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NEWS BRIEF

Retirement community gets new CEO

Bill Healy has accepted the position of president and CEO of the Chelsea **Retirement Community** effective April 12.

Healy comes to Michigan from Coos Bay, Ore., where he was the president and CEO of St. Catherine's Residence and Nursing Center, from 1989 to 1999. Healy replaces former president and CEO Seneca Foote.

Healy has worked in long-term care facilities since 1980 in New York, Pennsylvania and Oregon and is currently active in the Oregon Alliance of Homes for the Aging, serving as president and as a member of the board of directors. He received his master's degree in Health Services Administration from George Washington University in Washington.

County to initiate house sale limits

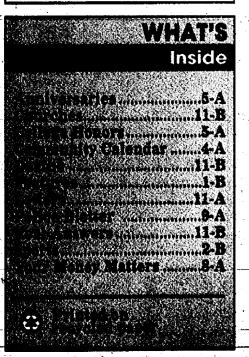
Lima Township **Supervisor Gary Adams** announced Monday night that the Washtenaw **County Department of Environmental Health will** require a well and septic inspection before a rural home deed can be transferred or the property's usage is changed.

A home owner will have 30 days to submit a plan to correct any problems and will have 120 days toimplement the plan. The new requirements are expected to go into effect before the end of the year.

Mobile home park pulls its proposal

Lima Township **Supervisor Gary Adams** announced Monday night that Real Estate Interests has withdrawn its petition to rezone land on the southeast corner of Freer Road and I-94 to permit a mobile home development.

Adams said that no reason was given. The petitioners had canceled three scheduled public hearings on the matter.



School technology team finishes mandated tasks

By Eric Bowen

Staff Writer

After more than five years of donating their time and computer expertise to Chelsea School District, members of the district's technology team will get their just rewards Monday. School administrators plan to thank the members of a technology team at the district's board meeting.

The technology committee, which consisted of school employees and members of the community, was officially disbanded last month. But the district

wanted to recognize the work the members have done to bring technology into the schools.

"Having completed a significant portion of the implementation, the Board of Education, the administrative team, teaching staff and the students of this district are indebted to you as technology pioneers," reads a letter sent to each committee member. "It has been thrilling to see the students begin to explore a new world with their technology."

The technology team started as a way

for the district to receive community input into the best way to integrate computers into the district's buildings and curriculum, according to Stewart Robinovitz. Robinovitz is a 30-year veteran of information technology at the University of Michigan and a member of the committee from its inception.

Robinovitz said the committee was charged with creating a vision of where the technology in the district should be over five years. Once the visioning was complete, the members of the committee recommended the types of computers and other items the district needed to meet the vision. Robinovitz said. Their recommendations were relayed to consultants and included in the district's bond proposal.

The beginning was slow going, Robinovitz said. The team members became bogged down in the cost of the new technology, and focused less on

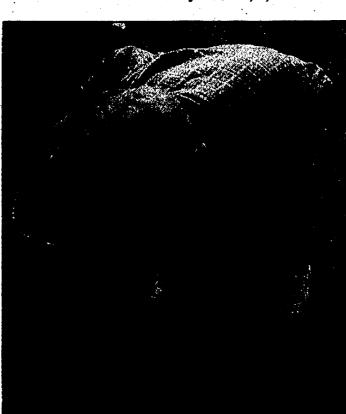
their wish list for the district's students. But the team was spurred by district administrators who said it should decide what would best benefit the stu-

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Easter Burny's



Hundreds of local children took advantage of Saturday's warm weather to search for 5,000 Easter eggs on the lawn of Chelsea Retirement Community. Chelsea Kiwanis Club sponsored the egg hunt, getting support from CRC residents and local Scouts. Above: Elise Merkel of Chelsea and her 3-year-old daughter, Molly. Right: Jenny Gabbard, 3, of Chelsea. Below: Tony Nichol, 2, of Chelsea.





