety of pressing issues to decide for residents.

The council is guaranteed at least one new face. Robert MacLeod and Dan Kaminsky petitioned for election to a one-year position to finish out former council member Richard Rigg's unexpired term. But Kaminsky dropped out soon after the petitions were filed.

The remaining seven candidates consist of old hats and spry newcomers. Incumbents Brian Cashman, Jim Myles and Joe Merkel meet challengers Charles Ritter, Todd Thurkow, Janice Orbring and Robert Clark.

Longtime Clerk Suzanne Morrison won't be among the candidates for re-election. Morrison decided not to run again for her post, citing her job responsibilities as the major factor.

"There's a lot of additional work that needs to be done," she said. "But with my full-time schedule, I can't do both of them."

Morrison did say she would be willing to take on another year if no one put in as a write-in candidate. The council would have to appoint her for half a term, leaving the election up for grabs next year.

Steele said a one-year appointment may be perfect for the village. He said he would consider having the council modify the village's laws to allow for an appointed clerk, rather than an elected one, an allowance recently accepted in the state Legislature.

With an appointed clerk, Steele said the vil-

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## Sylvan Township Board gives pay hikes for officers, administrators

By Michael Rybka

Staff Writer

An across-the-board pay increase for township officials and the reappointing of auxiliary posts were among the agenda items the Sylvan Township Board tackled Feb. 2.

Explaining his rationale when recommending salary adjustments, Supervisor Gerald Dresselhouse said that, in the past, he tied the increase to correspond to the year's consumer price index.

Dresselhouse said that, although the index stands

between 1.6 and 1.8 percent, he was proposing an across-the-board pay increase of approximately 2 percent.

However, the salary resolution, which the board unanimously adopted, included salary hikes of more than 4 percent.

The discrepancy is most evident with Dresselhouse's own salary, which will rise from \$21,100 to \$22,000, an increase of 4.2 percent.

The percent of increase for most other township officials also far exceed two percent.

The salaries of Treasurer

Arlene Grau and Clerk LuAnn Koch will increase by 4.15 percent from \$19,300 to \$20,100.

Trustees Earl Heller and Reuben Lesser will each receive \$180 a month, a 2.86 percent increase from their \$175 stipend of the previous year.

Only Zoning Inspector Charles Burgess ended up with an increase comparable to what Dresselhouse described. Burgess' hourly wage will increase 2.08 percent from \$12 to \$12.25.

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### MEAP Tests

Students at North Creek Elementary finished their Michigan Educational Assessment Program (MEAP) tests this week. Pictured are Ian Shears, Corinna Harmon, Alysson Boyd and Michael Aldrich concentrating on the science portion of the test.

Longtime couples still sweet on each other

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Blown fuse knocks out power for schools, businesses

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Chelsea cagers top Milan in SEC play

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A power outage hit downtown businesses and three schools Friday when a fuse broke at the village's Wilkinson Street substation. Alan Kinel (left), Amy Case, Matt Graczyk and Brandon Bush sat in the dark during Mark Scheese's business law class.

## Blown fuse cuts power in schools, businesses

By Eric Bowen

Staff Writer

Three schools, downtown merchants and scores of residents lost power for about an hour Friday when a fuse burned out at the village's substation on Wilkinson Street. Chelsea Light and Power Superintendent Bob Shepherd said the problem was fixed in about an hour, but the village will have to replace the fuse and related equipment.

The power outage hit at approximately 12:15 p.m. shutting off the lights at Chelsea High School, Beach Middle School and Pierce Lake Elementary. The Chelsea Police Department also lost 911 service, which was taken over by county dispatchers until the power company got the department back on line.

The outage fell at the end of lunch for students at Chelsea High School, according to Principal Ron Mead. He said the school was lucky because the new debit card system has its own battery backup, so it could still be used.

Mead said only about five classrooms were without lights during the outage. The remainder could continue class because the rooms had light from the windows. Also, the computer and TV production labs were down.

Mead said the technology staff turned off all of the computers so when the power was restored the circuits wouldn't get a potentially damaging power surge. The district also restored power in sections to assure that each was working properly.

"The kids thought we should let them leave for home immediately," Mead said, "but we didn't agree with them."

Shepherd said the village has recently taken steps toward keeping power to vital village services during a power outage.

He said the village would likely attach generators to the sewer and water systems, in addition to the fire and police stations within the next year or two. The generators will likely run on natural gas.

## PAY

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Chairmen and secretaries of the planning commission and the zoning board of appeals will be paid \$55 per meeting, up 10 percent from their previous rate of \$50.

All other members of the commission and the ZBA will be paid \$45 per meeting, up 12.5 percent from the \$40 they received last year.

Members of the Board of Review will receive \$85 per hearing, a 6.25 percent increase from the \$80 of the previous year.

In other business, the board decided that four people serving in non-elected positions should be reappointed until January, 2002.

The board reappointed Bob Lange and Tom Bareis to the planning commission for three-year terms. Lange is its current chairman.

Also reappointed to three-year terms were J. Raymond Steinbach and Linda Hahn to the ZBA. Steinbach is currently serving as the board's chairman. Hahn is currently serving as its secretary.

In other matters, the board asked township resident Jim Kalmbach about merging Sylvan's spring clean-up day with Lima Township's, which is scheduled for May-15.

Kalmbach, whose Pierce Road property is a recycling drop-off site, has been instrumental in organizing spring clean-ups for the village of

## Foundation plans March 22 benefit

Chelsea Education Foundation will hold its eighth annual benefit on Monday, March 22, at 6:30 p.m. at The Common Grill.

The event will feature the swing jazz music of Five Guys Named Moe, the gourmet hors d'oeuvres and desserts of Craig Common, and both a silent and live auction.

Tickets are \$80 per person or \$110 for two. For more information or reservations, call Shawn Personke at 475-0469 or Anna Dunn at 475-9301.

Chelsea and its surrounding townships in the past.

Dresselhouse said the concentrated effort would be beneficial to both parties.

For instance, Dresselhouse said, preliminary contact with Lima Township Supervisor Gary Adams already revealed that Lima was paying half what Sylvan was paying for Freon removal.

Kalmbach said that as long as each township's trash could be kept separate, a joint endeavor should not be a problem.

Kalmbach said there are six refuse bins on his property and would check with Western Washtenaw Recycling Authority to see if he could procure additional receptacles.

Kalmbach was in attendance to express for the record his worry over the village of Chelsea drilling for water in the vicinity of his well.

In another matter, the board voted to update the township's hardship policy. This establishes criteria for which a resident may appeal to the board of review for tax exemption.

The guidelines remain the same as previous years with the exception of the homestead assessed value ceiling.

For 1999, a homestead assessed value must be lower than \$97,200 in order to be considered for a hardship exemption. This figure was derived by its being 150 percent of the 1999 average assessed value of residential property in the township.

To better keep up with such changes, the township voted to send Bareis and Burgess to a board of review class, Feb. 10, in Howell.

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suspension.

The Mida, Kummer, Richard and McGuire families filed the lawsuit in October after the school board suspended the students from athletics following a hearing last September.

The suspension stemmed from an incident last July when eight students broke into Chelsea Rod & Gun Club and stole alcohol. The students were not charged with a crime, but had to apologize to Rod & Gun Club members and perform community service for the club.

When the school heard about the incident, administrators suspended the athletes from play. The parents appealed through the principal, superintendent and finally the board before filing the lawsuit against the district.

In a statement, the parents said they dropped the lawsuit to avoid further hardship to the district. They said they hoped that the controversy would create more open communication between the district and parents.

"Although many critical issues remain, we feel that this action is in the best interest of the affected families, our school district and our community," the statement says. "We look forward to future policy improvements and increased communication and participation between the parents ...

and the school administrators hired by our district to manage school operations."

Richardson said he was glad the lawsuit was dropped, because it was taking time away from educating children in the district. Aside from administrators' time, he said, the district spent about \$14,000 in attorney's fees to fight the charge.

Though the policy will be reviewed, Richardson said it was unlikely to be loosened. He said Chelsea residents generally support extra requirements for athletes, and he expects the policy to continue to set high standards.

"The real issue at the core of this debate is whether the school should have special standards for athletes," Richardson said. "The community showed overwhelming support for special standards for athletes, and if there is any review it will only clarify the standards for athletes."

"The idea of having no standards and behavior contracts does not fit in with the values of our community. Since participation in extracurricular activities is a privilege and not a property right, even greater control should be given to the school district for administering appropriate discipline."

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lage could hire someone to do the job, folding in the assessor's position in with the clerk's duties. If the village becomes a city, a full-time clerk and assessor would be required.

Morrison said she accomplished a lot during her six-year tenure. Her two largest projects were updating the software used to hold the village's voter database and revamping the council's rules of order.

For Steele's part, he said he would be sorry to see Morrison go. He said she has been an excellent clerk, but he can understand her difficulties trying to work two jobs at once.

"She's done a very very good job," Steele said. "I wish that she had stayed on and run again. But when there's a regular job that you want to do, you get between a rock and a hard place."

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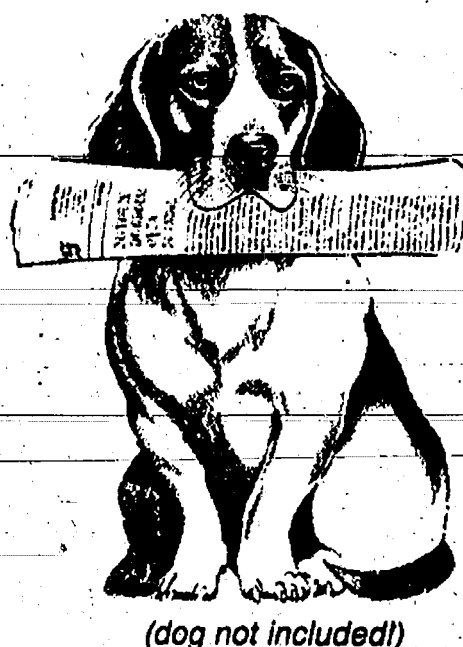
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Chili chefs are (from left) Valisa Thompson, Colleen Thompson, Ryan Stamper, Sandy Stamper, John and Sue Beadle, Steve Daut, Sue Lackey, and John and Michael Wencelrich.

## Chili cook-off sates burning desire

The eighth annual American Legion Chili Cook-Off, Feb. 6, produced more heartburn than heartache as even the losers shared the enjoyment of a sunny day, good-natured competitiveness and the appreciation of con carne connoisseurs.

The judges — Ronie and Linda Meade, Sue Collins, John Meyer and Kent Longworth — sampled 11 different entries to determine the winners.

John Beadle of Ada, Mich., took first place with his "B.S." recipe, winning \$75 and a trophy.

Runner-up Michael Wencelrich's "Buzzard Breath" submittal earned him \$50 and a trophy.

Steve Daut's "Dragon Chili," came in third, netting him \$25 and a trophy.

Colleen Thompson, as a member of "Three Girls and a Guy," was awarded a plaque

for their fourth place showing and Larry Doll's "Passout Chili" received an honorable mention.

The potent pottage of Colleen Thompson's team was also "The People's Choice."

The remaining contestants were Ron Cubberly, Tim Edick, Sandy Harvey, Shirley Hewelt and Tony Robards, and Ken White.

While the roster derives from the official registrar, nearly all contestants were assisted by husbands, wives, siblings, children or friends.

Only second-place honoree Wencelrich said it was his first involvement in a chili cook-off.

Top dog Beadle said he has competed in locations all over Michigan, including Saline, Jackson and the state fair.

While most contestants were cagey about revealing their culinary secrets, Beadle said that ground pork, in addition

to chopped flank steak, gave his chili a unique taste.

Although a door was left open to take advantage of the crisp outdoor air, many people, such as Donna Seaman, mopped their brows during the sampling session. Leslie Hillman said that her entourage all took antacids before making the rounds.

The event, as in the past seven years, was sponsored by Sons of the American Legion. This year's coordinator was Tim Collins.

Collins succeeded Doll, who had overseen the cook-off the previous years, so Doll could be on the competitive side of the event this year.

## College test scores mixed

Chelsea students scored higher than last year on two tests and lower on another, Superintendent Ed Richardson reported to the board Monday night. But local students consistently scored above the state and national averages.

On the ACT, a test for college-bound juniors, Chelsea students averaged 24.4 out of a possible 36 points, up .6 points from last year. Students who completed what the test company defines as a college-bound curriculum scored higher, at 25.6 points.

On the PSAT, a practice SAT test for juniors, two of Chelsea scores were lower than last year with one coming in higher. Verbal scores down 8 points to 49.3 out of a possible 80 points; math was down 3.3 points to 49.9; and writing was up .6 points to 52.2.

On the PLAN test, which is taken by sophomores and serves as a practice ACT test, scores were up 1 point to 20.7 out of 32.

Superintendent Ed Richardson said the scores showed that Chelsea was doing a good job of preparing students for college. He said that even kids who weren't college-bound did better than national averages for college-bound students.

In other business Monday night, the board approved a field trip for the Advanced Placement English class to go to Stratford, Ontario. The class will view a performance of "A

Midsummer Night's Dream," by William Shakespeare, which the class studies during the year.

The board also got an update on requirements for in-

structional time in the 2000-2001 school year. Richardson said it's likely the district will have to increase teaching time because the state will increase funding for the district.

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The public is invited to attend. For more information call County Commissioner Joe Yekulis at 475-3874.

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# MONEY AND FINANCE

## Financial peace of mind good Valentine's gift

This Valentine's Day, instead of flowers or candy, consider giving your spouse something more meaningful. The gift suggestions on the following list compiled by the Michigan Association of CPAs may not sound very romantic, but they can bring you and your spouse financial happiness and security over the long term.

### A financial plan

Take some time to discuss long-term financial goals like buying a home, paying for college, and planning for retirement. Once you have established mutually-agreed-upon financial goals, the next step is to prepare a financial plan for meeting those goals. Begin by establishing your net worth



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— that is, the value of what you own minus what you owe. Then put together a cash flow statement that shows how much you earn and how much you spend. Use this information to establish a realistic plan for saving and investing toward your goals.

### An ownership manual

The form of ownership you choose for property and other assets determines what you can do with them, how protected they are from creditors, and where they go when you die. Laws are complicated and vary from state to state, so it is a good idea to seek professional advice when determining whether to call the property you own yours, mine, or ours.

### A security blanket

Sufficient life, disability, and health insurance can provide your partner with key financial security in the event of an untimely death, illness, or accident. If you and your spouse are both employed and do not have children, your

group life insurance coverage at work may be enough. But once you start a family, you will want additional life insurance to protect your dependents. Health and disability insurance are equally important. Be sure that you are adequately covered with disability insurance that replaces a lost salary and with health care coverage that protects you from the high cost of medical treatment. If you are both employed, check your policies carefully to be certain that you are not paying for duplicate coverage you don't need.

### A comfortable retirement prospect

One way to ensure a long

happy life together is to regularly fund a retirement plan for you and your spouse. Knowing how much retirement income you will need to maintain your current lifestyle through retirement is the key to establishing a successful plan for retirement savings. And remember, the earlier you begin saving, the lighter the burden. If one spouse has no earnings, consider the possibility of contributing to a Spousal IRA.

### Peace of mind

Spare your loved one the pain of making the difficult decision about continuing or discontinuing life-sustaining medical treatment by creating a living will. A living will details the kind of treatment you want or do not want in the event you are terminally ill and cannot make that decision on your own. Be sure that your family and your physician are aware that you have a living will and that they know where you keep it.

It's also a good idea to have a durable power of attorney. This is a legal document that gives your spouse (or another designated individual) permission to manage your money, make decisions about your investments, or sell real estate on your behalf if you should become mentally disabled as a result of an illness or accident.

A credit card to call your own

Each spouse should establish credit in his or her own name, so that if one spouse should die or leave the marriage, the other will still have some credit. If you don't currently have a credit card in your name, apply for one now.

### A financial records road map

Make sure you each know where important financial papers such as wills, insurance policies, bank and tax records, personal papers, and retirement and employee benefit plans are filed or stored. Prepare a comprehensive document that you each can refer to in the event of an emergency.

### A will to die for

Planning for your death may not appear to be an appropriate topic for a candlelit dinner, but without a will, you die "intestate," meaning that your state's law will determine what happens to your estate and to your minor children. To assure that your beneficiaries will inherit exactly what you each intends, have a will drawn up by an attorney. Keep copies of your will somewhere safe and accessible and update it as necessary.

### An appointment with a CPA

Be aware that as a married couple, you are likely to face a higher combined tax bill than you would as single taxpayers. That's why it is important to make tax planning a year-round priority. A trusted tax professional can help you make the most of tax-saving strategies.

### Farm facts

Twenty-two million American workers produce, process, sell and trade the nation's food and fiber. But only 4.6 million of those people live on farms — slightly less than 2 percent of the total U.S. population. Almost 90 percent of U.S. farms are operated by individuals or family corporations. And American agriculture provides jobs — including production agriculture, farm inputs, processing and marketing, along with retail and wholesale sales — for 15 percent of the U.S. population.

Trees can shelter livestock — as well as farmlands — from winter's cold as well as summer's heat. But ... 1,200 trees in a pasture? That's how many black locust trees are growing in a West Virginia pasture. Scientists planted the trees in rows about 30 feet apart in a 5-acre watershed where 25 sheep graze. In doing this, they hope to find out whether trees can catch excess nitrogen from livestock urine and manure in subsoil before it reaches groundwater. Scientists are also testing black walnut, honey locust and sea buckhorn on pastures, and hope to demonstrate to local farmers that perennial woody species make sense as Appalachian crops.

## Cosigning has pitfalls, rewards

Being the youngest of five children has its disadvantages, among them is being the last one in line to ask your parents to cosign a loan.

The fear, of course, is that when you finally scrape together ample savings to purchase a car, your prime cosigner candidates might be overextended.

Often, parents cosign for their sons or daughters who have adequate income but a lack of credit or employment history. By cosigning, parents help their offspring get the loan and, perhaps more importantly, establish credit in their own names.

But many borrowers, be they a cosigner or primary borrower (also known as the maker), don't recognize the magnitude of the responsibilities borne by cosigning a loan. What responsibilities do you have when you cosign a loan?

Cosigners lend their names and good credit histories to the maker. Should the maker die, lose a job or otherwise fail to make payments, all responsibility for meeting the terms of the loan transfers to the cosigner.

An often-overlooked aspect of cosigning a loan is the fact that the loan appears on both the maker's and cosigner's credit reports.



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If the maker doesn't pay, the lender will notify you to make the payments. In most cases, however, your credit report already will contain the delinquency by the time you receive this notification.

How might a cosigned loan affect your ability to get new credit?

Even if it is not delinquent, a cosigned loan is part of your credit history. Since financial institutions consider a cosigned loan your responsibility, they'll include it when calculating your debt-to-income ratio.

This ratio helps lenders judge whether you have too many bills to pay relative to your income. The cut-off point varies widely among financial institutions and the type of loan. If it's too high, though, the result is the same: your loan application will be denied — even when the primary

borrower never misses a payment on the cosigned loan.

Before making a decision whether to cosign a loan, consider the following advice offered by Experian, formerly TRW.

- As a cosigner, you should know the purpose of the loan, the type of loan, the terms and why your friend or relative needs a cosigner.

- Understand your legal and financial obligations. Federal law requires financial institutions to tell you in writing that you are responsible for paying the debt if the primary borrower can't or won't make loan payments.

- Read and understand the credit contract. Be aware that a lender may be able to collect from you even when there is collateral. In the case of a car loan, for example, the lender might demand payment from you instead of repossessing the car. And even if the car is repossessed, its value may not be sufficient to pay off the loan.

- If the primary borrower defaults on the loan, then you as the cosigner may have to pay late fees or collections costs in addition to the loan amount.

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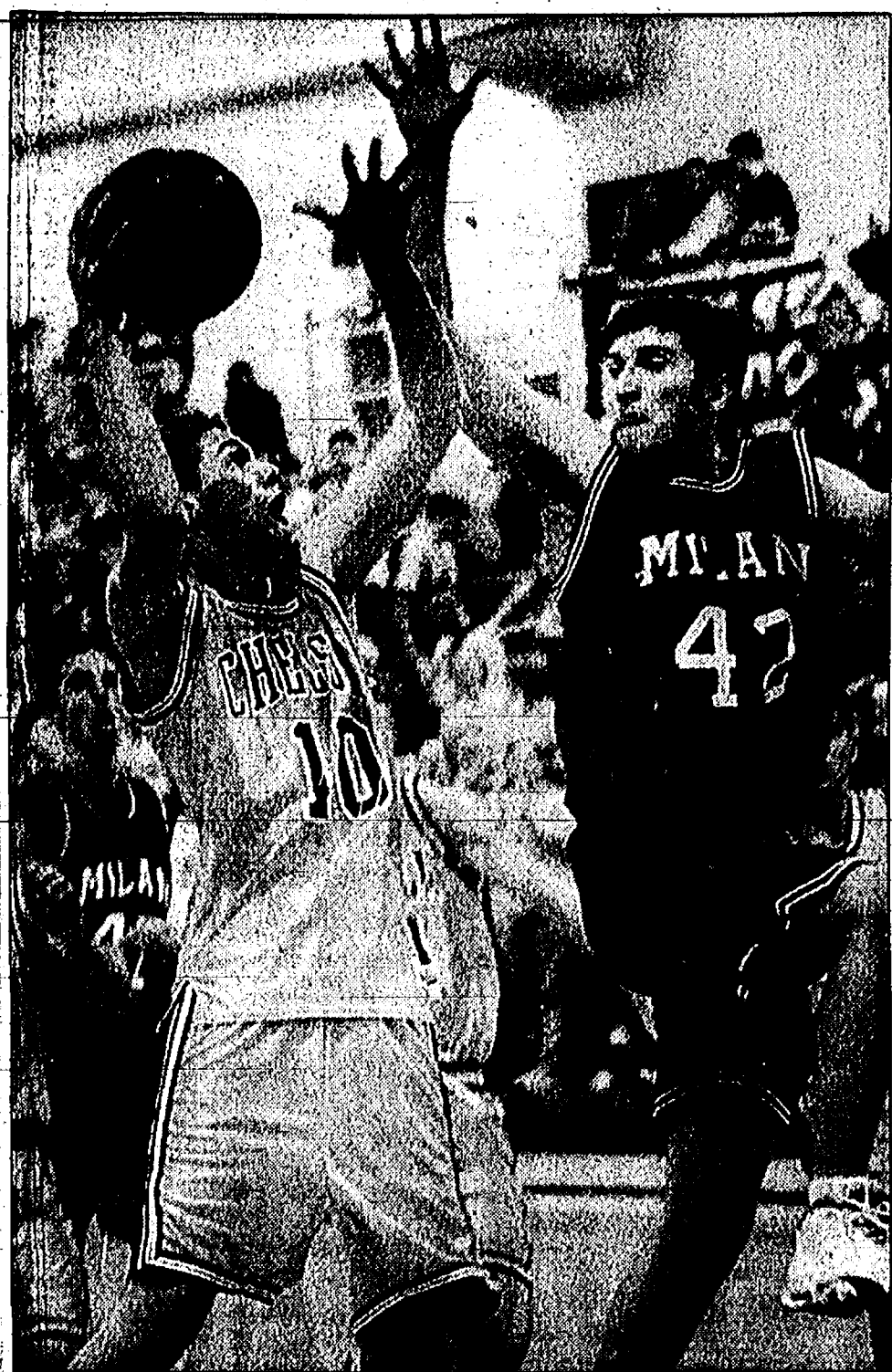


# The Chelsea Standard

# SPORTS

Thursday, February 11, 1999

## Bulldogs squeak by Milan, demolish Richard



Sean Davis drives against the Milan Big Reds.