Lima officials vote for pay raise

By Michael Rybka

beginning of the 1999-2000 fis-

The March 27 approvals increased the annual salaries of the supervisor, the clerk and the treasurer to \$16,000 from \$13,120, a 22 percent increase. Annual salaries for trustees

were raised to \$2,000 from \$1,786, a 12 percent increase. year the supervisor earned more than the clerk and the

The new pay scales were treasurer. Parity was estabretroactive to April 1, the lished by lowering the supervisor's salary when Adams was appointed in 1997.

That same year, a vote was passed to freeze the remaining board members' salaries, making this year's pay increase the first for the board in two years, Clerk Arlene Bareis said.

Treasurer Nanette Havenssaid on Tuesday that, although the increase seems high on a

Trustee only candidate for board so far

By Eric Bowen Staff Writer

With the filing deadline for school board candidate petitions just four days away, current Trustee Conrad Knutsen is the only candidate in the race. According to Jan Pratt, assistant to the superintendent, would-be candidates have until 4 p.m. Monday to file the 20 signatures necessary to be on the ballot for the June 14 election.

Knutsen, who is the only candidate up for re-election this year, said he wants to continue on the board so he can see through the end of the building process. In addition, he hopes to see how the new buildings help Chelse'a students in their studies.

"This board and the board before worked hard to build facilities the community would be proud of," Knutsen said Monday. "But that's only one step. I'd like to see us improve and continue to improve so students get the maximum benefit from the schools."

Knutsen started his career on the board eight years ago, winning his first election in 1991. Knutsen said his work on

school board was a natural extension of his work in other areas, such as the Chelsea Recreation Council and Chelsea Together, and his education as a biology and science teacher.

When Knutsen was first elected, the district was just-beginning to look at new construction. Knutsen said he wa**nted to** improve the high school because he wanted his children to have better facilities. "I thought the way the com-

munity values education that there ought to be nicer facilities," Knutsen said. "The community is really very impressive in the value it places on education and their children." Though Knutsen said the

boards he has served on have accomplished a lot, he still has some unfinished business. Knutsen said he would like to

help the board determine students' success once they graduate from the district. He said the board has been talking for some time about a way to measure how students fare in college and the work force.

Knutsen said he would also

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Staff Writer

Lima Township Board voted 3-0 Monday night to approve pay increases for eight appointed officials. The vote completes the salary readjustments that began with elected officials at the township's March 27 annual meeting.

Trustees Harold Trinkle and Robert Heller were not in attendance for Monday night's Prior to the 1998-99 fiscal

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Chelsea High School Freshmen Aaron Turok (left) and Caleb Spence took advantage of their spring break vacation Friday to get in a game of one-on-one.

Swager rises from the docks to teach in the classroom

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White supremacist signs brings racism out in the open

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Terpstra battles learning disability to succeed

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Don't Mean a Thing ...

Beach Middle schoolers got into the swing of things at an Air Band show recently. Above: (front row) Heather Cobb, Beth Roberson, Daniele Hughes, Lindsay Parker, (back row) Sarah Aseltyne, Brittany Denison, Becky Sprague and Marie Angelocci danced and lip synched to "Jump, Jive an' Wail." Right: Ben Daniels, Matt Cunningham and Ty Christensen show off some Kung Fu



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dents. The money issues could come later.

"I think that was good input and allowed us to come up with the vision," Robinovitz said.

The technology team was instrumental not only in planning for computerization of the district, but also in working to get community support for a bond, according to Assistant Superintendent Iva Corbett. The team members were able to explain the complex issues involved in connecting to the Internet and linking all of the buildings in the district, which gave voters more information to make their decision.

Once the bond was passed, Robinovitz said team members also acted as consultants. He said the team worked with the builders to make sure the technology was built properly.

Committee member Doug Worthington lent his expertise in computer networking to the group. He said he would like to continue on as an adviser to help the district integrate the Internet into the classroom.

He said his training came in handy because the district never had Internet access. He said one of his goals was to make sure the district put in a solid backbone for the technolo-

With the technology plan largely implemented, the school board officially disbanded the committee last month. But Technology Specialist Scott Wooster wanted to ensure that the members didn't disappear.