By Jon Royce,  
Special Writer

Chelsea varsity basketball team improved its record to 5-3 in the Southeastern Conference by defeating Milan 40-37 on Friday, Feb. 5.

The Bulldogs trail Tecumseh, Pinckney and Dexter in the league standings.

Friday night's game was so ugly it was hard to watch. The Bulldogs shot 35 percent from the floor, were out rebounded 29-25 and only shot 50 percent from the free throw line. Fortunately, none of these statistics matter when you win.

Coach Robin Raymond was proud of the effort put forth by the team.

"It wasn't pretty but the kids had a good work ethic. We caught a couple breaks in the third quarter and once we got the lead, we didn't give it up."

Junior center Alan Bairley and junior forward Sean Davis both had good second halves. They had 21 of Chelsea's 27 second-half points. Chelsea shot the ball horribly in the first half. The Bulldogs managed to score just four points in the first quarter and nine points in the second.

Luckily, Milan was doing almost as poorly and couldn't capitalize on Chelsea's mistakes.

In the second half, Davis started heating up. He scored

seven points in the quarter to pull the 'Dogs within three at the quarter.

In the fourth quarter, Bairley finally put Chelsea into the lead as the Bulldogs repeatedly forced the ball inside for easy baskets. Milan kept the game close but Chelsea made just enough free throws down the stretch to stay out of reach.

Bairley had seven rebounds along with his 14 points. Davis had 13 points, senior guard Rourke Skelton had five points and three steals.

Senior guard Brian Groesser led the team in assists with four.

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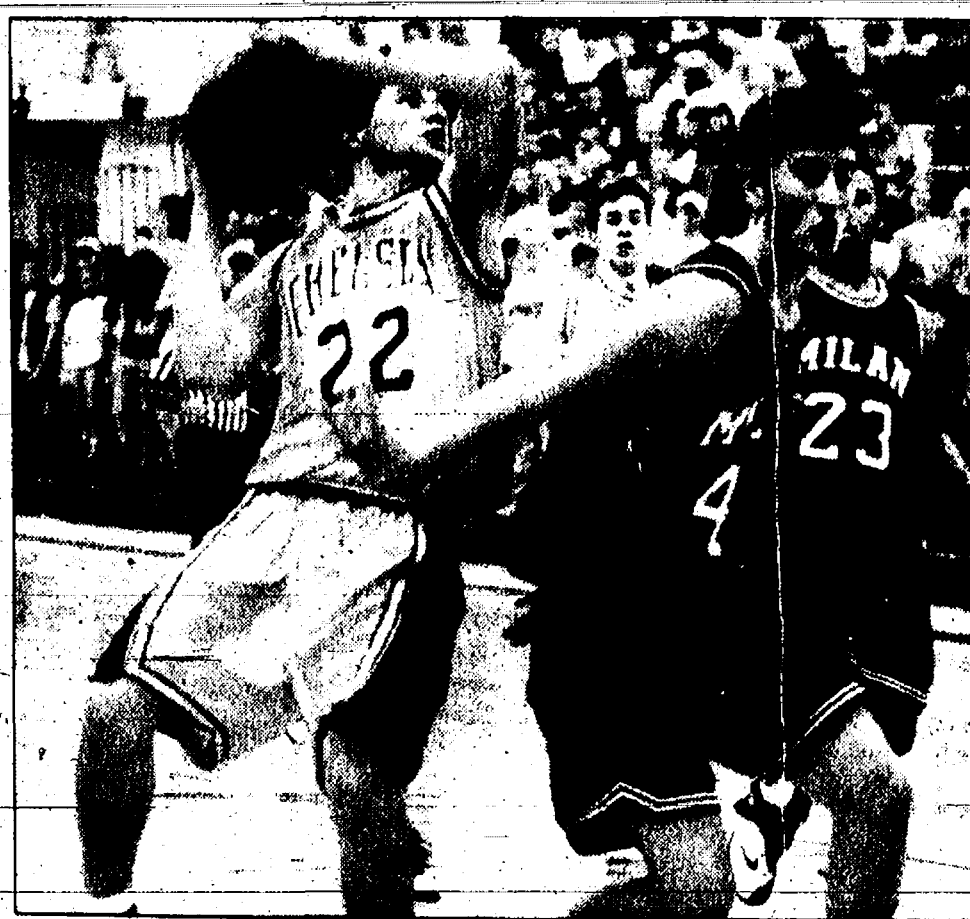
Chelsea demolished Gabriel Richard 60-28 the following night at home.

The Bulldogs played as if their previous game was only a nightmare. They came out and hustled the entire game, impressing their coach.

"The kids weren't tired after playing back to back and there was no let up as we rotated in players, everybody scored," Raymond said.

In contrast to the night before, the team shot 46 percent from the floor 67 percent from the line and out rebounded Gabriel Richard 31-24.

Most impressive, however, was Chelsea's defense. The Bulldogs held Richard to just



Vince Scheffler scraps for the ball for the Chelsea Bulldogs.

26 percent shooting.

When asked about the teams Jekyll-and-Hyde performance, Raymond replied, "The key to the game was our pressure defense. We really controlled the tempo of the game. We also accomplished our main goal, which was to stop Brian Anderson (Gabriel Richard's 6-foot-7-inch center). He didn't score."

Bairley led the team in points with 15 and rebounds with seven. Skelton and Davis each had seven points, junior forward Jeff Kolodica had six, senior forward Sam Compton had five, senior guard Nathan O'Connor, junior center Ethan Rendell and sophomore forward Tony Scheffler each had four. Scheffler also had two blocks and three assists.

## Swimmers edge by Tecumseh in close conference meet

"Adversity many times will bring out the best in individuals. Such was the case last Tuesday, Feb. 2, as the Chelsea Bulldogs swim team traveled to Tecumseh.

Senior co-captain Matt Johns was out of the lineup due to a foot injury that would end up sidelining him for the entire week. With Chelsea's top sprinter out and Tecumseh's known depth, the Bulldogs had a tough meet ahead of them.

With superior performances turned in by the divers and the 200-yard freestylers, the Bulldogs came away with their most exciting victory of the year, 94-92. The meet's highlights were as follows:

The 200-yard medley relay team of Andy Hack, Josh Hack, Bobby Rohrkemper and Andy Thiel swam to a first-place finish with a time of 1:44.61.

The next event very well could have decided the whole meet for the Bulldogs. Rohrkemper, who had not swum the 200-yard freestyle all season, was called upon to pull off the upset, which he did, winning the event easily at 1:57.61. What was not expected was the 1-2-3 sweep as Greg Cook had his best time of the season at 1:59.89 and Jared Wacker's was equally impressive at 1:59.92.

This put the Indians on their heels and set the tone for the whole meet. Andy Hack came right back in the 200-yard individual medley and won the event with a time of 2:08.03. The depth of Tecumseh became evident at this point, however, as the Indians out-scored the Bulldogs, placing second, third and fourth.

The strength of the Bulldogs is their sprinting, but with Johns' out of the line-up the pressure fell on the rest of the sprinting squad.

Thiel won the 50-yard freestyle with a time of 23.74 and Jeff Heydlauff was close behind for fourth place at 25.06.

Gabe McGuiness placed third in diving with a score of 169.65 points. And Steve Basar was fourth with an upset performance of 158.45 points.

Rohrkemper won the 100-yard butterfly with a time of 59.51 but once again the depth

of Tecumseh came through, outscoring the Bulldogs in the event with a 2-3-4 finish. Josh Hack won the 100-yard freestyle (50.54), with Thiel placing third at 53.40.

What was not expected, according to Chelsea coach Dave Jolly, was the bombing the Bulldogs took in the 500-yard freestyle as Greg Cook placed second in the event at 5:20.64 and Matt Moffett took fifth place at 5:43.88.

The Bulldogs had to win the next event or the meet would be in serious jeopardy. Thiel, Andy Hack, Heydlauff and Wacker teamed to win the 200-yard freestyle relay with a time of 1:35.74.

But the Indians would not go away as Andy Hack won the 100-yard backstroke (58.59), but Wacker was upset, swimming a time of 1:01.94 for third. Josh Hack won the 100-yard breaststroke at 1:00.99. But once again, the 2-3-4 finish of Tecumseh kept the meet close.

It all came down to the 400-yard freestyle relay, with the winner taking the meet. Andy Hack, Rohrkemper, Cook and Josh Hack swam their best as they touched out Tecumseh to seal the victory for the Bulldogs.

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On Thursday, the Bulldogs hosted the Pinckney Pirates. This meet proved to be less taxing as the Bulldogs won easily 104-79.

More importantly, two Bulldogs recorded state qualification.

Andy Hack made the state cut in the 200-yard freestyle, swimming an outstanding time of 1:53.72. Wacker made the 100-yard backstroke state cut at 59.59.

Other top Chelsea performances cited by Jolly were Josh Hack in the 200-yard individual medley at 1:59.22, which makes him the No. 1 ranked swimmer in the event for class B; Rohrkemper's 50-yard freestyle time of 24.66; Andy Thiel's 100-yard freestyle time of 52.27; and Mike Offenbacher's 100-yard breaststroke time of 1:15.47.

The Bulldogs travel to No. 1 ranked Dexter on Thursday.

By Frank Dimich,  
Special Writer

In what's shaping up to be a three-way race for the Southeastern Conference volleyball championship, Chelsea's 15-9, 8-15, 15-1 win Feb. 1 at Saline puts the Bulldogs in a tie for first with the Hornets at 7-1 heading into the second half of the SEC season.

"That was an important win for us," Chelsea coach Dan Montgomery said.

Dexter is right behind at 5-2 after having lost at Saline Thursday. Chelsea's only SEC loss came to the Dreadnaughts Jan. 28. If the same scenario plays out in the second half with the Bulldogs (20-7 overall) beating Saline at home, but losing to Dexter, a three-way tie for the championship is a strong possibility.

Montgomery acknowledged the race is getting good. "Most definitely, but you can't take any of these teams (in the SEC) for granted," he said.

Saline, which normally is strong offensively, ran into a solid Chelsea defense.

"We played good defense and we mounted a good offense of our own," Montgomery said. "They weren't able to mount the type of attack they wanted."

Saline may have looked past the Bulldogs somewhat because of the way Chelsea lost to Dexter, (4-15, 4-15), which the Hornets have beaten twice this year, Montgomery said.

"It's very possible that they

weren't that ready for us," he said. "That probably won't happen next time."

Lindsay Powers led the Bulldogs with 12 kills. Kristin Ellis had eight, Amy McCalla, six, Karla Dettling, three, and Lindsey Brink, Miranda Harris and Celeste Bycraft, one each.

Harris led with 18 assists and McCalla led with three service aces.

Chelsea had the advantage of trying to figure out how to beat Dexter in nonleague play, but lost 10-15, 6-15 in the quarterfinal of the Ann Arbor Pioneer Invitational Saturday.

And they may be on their way to doing just that, as the Bulldogs improved vastly compared to their last match against the Dreads.

"As you can see by the score, they're getting tougher," Dexter coach Bob Burns said.

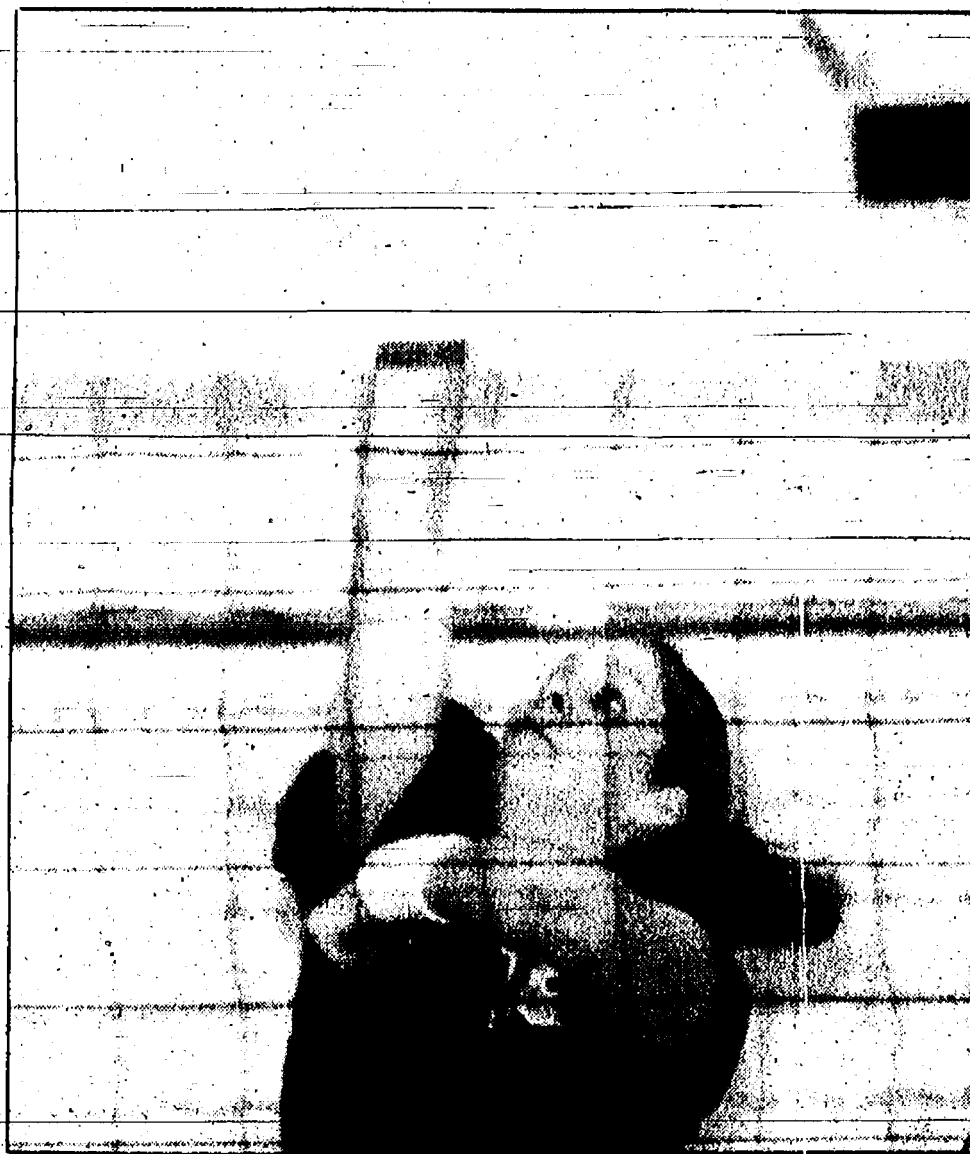
The Bulldogs were up 8-2 in the first game.

"We just kind of stalled out and lost our momentum and let them back in," Montgomery said. "We're not matching up well against them."

The Bulldogs advanced by finishing first in their pool with a 5-1 record, beating Wayne Memorial 15-1, 15-8, splitting with Pioneer 15-5, 14-16 and defeating Taylor Truman 15-0, 15-2.

Powers led the offense with 34 kills for the day. Ellis had 17, McCalla, 10, Jill Drexler, eight and Dettling and Brink, six each.

Harris led with 32 assists followed by Lindsey Baker



Amy McCalla smacks the ball back over the net during a game earlier this year

with 21.

McCalla led with six service aces. Brink and Powers had four each and Harris, Baker, Drexler and Ellis, three each.

Chelsea also beat Tecumseh 15-9, 15-13 Thursday in SEC play.

Powers led with nine kills.

Ellis had seven, McCalla, six, Harris, four, Drexler and Brink, three each and Dettling, one.

McCalla was 10-for-10 serving with two aces. Ellis was 9-of-9. Harris led with 17 assists.

Defensively, McCalla led with nine digs, and Bycraft, Harris and Brink each had six.

## Beach swimmers finish dual-meet season undefeated

Beach Middle School swim team finished its dual-meet season with a perfect 6-0 record, beating Adrian last Tuesday, 99-71, and then Pinckney at home, 118.5-51.5.

The girls' 200 medley relay team of Rebecca Armstrong, Alise Augustine, Julie Mida and Kayla Hack set a new school record with a time of 2:03.75 in the Adrian meet.

In the Pinckney meet, the girls' 200 freestyle relay of Armstrong, Alexis Jolly, Katrina Moffett and Hack also set a new school record at 1:51.40.

Other results of the Adrian meet are as follows:

The 200 medley relay team of Moffett, Matt Holmes, Liz Rohrkemper, and Jimmy Baker were third, and Andrew Brott, Meghan Minnick, Katie Minnick and Mike Policht were fifth.

Sarah Manville was second in the 200 freestyle, Kelly

Varady was third and Jennifer Adams, fourth.

In the 100 individual medley, Moffett was first, Laura Adams, fourth, and Holmes, fifth.

David Grabarkiewicz won the 400 freestyle, Augustine was third and Policht, sixth.

In diving, Grabarkiewicz was second, Tony Bowen, fourth, and Chelsea Gibbs, fifth.

Mida was second in the 50 butterfly, Katie Minnick, fourth, and Emily Wrathall, fifth.

Baker was second in the 100 freestyle, Rohrkemper, was fourth and Jennifer Adams, fifth.

The 200 freestyle relay team of Baker, Tim Wacker, Hack and Grabarkiewicz was first, Augustine, Armstrong, Laura Adams and Moffett was third, and Jennifer Adams, Meghan Minnick, Rohrkemper and

Shevaun Wacker were fifth.

Armstrong was second in the 100 backstroke, Danielle Hughes, third, and Brott, fourth.

In the 100 breaststroke, Augustine was first, Manville second, and Sarah Kaminsky fourth.

The 400 freestyle relay team of Grabarkiewicz, Armstrong, Hack and Moffett was first; Varady, Laura Adams, Tim Wacker and Baker was third and Jennifer Adams, Hughes, Policht and Wrathall, fifth.

In the Pinckney meet, Armstrong, Jolly, Mida and Moffett won the 200 medley relay; Brott, Holmes, Aaron Connel, and Tim Wacker were second; Tracy Stetson, Kaminsky, Katie Minnick and Kyle Brown were fourth.

Hack won the 200 freestyle; Laura Adams was second and Jennifer Adams, fourth.

In the 100 individual medley, Moffett was first, Augustine, second, and Rohrkemper, third.

Baker was second in the 50 freestyle, Jolly was third and Meghan Minnick, fifth.

Andy Ceo won diving, Grabarkiewicz was second and Tony Bowen, fourth.

In the 50 butterfly, Noelle Temple was first, Hack, Mida and Connell, fourth.

Grabarkiewicz was second in the 100 freestyle, Manville was third and Jennifer Adams, fifth.

The 200 freestyle relay team of Baker, Tim Wacker, Holmes and Grabarkiewicz was first; Armstrong, Moffett, Jolly and Hack were second and Temple, Hughes, Sarah Tschirhart and Lindsey Cook, fourth.

Laura Adams was second in the 100 backstroke, Stetson

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## BOWLING

### BIE'S BUMPER BOWLERS

	W	L
Dynanite Strikers	62	28
Lucky Strikers	49	41
Cool Bowlers	48	42
Bumper Busters	25	65
The Strikers	6	9
Super Bowlers	5	10

High Game: Alicia Lampton, 90; A.J. Kalls, 117.  
High Series: Alexa Wade, 155; Jason Allen, 172.

### CENTURY 21 NORTHSTAR

	W	L
Sisters	100	61
The Aces	87.5	72.5
Out Claim	85.5	75.5
Back 40	73	88
All Most	69	92
Fore-Closure	68	93

High Game: Melissa Bellus, 196.  
High Series: Melissa Bellus, 513.

### CHELSEA YOUTH MIXED

	W	L
B.S.G.	106	34
Team V	92	48
The Cro-Magnons	87	53
The Wolverines	85	55
The Other Team	82	58
Pin Pal Gals	81	59
The Scorpions	76	64
The Steelers	75	65
Slick	73	67
Warriors	70	70
Strike Or Bust	65	75
Strike Force	63	77
Freeballs	62	78
Cherry Blossoms	51	79
Thunderbolts	43	85
Bulldogs	42	97
Team #10	42	98

High Game: Bailey Pichan, 193; Matt Milazzo, 253.  
High Series: Bailey Pichan, 450; Matt Milazzo, 572.

### JUNIOR HOUSE

	W	L
Certified Tractor	30	5
Jiffy Mites	28	7
Cleary's Pub	24	11
Associated Drywall	23.5	11.5
Steele Heating & Cooling	21	14
Stevick Gravel	21	14
JENEX	20	15
Wolverine Food & Spirits	18	17
Norm's Body Shop	18	17
Microwave Communications	17.5	17.5
A.Purple Rose Florist	15	20
Mark IV Lounge	15	20
Seitz's Tavern	15	20
3D Sales & Service	14	21
Chelsea Glass	12	23
Centennial Dental Lab	9	26
Vogel's Party Store	8	27
Chelsea Lanes	6	29

High Game: R. Hallacore, 268.  
High Series: R. Hallacore, 690.

### LEISURETIME

	W	L
Late Ones	55.5	24.5
Doves	48	34
Mistifs	41.5	38.5
No! Yetis	41	43
Bowlerinas	28.5	51.5
Sweetrollies	27.5	53.5

High Game: J. Staphis, 200.  
High Series: B. Parish, 483.

### TOWN CLUB

	W	L
Republic Bank	33	16
Chelsea State Bank	32	17
Chelsea A&W	28	21
Chelsea Lanes	22	27
Bristle Farms	22	27
Fielder Painting	10	39

High Game: Pam Bristle, 233.  
High Series: Dawn Foster, 524.

### SENIORS FUNTIME

	W	L
Pelita Dots	27	8
Pansies	26	9
Three Cookies	22	13
Keglers	22	13
Pals	21	14
Gutter Busters	21	14
Spare Ribs	20	15
Strikers	19	16
Hit or Miss	19	16
Lucky 13	18	17
Good Times	17	18
Alley Cats	17	18
Steadies	16	19
Go Gatters	16	19
Three Musketeers	15	20
CBs	9	26
Happy Bowlers	6	29

High Game: Joann Clouse, 179; Jerry Emery, 221.  
High Series: Joann Clouse, 487; Jerry Emery, 589.

### CHELSEA SENIOR HOUSE

	W	L
Mark IV Lounge	30	12
Harris Construction	28	14
Shamrock Floors	28	15
Chelsea Lanes	26	16
White Pine Graphics	25	16
Steele's Heating	24	18
M.T.F.	21	21
Unadilla General Store	18	24
Village Tap	17	25
McCalla Feeds	16	26
Half-Mooners	12	30
Clouse Heating & Cooling	8	34

High Game: Michael T. Harbert, 248.  
High Series: Craig Coltre, 619.

### TRICITY MIXED

	W	L
JL Enterprises	19	9
Cottage Inn Pizza	19	9
Wolverine	19	9
Edward Surovell	18	10
3-D Sales	14	14
MTF	11	17
Braun & Brumfield	11	17
Boone & Darr	11	17
Chelsea Lanes	9	19
Wolverine Food & Spirits	9	19

High Game: Dawn Weatherwax, 203; Ron Zatorski, 245.  
High Series: Jody Wenk, 563; Ron Zatorski, 637.

### CHELSEA LANES MIXED

	W	L
Mustangs	27	8
Double E	24	11
Lima Beans	22	13
Looney Tunes	18	17
Pin Busters	18	19
Double Trouble	15	20
STD	13	22
Bluebirds	5	30

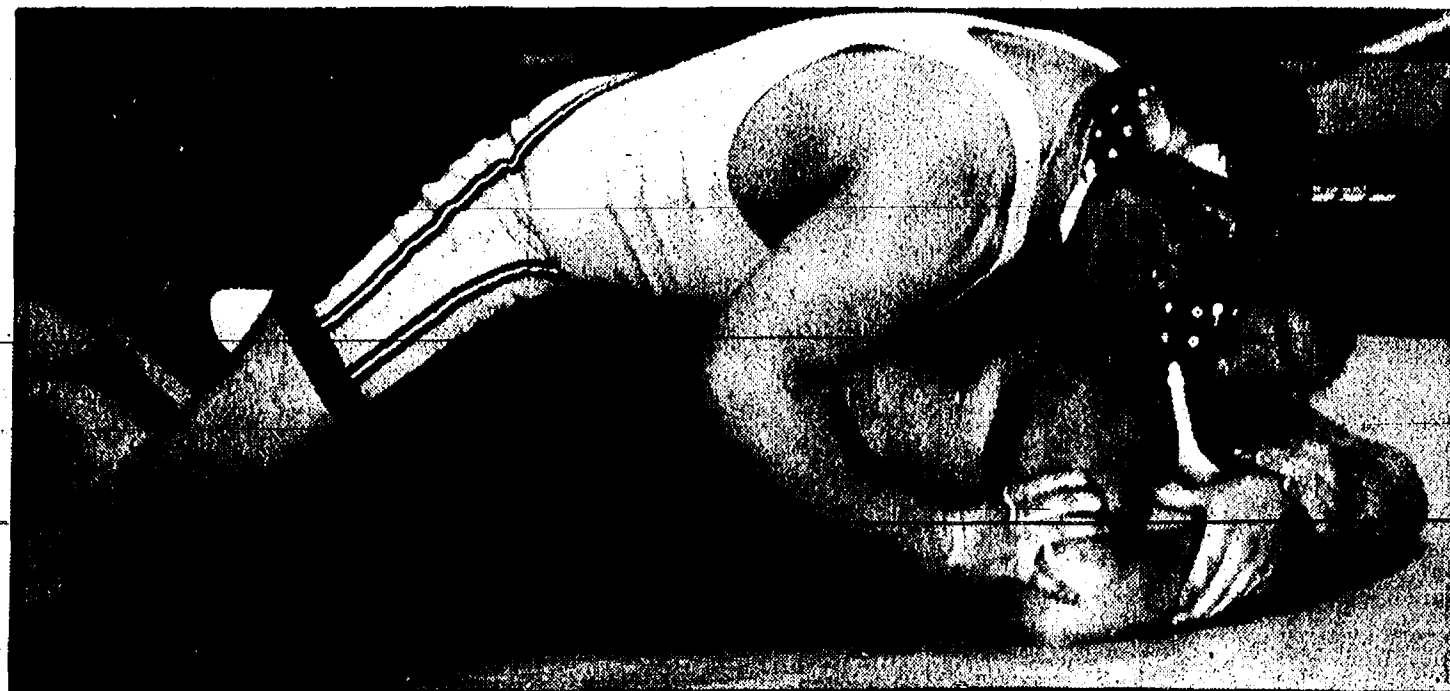
High Game: Dawn Weatherwax, 191; John Spencer, 207.  
High Series: Dawn Weatherwax, 545; Tim Schulze, 505.

## SPORTS CALENDAR

### Thursday, Feb. 11

**Freshman Boys Basketball** vs. Pinckney, 7 p.m. H  
**Varsity JV/Freshman Volleyball** vs. Pinckney, 6:30 p.m. A  
**7th & 8th Grade Volleyball** vs. Milan, 4 p.m. H  
**7th & 8th Grade Wrestling** vs. Milan, 4 p.m. A  
**Boys Swimming** vs. Dexter, 6:30 p.m. A  
**Saturday, Feb. 13**  
**Varsity JV Wrestling** - SEC tournaments, 10 a.m. H  
**7th & 8th Grade Swimming** MISCA Championships, TBA  
**Chelsea Hockey Club** vs. Birch Run, 7 p.m., at the Jackson Rink, H  
**7th & 8th Grade Volleyball** vs. Tecumseh, 4 p.m. A  
**7th & 8th Grade Wrestling** vs. Tecumseh, 4 p.m. H  
**Boys Swimming** vs. Ann Arbor Huron, 7 p.m. A

# Wrestlers stay in hunt for conference title



Ian Kummer won his match at heavyweight against the Tecumseh Indians, to help the Bulldogs stay alive in the race for the SEC title.

## Beach wrestlers have two good outings

Beach Middle School wrestlers split matches last week, defeating Saline on Tuesday and losing a close match to Dexter on Thursday.

In the Saline match, Chelsea was able to win 11 of the 17 matches.

Chelsea's first win came at 95 pounds when David Graff pinned his opponent, Ryan Keiser at 105 pounds and Ben Rodgers at 110 pounds continued with the pins for Chelsea.

David Fedele recorded a 11-0 victory over his opponent at 120 pounds. Darl Bauer at 137 pounds and Josh Rohrer at

heavyweight finished out the first round of matches by pinning their opponents.

In second-round matches, Randy Ostrowski at 90 pounds, Keiser, Fedele and Andy Hurst 125 pounds, Karl Wint at 140 pounds, and Joel Powers at 160 pounds all picked up victories for Chelsea.

On Thursday the Beach wrestlers traveled to Dexter. In a close match Dexter won eight of the 15 matches.

At 75 pounds, Ryan Fike of Dexter defeated Josh Clark. Dexter won the next three matches as Jeff Marsh de-

feated Randy Ostrowski at 95 pounds. Sam Cook defeated Ryan Keiser at 105 pounds, and Josh Dillen defeated Ben Rodgers at 110 pounds.

Chelsea was able to get on the scoreboard with a victory by Fedele at 115 pounds. Dexter came back with a win at 125 pounds by Damon Stahlin. Chelsea answered with wins by Ryan Houle at 137 pounds, and by Adam Egeler at 145 pounds.

In second-round matches, Chelsea did better with victories by Andy Hurst at 115 pounds, Dave Dault at 137 pounds, Wint at 137 pounds, and Bauer at 145 pounds.

Beach Wrestlers finish out the home season Tuesday, Feb. 16 with a match against Tecumseh.

On Saturday Feb. 20 the team will take part in the Tecumseh Invitational Tournament.

By Frank Dimich  
Special Writer

Because of injuries and illness, Chelsea wrestling coach Kerry Kargel moved many wrestlers in his lineup up a weight class for Thursday's Southeastern Conference match against Tecumseh.

"In order for us to win, we had to do that," he said.

The strategy worked as the Bulldogs beat Tecumseh 34-32. They are 9-4 and 4-1 in the SEC, tied for second with

Pinckney.

They were down 32-31 going into the heavyweight match, and Nate Dawson's 5-2 win by decision gave them the three points needed for the win.

Kargel said George Fairley's win at 130 pounds was

also a key win in the meet, as he was down 5-0 after the first period but came back for the pin in 5:49.

"It really turned the momentum for us to win," Kargel said.

Other winners were Mike Kattula by forfeit at 103, Ben Graff by forfeit at 112, Grant Bollinger by pin in 5:14 at 135, Nate Keiser by an 18-4 major decision at 145 and Derek Egeler by 5-2 decision at 171.

The Bulldogs needed to beat Pinckney Tuesday to have any chance at catching Saline for the league championship at the SEC meet Saturday at Chelsea.

Kargel said he hopes to have his injured and sidelined players back for the SEC meet

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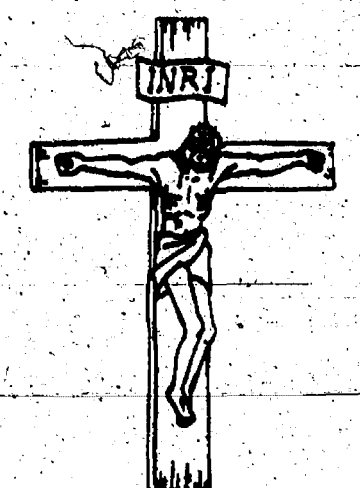
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Chelsea JV volleyball team is pictured after their big win at the Brighton Invitational. In front, from left, are Meagan Hollo, Katie Boshoven, Laura Baird and Molly Welton. In back are Caitlin Deis, Michelle Dettling, Amber Mattocks, Josie Wells, Kayla Hale, Ann Larder, Emily Royce and Sally Compton.

## JV volleyball splits two matches in week

The Chelsea junior varsity volleyball team split a pair of Southeastern Conference matches last week, losing at Saline 11-15, 15-2, 10-15 Feb. 1 and beating Tecumseh 7-15, 15-11, 15-5 Thursday.

Chelsea is 14-3 and 7-2 in the SEC.

Against Tecumseh, the team came out flat, but pulled together to take control of the match, Chelsea coach Laura Cleveland said.

Laura Baird led the Bull-

dogs with nine kills, Caitlin Deis had eight and Michelle Dettling six.

Meagan Hollo led with five service aces, and Dettling had three.

Defensively, Deis led with six digs, and Baird had five.

Against Saline, the Bulldogs missed six serves in the first game.

"The team played well, but made key errors on service," Cleveland said.

Deis led with eight kills. Emily Royce and Katie Bosh-

oven had four each.

Molly Welton led with four service aces and Baird had three. Defensively, Welton led with nine digs, and Baird had seven.

Cleveland said she is pleased with her team's progress heading into the second half of the SEC season.

"Our team is hitting very proficiently and we have a sound defensive group," she said. "We look to be strong throughout the second half of the season."

## Beach eighth-graders have two tense matches

Beach Middle School eighth grade volleyball team won two five-set matches last week over Saline on Feb. 2 and Dexter Feb. 4.

Chelsea won the Saline match 12-10, 6-11, 0-11, 11-3, 11-3.

"This was a very exciting match," said Chelsea coach Ann Schaffner.

Courtney Bentley had 13 service points and seven attacks. Alison Mann also had 13 points serving. Anna Arend had 10 assists and six blocks and Katie Marshall had 95 percent efficiency in contacts.

The Bulldogs took the Dexter match 11-1, 8-11, 7-11, 11-6, 11-4.

"Strong play from Alison

Sacks, Alison Mann, Katie Marshall, Courtney Bentley, Anna Arend and Carly Daniels led the way," Schaffner said.

Sacks had 10 points serving, Mann had eight, Arend seven and Daniels six. Arend had eight blocks and 15 assists and Marshall had six attacks.

Chelsea is 3-0 overall.

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## Competitive Gymnast

Allison Sayers, a 13-year-old eighth-grader at Beach Middle School, is training for competitive gymnastics at Champion Gymnastics in Dexter. Sayers competed in the Gateway Challenge in St. Louis Feb. 6-7, where she placed third on the uneven parallel bars with a score of 8.95, sixth in the floor exercise with a score of 9.0, sixth in the vault with a score of 8.15, and 7.85 on the balance beam. She placed sixth overall. She plans to compete at the Buckeye Classic in Columbus on Feb. 20-21.

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## Hockey Club loses to Grosse Ile

Chelsea Bulldogs Hockey Club lost a non-league game to a very fast and good passing Grosse Ile Devils team, 4-1, on Saturday, Feb. 6.

There was no scoring in the first period as both teams used their strengths against one another. Chelsea used its size and forechecking to counter the speed and slick puck control of Grosse Ile.

The Devils owned the second period as they outscored the Bulldogs 4-1. Their speed

and passing were too much for the Bulldogs, whose only goal of the period (and game) came from the stick of Bill Lucas. Brand Wright assisted on the lone goal.

The third period was a repeat of the first and no goals were scored by either team.

The Bulldogs were in this game to the end and applied constant pressure on the Devils' goalies.

Bulldog goalie Mike Osborne faced 25 shots on the

night and made several key saves throughout the game. Of the four goals scored by Grosse Ile, one bounced awkwardly off the skate of a player, another was on a Devil breakaway, and still another came while the Bulldogs were short handed.

The Bulldogs' next home game will be on Feb. 13, at 7 p.m. at Jackson Ice Arena against a very strong Birch Run team.

## Aquatic Club swims well against Dexter

Chelsea Aquatic Club swam against Dexter in the first meet of the winter season and lost 513 - 265. Most kids swam well considering the lack of practice time due to snow days. Some even had personal best times, like Kim Vachon in the 50-yard freestyle with a time of 28.43.

The 10-and-under swimmers of the meet were Ann Mueller and Kelly Whitley, both swimming in their first meet. The 11 - 12 swimmer of the meet was Andy Kellogg with a personal best time in the 50-yard freestyle of 30.42. The 13 - 14 swimmer of the meet was Katie Minnick, who swam the 50-yard freestyle, 100-yard backstroke, and anchored the medley relay.

**Medley Relay**  
9 - 10 boys (200 yds.): 3. Robbie Pagliarini, Daniel Augustine, Robbie Moffett, Nick Armstrong 2:52.85; NS. Tom Bloomfield, Ben Kellogg, Jake Policht, Dustin Catalano, 3:25.58.

9 - 10 girls (200 yds.): 2. Kellyn Pagliarini, April Adams, Kat Fitzgerald, Jessica Lodewyk, 2:33.40; NS. Allison Frayer, Tracy Steinbach, Christine Kelley, Nicole Lodewyk, 3:01.62; NS. Julie Adams, Hannah Meyers, Cassie Vachon, Alice Butcher, 3:13.68; 11. NS. Leah Smith, Ayla Detroyer, Anna Mueller, Anna Emmerling, 4:07.14.

11 - 12 boys (200 yds.): 2. Cody Shiller, Nate Christman, Ryan Kelley, Andy Kellogg, 2:42.40.

11 - 12 girls (200 yds.): 2. Liz Rohrkemper, Kara Stiles, Katrina Moffett, Meghan Minnick, 2:14.30; NS. Daniele Hughes,

Emily Wrathall, Kelly Butcher, Jennifer Adams, 2:25.55.

13 - 14 (200 yds.): 2. Rebecca Armstrong, Laura Adams, Kasey Whitley, Katie Minnick, 2:19.76.

**Freestyle**  
8 - under boys (25 yds.): 2. Trevor Hughes, 17.79; 4. Ian Hughes, 19.24; 7. Ryan Wrathall, 36.88.

8 - under girls (25 yds.): 5. Erin Alber, 25.58; 6. Emily Sparrow, 22.72; 7. Kelly Whitley, 24.66.

9 - 10 boys (50 yds.): 2. Robbie Moffett, 33.61; 3. Daniel Augustine, 34.63; 7. Nick Armstrong, 37.42; 8. Allen Kalis, 39.55; NS. Dustin Catalano, 43.33; Jake Policht, 43.70; Tom Bloomfield, 44.74; Blake Burnette, 47.76; Robbie Pagliarini, 48.16.

9 - 10 girls (50 yds.): 5. Jessica Lodewyk, 33.86; 6. Kat Fitzgerald, 37.02; 7. Christine Kelley, 37.06; 8. Alice Butcher, 38.21; NS. Ayla Detroyer, 39.51; Cassie Vachon, 40.78; Anna Emmerling, 44.25; Tracy Ste-

inbach, 46.78; Liz Hood, 48.94; Anna Mueller, 1:03.96.

11 - 12 boys (50 yds.): 2. Andy Kellogg, 30.42; 3. Ryan Kelley, 33.11; 7. Cody Schiller, 37.17; 8. Nate Christman, 38.19; NS. Sean Steinbach, 39.06.

11 - 12 girls (50 yds.): 1. Kim Vachon, 28.43; 2. Katrina Moffett, 28.62; 4. Meghan Minnick, 29.10; 5. Kara Stiles, 29.74; NS. Liz Rohrkemper, 30.34; 8. Kelly Butcher, 31.45; Danielle McClelland, 33.85; Haley Policht, 38.83.

13 - 14 boys (50 yds.): 2. Mike Policht, 29.84; 4. Aaron Connell, 30.53; 5. Matt Kellogg, 34.39.

13 - 14 girls (50 yds.): 3. Rebecca Armstrong, 28.20; 5. Laura Adams, 29.08; 7. Kasey Whitley, 31.59; 8. Katie Minnick, 32.83.

**Backstroke**  
8 - under boys (25 yds.): 1. Ian Hughes, 21.97; 3. Trevor Hughes, 23.87; 7. Ryan Wrathall, 49.92.

8 - under girls (25 yds.): 4. See SWIMMING - Page 4-B

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## AQUATIC

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Emily Sparrow, 25.02; 5. Erin Alber, 26.02; 7. Kelly Whitley, 28.78.

9 - 10 boys (50 yds.): 3. Daniel Augustine, 40.86; 4. Robbie Moffett, 41.05; 7. Nick Armstrong, 45.66; 6. Allen Kalis, 47.34; NS. Jake Policht, 50.33; Robbie Pagliarini, 50.69; Tom Bloomfield, 54.42; Ben Kellogg, 55.79; Blake Burnette, 1:02.46.

9 - 10 girls (50 yds.): 3. April Adams, 39.14; 4. Kellyn Pagliarini, 39.80; 5. Allison Frayer, 40.95; 8. Nicole Lodewyk, 45.41; NS. Julie Adams, 47.65; Hannah Meyers, 49.46; Leah Smith, 54.71; Anna Emmerling, 55.67; Liz Hood, 59.11.

11 - 12 boys (50 yds.): 2. Andy Kellogg, 40.85; 5. Ryan Kelley, 43.80; 7. Sean Steinbach, 47.51; 8. Cody Schiller, 47.77; NS. Nate Christman, 48.61.

11 - 12 girls (50 yds.): 2. Katrina Moffett, 33.14; 5. Kim Vachon, 35.75; 6. Liz Rohrkemper, 36.20; 7. Daniele Hughes, 36.52; NS. Kara Stiles, 36.84; Jennifer Adams, 39.12; Emily Wrathall, 44.45; Danielle McClelland, 44.85; Hayley Policht, 46.79.

13 - 14 boys (100 yds.): 3. Mike Policht, 1:22.19; 4. Aaron Connell, 1:25.18; 6. Matt Kellogg, 1:32.08.

13 - 14 girls (100 yds.): 2. Rebecca Armstrong, 1:10.27; 4.

Laura Adams, 1:16.86; 7. Katie Minnick, 1:22.95; 8. Kasey Whitley, 1:23.51.

### Freestyle Relay

9 - 10 boys (200 yds.): 3. Allen Kalis, Blake Burnette, Ben Kellogg, Dustin Catalano, 3:01.81.

9 - 10 girls (200 yds.): 2. April Adams, Kat Fitzgerald, Kellyn Pagliarini, Jessica Lodewyk, 2:16.77; NS. Nicole Lodewyk, Allison Frayer, Tracy Steinbach, Christine Kelley, 2:41.21; Cassie Vachon, Julie Adams, Hannah Meyers, Alice Butcher, 2:47.27; Leah Smith, Anna Mueller, Liz Hood, Ayla Detroyer, 3:25.43.

11 - 12 girls (200 yds.): 2. Meghan Minnick, Daniele Hughes, Kelly Butcher, Kim Vachon, 2:00.12; NS. Danielle McClelland, Haley Policht, Emily Wrathall, Jennifer Adams, 2:18.04.

## Seventh-graders lose two matches

Beach Middle School seventh-grade volleyball team lost matches to Saline on Feb. 2 and Dexter Feb. 4.

Chelsea lost to Saline in three games, 11-3, 11-2 and 11-6. Beth Robertson and Lindsay Parker each served three points, and Ashley Gadbury and Renee Johnston each served two.

Chelsea lost in five games to Dexter, 4-11, 11-6, 11-7, 10-12 and 9-11.

Rachel Dotson had two aces and Becky Sprague and Meghan Reames each had one. Parker led the way in serving with 94 percent efficiency. She also had 14 points. Sprague served 12 points.

## SWIMMING

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was third and Kelsey Benton, fifth.

In the 100 breaststroke, Kaminsky was first, Shevaun Wacker, second, and Ray White, sixth.

The 400 freestyle relay team of Augustine, Rohrkemper, Meghan Minnick and Manville was first; Baker, Tim Wacker, Holmes and Grabarkiewicz was second; and Tschirhart, Cook, Jessica Bassett and Policht, fourth.

Other participants were Katie Widmayer, Jamie McConville, Jessica Rohrer, Anna Haroney, Aaron Hall, Lauren O'Connor, Nathan Skidmore, Sean Steinbach, Teddy Keilman, Blythe Crane, Ryan Kelley, Danielle McClelland, Jennifer Williams and Christine Rosentreter.

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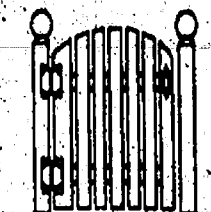


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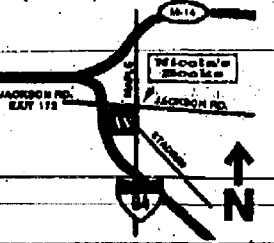
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# COMMUNITY

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## Longtime couples still sweet on each other

By Michelle Rogers

Associate Editor

When love came knocking for Wally Fusilier, Basil Baysinger and Gary Adams each fell hard. A student at Eastern Michigan University, Wally Fusilier met his future wife, Bene, at the 1958 Freshman Days Street Dance. But Bene, an aspiring teacher, had her eye on someone else.

"Wally kept trying to get me to dance with him but I was interested in someone else at the time," she recalls.

Wally admits it was love at first sight for him.

"It was more gradual for her than for me. I knew early on," he says.

"I liked the way she looked, and I liked her easy-going personality."

It wasn't until the second semester of classes when Bene was having trouble with mathematics that Wally got his foot in the door by offering to tutor her.