Instead, Wooster has created an ad-hoc group of former team members to continue updating

the district's technology. He said the group will evaluate the technology plan and help decide where the district should be over the next five

"We now have some very good technology that is in place, but since technology changes so rapidly we have to stay on top of it so that five years down the road we don't find ourselves behind the times," Wooster said. "Sometimes when you're in the midst of it you get busy tackling the day-to-day issues, and it's very hard to-pull yourself away and focus on the long term. The committee can keep

that focus." Among the most pressing issues Wooster sees is updating the five-year plan. He said that the committee created a good model, but with technology advancing so rapidly, the plan needs to be constantly updated.

Wooster said he also foresees a lot of his time taken up with training teachers and helping them use technology for instruction. He said he has already done several training sessions, but he will have to include new ideas in the future mix.

As teachers begin to use the computer networks differently, Wooster said, the network itself will have to adapt. Instant access provides up-to-date information, but also puts new strains on the technology, and Wooster said he can't predict where the new technology will lead.

"Right now we have a great' foundation to be able to access

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and retain this information, but I foresee we will have to make adjustments to make it more readily available for our students," Wooster said. "Do I know exactly what changes we

have to make? No." Robinovitz said the technology committee did a good job of anticipating the needs of today's students. Despite the rapid change of technology, he said the committee has found little

that it hadn't planned for. In fact planning for the future hampered one aspect of the district's network. Robinovitz said the committee hadn't planned to need as much video technology, expecting video to be supplanted by the Internet. He said the schools didn't buy equipment to send video images back and forth through schools because of budget constraints.

But in large part, teachers and students are now using electronic mail and the Internet as part of the their curriculum, enhancing the education of Chelsea's students. Robinovitz said he is gratified to see that teachers and students have begun to use the technology he helped build.

"I think we're solid and I think looking at using the technology this year we're starting to use more and more of-it," Robinovitz said.

"We've been seeing one of the catalysts to use as part of everyday life has been teachers using e-mail. It looks to me we're seeing the results that teachers in their every day work are starting to use e-mail and being conversant with the Internet."

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like to see through policy changes that determine how and when local groups can use school facilities. An improvement in test scores, from the MEAP to the California Achievement Test, would also be a measure of his success on the board.

"Just the passing of the bond issue and the building of the buildings wasn't what I viewed as a completed term," Knutsen said. "I want to do what I can to make academic achfevement better in Chelsea."

Aside from the improvements to the district, Knutsen said he

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wants to continue to work with the current members of the board. He said that while the board members may have had a few heated discussions, they respected each other's ideas.

He said he has seen some tough times, including the death of Joe Piasecki, but the district has rebounded well.

"When I begin to think of how low the community was at that time and how high they are with the completion of the building project, that's pretty impressive," Knutsen said.

"I've served on boards in many areas, and this is the best group of people I've worked with. You know the people have the kids at heart."

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White supremacist signs bring racism into open discourse

By Eric Bowen Staff Writer

Racist stickers that first appeared on village street signs two weeks ago have begun to worry local religious leaders. According to Tom Gerstenlauer, a pastor at St. Paul United Church of Christ, one of the bright orange decals was posted on a lamp post outside the church, receiving a lot of attention from parishioners.

Gerstenlauer said that many people's first impulse was to tear the sticker down. But he said he preferred to use the sign as a starting point for discussing racism in Chelsea and society.

"They're indicators of phenomena in Chelsea that we see elsewhere." Gerstenlauer said. "This is the tip of the iceberg. The only way to deal with it is to get it out in the open and talk about it."

The stickers say they come from an organization called the National Alliance and give an address in West Virginia. he signs call for preserving the white race and attempt to link minorities to the AIDS epidemic.