"After that, she invited me to a party with some friends and our relationship began," he says.

On Aug. 10, the Lima Township couple will mark 36 years of marriage.

For Basil Baysinger, a chance meeting over 46 years ago has led to 38 years of marriage.

Basil met his future wife, Shirley, in high school while visiting a friend's uncle.

"Shirley and I never talked to each other that day but I definitely knew she was present," Basil recalls.

"She was a beautiful person with a charming personality and the most extraordinary dark, red hair I had ever seen. I was in love!"

But for Shirley, who was 14 years old, love came a little slower. Her family moved to Commerce, where Basil lived, and the teenagers rode the same bus to school.

"No, it wasn't love at first sight. I thought he acted like a jerk," she says.

"But as I got to knowing him better, I discovered I liked him. He was a really sweet person with a great sense of humor."

They were allowed to date

when she turned 16 and have been sweethearts since 1953. On Feb. 28, the Dexter Township couple will celebrate 39 years of marriage.

Religion was the impetus that brought Gary Adams and his future wife, Janet, together. A student at the University of Michigan, Gary began attending the same young adult group meetings at Ward Memorial Presbyterian Church in Detroit that Janet went to during the summer of 1960.

"The purpose was to meet other people my age who had similar interests," Gary recalls. "Following services we usually went to someone's home or to a local restaurant. During the summer we went swimming. There were a variety of other group activities."

"As I began to know Janet, her looks and her quiet, pleasant personality attracted me. She was obviously a good person with high personal standards. I remember being attracted by her quiet independence and confidence."

But Janet was initially oblivious to Gary's feelings.

"A friend of mine mentioned one day that Gary had a nice smile," she recalls. "I hadn't noticed since I was very busy trying to fix him up with another friend. After she mentioned that, I started to take an interest in him since I was getting nowhere fixing him up."

On Sept. 1, the Lima Township couple will observe 37 years of marriage.

The secret to their success, the Adamses say, is a belief in God and devotion to the Bible.

"With that you know faithfulness, honesty and communication," Janet says. "When you know you can trust the person you love, it makes all your troubles and difficulties easier to deal with and work through."

Gary says the most important ingredient to a good marriage is true commitment to each other.

"It's indeed for richer poorer, in good health and bad, in all situations a true commitment to each other."

"It's wanting to see the best for your spouse," he says. "It's thinking of your spouse first. It's a willingness and a desire to share all with

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Bene and Wally  
Fusilier  
Aug. 10, 1963



Shirley and Basil  
Baysinger  
Feb. 29, 1960



Janet  
and  
Gary  
Adams  
Sept. 1,  
1962

## Barbara Doolittle's hometown plays role in her career choice

By Michelle Rogers

Associate Editor

Barbara Doolittle grew up in a college town and says the environment influenced her career decision.

"I think I always knew I wanted to be a teacher because where I grew up the town was really oriented toward teaching and education," says Doolittle, now a third-grade teacher at Pierce Lake Elementary School.

Besides the influence of her hometown of Columbus, Ohio, Doolittle recognizes the role of her family. Her grandmother and father both taught for brief periods during their lives and stressed the importance of education.

Doolittle earned a bachelor's degree in 1969 from Ohio Northern University, her mother's alma mater. Later she added a master's degree in special education from Eastern Michigan University.

It was at Ohio Northern where Doolittle met her future husband, Bill, now an engineering manager with Daimler-Chrysler. They reside in Webster Township and have two children, Anne, 20, and Abby, 25, both college students.

Doolittle started her teaching

career in Fraser at Mark Twain Elementary School, where she taught fourth grade. Back then, the job also required her to teach physical education, art and library science to her students. Today she recognizes how important the teachers are who teach those specialty classes.

### TEACHER FEATURE

In 1978, Doolittle decided to take seven years off to raise her two daughters. During that time, she returned to college for her master's degree and worked occasionally as a substitute teacher in Ann Arbor.

Chelsea School District hired her in 1985. Doolittle started out in a one-year assignment as a teacher consultant at South Meadows Elementary School. The following year, she switched to third grade.

"I had always wanted to teach third grade so I jumped at that opportunity," Doolittle says.

"The kids come in so enthusiastic and young, and they are so helpful. They want to help the teacher."

Doolittle transferred to Pierce

Lake when the school opened in 1997. She calls the move one of the highlights of her career because it allowed her the opportunity to work with additional staff in the school district. She says the state-of-the-art building, equipment and technology were also pluses.

Doolittle team-teaches some subjects with colleagues Tami Gillingham and Sally Schlupe. She especially enjoys helping out with a lesson about Chelsea history and the community, although she doesn't teach it directly.

"That is something I am always learning about and I really like sharing it with the kids," she says.

Every December, Pierce Lake third-graders walk to the Chelsea Depot, where they learn about its history.

"It really brings their studies to life when they're there," Doolittle says. "They seem to be in awe of the old buildings."

Over the years, Doolittle has shared historic family docu-

ments from Chelsea natives and other points of interest with her students. She says what make the community unusual are its people and their commitment to sharing their heritage.

"I find that there is a lot of tradition in Chelsea, and I really like being a part of that," Doolittle says. "Chelsea people seem to know who they are and value their traditions and past."

Although Doolittle enjoys being a part of the history lesson, her favorite subject to teach is language arts.

"I see a lot of growth in their writing and that's very encouraging," she says. "I really enjoy teaching a literature-based approach to writing."

The approach incorporates themes. For instance, the theme may be winter and students would read a book about a girl who is courageous during a snow storm. Then they write a story about a time when they were brave.

"I am always trying to improve in the delivery of my approach to teaching—writing," Doolittle says, "and that is a focus of the district now."

Doolittle describes her teaching style as flexible. She says

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Pierce Lake Elementary School teacher Barbara Doolittle's favorite subject to teach is language arts. Doolittle has been with the Chelsea School District since 1985. She started her career in Fraser after graduating from Ohio Northern University in 1969. Doolittle says she has found her niche teaching third-graders in Chelsea.



# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## CHELSEA

Thursday, Feb. 11

Lyndon Township Planning Commission meets at the township hall, 7:30 p.m.

Alzheimer's Assoc. Family Caregiver Support Group meets in the Crippen building at Chelsea Retirement Community, 7-8:30 p.m. Info., (734) 741-8200.

Sunday, Feb. 14

Waterloo Natural History Association, 17030 Bush Road, will feature Verna "Grandma" Soule, sharing her 265-mile hiking experiences through the mountains of Vermont, at 2 p.m. Advance reservations. A fee of \$2 per person, or \$5 per family is required for non-members. Info., (734) 475-3170.

Monday, Feb. 15

Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.

Waterloo Area Historical Society Board of Directors meets at the Waterloo Farm Museum, 7 p.m. Info., (734) 498-3395 evenings.

Chelsea Area Players Board meeting at Key Bank, 7:30 p.m. Info., (734) 475-2629.

Chelsea Recreation Council meets at the old village offices, second floor, 7:30 p.m.

Chelsea Village Planning Commission meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Eating Disorders Support Group for family and friends of teens and young adults with anorexia and bulimia meeting at the Chelsea First United Methodist Church, 7:30-9 p.m. Info., 475-0558.

Tuesday, Feb. 16

Rotary Club meets at the Common Grill, 12:10 p.m.

Lions Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:45 p.m.

Chelsea District Library Board meeting at Faith in Action, 7:30 p.m.

Chelsea Village Planning Commission meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Lima Township Planning Commission meeting at Lima Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 17

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.

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, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Info., Kearney Kirkby, (734) 475-2868.

Thursday, Feb. 18

Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meets in the Chelsea Community Hospital private dining room at noon. Info., Sue Starkey, (734) 475-1145.

Downtown Development Authority Board of Directors meeting in the Chelsea Village Council chambers. The public is welcome to attend, 8 a.m.

Saturday, Feb. 20

Breathers-Club will meet at the Chelsea Community Hospital Dining Room, 11 a.m.

Pierce's Pastries Plus, 103 W. Middle St. presents its "Mornings, Mochas & Melodies" featuring Keith Parmentier, folk singer-guitarist at 10:30. For more information, please call (734) 475-6081.

Monday, Feb. 22

Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.

Chelsea School Board meets in the board room, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 23

Rotary Club meets at the Common-Grill, 12:10 p.m.

Chelsea Village Council meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 24

Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ladies Auxiliary No. 2154 meet at 7530 Jackson Road, 7:30 p.m.

## DEXTER

Thursday, Feb. 11

Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 7:30 a.m. Speaker will be Guy Sanville, artistic director of the Purple Rose Theatre.

Village of Dexter Downtown Development Authority meets the second Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Monday, Feb. 15

Dexter Community Schools Board of Education meets at the Copeland building, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 16

The Scio Township Board meets at the Scio Township Hall, 8 p.m.

Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 6:30 p.m.

Dexter Garden Club meets at Dexter Historical Area Museum, 7:30 p.m. Info., Lori Arbour, 426-2372.

Dexter Township Board meets at Dexter Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Lima Township Planning Commission meeting at Lima Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Webster Township Board meeting at 7:30 p.m.

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, (734) 426-8931 or the church, (734) 426-

8247 for information.

Wednesday, Feb. 17

Dexter Area Chamber of Commerce will hold a breakfast meeting, 7:30 a.m., at Cousins Heritage Inn. Guest speaker is 52nd District state Rep. John Hansen.

Dexter Heritage Guild meets at the Dexter Museum, 1 p.m. Public is welcome.

American Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 557 meets at the American Legion Home, 8 p.m.

Webster Township Planning Commission meeting at Webster Township Hall, 8 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 18

Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 7:30 a.m. Speaker will be Patrick Pieh, associate director, Office of Academic and Multicultural Initiatives at the University of Michigan.

Friday, Feb. 19

Hudson Mills Metropark presents "Owls - Whooo's Out There?" a slide presentation and night hike to call owls. Program begins at 6:30 p.m., and pre-registration is required. Info., (734) 426-8211.

Saturday, Feb. 20

Hudson Mills Metropark presents "Knowing Our Natural Landscape - A Winter BotanyHike." This nature walk begins at 1 p.m., and pre-registration is required. Info., (734) 426-8211.

Monday, Feb. 22

Dexter Village Council meeting at National City Bank, 8 p.m.

Dexter PTO meets in the pool lobby, 7:30 p.m. All parents invited to become actively involved.

Tuesday, Feb. 23

Dexter Village Parks Commission meets at National City Bank, 7 p.m.

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## MISCELLANEOUS

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at St. Joseph Parish Hall in Dexter Tuesdays at 8 p.m. and Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.

Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Washtenaw County holds its regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 24, at 7:30 p.m., in the St.

Clare Episcopal Church/Temple Beth Emeth Building, 2309 Packard Road, Ann Arbor. Families of people with mental illness are invited to attend these free meetings. Info., (734) 994-6611

Alzheimer's Association has many support and group meetings each month for family members of Alzheimer's patients. For more information, call the South Central Michigan Chapter at (734) 741-8200 or 800-337-3827.

Alzheimer's Assoc. Family Caregiver Support Group meets the second Thursday each month in the Crippen building at Chelsea Retirement Community, 7-8:30 p.m. Info., (734) 741-8200.

Ann Arbor Institute of Massage Therapy, 2835 Carpenter Road, Ann Arbor, will hold an open house on Saturday, Feb. 20, 1-3 p.m. There will be informational presentations on the massage therapy school and free seated massage, door prizes and light refreshments. Classes begin Wednesday, Feb. 24. Info., (734) 677-4430.

Arbor Hospice offers various programs for dealing with terminally ill family members, as well as coping with death. Groups meet at the Arbor Hospice Residence, 2366 Oak Valley Drive, Ann Arbor. For more information on specific groups and meeting dates and times, call Debbie Skotak or Pat Bauer, (734) 662-5999.

Chelsea Days in Florida will be held this year on Saturday, Feb. 20, at 11 a.m. The potluck dinner will be at the American Condo Park, West 54, Zephyrhills, Fla. 33541. Bring your own dishes. Info., call Joyce Schneider-Rachuk at (813) 783-2459, or Carol Peterson at (813) 788-9467.

Chelsea Senior Nutrition Program at the Senior Center. To reserve lunch, call Arlene Larson a day ahead at (734) 475-0160.

Chelsea Together. For more information, call weekdays (734) 475-4030, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., or (734) 475-5935, 5 p.m.-9 p.m.

Dexter-Chelsea Right To Life meets the third Monday each month at 7 p.m. in the Mary Room at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 3540 Dover St., Dexter. Info., Anne Young, (734) 426-5010.

Dexter District Library continues to register children, ages 3-6 for "Winter Storytimes." The program, which is already in progress, will run for 17 weeks, ending the week of May 17. All sessions last approximately 30 minutes and are held at the Dexter District Library, 8040 Fourth St. Registration is limited to one session per week,

and may be done in person, or by calling the Dexter District Library at (734) 426-4477.

Dexter Family Service, contact Pat Burnett, (734) 449-2149, Marian Burgett, (734) 426-2196, Shawn Detting, (734) 426-4343 or Judy Wheeler, (734) 426-2160.

Dexter Senior Nutrition Program delivers meals M-F to elderly homebound. Serves lunch M-F at Dexter Senior Center, Copeland building. To reserve a lunch, call 24 hrs. ahead, Cindy White, (734) 426-5397.

Dispute Resolution Center will hold its Mediator Training program on two consecutive weekends: Feb. 18-21 and 26-28. Training follows standard Michigan Supreme Court curriculum and involves several areas. There is a charge for this workshop. For more information, call (734) 741-0603.

Domestic Violence Project Safe House Support Group meets every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, Behavioral Health Services building, 6:30-8 p.m. Info., (734) 426-0369.

Domestic Violence Project Safe House presents its Brown Bag Seminar series. Meetings take place the second Tuesday of each month, noon to 2 p.m., at 4100 Clark Road, Ann Arbor, 12-2 p.m. Info., (734) 973-0242, ext. 203.

FEMALE (Formerly Employed Mothers At the Leading Edge), a non-profit support and advocacy group for women who have interrupted their full-time careers to care for their children at home, meets the first and third Thursday of each month at St. Clare's Temple Beth Emeth, 2309 Packard Road, Ann Arbor, 7 p.m. The Feb. 18 meeting will be a speaker panel on "What I want to be when my kids grow up." Info., Lisa, (734) 763-8714.

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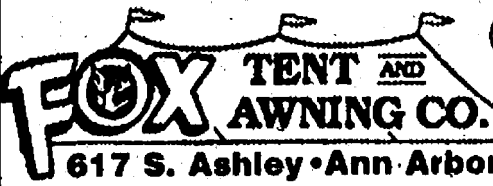
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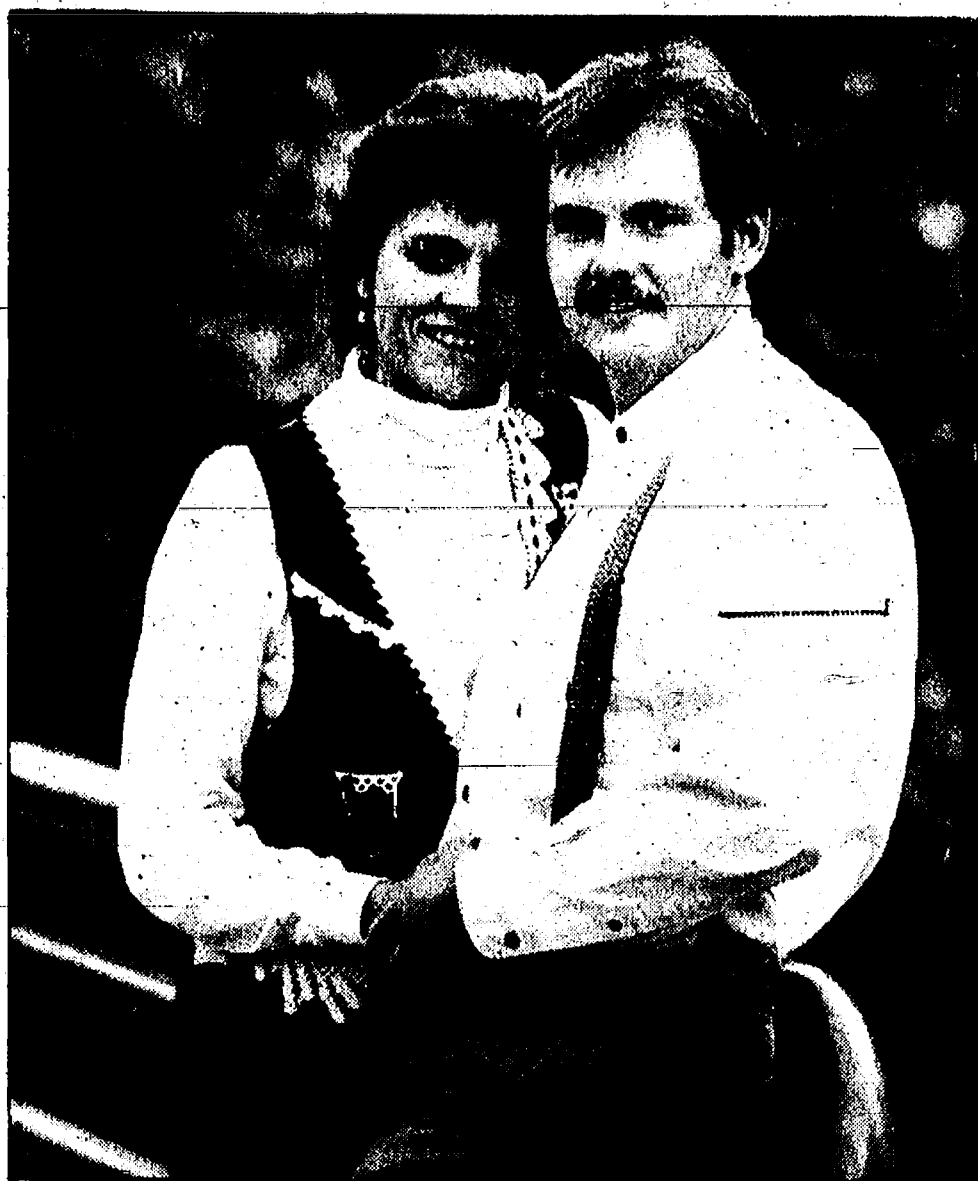
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Waterloo Natural History Association	Wolverine Music Camp
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For more information contact  
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Talent Development Coordinator  
433-2200 ext. 4313



## WEDDINGS AND ENGAGEMENTS



**ENGAGED:** Catherine Grimston and David Onsted, both of Grass Lake, have announced a May 22 wedding. The service will be performed at Grass Lake United Methodist Church and witnesses will include their children, Christine E. Grimston and David P. Onsted II. The future bride is the daughter of Duane and Marie Crouch of Chelsea. She is a graduate of Cleary College and is employed by the college as an admissions consultant. The future bridegroom is the son of Jim and Jean Onsted of Adrian. He is a veteran of the U.S. Navy and is employed as a finish carpenter by Town and Country Kitchens of Adrian.



**ENGAGED:** Amy Grzadzinski of Ann Arbor and Matthew Fortunak of Sutton's Bay have announced a Sept. 4 wedding date. The future bride is the daughter of Steve and Diane Grzadzinski of Ann Arbor. She is a 1994 graduate of Dexter High School and is graduating from Ball State University in May. The future bridegroom is the son of Richard and Joan Fortunak of North Liberty, Ind. He is a 1997 graduate of Ball State University and is employed as a senior development planner for Lee-Ianau County.

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**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 (734) 475-9494 or Faith in Action at (734) 475-3305.

**Hospice of Washtenaw** continues its five-week Grief Recovery Series through Monday, March 8, 7-8:30 p.m. at 806 Airport Blvd., Ann Arbor. Participants are encouraged to attend all five sessions, and pre-registration is required. There is no charge. Info., (734) 327-3409.

**Huron-Clinton Metroparks** has free presentations available to group interests. "Great Adventures," a 20-minute video, illustrates the facilities and programs of the 13 Huron-Clinton Metroparks located in southeast Michigan. Other presentations are available on request. Info., 800-477-3191.

**Huron Valley Mothers of Multiples** meets the third Monday of each month in the Trinity Lutheran Church, 1400 W Stadium Blvd., Ann Arbor. This month's meeting will be on Feb. 15, at 7 p.m., Info., Susan Allen, (734) 971-3569.

**Immunizations** through Washtenaw County Public Health, the Multi-Service Center in Ann Arbor. Info., (734) 484-7219.

**La Leche League** of Western Washtenaw County will meet on Feb. 23, 10 a.m., at the First Congregational Church of Chelsea. Expectant mothers who wish to learn about breastfeeding, and currently breastfeeding mothers are invited to attend. Babies welcome! Info., Adele (734) 475-8340. www.hvcc.org/info/11/

**Local author Tom Grace** will sign copies of his book, "Spyder Web," on Saturday, Feb. 13, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m., at Christine's on

## Adrian College names dean's list

William J. Hohnke of Chelsea, Bryan D. Hartman of Dexter and Ann M. Terpstra of Grass Lake were among 227 students named to the Adrian College dean's list for fall semester.

Hohnke, a 1998 graduate of Chelsea High School, is a freshman planning to major in human services. He is the son of B.J. and Kristyn Hohnke.

Hartman, a 1996 graduate of Dexter High School, is a junior majoring in business administration. He is the son of Wayne and Elaine Hartman.

Terpstra, a 1996 graduate of Chelsea High School, is a junior majoring in human services. She is the daughter of Paul and Cheryl Terpstra.

To be named to the dean's list, a student must maintain a minimum 3.5 grade average and carry at least 12 credit hours.

**Main Street in Dexter.**  
**Overeaters Anonymous** meets Mondays at First United Methodist Church, Chelsea, 7:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. Info., (734) 475-4264.

**The Parkinson Education and Support Group** of Washtenaw County meets at the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center, Building 5305, the second Sunday of each month at 1:30 p.m. At the Feb. 14 meeting, we will celebrate Valentine's Day. Info., (734) 741-9209.

**Parent to Parent Program** in home, friendly, visiting support system for families with children. Call (734) 475-3305.

**Parents Without Partners**, support group for single parents. Youth activities, social events, discussion groups. For membership, call recording at (734) 973-1933.

**Play-N-Chat**, a home-based group for moms and their children under five years old, meets Wednesdays and Fridays. For place and times call Jackie Esch,

(734) 426-5437.

**Senior Exercise Class** - Come join us in this fun, go-your-own-pace, well-rounded workout. Sessions are currently running through March 30, every Tuesday and Thursday, 10:30-11:30 a.m., at the Dexter Senior Center. Appropriate for all fitness levels. Info., Nia Aguirre, (734) 741-1198.

**Senior Nutrition Program** meets Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon in the Waterloo Township Hall. For reservations call (734) 475-7439, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Lunches, cards and fellowship.

**Smokers Anonymous** meets Tuesdays at St. James Episcopal Church, Dexter, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Call (734) 426-8696.