The postings also invite

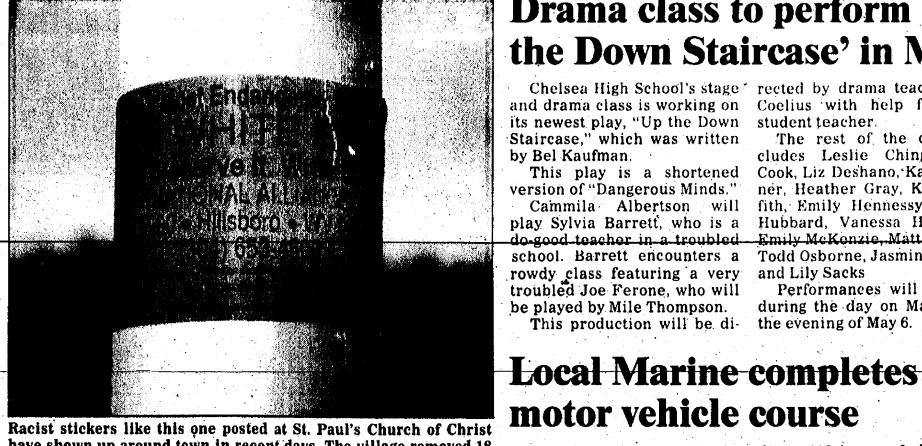
readers to visit the National Alliance's Web site. A scan of the site reveals numerous white supremacist ideas, ineluding a manifesto and a catalogue of racist merchandise, such as the Alliance's stickers.

In addition to the church's light post, the signs have been spotted on street signs along McKinley Street and other areas around town. Village Manager Jack Myers said the village removed a total of 18 stickers Friday. Myers said the Department of Public Works is also watching for any new stickers.

According to Police Chief Lenard McDougall, the police department responds quickly to such vandalism. If officers see signs, they call the Department of Public Works to come remove them.

If police catch the vandals, they are required to wash off any paint or remove stickers. If the defacement cannot be removed, the vandals have to pay to have it professionally done.

In addition, police prosecute any vandals they catch, McDougall said. Vandalism is a misdemeanor offense that



have shown up around town in recent days. The village removed 18 signs in various locations Friday, and are watching for further vandalism.

carries up to a \$100 fine and 90 days in jail.

McDougall said he didn't think the racist stickers were the result of any organized group in Chelsea. He said he has seen the occasional swastika painted around town in the past; and he believes the new vandalism likely comes

from kids in town. Gerstenlauer said his take on the signs has been influenced by his monthly meetings as member of an anti-racist group in an African-American congregation in Ann Arbor. He said he meets with other white

men and religious leaders to discuss his own conditioned ideas in hope that he can better understand his own racism.

Gerstenlauer said his focus on open communication has allowed he and some of his parishioners to talk freely about racism. And he believes a frank discussion within Chelsea could be beneficial.

"My personal view of this thing is that if you hide it, it will thrive," Gerstenlauer said. "If you bring it out, it will

the planning commission and the three appointees to the zoning board of appeals received identical increases from \$40 to

The Board of Review will have its pay increase from \$10 to

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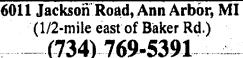
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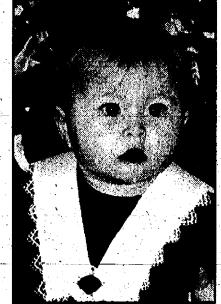
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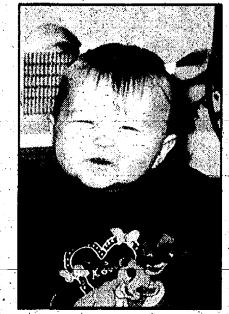
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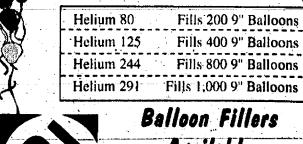
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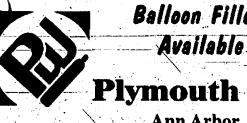
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

CHELSEA

Thursday, April 8 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. Saturday, April 10

Waterloo Natural History Association. 17030 Bush Road, hosts wildlife naturalist Dorothy Blanchard for "Night of the Amphibians" at 6 pm. Experience the incredible sounds of the "leapers and creepers" of the night Advance reservations and a

fee are required for this program Info . (734) 475-3170. Monday, April 12 Chelsea Area Garden, Club

ist Church, 12:30-2:30 p.m. Info 475-1240 or 475-2424. Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at. Chelsea Community Hospital. 6:15

meets at the First-United Method-

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

Tuesday, April 13 Rotary Club meets at the Com-

mon Grill 12:10 p.m. Lyndon Township Board meets at the township hall, 7 p.m.