**Volunteers Needed** M-F from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. to deliver mid-day meals to senior citizens in the Dexter area. Info., call Cindy at the Dexter Senior Nutrition Center (734) 426-5397.

**Washtenaw Area Council for Children** announces its Luncheon Lecture Series about Children and Violence. "Children of Incar-

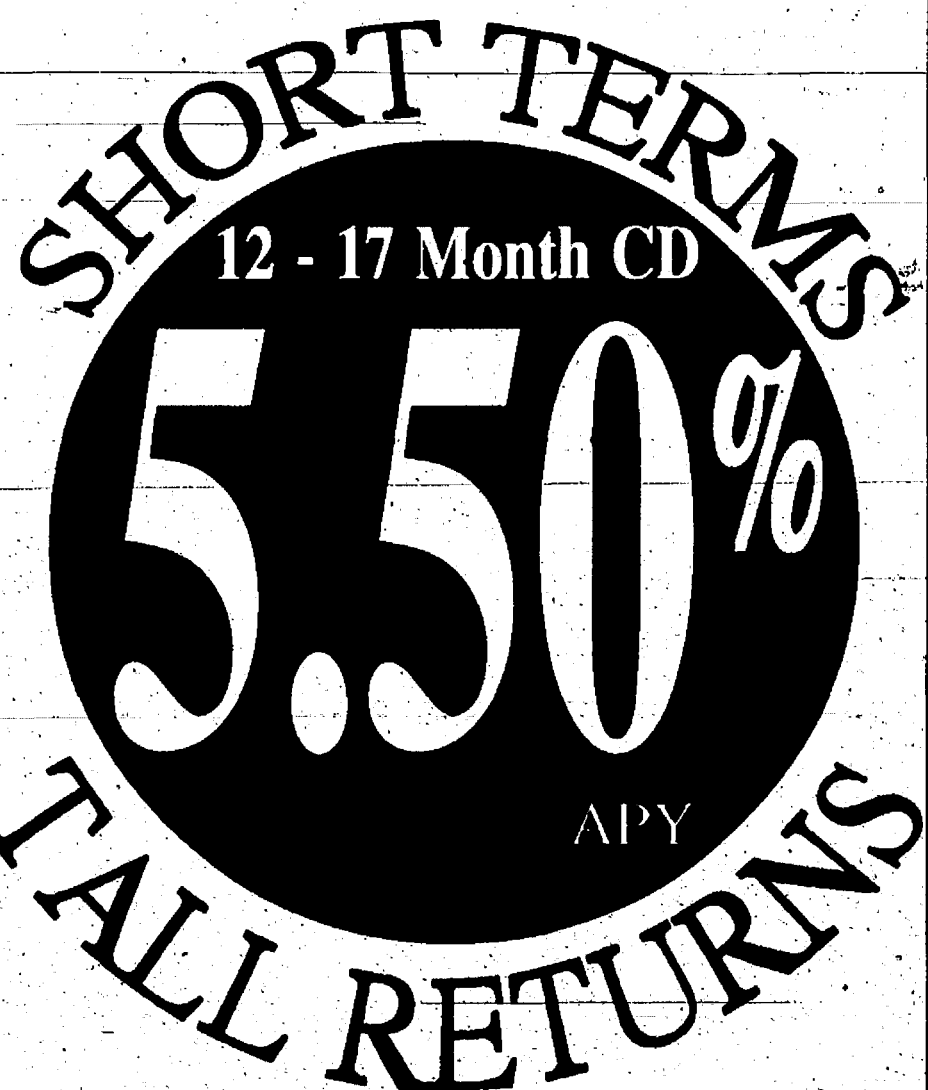
cerated Parents" will be presented by Joyce Dixon, M.S.W. on Tuesday, Feb. 16, from noon to 2 p.m., in Conference Room D, Balas III, 2765 Boardwalk, Ann Arbor. Info., (734) 761-7071.

**Washtenaw County Health Dept.** is offering free and low-cost immunizations, meeting state of Michigan standards for daycare and school settings. Infant and adult immunizations are also available. Call (734) 484-7220 for an appointment.

**Washtenaw County Public Health Department's WorkWell Program** is offering heart health screening and education programs to area small businesses with fewer than 100 employees. WorkWell can assist employers in applying for funds to put such programming into place. Info., Mary Cady, (734) 484-7200.

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### Myers, Wingrove exchange vows in Hawaii church

Karen Myers and Steve Wingrove, both of Canton, were married Oct. 16 at the Hyatt Regency Resort in Hawaii. The Rev. Bob McCollar presided over the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Laverne Jay Myers of Ypsilanti and Patricia Ann Myers of Canton. She is a 1987 graduate of Saline High School.

The bridegroom is the son of Thomas Wingrove of Jackson and Barbara Wingrove of Ypsilanti. He is a 1986 graduate of Chelsea High School.

Honor attendant for the

### Area residents earn degrees from Eastern

Eastern Michigan University issued diplomas to 12 Dexter residents and nine Chelsea residents at commencement exercises Dec. 13.

Diploma recipients from Dexter were Cynthia L. Benson, Alison E. Breinig, Sonya M. Eisele, Aura L. Gannon, Kimberly L. Jones, Zachary M. Koeller, Connie G. Ledwidge, David J. Mills, Denise A. Moyer, Krista A. Pederson and Sherry L. Sobbery.

Pederson earned a master's degree. Gannon graduated magna cum laude and Ledwidge graduated cum laude.

Diploma recipients from Chelsea were Christine D. Burg, Michael D. Eder, Kay L. Garland, James J. Hanke, Lorin A. Kummer, Daniel J. Minzey, Nicholas M. Schumann, John Y. Seto and Lee Andress Skyles III.

Seto graduated cum laude. The ceremony's keynote address was given by ABC news correspondent Mike Wallace.

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## Movie critic names best, worst of 1998

By C.J. NODUS  
Heritage Newspapers

For at least the first quarter of 1998, the specter of the blockbuster "Titanic" dominated the movie horizon.

Size was touted as being everything. Finally, James Cameron's shadow subsided in the spring and business in Hollywood began to progress as usual.

Fortunately for movie-goers, there were enough films from 1998 to produce a top-10 list that could be called as absolutely stellar.

Due to the intricacies of Hollywood and the quest for the elusive Academy Award, this will actually be a top-10 plus two list, since No. 11 and 12 opened in New York and Los Angeles in 1998 to qualify for Academy consideration, but are not opening in this area until this month.

Unfortunately for movie-goers, 1998 also had an equal number of unimpressive and terrible movies.

As with the top-10 list, the list of the worst films of the year expands to 12 if only because No. 11 and 12 were perhaps two of the most over-hyped motion pictures in history.

### 1998's Top 10

1. "Saving Private Ryan"
2. "The Truman Show"
3. "Shakespeare in Love"
4. "Waking Ned Devine"
5. "Pleasantville"


6. "American History X"
7. "Simon Birch"
8. "Elizabeth"
9. "Bullworth"
10. "Patch Adams"
11. "A Civil Action"
12. "The Thin Red Line"

### Bottom 10

1. "Wrongfully Accused": This film earned Leslie Nielsen the unenviable crown as worst actor of the decade.
2. "Mafia": The movie was originally called "Jane Austen's Mafia," but that was too confusing for the confusing movie.
3. "Spice World"
4. "I Still Know What You Did Last Summer"
5. "Strangeland"
6. "Sphere"
7. "Almost Heroes"
8. "54"
9. "The Avengers"
10. "Senseless"
11. "Godzilla"
12. "Armageddon"

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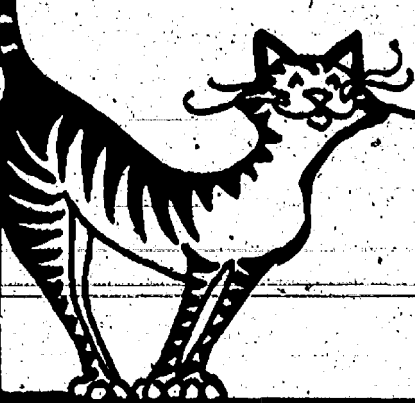
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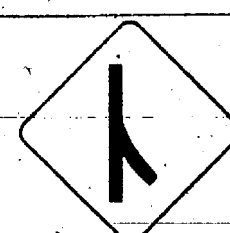


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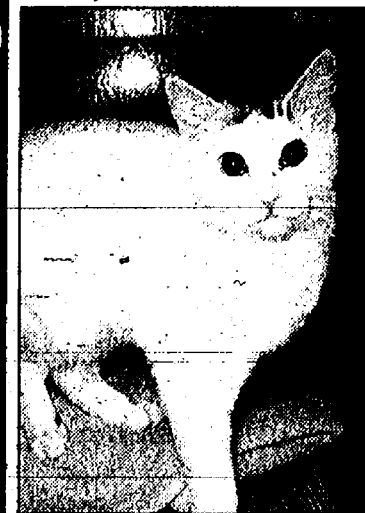
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**STATE OF MICHIGAN WASHTENAW COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT**  
RICHARD KIGHTLINGER, Plaintiff, v. ANRIE DORA SMITH, Defendant  
Case No.: 98-10224-CH  
Hon. Melinda Morris  
Susan E. Zale (P-33736)  
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Attorney for Plaintiff  
ORDER FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION  
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2. Defendant must answer or take other action permitted by law within 28 days after the last date of publication.  
3. If Defendant does not answer or take other action within the time allowed, judgment may be entered against her for the relief demanded in the complaint.  
4. A copy of this order shall be published once each week for three (3) consecutive weeks in The Chelsea Standard.  
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## AVFUEL

Building material knowledge, experience needed. Approximately 50-54 hours/week. Starting at \$8 - \$10/hour. Room for advancement. Benefits. Some heavy lifting & driving. Computer experience helpful. Non-smoking environment. Must be friendly, patient, & have good work ethics. Send resume to:  
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Up to \$210 weekly.  
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## CUSTOM GRAPHICS

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Facility Service Division of a multi-billion dollar company has an immediate opening for a Day Porter in the Milan area. This position will be responsible for cleaning restrooms, locker rooms, jobs and office spaces. Monday through Friday and some weekends. If interested, please contact Tom Walsh at 800-274-0597, ext. 195, EOE.

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Looking for a person to join in providing a fun and loving home setting. You do not need experience, just a desire to work and respect others. Afternoon and night shifts, full and part time. Complete benefits provided. Up to \$7.60 per hour. 734-753-5194.

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**Reliable, professional individual** needed for the afternoon shift, hours 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Mon. through Fri. Duties include dispatching fuel to beeper rotation. This position requires excellent customer service skills, a team work mentality, a sense of immediacy, and computer literacy. Dispatch and/or petroleum experience would be preferred. Please forward qualifications and salary requirements to: fax: 734-653-1881 e-mail: jobs@avfuel.com mail: Human Resources Dept. AVFUEL CORPORATION P.O. Box 1387 Ann Arbor, MI 48106-1387 EOE/M/F

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Local work, company drivers, excellent full benefits package. Must be reliable, minimum two years experience. Call 800-819-2638, Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm.

**Earn \$530 weekly** distributing phone cards. Fulltime/Parttime No experience necessary. 1-800-362-7885

**★ EARLY MORNING SHIFT**  
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**EARN \$9 an hour** Cleaning homes part-time in the Dexter-Chelsea area. Raise to \$10 an hour after three months. Must be reliable, detail-oriented and have own car. No evenings or weekends. Call: (734) 424-9946

**★ EPISCOPAL CHURCH** in Dexter looking for a part-time, permanent organist/choir director with background in traditional church and musical. Call 734-426-8247

**Established construction** company in the Ann Arbor area is seeking skilled pipefitters. Good pay, excellent benefits. Apply in person at 648 Jackson Rd. Ann Arbor, MI from 7am to noon Monday through Friday. E.T. Mackenzie Company is an equal opportunity employer.

**EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT**  
Growing, national corporation seeks assistant to be member of the executive team. High-visibility position requires a high degree of professional skills: solid verbal and written communication skills; solid secretarial and computer skills (Access, Word, and Excel required) and prior experience in all aspects of front office management. Must possess Bachelor's degree in English. Please forward qualifications to: fax: 734-663-1681 e-mail: jobs@avfuel.com mail: Human Resources Dept. AVFUEL CORPORATION P.O. Box 1387 Ann Arbor, MI 48106-1387 EOE/M/F

**Fulltime department head** needed immediately. Also, full and part time positions available with good benefits package. Apply: Ace Barnes Hardware 3352 Washtenaw Ann Arbor 734-971-4555

**FULL TIME maintenance position** for apartment community in Milan. Must have own tools. For more information, call (734) 439-0600.

**MILAN-Redman Rd.** Janitor needed. Mon.-Fri. Parttime evening shift. Contact CBB. 734-663-7505

**FULL TIME TRAVEL AGENT.** Experience or travel school education preferred, but will train the right individual. Call (517) 423-9324.

**GRAIN ELEVATOR Operator.** Permanent full-time position available at Provia, Inc. Located between Chelsea and Dexter. Please call: (734) 475-1386, or apply at: 11800 Dexter-Chelsea Rd. Competitive wages and benefits.

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Certified Mechanic to remove and replace transmissions. Good pay, benefits. Call: (734) 663-3314

**HOUSEKEEPING POSITIONS**  
The New Cedar Knoll Care Center is seeking energetic, friendly housekeepers who enjoy working in a friendly team-like environment. Full and part time positions available on first shift. Please apply in person or call the New Cedar Knoll Care Center: 9230 Cedar Knoll Drive Grass Lake, MI 49240 517-522-8471 or Fax 517-522-8983 EEOC

**HOUSE OF SOFAS** has openings for **WAREHOUSE/DRIVERS**. Full and part time positions open. • Must have good driving record • Over time a must • Must be able to lift heavy furniture Starting wage \$9 per hour

**IRRIGATION**  
Seeking Crew Leader. Full-time position open. Undergo training and certification. Full-time salaried position with bonus structure, health insurance, vacation, and holiday pay. Call: (734) 475-3323

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Part-time, 9-12 hours per week. \$5.15 per hour. Must be 16 years old and able to work nights and weekends. Part-time positions available. Materials and shelving. Apply at Saline District Library, Call date, Feb. 27, 1999.

**MAC'S**  
MAC'S ACADIAN SEAFOOD SHACK. Now hiring all positions, dining room and kitchen. AM and PM shifts. Flexible hours. Apply in person, 104E Michigan Ave.

**MAINTENANCE AIDE** - High school graduates. Basic knowledge and experience in landscaping, electrical, plumbing, carpentry, welding. Able to operate ladder, riding mower and small equipment. Hours: 7am-3:30pm. Applications accepted at: Manchester Community Schools, Central Office, 710 E. Main St., Manchester, Application deadline, Feb. 12, 1999.

**MAINTENANCE**  
Full time evening general maintenance position available. Applicant must have solid knowledge of basic electrical and plumbing with at least 3-5 years general building maintenance experience. Knowledge of heating and cooling systems preferred. The Hospital offers competitive salary/benefits and shift differential. Please complete application: how easy really is? Chelsea Community Hospital 7755 Main Street Chelsea, MI 48118 (734) 475-3998

**MANAGEMENT POSITIONS**  
STARTING at \$25,000-\$32,000 depending on experience. Call Doug Martin for exciting details 1-800-292-0101 ext. 127

**MANUFACTURING SUPERVISOR**  
Ann Arbor area manufacturer seeks a qualified supervisor to assume responsibility for the production of a new product. We are looking for candidates with strong leadership ability and a background in metal fabrication or welding. To qualify, you need experience in:

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**MIDNIGHT SHIFT**  
Cashiers needed. Shift premium, hiring bonus. Health insurance available. Apply in person at: Mugg & Bopp's Supermarket 2015 Clinton Street, Saline, MI 48176 or call (517) 851-7171

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**OASIS HOT TUBS GARDENS**  
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**OFFICE JANITOR**  
Perfect part-time job for parent with children in school. You could be home to get your kids off to school and return before they go home. We are currently taking applications for a part-time office janitor at our Milan plant. Hours of work would be flexible to fit your schedule, 5-5 1/2 hrs. per day, Monday through Friday. Requirements are: high school diploma or GED, previous custodial experience with the ability to run a floor buffer is preferred. Interested candidates should call (734) 439-1546 or apply in person at: CRESCEANT 566 Park Road Milan, Michigan 48160

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20 to 30 afternoon hours per week. Experience or education required. Call 734-426-4600

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A \$50,000 stamping company in Ann Arbor has immediate openings for experienced punch press operators. We offer a plus but not necessary. We offer competitive wages and benefits. Call: (734) 747-9770

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Up to \$13.00/Hr. with Bonuses. We need dependable individuals who are self-motivated, hard working, have neat appearance and enjoy working in a drug-free team atmosphere. No experience needed. We will provide training. • Three shifts available • Per hour • Up to \$2,000.00 in medical benefits • 401K profit sharing • Advancement opportunity • Supervisors' earn up to \$15.00/hr. with bonuses • Flexible full time schedule • Blue Beacon Truck Wash • No Phone Calls Please • Apply in Person • 1945 E. Main St. #48130 EOE/We Do Not Discriminate

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**600A-Adult Care**  
ACTIVITIES ASSISTANT Part Time - Flexible Hours Chelsea Retirement Community We are looking for someone who has love to give, is creative and energetic. Someone who will involve elderly residents in individual and group activities. Materials and instruction provided, as well as a goal team to work with. Applications may be completed from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at: 805 W. Middle, Chelsea, MI 48118. EOE M/F/H

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Classes are starting soon so don't delay. Call Lisa Drager RN at the Evangelical Home-Saline to find out how you can become an Ancillary Aide or Nursing Assistant and start making a difference in someone's life. Weekend and shift differential. Call Lisa Drager RN at the Evangelical Home-Saline to find out how you can become an Ancillary Aide or Nursing Assistant and start making a difference in someone's life. 440 W. Russell Saline, MI 48176 734-429-9401

**601-Office/Clerical**  
INSURANCE BILLER Full Time/Benefits Chelsea Retirement Community is seeking an individual with at least one year insurance billing experience (Medicare/Medicaid/other) or educational equivalent. (Qualified applicants must possess strong interpersonal and organizational skills, be self-motivated, accurate and enjoy working with senior citizens. Experience in long term care preferred. Please send resume to complete our application at: 805 W. Middle, Chelsea, MI 48118. EOE M/F/H

**PARALEGAL/LEGAL Secretary**  
Part-time flexible hours. WordPerfect or MS Word. Excellent phone skills. Mail resume and salary requirements to: Law Offices of Susan Ziegler, 114 N. Main St., Suite 30, Chelsea, MI 48118. No phone calls please.

**★ PART-TIME BOOKKEEPER**  
for small Milan business 734-439-8990

**RECEPTIONIST/BOOKKEEPER**  
needed for a residential building company in Pinckney. Fulltime beginning March, 1999. Computer knowledge required. Call Jack or Diane (734) 426-0098

**RECEPTIONIST**  
Full-time, benefits with well-established heating/cooling company in Ann Arbor. Call (734) 663-0204

**602-Medical/Dental**  
ATTENTION: New LPN/RN. We are looking for the right nurses to fill the right jobs at Chelsea Retirement Community. We are a sincere, caring home, dedicated to caring for our elderly residents. If you are a graduate nurse willing to be part of our team, we would like to talk with you. Call Lori to discuss a career in long term care. (734) 475-8633. EOE M/F/H

**DOCTOR'S ASSISTANT**  
Experience necessary. Duties include insurance billing. Please send resume to: Resumé P.O. Box 8005 Saline, MI 48176

**NURSES LPN'S**  
Full Time-Midnight Part Time-Afternoons Chelsea Retirement Community Now hiring afternoon and evening nurses. Positions open in Nursing and Assisted Living. Experience in long term care preferred and a current MI license is required. Beginning wage \$13.55 plus shift premium with an increase in 90 days to \$14.10 plus shift premium. If you want to experience a great working environment where teamwork and quality resident care is a priority, apply at: 805 W. Middle, Chelsea, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. or call (734) 433-1000, ext. 311. EOE M/F/H

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The New Cedar Knoll Care Center is looking for and/or nurses who enjoy working in a friendly team-like environment. Benefits include: • Sign on and retention bonuses • Excellent salary and benefits • 3-11 shift hours available • 3-11 and 11-7 RN/LPN shifts available Please apply in person or call: The New Cedar Knoll Care Center 9230 Cedar Knoll Drive Grass Lake, MI 49240 517-522-8471 or Fax 517-522-8983 EEOC

Enjoy working in the rewarding environment of assisted living. Set up a time for a tour or interview by calling Silver Maples of Chelsea at 734-475-4111, ext. 202. Current positions available: L.P.N. Fulltime/afternoon/Resident Care Provider. Fulltime/afternoon. Parttime, all three shifts.

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Medical Assistant/Resident Care Provider. Fulltime/afternoon. Parttime, all three shifts. Experience preferred. Hours must be flexible. Apply in person: 15300 PRENTON RD., Southgate

**603-Sales**  
ADVERTISING SALES Looking for energetic, full or part time people. Will train experienced college grads or utilize skills of people with experience. Unlimited income potential to hard-working individuals. Benefits package. Outside sales. Fax resume: 734-416-3784, or call 1-800-278-7166.

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**604-Domestic**  
CHILD CARE Fulltime position. Looking for a mature mother with infant care experience to assist me in caring for my 2-year-old son. Also have two active boys, six and four. Important to have willingness to be flexible and do whatever is needed. Call Saline 734-429-2277

**★ CLEANING PERSON**  
wanted for Dexter home. One day, every two weeks. References required. Call: 734-426-8290

**NEED MATURE**  
responsible non-smoking adult to watch live-year-old boy in our home. Wednesdays and thursdays mornings. Must have car. (734) 998-0653

**SITTERS NEEDED**  
to be part of team for all for seven children three to four times per month. -Muster- 734-298-2900.

**605-Situations**  
Wanted HOME CLEANING. Friendly, honest service. Attention to detail. Six years experience. Bonded and insured. Free estimate. Call (734) 930-0957

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**MY NAME IS Kim Kreimos**  
I would like to babysit your child, daytime hours, late at night, or home mom of two children, ward six. I live in the Dexter school district. Please call: (734) 426-8720

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New & used enclosed cargo trailer. Many to choose from. Full line of gooseneck, utility, and horse trailers available. Axles, fenders, hubs, springs, lights, couplers in stock. BROWN'S TRAILER, INC. Three miles east of Clinton, MI on US-12 (517) 465-4520

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## Program on summer camps, activities for kids scheduled

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An opportunity to learn

about these summer camps, as well as myriad after-school enrichment programs, is available through the Talent Development Program of the Chelsea School District. It is sponsoring an Enrichment Information Fair for parents and grandparents of elementary-age students on Thursday, Feb. 18.

The Feb. 18 event will be held at South Meadows Elementary School from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. and will feature over 50 organizations offering educational and enrichment programs and materials targeted at elementary-age children.

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Chelsea Community Education, which will have a booth at the fair, will provide up-to-date information on classes offered in the spring and summer. Chelsea Recreation Council, which offers an extensive variety of summer sports and activities, will have summer schedules available.

Several organizations that offer summer camps will be on hand to answer questions and provide material. Waterloo Recreation Area Program, YMCA, Blue Lakes Fine Arts, Wolverine Music Program, and Emerson School will all have information about their summer camps.

Several companies offering educational games and books to view and purchase will have booths at the fair, including DK Books, Learning Express, Nicola's Books, Layman Allen Game Company, and Aristoplay Game Company.

South Meadows Elementary School is located at 355 Pierce St. in Chelsea. For further information about the fair, please contact Helena Robinson, talent development coordinator, at 433-2200 ext. 4313.

### Site changes for Knights' fish fry

Chelsea Knights of Columbus' annual Lenten Fish Fry will be held Friday, Feb. 19, through Friday, March 26, at the new Father Phillip Dupuis Hall at St. Mary Parish on Old US-12.

The event had to be moved because St. Mary Church sold its school on Congdon Street, the previous site.

Baked and deep fried cod will be served from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. each Friday.

## PLAY REVIEW

# Acting is highlight of new Purple Rose play

Review by Steve Daut

Special Writer

Since Guy Sanville became director of the Purple Rose Theatre Company some 3½ years ago, the play company has had a phenomenal string of highly effective plays.

That string is interrupted with the production of "The Hole," by Wendy Hammond. To the credit of the PRTC, the direction and acting held up. But it wasn't enough to make up for the thin script.

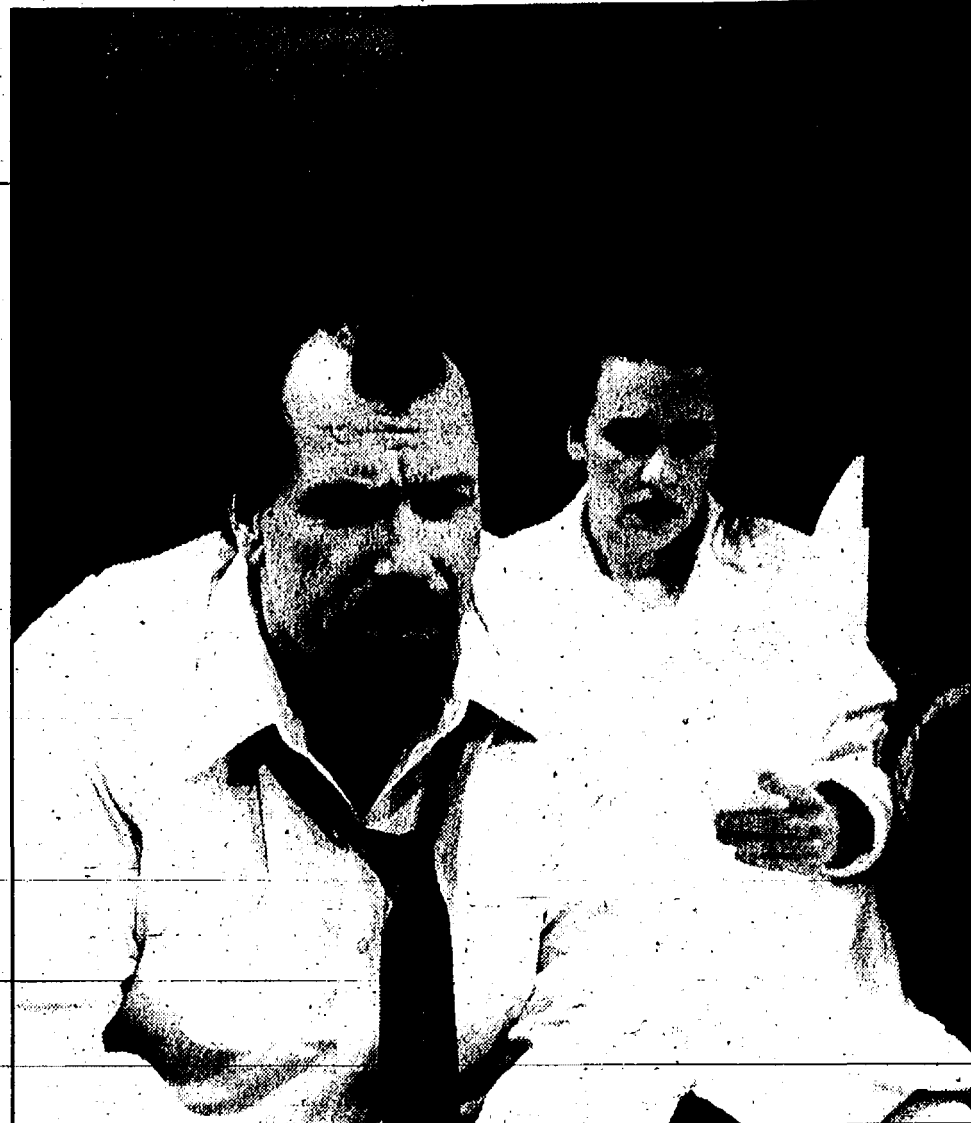
The story examines the relationship between Mary and Peter, a young Mormon couple who try to make a life together outside their native state of Utah. Peter has begun that life on his own and has Mary come out to visit. When she does, expecting him to pop "the question," he disappoints her by asking instead whether she believes in destiny. It turns out he meant what she expected, and the relationship is off and running.

The part of the relationship we see runs from the end of World War II through current times, and the play examines its evolution during that period.

At first, the characters are engaging and quirky. Peter is nutty and obsessive, endlessly self with a strong streak of self-analytical humor. Mary is wide-eyed and optimistic, with an odd, inexplicable attraction to Peter. When he finally does propose to her, she jumps at the chance, even though he is about to start on a long and clandestine career working for the not-so-mysterious "Dr. Hissinger."

Then the sweep of time and the evolution of America through Viet Nam, the Beatles, and Richard Nixon kicks in as a backdrop for the trials and tribulations of our couple. The play seems to be an attempt to portray a loss of innocence, of changing our eyes to focus on the horrors of life, rather than the wonder of it. The relationship slowly erodes through the years, from Mary's initial betrayal of Peter to an outburst of violence by Peter, to their breakup and attempted reconciliation.

Unfortunately, the play declines with their relationship. It begins as an interesting setup and engaging relationship between two people we want very much to like. It



Jim Porterfield and Michelle Mountain appear in "The Hole" at the Purple Rose in Chelsea.

evolves through some sexual play that seems gratuitous, some uncomfortable and violent moments, and finally becomes boring, dissolving into a two-headed philosophical monologue.

The connection with world events is poorly drawn and the couple's evolution is too choppy to follow. By the end of the play, it's hard to care much what happens to these people.

The interesting thing is that, in a way, the audience discomfort might actually be the point of the play. As Peter observes toward the end, "The trick is not to stop feeling the pain, it's to stop minding the pain."

The actors make a valiant attempt to bring the characters to life. The part of Peter is played by Jim Porterfield. In his portrayal he develops an air of obsessive thought and quiet energy which draws us into his stark and self-absorbed world as an undercover agent.

Michelle Mountain, as Mary, makes a wonderful transition from a wide-eyed and optimistic youth, through sexual awakening, personal betrayal, and finally tired disillusionment with life. Without

benefit of extensive makeup, she actually manages to age onstage through sheer physical will.

Director Guy Sanville makes the best of the script material he has to work with. Stylistically, the set by Vincent Mountain is simple and generic, and manages to evolve without really changing through simple rearrangements and changing detail between scenes, echoing the evolution in the lives of the characters.

Music by sound designer Suzi Regan is aptly chosen, with clearly recognizable period pieces that often describe the struggles that are occurring onstage. The only thing disappointing about the physical production was that they didn't serve Jeff Daniels' new line of designer popcorns during intermission.

"The Hole" is scheduled for performances through March 20. Reservations can be obtained by calling the PRTC box office at (734) 475-7902. The PRTC box office is open Monday through Friday from noon to 6 p.m. and on performance days beginning one hour prior to curtain.



Marsi Darwin said photographs don't do justice to her husband Bill's pyramid which is made from diachronic glass. This and other Darwin creations can be seen at the Taubman Center at University of Michigan Hospital through Feb. 25. Their displays span 12 showcases.

## Darwin's stained glass on display

Local glassware artisans Bill and Marsi Darwin were chosen by Gifts of Art to display their works in the Taubman Center at the University of Michigan Hospital.

Marsi Darwin said their creations will be exposed to an estimated 8,000 people who pass by in a week. A percentage of any sale is contributed to the hospital.

Marsi Darwin said that one of the couple's contributions was a bejeweled glass pyramid she describes as a show-stopper.

Informed of their honor a year ago, Darwin said the holidays made them almost forget their obligation and work was completed in a furious effort.

Gifts of Art is a program designed to inject beauty into a sterile environment while raising money for the hospital.

Every six weeks, Gifts of Art showcases the creative output of sculptors, painters, photographers and others.

### Merchants seek festival planner

Chelsea Merchants Association is looking for someone to help with the planning of the annual Chelsea Summer Festival.

This is a paid position with flexible hours.

For more information, call Lynn at 475-6933 or Jill or Cathy at 475-1188 by Feb. 25.

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### VILLAGE OF CHELSEA NOTICE OF MEETING CANCELLATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE VILLAGE OF CHELSEA ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS WILL NOT HOLD THE SCHEDULED MEETING FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY (February 17, 1999) AS THERE ARE NOT NE APPEALS PENDING AT THIS TIME.

**CHELSEA VILLAGE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**  
DONALD OSBORNE, Chairman

### VILLAGE OF CHELSEA NOTICE TO VILLAGE TAXPAYERS

The final date for paying Village 1998 Summer Taxes is Friday, February 12, 1999. Please remember to include the 1% administration fee with your payment.

Taxes not paid by February 12, 1999 will be turned over to Washtenaw County Treasurer for collection with additional penalties imposed.

Personal property taxes are payable to the Chelsea Village Treasurer.

**Anna Fournier,**  
Village Treasurer  
305 S. Main Street, Suite 100  
Chelsea, Michigan 48118

### VILLAGE OF DEXTER REVISED NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to Michigan Public Act 207 of 1921, as amended (City and Village Zoning Act), notice is hereby given that the Dexter Village Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on **Wednesday, March 3, 1999 at 7:00 p.m.** in the Second Floor Meeting Room at the National City Bank Building, 8123 Main Street, Dexter, to hear public comment regarding a zoning variance request from Jeff Grohs, representing Grohs, L.L.C. The applicant is requesting a variance to the lot width requirement for property located at 7120 Dexter-Ann Arbor Road. This meeting has been rescheduled from the previously noticed date of February 24, 1999.

Information regarding this request is available at the Village Zoning office on the second floor of the National City Bank Building, 8123 Main Street, Dexter between 9:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Written comments regarding this request should be submitted to the Village Clerk no later than 5 p.m. Tuesday, March 2, 1999. Sign language interpreter, or other assistance, is provided upon request to the Clerk, at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting. Minute of all meetings are available at Village Hall.

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## Colleges recognize residents

Chelsea residents Thomas J. Begres, Beth M. Gleespen and Ronald J. Montage were named to the dean's list for superior academic achievement at Madonna University in Livonia.

Begres is a senior studying nursing. Gleespen is a sophomore studying pastoral ministry. Montage is completing his last year of general studies.

Allison M. Montero of Chelsea has been named to Central Michigan University's honor list for fall semester.

Montero was one of only 523 CMU freshman to have earned a grade point average of 3.5 or higher in the fall.

Rebecca M. Mayle of Chelsea qualified for the Jackson Community College fall dean's list.

To achieve the honor, a student must maintain a 3.5 minimum grade point average and earn at least 12 credit hours per semester.

## Auxiliary to sponsor fund-raiser

Chelsea Community Hospital Auxiliary is sponsoring a dessert-card party fund-raiser on Friday, Feb. 12, at 7:30 p.m. in the hospital main dining room.

Tickets are \$5 per person or \$20 per table of four. Door prizes will be awarded and proceeds from this fund-raiser will benefit the Emergency Room Project.

To register and for more information, please call the Chelsea Community Hospital Volunteer Office at 475-4913.

## SWEETHEARTS

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each other.

"A good marriage requires total honesty, faithfulness, trust and complete integrity. A good marriage is built upon common and shared beliefs and ideals."

The Baysingers add love, respect, trust, compassion and friendship to the mix.

"I believe in the three magic words: I was wrong," Basil adds. The Fusillers say humor and understanding are important elements.

"We laugh as well as love together," Bene says.

And like the Baysingers, Bene says, "Most of all, we are good friends."

Basil says it's important to show how much you love each other. "I have no trouble with this," he says.

Adds Shirley, "Our marriage has always been romantic, and our anniversaries have always been special."

The most memorable Valentine's Day for Basil was the first one the couple spent with their newborn baby, Sherri. "Then I started getting presents from my heart for two," he says.

With Valentine's Day on Sunday this year, the Adamses say they have nothing special planned.

"Valentine's Day has never been a particularly special day for us," Gary says. "We will probably exchange cards and maybe some candy or a small gift."

Christmas eve is their special time. It marks their first date, which was attending the 1960 Christmas eve church service together, and the day they became engaged, a year later.

The Baysingers and Fusillers have plans to commemorate their love on Sunday. Shirley says they'll probably go out to dinner and see a movie. But Basil says he has a surprise planned.

Wally says they'll probably have dinner at Stiver's restaurant. But Bene says it's more likely that she will make a low-fat dinner at home.

Really, it doesn't matter, Bene says, because, "Every day is Valentine's Day for us."

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## Beach Musicians Excel

Four seventh-grade band members at Beach Middle School received a Division One rating, the highest possible, at the District 12 Solo and Ensemble Festival held recently at Franklin High School in Livonia. Pictured are (from left) Kyle Franks, John Weber, Aaron Connell and Pieter Boshoven. The brass quartet played "Rondo Humoresque" to earn its prize.

## Planners recommend rezoning

Chelsea Planning Commission recommended on Jan. 19 that the Village Council rezone several parcels of public land.

The planning commission voted unanimously to recommend the rezoning of Pierce Lake Golf Course from Lima Township and Sylvan Township agricultural zoning to village agricultural zoning. The

golf course had been rezoned previously, but was never recorded.

Pierce Lake Elementary School and Chelsea High School were both recommended for rezoning. The planners endorsed that the two schools be rezoned to RS-2, a medium-density, residential zoning.

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## DOOLITTLE

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she starts out the year with a group approach that is teacher directed. As the year progresses, she assesses each student's strengths and weaknesses.

"Then I go into more flexible groups throughout the year," she says.

Students choose colored tongue depressors to be randomly grouped with classmates.

"This way the kids get to work with all the kids in the class," Doolittle says. "I think they get a sense that the classroom is diverse and they get a sense of what it's like in the real world. The real world is diverse and we have to strive to work with all people of different abilities."

"We try to have a sense of community in the classroom where kids learn to live and work together, so it all ties in," she says.

Doolittle finds third grade to be the most exciting level to teach.

"There is so much growth that takes place physically, academically and emotionally," she says. "It's a challenging grade to teach, but I think it's my niche."

At the beginning of each school year, Doolittle sends out welcoming cards. On the first day, she reads a story that sets the tone for the rest of the year.

It's called "Disastrous Day."

"It kind of breaks the ice and lets them know it does happen," Doolittle says.

"The only hard rule in her classroom is that she expects students to turn in quality work."

"We're all rushed but I like to have the kids slow down and think about the quality of their written work," Doolittle says. "Presenting a neat paper always enhances already good work."

The motto in her classroom is "Do your best." As a result, Doolittle says she hopes students see her as a caring teacher who wants to see them

succeed.

What this veteran educator looks forward to in her career is continuing the path she dreamed of following as a youngster in Ohio.

When she is not in the classroom, Doolittle can be found spending time with her family. She and her husband enjoy traveling. They visit their daughters in Chicago and Ohio.

The couple's summers are spent sailing. During the first week in August they sail the North Channel in Canada. Doolittle says it's an opportunity to relax and think about the coming school year.

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If your church is in the Chelsea/Dexter area and is not listed here, please call us at (734) 475-1371. Church Secretaries: We need information about your next week's activities by Friday. Thank you.

# DEATHS



**NEIL FREDERICK ROSENTERTER**  
 Chelsea

Age 52, died peacefully at his home from cancer on Monday, Feb. 8, 1999. He was born on Feb. 11, 1946, in Ann Arbor, the son of Albert F. and Evelyn (Toon) Rosentreter. Neil was the owner of Rosentreter Excavating for 25 years. He was a member of Operating Engineers Local 324 and an avid motorcycle racer. He was also a harness driver, trainer, and owner of area tracks for years. He completed training at the U.S. Naval Academy in Chicago.

On May 20, 1986, he married Dolores Ann Smith in Dexter and she survives. Other survivors include his mother of Belleville; one son, Steven J. (Deann) of Grass Lake; a daughter-in-law, Melinda Rosentreter of Chelsea; five loving grandchildren, Ashley, Natasha, Patrick, Adam and Mariah; one brother, Albert W. (Nancy) of Chelsea; one sister, Nancy Rosentreter of Belleville; a brother-in-law, James (Candace) Smith of Chelsea; a dear friend, Steven Lucchesi of Ann Arbor; and many aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by a son, Mark, in 1993.

Funeral service will be held Thursday, Feb. 11, at 11 a.m. at First United Methodist Church of Chelsea, with the Rev. Richard Dake officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Cemetery, Chelsea. The family received friends at the Cole Funeral Chapel Tuesday 7 p.m.-9 p.m. and Wednesday 3 p.m.-4 p.m. and 7 p.m.-9 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Make-A-Wish Foundation of Arbor Hospice.

**MARION R. RENA**  
 Grand Rapids

Age 74, died Wednesday, Feb. 3, 1999, in Grand Rapids. She was born on Aug. 7, 1924, in Freedom Township, the daughter of Herman and Lina (Walker) Renau. Marion is formerly of Manchester. She was a member of Mt. Hope United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her mother, Lina Reule of Chelsea and a half-sister, Linda Mangene of Ada. She was preceded in death by her father and step-mother, Alma.

Funeral service was held Saturday, Feb. 6, at 11 a.m. at Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with Pastor Bob Toler of North Sharon Baptist Church officiating. Burial followed at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Freedom Township. The family received friends Friday 2 p.m.-4 p.m. and 6 p.m.-8 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to North Sharon Baptist Church.

**RUTH E. ZEEB**  
 Jackson  
 Formerly of Chelsea

Age 93, died Friday, Feb. 5, 1999, at Heartland Health Care Center-Martin. She was born on March 15, 1905, in Norvell Township, the daughter of Charles and Mamie (Hess) Ray. Mrs. Zeeb moved to Jackson from her home in Chelsea on April 8, 1996. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church and Altar Society in Chelsea, a member of Chelsea Senior Citizens and was a volunteer at Faith In Action. Mrs. Zeeb was a graduate of eastern Michigan University and had been an elementary school teacher.

On April 14, 1928, she married Walter M. Zeeb in Bunker Hill, Mich., and he preceded her in death on Feb. 25, 1989. Survivors include two sons, the Rev. Fr. Charles Zeeb of Clinton Township, and Walter (Sandy) Zeeb of Chelsea; three daughters, Margaret Novess and Rose Williams of Jackson, and Doris (Bobby) Dawkins of New Mexico; 12 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by six brothers.

A funeral mass was held Monday, Feb. 8, at 11 a.m. at St. Mary Catholic Church, Chelsea, with the Rev. Fr. Charles Zeeb officiating. Burial followed at Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Chelsea. The family received friends at the Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, Sunday, 1.5 p.m. and at the church 6 p.m.-8 p.m., with the vigil service at 7:30 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Mary Catholic Church or Individualized Hospice.

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**JOHN C. (JACK) DETTLING, SR.**  
 Chelsea

Age 81, died Sunday afternoon, Feb. 7, 1999, at his home. He was born Feb. 16, 1917, in Ann Arbor, the son of Leo and Amy B. (Church) Dettling. Jack was a life long resident of Washtenaw County. He retired from the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department in 1986 and then was employed by the Chelsea Police Department. He was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church and was an usher for 45 years. Jack was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Army in the South Pacific. He was charter member and past grand knight of Dexter Council #2926 Knights of Columbus, a member of the Dexter American Legion Post #557 and was a former treasurer and member of the Chelsea Kiwanis Club.

On June 9, 1951, in Chelsea, he married Mary Jane Eder and she survives. Also surviving are his five children, John (Lynda) Dettling and Amy (Bruce) Connell both of Chelsea, Mary Beth Dettling of Grayling, David Dettling and Donald Dettling, both of Chelsea; one granddaughter, Cara Madison Connell; a brother, James Dettling of Cherokee Village, Ark.; mother-in-law, Willie Eder of Chelsea; two brothers-in-law, Donald (Loretta) Eder of Chelsea and John (Sally) Eder of Ann Arbor; two sisters-in-law, Elaine Durham of Seattle and Katherine (James) Schneider of Colorado; a special person, John Wagner of Arizona; and many special nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by a brother, Leo Dettling.

The funeral mass was held Wednesday, Feb. 10, at 11 a.m. at St. Mary Catholic Church, Chelsea. The family will receive friends Monday from 7 p.m.-9 p.m. and Tuesday from 2 p.m.-9 p.m. at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home. Burial was in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Chelsea, in lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be made to Individualized Hospice or Washtenaw County Humane Society.

**WALTER C. CASSIDY**  
 Munith

Age 82, died Wednesday morning, Feb. 3, 1999, at his home where he was born on Feb. 9, 1916. He was the only son of Emmet E. and Anna B. (Clinton) Cassidy. Mr. Cassidy had lived all his life on a farm on Bunker Hill Road. He was baptized, confirmed, married and lifetime member of Sts. Cornelius & Cyprian Catholic Church. He had been a member for 40 years of the Stockbridge Lions Club and was a past president. He received the Lions' Melvin Jones Award.

Mr. Cassidy was married June 5, 1941, to Rachel M. Good and she survives. Also surviving are his daughter Merna A. (Dennis) Bristow of Dexter; his grandson, Steven D. (Suzanne) Bristow of Dexter; and his cousin Paul Clinton of Florida. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Mary Beth Cassidy in 1951.

The funeral mass was held Saturday, Feb. 6, at 11 a.m. at Sts. Cornelius and Cyprian Catholic Church, Bunker Hill, with the Rev. Fr. Eugene Beiter officiating. The family received friends Thursday, Feb. 4, from 7 p.m.-9 p.m. and Friday, from 2 p.m.-5 p.m. and 7 p.m.-9 p.m. at the Caskey-Mitchell Funeral Home where the Rosary was held Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. Burial was in the Church cemetery. Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Stockbridge Lions Club.