Chelsea Village Council meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m. Chelsea Rod and Gun-Club meets at the clubhouse on Lingane Road, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 14 VFW Post 4076 and VFW Ladies Auxiliary meet at the VFW Hall. 7:30 p.m

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

Alzheimer's Association Family Caregiver Support Group meets the second Wednesday of each month, at 7 p.m. in the Chelsea Retirement Community's Dancey House, 805 W. Middle Street. Info... (734) 741-8200, or 800-337-3827. Thursday, April 15

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

Downtown Development Authority Board of Directors meet- presents "River Roundup." Help ing in the Chelsea Village Council the Huron by searching for creek chambers. The public is welcome to attend, 8 a.m.

Saturday, April 17 Breathers Club will meet at the Chelsea Community Hospital Dining Room, 11 a.m.

Sunday, April 18 Waterloo Natural History Association, 17030 Bush Road, hosts naturalist Tom Hodgson for Mysterious Creatures of the Spring Pond" at 2 p.m. Learn little known and fascinating creatures inhabiting the temporary ponds of spring, plus how to create a "pour-

a-pond." Advance reservations are required for this program. Info., (734) 475-3170 Monday, April 19 Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at

Chelsea Community Hospital, 6.15

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 KeyBank, 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. Tuesday, April 20

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

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.

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Wednesday, April 21 Chelsea Zoning Board of Appeals meets at Sylvan Township

Athletic Boosters Chelsea membership meeting at Chelsea High School media center, 7:30

New Beginnings, a griefsupport 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.

DEXTER

Thursday, April 8

Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn. 7:30 a.m. Speaker will be Pete Emhoff of Young Life.

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

Monday, April 12 Reproductive Health Advisory Committee for Dexter schools meets at Wylie Middle School media room. 7 p.m.

Harmony Rebekah Lodge 460 meets at the Masonic Temple, 7:30

Webster Township Historical Society meeting, 7:30 p.m. Info.,

Dexter Village Council meets at National City Bank, 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 13

Sons of the American Legion meet at the Dexter Legion Home, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, April 14 Dexter Jaycees are looking for young adults ages 21-39 to join their club. Meetings are the second Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. at National City Bank, Dex-

ter. Info., (734) 426-1080. Scio Township Board meets at Scio Township Hall, 8 p.m. Thursday, April 15

Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 7:30 a.m. Speaker, Nancy Guillaome, is a visitor from the Belgium Rotary Club.

Saturday, April 17 Huron River Watershed Council creatures in this semi-annual

stream search from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Meet at 1100 N. Main St., Suite 210, Ann Arbor, then carpool to various sites. No experience needed. Pre-registration is required. Info., (734) 769-5971

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Monday, April 19 Dexter Community Schools Board of Education meets at the Copeland building, 8 p.m.:

Tuesday, April 20 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-

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.

Scio Township Board meets at Seio Township Hall, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, April 21

Dexter Heritage Guild meets at the Dexter Area Museum, 1 p.m.:

The public is welcome. American Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 557 meets at the Ameri-

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

MISCELLANEOUS

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

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-

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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 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. Anne Young, (734) 426-5010. Dexter District Library contin-

ues to register children, ages 3 through 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.

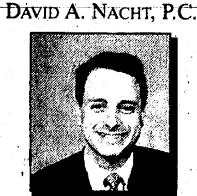
Dexter Family Service, contact Pat Burnett, (734) 449-2149, Marian Burgett, (734) 426-2196, Shawn Dettling, (734) 426-4343 or Judy Wheeler, (734) 426-2160.