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 Belleville

Age 70, died Sunday, Feb. 7, 1999, in his home. He was born on Dec. 12, 1928, in Stockton, Calif., the son of John and Josephine (Esterda) Schmidt. Mr. Schmidt was a former resident of Chelsea for 23 years. He served 21 years in the U.S. Army, retiring in 1966. He was also employed as personnel director at Dana Corp. in Chelsea, and retired in 1987 after 21 years there.

He married Elizabeth Hanger Brannon in Las Vegas, Nev., on Oct. 2, 1954, and she preceded him in death on July 13, 1998. Survivors include one son, Alfred Robert (Judith) Schmidt II of New York; four daughters, Coleen (Bill) Mazer of Bloomfield Hills; Judith Partido of Whitmore Lake; Hallie J. Schmidt of Hillman, and Frances E. (Todd) Via of Ypsilanti; two sisters, Jacqueline Stone of California, Madeline Chrisman of Oregon; four grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral service was held Tuesday, Feb. 9, at 1 p.m. at Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with the Rev. Peggy Garrigues-Cortelyou officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove East Cemetery, Chelsea with military honors by American Legion Post 31. The family received friends Tuesday, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society.

**JOSEPH E. FLYNN**  
 Chelsea  
 Formerly of Ann Arbor

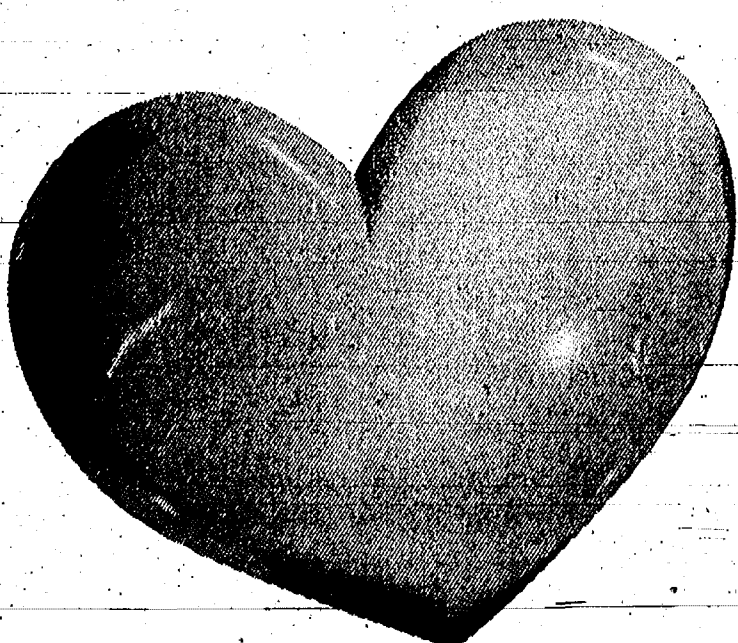
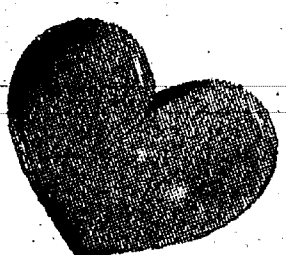
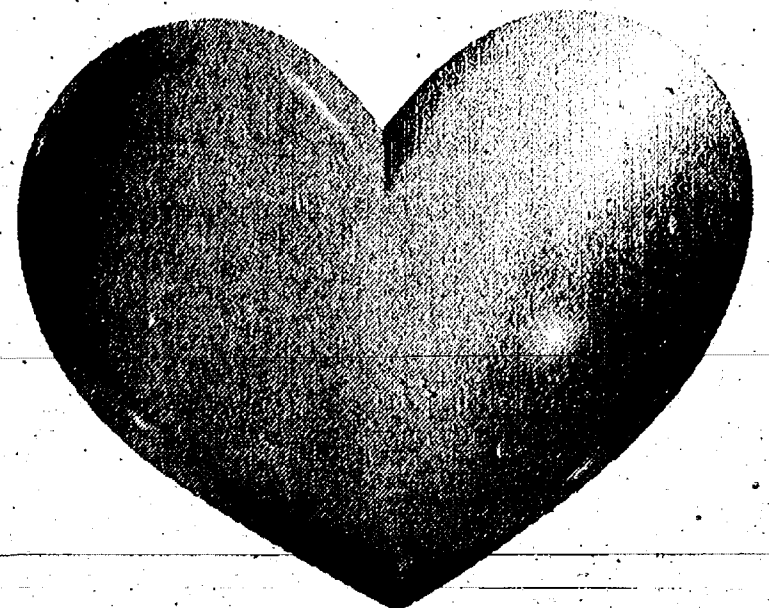
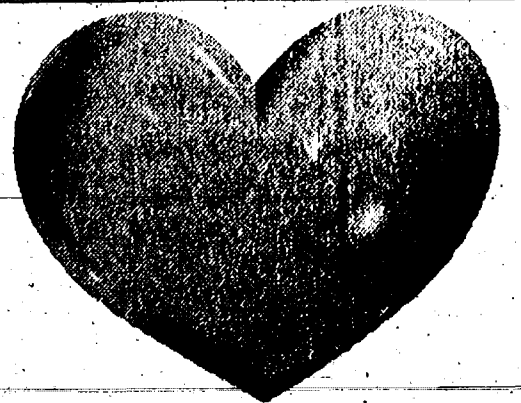
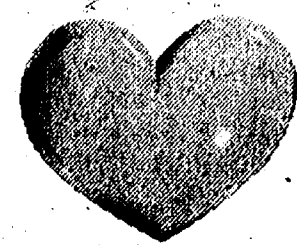
Age 86, died Saturday morning, Feb. 6, 1999, at the Chelsea Retirement Community. He was born July 30, 1912, in Deerfield Township, Michigan, the son of James C. and Margaret (Walsh) Flynn. Mr. Flynn had been a resident of Chelsea since April 2, 1997. He was a member of St. Francis Catholic Church of Ann Arbor and served as an usher for 10 years. He attended St. Mary Catholic Church, Chelsea. He was a former member of the Ann Arbor Host Lions Club. Joe enjoyed playing golf and cards. Mr. Flynn was retired from Detroit Edison and was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Navy.

In Boston, Mass., on Aug. 4, 1943, he married Ruth E. Brock and she survives. Also surviving are his three children, Patrick J. (Lorraine Vega) Flynn of San Francisco, Lynette (Martin) Woytovich of Garden City, and Kathleen (Graham) Parsons of Ann Arbor; three grandchildren, Joseph, Melissa, and Kathryn Marie Woytovich; and his sister, Sister Margaret Flynn of Evansville, Ind. He was preceded in death by six brothers and three sisters.

A memorial mass will be held Saturday, Feb. 13, at 11 a.m. at the chapel of the Chelsea Retirement Community with the Rev. Fr. Charles Irvin of St. Mary Catholic Church, Manchester, officiating. Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Chelsea Retirement Community or St. Mary Catholic Church, Chelsea. The family will receive friends following the service at a luncheon in the Town Hall of the Chelsea Retirement Community. Arrangements by Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea.



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**TERRY LINDSTEDT**

## INTERNET JOURNAL

Happy Valentine's Day! What does it all mean? How do you know you're in love? Can you find love on the Internet?

Well, I don't have all the answers. (I can hear my co-workers snickering behind today's edition of the paper on that one!) But since I do this column, and it's about the Net, I'll do my best to enlighten them on the questions of 'Net amore.

First it might help to know what Valentine's Day is about.

Go to <http://www.lycos.com/news/flash/valentine'sday.html> for a short description of what Valentine's Day is for, and how it came into being. It's quick reading and touches on the basics just enough for a start.

How do you know you're in love? Well, don't type the whole question into a search engine. You get all kinds of links to pages that don't answer the question, such as: "Hippie Profiles," "Janis Joplin Lyrics," "Blue Ribbon Campaign for Online Speech," and many more.

I got the feeling that the search engine just didn't understand the question. OK, it's just a program, what can you expect? So instead of clicking on those strangely unrelated links, I looked toward the top of the search engine page and saw a reference to Romance and Love Tests.

This was more like it. Maybe we can find out about being in love by taking tests.

Here's a complicated site to remember: "The Love Test" at <http://www.topchoice.com/~psyc/love/test/>. Actually the tests at this site were rather extensive. One test helps you figure out what is important to you in a relationship; another test helps you list what you are getting from a relationship, and when you compare results from the two tests, you should be able to see how fulfilled you are in your current relationship. It's fairly thought provoking, and pretty heavy for Valentine's Day, so I looked for another test.

Tripod has a love tester at <http://www.tripod.com/explore/women/feature/lovetester> which is designed to help you find out if you're a red-hot lover, or a cold fish. All you do is answer 10

quick questions and they will tell you how spicy your loving is, when you will be lucky in love, and where you should turn for help in affairs of the heart.

If you don't like the answer, you can just keep playing until you do! The Shockwave plug-in is required in order to play, but it's offered free from a link on the page. That was a little more fun and lighthearted, but what about finding love on the Internet?

"IF YOU'RE LOOKING FOR LOVE ON THE INTERNET, YOU'D BETTER LOOK HERE FIRST..." (at <http://www.wildxangel.com/frames.html>). That was the caption which caught my attention when I typed the word "love" into a search engine. It sounded so ominous, as if there were many pitfalls which could make an online relationship turn into a hideous nightmare!

Actually, the site is filled with a myriad of sections which seem to bring out every possible scenario regarding Internet love.

Another place to consider is <http://www.nocouch.com/>, a

doctor/therapist advice Web site (and place to plug her book) where she claims that Internet love can be as addictive as crack cocaine and as seductive as the strongest aphrodisiac. Yet, its effects can be so subtle that people don't even realize what's happening to them until it's too late.

It can be wonderful, but the doctor says it can lead individuals to severe depression, obsession and grief. So, if you need a virtual couch and a virtual therapist, here's the place to lie down and tell it to the doctor.

But if you just want to read about the highs and lows of Internet romance and find some helpful hints, go to [love@firstbyte](mailto:love@firstbyte) <http://www.geo.cities.com/Paris/Rue/7732/Intro.htm>. This is a nicely done, helpful Web site for the cyber

romantics, which makes the reader feel a little more optimistic about love on the World Wide Web.

Just for fun, there are many places to go and create E-mail Valentine's cards; places where you can get desktop themes to put Valentine's Day prettiness all over your computer screen, places where children can cyber-color their own cards, and Web sites with Valentine's Day poems. I'm sure the list is endless, but time is not. And if I don't get off this computer, I'm going to be late for work!

Happy Valentine Surfing!

If you have suggestions, clues, Web sites or questions regarding the Internet, please contact: Terry Lindstedt c/o The Chicago Standard, 20750 Old US-12, Chelsea, MI 48118, or E-mail me at [rlindstedt@spry.net](mailto:rlindstedt@spry.net)

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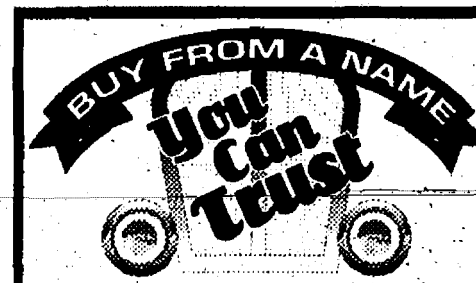


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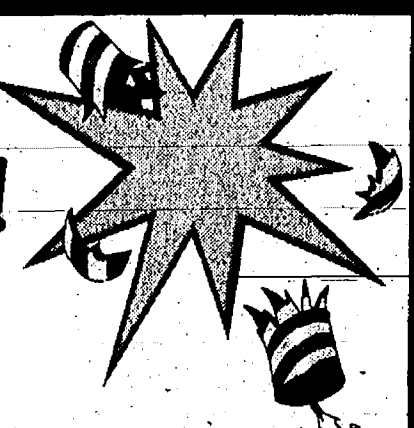
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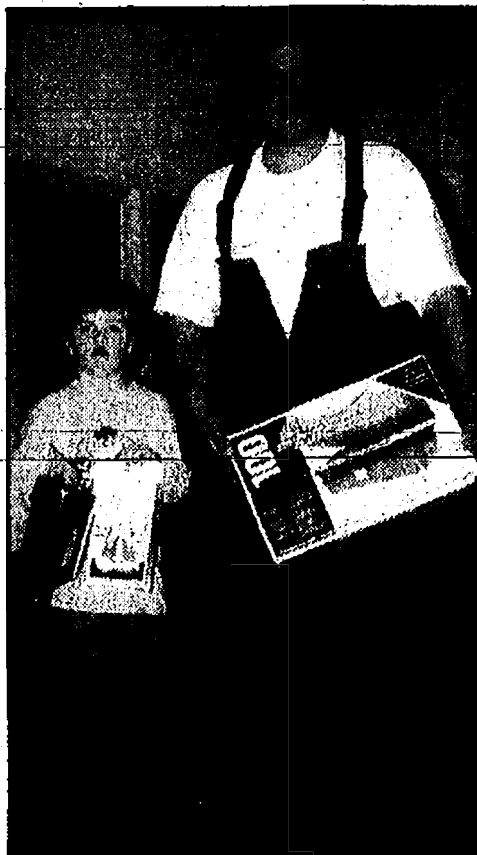
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Fishing contest winners included, from left, Kyla Holmes, first in youth perch, Jesse Holmes, second in youth perch, Paul Bell, third in youth perch, and Jim Witherspoon, second and third in adult perch.



Matt Otto took both second and third in the youth panfish division.



Prize winners at the fishing derby included William Bredernitz (right) second in adult panfish, and Matt Otto, second and third in youth panfish.

Despite recent warmer weather, the annual Chelsea American Legion Winter Carnival drew plenty of ice fishermen for its annual fishing derby last week.

In the youth perch division, Kyla Holmes took first place, Jesse Holmes was second and Paul Bell was third.

In the youth panfish division, Bilk Collins Jr. placed first and Matt Otto took both second and third places.

In the adult panfish division, John Beeman placed first, and William Bredernitz took both second and third.

In the adult perch division, Kent Longworth was first, and Jim Witherspoon took both second and third places.

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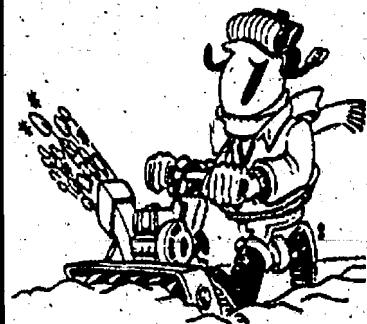
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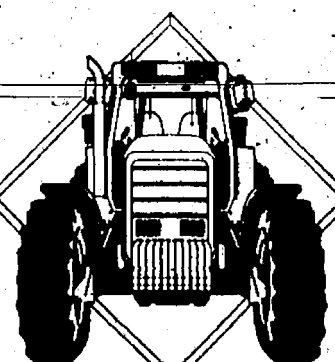
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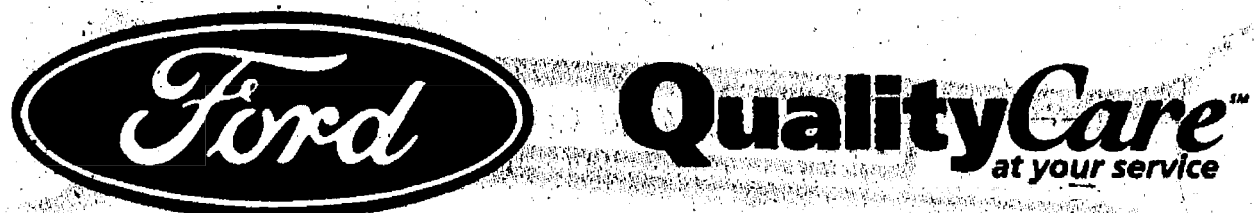
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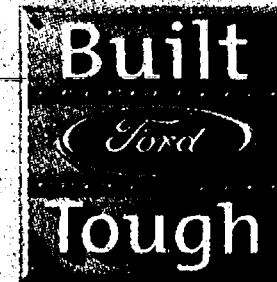
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# POLICE BLOTTER

## Dexter Village

### Breaking and Entering

Breaking and entering was reported at Dexter High School, 2615 Baker Road, Feb. 5. A 17-year-old student told a Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy that someone broke into his 1985 Ford station wagon between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m. Feb. 1. The teen reported that 71 compact discs and two amplifiers were stolen. The items are valued at more than \$1,000. He was not sure whether the doors were locked.

### Assault and Battery

Assault and battery was reported at Pilot Industries, 2319 E. Bishop Circle, Feb. 5. A 55-year-old Detroit woman told police that she was at her work station at 3:45 a.m. when a 35-year-old female employee approached her and began arguing. The victim said she tried to ignore the suspect but the suspect pushed her into a cardboard parts box and began hitting her. Other employees broke up the fight.

The suspect told police that she wanted to talk to the other woman about a seating problem on the bus they rode to work. She said the woman ignored her and then swung a staple gun at her. Then the suspect said she pushed her. She said she hit the victim because the woman was hitting her.

The victim suffered a cut above her eye and scratches on her back and neck. She declined medical treatment.

## Chelsea Village

### Possession of Narcotics

An 18-year-old Chelsea High School student was caught with marijuana at school Feb. 5. The assistant principal confiscated the drugs after confronting him and two other teens in between classes because they were reportedly acting suspicious. The boys were in the school parking lot. He asked them to empty their pockets and was handed the marijuana, rolling paper and cigarettes.

Police were called in to deal with the teen who had the narcotics. The suspect admitted that it was marijuana and said he bought it from a man in Dexter. He told police that he planned to sell it.

### Suspicious Incident

The mother of a 14-year-old boy sought help from Chelsea Police Feb. 6 because she said her son is out of control. The boy is living with his grandmother on Orchard Street. She said he has problems with drugs and alcohol. She also said he has an obsession with purchasing an automatic machine gun and was recently caught downloading information on where to purchase one off the Internet. An officer advised the woman to seek outside help.

### Larceny

Larceny was reported at Huron River Credit Union, 1140 S. Main Street, Feb. 6. A 48-year-old man told police that someone stole two wheel covers off his 1992 Ford Econoline Club Wagon between 7:10 a.m. and 8 a.m. Feb. 5. The hubcaps are valued at \$200.

Larceny was reported at Chelsea Pets and Plants, 901 S. Main St., Jan. 31. A 34-year-old Stockbridge man stole a 4-month-old African spurred tortoise worth \$150. The store's owner knew one of the suspect's accomplices, so police called him. Initially, the suspect's friend denied having any knowledge of the theft but then admitted to being involved. Police got the suspect's name and the suspect returned the tortoise.

### Harassing Telephone Calls

A 36-year-old Chelsea woman told police that a telemarketer called her residence trying to convince her husband to get a credit card. The woman said she told the person they weren't interested and hung up. Then, she said, they received a series of hang-up calls. Police advised the woman to have a trace put on her phone.

### Health and Safety

Chelsea Police responded to a complaint of a 56-year-old Grass Lake woman who was intoxicated and sitting on the curb in front of GIGI's Flower Shop on Main Street. The woman was reportedly crying. She was escorted to the police department. Police couldn't find a friend or family member to pick her up so the chief authorized an officer to drive

the woman home.

## Scio Township

### Breaking and Entering

Breaking and entering was reported at Merit Marketing, 4115 Jackson Road, Feb. 1. A 44-year-old Ann Arbor man told police that someone broke in through a roof window. The break-in occurred between 4 p.m. Jan. 30 and 8:30 a.m. Feb. 1.

The complainant told police he discovered the damage when he came into work. While in the storage room, the man said he noticed that the ceiling air vent grate was bent and on the floor. The room was in disarray and a door was unlocked. Damage to the window is estimated at \$50.

Breaking and entering was reported in Scio Farms Estates, 6855 Jackson Road, Feb. 3. A 65-year-old woman told police that someone pried open a window, causing \$400 in damage, and stole \$1,100 worth of electronic equipment. The incident occurred between 4 p.m. Jan. 4 and 9 p.m. Feb. 3, while the homeowner was out of town.

Breaking and entering was reported at Commercial Filter, 4121 Jackson Road, Feb. 1. A 63-year-old man told police that someone broke in, causing \$75 in damage to a door. Nothing was reported missing. The incident occurred between 4 p.m. Jan. 30 and 7 a.m. Jan. 31.

### Suspicious Incident

A 12-year-old boy told police that someone driving a Jeep followed him on Jan. 24 and Feb. 2 at 5 p.m. On the first occasion, the boy said he and a friend were walking on Chicory near Cranberry Street. He said the suspect's vehicle approached from behind, then turned around at a nearby court. He said he and his friend ran through back yards. The boy said he didn't take it too seriously until Feb. 2 when he got off the bus at Children's Park on Upland Street. He said the vehicle was near two homes under construction and then began to move in his direction. The boy said he ran home through neighbors' yards as the vehicle followed, moving slowly by his residence.

### Trespassing

Trespassing was reported at Daycroft Montessori School, 1095 Zeeb Road, Feb. 3. A 35-year-old woman told police that a 32-year-old man was videotaping children without the school's permission. The man, who works for a company in Ann Arbor, said he was hired to make the video tape as part of a Welcome to Ann Arbor video. Police contacted the man's boss, who agreed to erase a section of the video tape that portrayed the school. He was advised in the future to get the school's permission.

### Drunken Driving

A 43-year-old Ann Arbor man was arrested for operating a vehicle while under the influence of liquor on Dexter Ann Arbor Road near Dan Hoey Road, Jan. 31. A deputy on patrol initially stopped the suspect for speeding. The driver smelled of intoxicants and had blood-shot, watery eyes. He admitted to drinking earlier in the evening. A test revealed he had a 10 percent blood-alcohol level, which is more than the legal limit to drive.

### Runaway

A 40-year-old township man reported his 16-year-old daughter as a runaway. The girl is a student at the Cope O'Brien Center in Ann Arbor. She is believed to be with her boyfriend, who also was reported missing. The girl returned home a short time later.

### Medical Assist

Police helped get medical help for a 19-year-old town-

ship man who was suicidal over the break-up of his relationship. The man told police that he was upset because his girlfriend broke up with him, his parents recently separated and his grandmother is ill. The man's girlfriend told police that he had threatened to kill himself. The man was taken to the University of Michigan Hospital.

### Domestic Assault

Domestic assault was reported at Scio Farms Estates, 6855 Jackson Road, Feb. 6. A 14-year-old girl told police that an argument with her mother turned physical. She said her mother grabbed her by the head and threw her on the floor.

The victim's mother, however, told police she grounded her daughter and then they argued. She said her daughter called her an obscene name. She said the girl jerked away and fell on the floor. Both went to their bedrooms and when the woman checked on her daughter later she discovered her missing. The woman said her daughter threatens to call the police every time she tries to make her daughter obey the house rules.