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. Domestic Violence Project Safe

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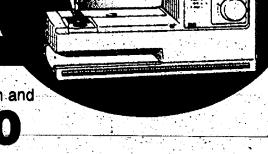
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non-profit support and advocacy group for women who have interrupted their full-time careers to care for their children at home, meets the first and third Thursday of each month at St. Clare's Temple Beth Emeth, 2309 Packard Road, Ann Arbor, 7 p.m. The April 15 meeting will be a group discussion on "Managing the Household." Info., Lisa, (734) 763-8714.

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

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

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

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. The April 11 meeting will feature Mary Hodge, M. S., a nutrition specialist at U-M Hospital. Info., (734) 741-

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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 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.

Washtenaw County Public Health, through the Title XV Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program, has arrangements with area medical providers to provide these services: free mammograms, pap tests, pelvic and clinical breast exams. These are available to area women who meet age and income require-

ments. Info., (734) 484-7200. Washtenaw County WIC Program provides nutritious foods, free coupons and health counseling for pregnant women, breastfeeding women, infants and children up to age five. Info., (734) 971-

Waterloo Natural History Assoc. and State Recreation Area offers programs at the Eddy Geology Center, located on Bush Road, open 9-5 daily. A Michigan State Park Motor Vehicle Permit is required for entry, daily \$4, annual \$20. Info., (734) 475-3170.

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Danielle C. Harsh pledged Albion College's Zeta chapter of Delta Gamma sorority during the spring 1999 semester.

Delta Gamma is a social sorority that was founded at Christmastime in 1873. The "DGs" support Sight Conservation and Aid to the Blind.

Harsh is a first-year student majoring in speech communication and secondary education. She is the daughter of Donna Harsh of Dexter and is a Dexter High School gradu-

Jocelyn M. Jacobs pledged Albion's Sigma Pi chapter of Kappa Delta sorority during the 1999 spring semester.

The "KDs" raise money each year to support the Children's Hospital in Richmond, Va., and the National Committee

Jacobs is a first-year student at Albion College. She is the daughter of Daniel H. and Margaret M. Jacobs of Dexter and she is a Dexter High School graduate.

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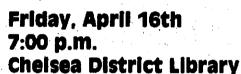
Tuesday, April 13th 4:00 p.m.

Main Dining Room of the Chelsea Community Hospital

Senior motivational speaker SYLVIA RUBACH will bring humor and to her program Life is NOT a Spectator Sport: How To Have Fun at Any Age. Co-sponsored with Silver Maples of Chelsea and Chelsea Community Hospital, this program is part of the Senior Supper Club but everyone is welcome to attend!

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Saturday, April 17th 10:00 a.m. Chelsea District Library

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Chelsea State Bank begins Y2K advertising campaign



Chelsea State Bank's Year-2000 advertising campaign features an innocuous Y2K bug.

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"Just A Date." The campaign titled "Just A Date" uses newspaper ads, TV spots, billboards and direct

media to address the issue and how it affects customer perceptions of CSB.

The featured spokesperson for the lighthearted campaign is "Date Guy" a large walking and taking date who represents Y2K. Kick-off ads introduce him as being "Just A Date," and nothing-more.

"Date Guy is a simple interpretation of Y2K," says CSB. President & CEO John Mann.

The Banking industry is widely credited with being at the forefront of Y2K compliance, yet there are still fears misconceptions among some people that something will happen to their money when the calendar rolls forward to 2000. While we respect those concerns, we want very much to assure our customers that Chelsea State Bank is prepared. Date Guy helps convey that message through facts, humor and diligence.

"I think our ad agency (Edgar Norman Creative of Chelsea) was a little nervous about how we would respond

when they presented the campaign theme to us, when actually, we loved the concept. I'm sure it's quite different than what anyone else is doing."

The campaign delivers an ongoing message to the public to not panic, especially as the end of the year draws nearer. A series of newspaper ads features Date Guy promoting everything from auto loans, to home equity loans, to laserimage checking, while at the same time relating that he's "Just A Date."

According to a report from the U.S. Senate, banks and other financial-service firms are well-prepared for Y2K. Nevertheless, the federal government plans to stockpile an extra \$200 billion in cash, about one third more than usual, in anticipation of large amounts of money being withdrawn before New Year's Day, Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan advises people to not take out "wads of cash," explaining that the bank is still the safest place for money He also says that there's almost no conceivable way that computers will break down and

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CSB has invested soundly in the testing and monitoring of all of their computer systems as mandated by federal bank regulators.