The complaint has been

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## Dexter

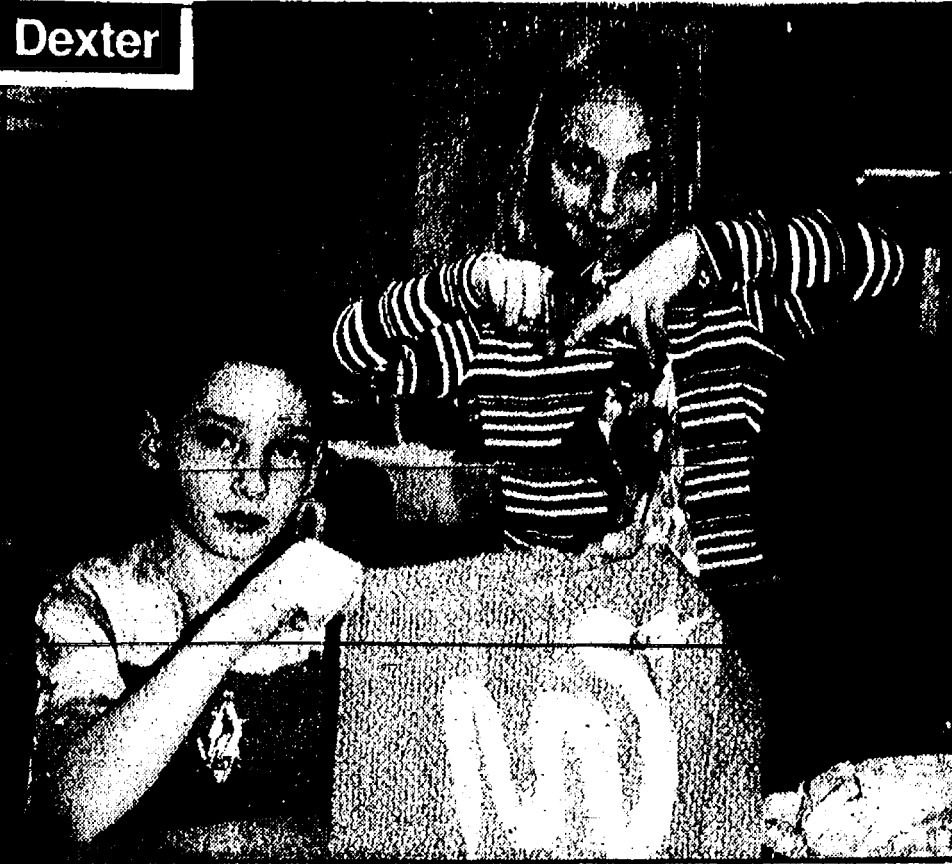


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## Quilt to Save Lives

Students in teacher Debbie Ferri's third-grade classroom recently completed science units investigating the hydrosphere and ecosystems, as well as a reading unit investigating family and traditions. The main focus of the science lessons was to learn the importance of positive relationships between all living and non-living organisms. Students studied positive and negative effects humans have on the environment. One aspect of the reading unit involved a study of quilts and quilt-making. As a culminating activity, students collected change to donate to the Nature Conservancy and Save the Manatee Club. With help from parents, students also are making a patchwork quilt illustrating the endangered species. They plan to raffie the quilt to raise money for the organizations. Pictured are students Leah Hartman and Dominic Maisano.

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## Canine Hip Dysplasia and OFA

By Jeff La Ruis D.V.M.

Last week I discussed what canine hip dysplasia is and what some of the causes are. This week I will continue with what OFA is and how dogs are certified. All dogs used for breeding should have their hips evaluated and be certified free of hip dysplasia by the Orthopedic Foundation for Animals (OFA). Getting a dog certified involves taking an x-ray of the hips with the dog in a very precise position. These x-rays (or radiographs) are then sent to the OFA office where they will be evaluated by three veterinary radiologists. Based on their findings, the radiologists will give the dog a grade of the quality of his hips. Normal dogs can grade excellent, good, or fair. Dogs with some hip dysplasia will receive a grade according to the amount of dysplasia present, either one, two, or three (three being the worst). Dogs must be at least 24 months of age to receive a permanent OFA grade. This is because up to this age, the skeleton is still developing and the grading may not be accurate. Be sure that the puppy you are considering is from parents that have been OFA graded. While this will not guarantee that the pup will not develop hip problems, genetics and inheritance being very complicated, it will greatly reduce the odds. Currently there is another way to evaluate hips in younger animals and may supplant OFA certification called the Penn Hip. Next week I will talk about things you can do to help your puppy avoid this syndrome. If you have any questions please call Westarbor Animal Hospital at 734-769-5391.



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## FAMILY MEDICINE

**Question:** Last month I had a very bad nosebleed and had to go to the emergency room to get it stopped. One of the reasons the nosebleed was so bad is that I'm on Coumadin because of my irregular heart-beat. Now my doctor tells me that I'm slightly anemic, but he thinks it'll be OK in a few weeks after I've recovered from the nosebleed.

Here's my question: My son says that I should try to eat red meat a few times a week to help build up my iron, but I'm afraid to do that, because I've read that getting too much iron can increase your chances of a heart attack, especially if you're a woman. Do post-menopausal women (I'm 82) really have to worry about

their iron levels?

**Answers:** Anemia can be defined as a reduction in the amount of hemoglobin. Hemoglobin, which contains iron, is the substance in the blood that carries oxygen to cells throughout your body.

For women of reproductive age, the "normal" level of hemoglobin in the blood is usually 12.0 to 16.0 g/dL (grams per deciliter), a value that is a bit lower than in the normal range for men. It is common for both men and women of advanced age to have "normal" values for hemoglobin that are actually a little lower. Consequently, I don't know if your "slight anemia" is truly due to blood loss, or if it is due to using an inaccurate age-based reference standard for normal.

Anemia may occur for quite a few reasons. Bleeding, of course, is one of these. Bleeding causes the blood count to drop quickly, but it also returns to normal as the body makes new hemoglobin and red blood cells. It is likely that you have this form of anemia. This does not imply that you have an iron deficiency.

Iron is an essential component of hemoglobin. Consequently, when the body's supply runs low, the amount of hemoglobin that can be made drops lower than it otherwise would be. Possible causes of iron loss that can lead to iron deficiency, are chronic heavy menstrual bleeding, stomach ulcers, or other conditions that produce bleeding. Cancer in the digestive tract is a common cause for those in your age group. Iron deficiency anemia can also be due to inadequate dietary intake or absorption of iron.

As your son suggested, small quantities of iron are found in red meats. Therefore, consuming them on a regular basis can slowly restore iron levels toward normal. This may be adequate treatment for someone with "slight anemia." As long as you maintain an overall low-fat diet, eating lean red meat once or twice a week to obtain more iron will not cause the heart-related health problems you referred to.

Individuals with more significant iron deficiency anemia are usually treated with

supplements in the form of ferrous sulfate, a non-prescription type of iron. Though this drug is beneficial, it is also possible to overload the body with this type of iron by taking it in large amounts over a long period of time. It is probably the danger related to these iron supplements that you read about.

There are a number of risk factors for heart disease such as family history of heart disease, hypertension, diabetes, high cholesterol and use of tobacco. You would be wiser to modify any of these risk factors that are within your control, because their impact has been clearly proven, rather than worrying about the iron in a little meat. Love your son and appreciate his concern for your health, but talk to your doctor about your risk factors for heart disease, your diet and your need for iron.

"Family Medicine" is a weekly column. To submit questions, write to John C. Wolf, D.O., Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine, Grosvenor Hall, Athens, Ohio 45701.

## POLICE

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turned over to the prosecutor. In the meantime, the teen-ager is staying with an aunt and uncle.

### Fire

A fire was reported at Scio Farms Estates, 6655 Jackson Road, Feb. 1. The fire chief told the investigating officer that the blaze started in the northeast corner of a mobile home on Pear Tree Drive. The chief said the fire appeared to have been caused by heat tape used to keep the pipes from freezing. The fire extinguished itself when it burned through a plastic water pipe, causing water to spray on the fire.

### Robbery

A robbery was reported at Bel-Mark Lanes, 3530 Jackson Road, Feb. 5. A 21-year-old Ypsilanti man told police that he was robbed by three men as he left the bowling alley. He said the men stole \$20, a gold necklace valued at \$200, a diamond-cut necklace worth \$200 and a pack of cigarettes around midnight.

### Larceny

Larceny was reported at Varsity Ford, 3480 Jackson Road, Nov. 30. A 76-year-old Ypsilanti man who drives vehicles for the dealership said his cellular telephone was stolen on Nov. 27 during a trip to Ohio. The phone is valued at \$184.

Larceny was reported in the 3400 block of Jackson

Road, Nov. 27. A 74-year-old Ypsilanti man told police that someone stole his cellular telephone and made several calls between 6:15 p.m. Nov. 27 and 12:17 p.m. Nov. 28.

### Trespassing

Trespassing was reported at Huron Valley Swim Club, 4601 Park St., Feb. 5. A 20-year-old man told police that four teen-agers in two vehicles drove up the main gate and then climbed over. He called police, who arrived and caught the youths. No damage was done. The boys said they were bored and wanted to look around. Prosecutors are reviewing the case for possible trespassing charges.

### Lima Township Property Damage

Malicious destruction of property was reported in the 500 block of Freer Road, Feb. 3. A 52-year-old woman told police that someone damaged her mailbox between 4 p.m. Feb. 3 and 9 a.m. Feb. 4. She said the mailbox had been run over by a vehicle and its wooden post was ripped out of the ground. Damage is estimated at \$50.

Malicious destruction of property was reported in the 12000 block of Scio Church Road, Jan. 25. A 49-year-old man told police that the east side of the residence was damaged with five bullet holes. He suspects his neighbors, whom he has had disputes with over them hunting too close to his residence.

However, he does not want to press charges.

### Stalking

Stalking was reported in the 9000 block of Gross Road, Feb. 6. A 20-year-old woman told police that her estranged husband, a 28-year-old Whitmore Lake man, has violated a personal protection order and has been calling her several times a day. The victim said the

suspect has also called her mother and asked her to relay messages. A deputy warned the suspect not to call the victim or he could be charged with harassing her.

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

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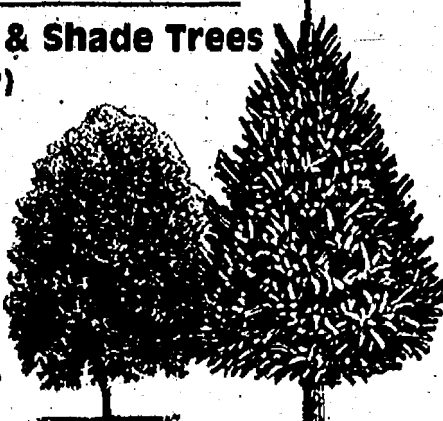


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## COMMENTARY

Thursday, February 11, 1999

Street  
Talk

By Amanda Tarantowski

**Do you think it's appropriate for high school students to have jobs?**



"Yes, I think that it's fine as long as they are mature and somewhat responsible."

Jennifer Minnick  
Sylvan Township



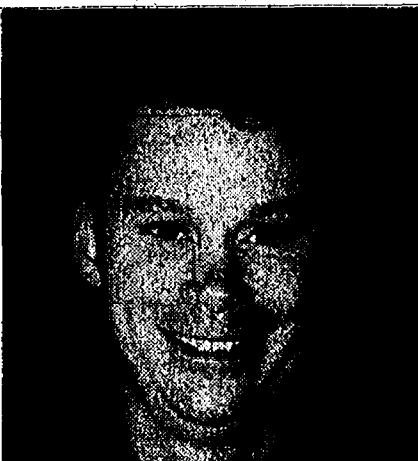
"I think that it's good because it gives them more responsibility and a chance to earn money for college."

Ben Myers  
Sylvan Township



"No, because I think that students should take advantage of opportunities like clubs and sports, that they can't (otherwise) do after high school."

Molly Martin  
Dexter Township



"I think that it's OK as long as the job is within reason and the student has his priorities in check."

Jared Bradley  
Sylvan Township



"I think that it depends on the student, as long as they can handle work and academics, but I think that extra-curriculars are important as well."

Bev Schlegelmilch  
Sylvan Township

## LETTERS

## Residents need advance notice about issues

My thanks to Village Council President Richard Steele and council members Carol Rauschenberger, Jim Myles and Frank Hammer for not backing down under pressure from the AARMAX Commercial Realty Group on the building moratorium that the council established last year.

AARMAX wants to build a Rite-Aid pharmacy at the corner of M-52 and Old US-12. The moratorium was put in place for valid reasons.

AARMAX tried to skirt the moratorium issue by stating

that their research showed that a new Rite-Aid pharmacy would use less water than the existing buildings on the site. Was anyone on the council shown the actual later usage figures of the existing buildings vs. the water usage numbers from an existing Rite-Aid pharmacy? Or were these businessmen taken at their word?

How as the water usage research done by AARMAX? Without those facts, how could the other council members vote to let the moratorium lapse?

And why, when it was the council that voted the moratorium

in to begin with, would some council members let the moratorium lapse at the first hint of pressure from outside businesses?

Further, the corner of Old US-12 and M-52 is the gateway to our community. Do the citizens of Chelsea and visitors to our town really want to be greeted by a big cement block building surrounded by dozens of black-topped parking spaces?

We cannot stop the growth in Chelsea, but we can have some say in it. We have 2 pharmacies already. With our water resources so precious, do we really need to hand

them over to a third large-scale, high-volume pharmacy? There is much to be said for the aesthetics of this town. Chelsea is a charming village. When people enter this town, shouldn't they be greeted with a landscape more in keeping with Chelsea's historic flavor?

Finally, how are the citizens of our town notified of the upcoming council agenda? If we want to have some input on decisions that will greatly affect the flavor of this town, we need to know what is happening at the next Village Council meeting so we can take a proactive stance.

We need to let our council

representatives know that we care about what happens to our community. Can the council agenda be put on the local cable TV station at a set time(s) and a set day(s)? Can it be put on a local Web page? Is the agenda available soon enough to be published in the Chelsea Standard? (Editor's note: The agenda isn't available until the Friday before the meeting.)

Word needs to get out to the people of this town on a timely basis before Chelsea gets swallowed up by big businesses that care more about money than people and their quality of life.

Barb Johnstone

## New kids could mess up balance on council

Foul! Cheats! I knew it! My big, the math should probably up the village and all these people come out of the woodwork to thwart my plans.

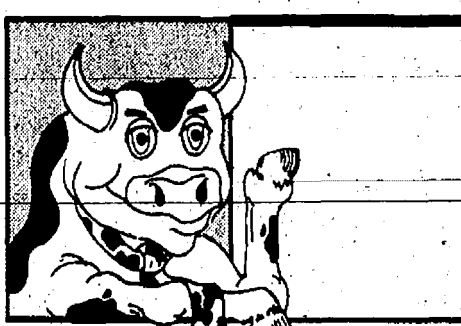
Eight candidates? When did we ever have eight candidates? I got so upset about it that I even forgot to file a petition.

Of course, with a field that big, the math should probably be pretty easy. Considering that about 50 people show up for the elections, that means it should only take about six or seven votes to get elected. If this snow thing keeps up, all the teachers will be sleeping and everybody else will be on the roads trying to get to work. I mean, how important is this Village Council thing, anyway? It's not like they can send kids

to war or anything. Why should anybody bother to vote?

OK, OK. So I still have a chance. We'll go for the big write-in. Get out there to the polls on March 8! Let's give Arthur and Arlotta one more chance! Don't let these new kids come in and mess up a perfectly good Village Council. Remember, Aunt Bea never changed a day in her life, so why should we?

And talking about that, Arlotta and I have been working on our Aunt Bea ordinance as part of our campaign platform. We want to use it during the big debate. OK, the debate isn't for sure yet, but we figure since the village has this TV station and all, we should get this big debate going, with all these podiums and micro-



UNCLE APOLLO

phones and stuff like they do in the big time. Then we could stand up and yell at each other about, like, whether we need 14 more drug stores and whose lawyer could beat up who else's lawyer.

I'll bet Aunt Bea would just love to hear about that one. Imagine, here you are in Mayberry and maybe somebody wants to come in and rip out half the houses and put in a big concrete hangar to keep their airplanes. Well, the people with the houses are all for the idea because the hangar folks are ready to pay them big buck. So they can afford to

move someplace else and build bigger houses without those faded beige curtains that they have to have in Mayberry.

But everyone else is against it because they not only don't get the big bucks, but with this big, concrete hangar in their back yard, things just don't seem quite the same as they used to when the area was a park and some neighbors' houses.

And even though the airport people offer to put mufflers on their airplanes, it's still gonna be a lot noisier than it was before when there were just Frisbee tournaments

and push lawn mowers.

So how would Aunt Bea deal with this thing? Well, first she'd probably say these folks who wanted to sell their houses had every right to do it and move away. If they were willing to do that for just some money, then she probably wouldn't want them in Mayberry, anyway.

And the airport people, well, they ought to be proud enough of what they were doing to move into the hangar. So the Aunt Bea ordinance would say that if you're gonna build an airplane hangar in Mayberry, you have to add on an apartment and live in it.

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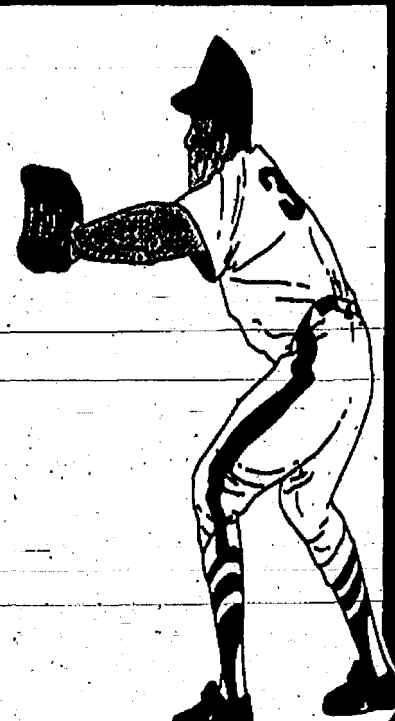


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## Starlab Planetarium

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Blethen, Madisen Buhr, Jennifer Burke, Heidi Clements, Melissa Crawford, Cynthia Doucette, Steven Fendt, Michele Folts, Eric Gamble, Cory Gray, Jessica Hall, Brian Heddell, Kelly Jordan, Katherine Koch, Jacob Lavall, Nicholas Libra, Jared Myers, Samantha Richard, Robyn Shepard, Matthew Snyder, Eric Swikoski, Scott Thompson, Jacob Yeagain. Also pictured is Skidmore's son, Jordan.

## Vigil to raise money for sick child

"Julia's Friends," a group dedicated to providing support to the family of Chelsea resident Julia Beatty, as well as raising awareness of Krabbe's Disease and umbilical cord blood transplants, is hosting a Candlelight Vigil in Julia's honor on Sunday, Feb. 14, at Spiritus Sanctus Academy, 2500 Via Sacra (at Domino's Farms), Ann Arbor, from 4-5 p.m.

Baby powder-scented candles will be available for a donation of \$5, with proceeds from this sale going to research. The candles will be offered starting at 3:45 p.m. Any other money collected will go toward paying Julia's medical bills.

Beatty, who recently celebrated her first birthday, was diagnosed with the usually fatal Krabbe's Disease — a genetic disorder which destroys the myelin sheath surrounding the child's nervous system — in the spring of 1998. She was assessed by Dr. Joanne Kurtzberg of Duke University, an internationally renowned expert in Krabbe's and cord blood transplants, she was given a transplant from a donated umbilical cord on Aug. 20, 1998, in an effort to replace her defective cells with healthy stem cells potentially capable of curing her.

Beatty has spent half her life in Durham, N.C., undergoing chemotherapy to deplete her immune system before receiving the donated blood, and subsequently suffering numerous complications after the procedure was performed. Her disease has continued to progress, although her transplant was successful and she is now producing the enzyme (GALC - galactocerebrosidase) which she had previously been lacking.

Among other monitors and machines, Beatty currently requires a g-tube to provide liquid nutrients directly to her stomach and a shunt to drain excess cerebrospinal fluid from her brain. She also has had a tracheotomy, to circumvent the apnea, that caused her to go into respiratory arrest the week before Christmas.

## Farm fact

Why is acid rain so bad? Rainfall has always been slightly acidic. But burning fossil fuels like coal and oil releases sulfur dioxide and nitrogen dioxide gases into the air. These gases react with the water in clouds to make sulfuric acid and nitric acid, which then fall back to Earth as acid rain. If it rains in an area without natural buffers, the acid could build up in ponds, streams and soil, disrupting aquatic plants, fish and other animals. Refineries and factories use coal or oil because it's the most economical and efficient way to deliver energy. They've reduced the problem by installing special ways to collect the sulfur before it's released into the air.

Beatty is virtually immobile, and cannot even swallow on her own. She requires around-the-clock care.

"Julia's friends" was founded by three friends of the Beatty family — Mary Beth Brady, Heather Wurster and Mary Bilyeu — who started out by simply making meals for the family or providing babysitting for Beatty's brother and sister. (The older children have remained in Chelsea with their father, while Beatty and her mother went to Durham.)

The group now includes more than 60 members, including four schools and two orders of Catholic religious sisters in Ann Arbor.

On Valentine's Day, vigils will also be held in Texas and in Pennsylvania, in honor of

Krabbe's patients Judson Peacock and Joseph Robinson, who have died. These are all being held in conjunction with "Hunter's Hope" of upstate New York, which was founded by former Buffalo Bills quarterback Jim Kelly in honor of his son, Hunter, who also suffers from this disease. Hunter's second birthday will be Feb. 14.

The vigils are designed to raise awareness, both of the very rare Krabbe's Disease and cord blood transplants, which can be used to treat a variety of ailments.

The public is welcome to attend the vigil.

Any questions should be directed to Mary Bilyeu at (734) 663-4665 or writing to Julia's Friends@hotmail.com.

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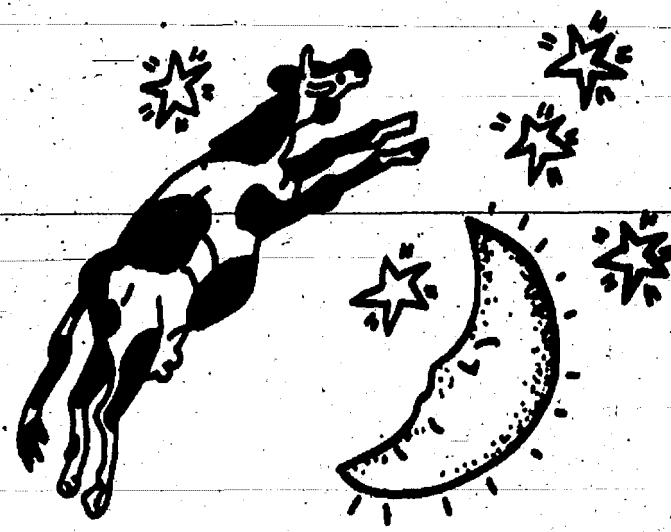
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