We're looking at everything we do to affirm our Y2K compliance," says CSB executive vice president Scott Tan-

"This phenomenon concerns a lot of people, including our customers. The bank has not neglected this issue, we were here for our customers for year 1900 and we'll be here for

them 100 years later. Our plan is to take a positive, pro-active approach, with the help of the Date Guy, and a campaign that pokes a little fun at the whole issue. We think that the most critical part of Y2K has become the customer's ability to understand that their bank is ready.

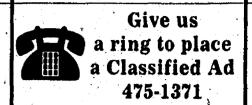
We think that it's very impor-

tant to get them to listen, and

the Date Guy helps us do that."

CSB will offer duplicate copies of year-end statements. It is also the only bank in Washtenaw County to offer LaserImage Checking, which provides imaged copies of all checks along with monthly statements. In addition, the bank still offers pass book saving accounts. Authorized customers could even sign on

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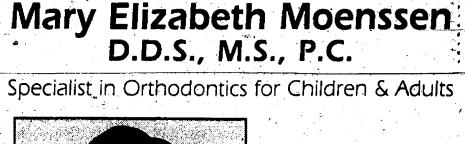
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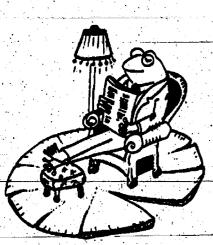
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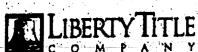
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Racist messages

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Last week's riots in the city of East Lansing, due to nothing more than the loss of an NCAA basketball game by the state university team, threatened the stability of community life. Authorities in that city have moved quickly to investigate, and arraignments of responsible parties have already been held. Senseless civil disobedience has been addressed and, to some degree, stability has been restored.

In our own community a more subtle threat to stability has surfaced in the form of white supremacy hate messages. At various locations anonymous individuals have place small, brightly colored stickers with messages decrying the white race as endangered and African Americans as the threat. Thankfully, the stickers that deface public property were promptly removed by our own community authorities. The challenge to resist the residue of racism, hate, and ignorance that is represented by whomever place these messages remains, however.

Chelsea is not a community that invites this kind of message. There is no evidence in our history that we support racist activities or pólitics. In this assault on community sensibility, those who do support such activities and polius who do not to respond and restore stability.

hate, and ignorance in our society and in our midst. We do not support these anonymous messages left in our community. For any members of our community concerned, confused, or frightened by what they have seen, there is support in our churches and other community organizations. For those outside of our community who represent this racist threat, these messages are not

> Chelsea Citizens of Conscience

Woman's plight gets no sympathy

Speaking for local residents who actually cherish the rural character of our surrounding communities and for those of us who can only dream of starting a small farming enterprise on 20 acres because of this area's ridiculously overinflated real estate prices, I am compelled to comment on your recent cover article "Zoning stands in local woman's way."

Are we honestly expected to sympathize with this person who, even under current zoning restrictions, stands to probably make hundreds of thousands of dollars by carving up more farmland to create yet another subdivision but still isn't satisfied?

This country is full of people who haven't been able to save adequately for retirement, and who aren't sitting on a real estate gold mine. Are we supposed to be moved by one more story of a greedy land owner or developer hiring an attorney to bench or change local ordinances to selfishly increase their profit margin with complete disregard for both the impact on the surrounding community and the true desires of local citizens?

My family and I relocated to Webster Township because of the rural atmosphere and because of the agricultural zoning. Recently, however, developers have pushed for and tics have challenged those of succeeded in having our local zoning changed with complete disregard for the desires of those of us who live in the This letter is written in re- area and with a complete lack sponse to the forces of racism, of any sort of Democratic due process involving those of us who are left behind to deal with problems of increased population, traffic and stress placed on community services. The enterprise that my family and I have invested a considerable amount of money and physical labor into may also be jeopardized.

However, we may be looking at this issue without the proper entrepreneurial spirit. Maybe our local planning commission is "controlling our capital" by not allowing us to install a medical waste incinerator or a toxic waste holding tank on our property.

Perhaps building a fast food restaurant on our five acres would be extremely profitable. After all, shouldn't I or my heirs be entitled to make the most of my huge investment? I guess we had better hire an attorney.

Mike Briggs

Holidays losing their real meaning

On April 4, Christians celebrated the Day of Resurrection as they have done throughout the centuries. It is a most joyous celebration and it reaffirms Christ as Lord of all. All too often we Americans are confronted with days of secular celebration and, indeed, even those of great religious significance are "converted" to the secular.

Some examples are "Christmas" starting at about Halloween when merchants begin to gear up for the big selling season, school holidays being renamed "winter' or "spring" break, Easter "bunnies" receiving more "press" than the reclaiming of the world by Christ and so it goes.

We apparently are being told that our country is less interested in its life and morality than it is in the number of buying days until Christmas or Easter. We turn out in droves each Sunday during football season and stay home in the same numbers from our synagogues churches, mosques.

Polls have become more important in running the country than the actions of honest and courageous leaders. Somewhere along the line we seem to have lost our way. In all likelihood if the Founders and writers of the early days of the USA were alive and writing today, they would have had to leave out all references to God in their efforts. Isn't it odd that the Houses of Congress can have a chaplain pray but our schoolchildren cannot? Wake up America, we are losing our soul!

The Rev. Dr. Jerrold Beaumont St. Barnabas Church

Street Talk

By Amanda Tarantowski

In your opinion, is Chelsea lacking any type of business?



"I think that we could use a recreation area for kids that would include a Baton Corps, and other sports for children."

> Sherry Erskine **DexterTownship**



"I think that we're doing fine. I don't want to see Chelsea grow too fast, or sprawl."

> Cheryl Oberholtzer **Dexter Township**



"We could really use a shoe store, because right now we have to go all of the way to Ann Arbor for good shoes."

> **Trish Carpenter** Sylvan-Township



don't think that we need anything, and I'm not really excited about seeing much more growth."



public pool with a water slide would be a lot of fun." Jeremy Pane Dexter Township

Let's post developers' commandments

I-gotta tell you, ever since I got that letter last week aboutthe Burma Shave highway signs, I've been looking around. And I can't help but notice that God is now in the billboard business. Well, I guess it is one way to get the word out. Why don't we follow His lead?

Like maybe instead of having all this confusion about what developers can and can't do, Chelsea could come up with some commandments and put them up on billboards. That way, all a developer would have to do is drive through town and then decide if they wanted to put up with us or not.

It might surprise you, but I have some suggestions about the Chelsea Commandments. Here we go.

• Thou shalt not put up any more towers in our little town because we already have so many of them they hardly all fit.



UNCLE APOLLO

• Thou shalt not put up any more billboards, since it took 10 to put up all these commandments and that's plenty.

 Thou shalt not put anything in our gateway that we don't want to be there, even though we don't know quite what we do want or where our gateway is yet, but we're trying to figure it

• Thou shalt buy cookies and other stuff from all the kids that plague you during the summer.

If you don't buy cookies and

stuff like it says above, thou shalt feel terribly guilty and at

least donate something to one of our local-charities in-penance-foryour guilt. • Thou shalt not speak Ann Arborese inside the village lim-

• Thou shalt not look like an Ann Arborite except if you're here for a dinner and a play.

Thou shalt not make disparaging remarks about biscuits.

• Thou shalt bow and pay homage to any wooden cows which you encounter.

Notwithstanding any anything in any of the other commandments, thou shalt try to fit in around here by being a good neighbor, cleaning up after your dog like all of the other responsible citizens except the jerks, keeping your lawn mowed to not more than two inches in height, buying stuff from the downtown merchants, and not voting in village elections.



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Commissioner Colors Eggs

Washtenaw County Commissioner Joseph Yekulis of Chelsea colored Easter eggs with Cameron Inglis, 7, of Manchester at the Dexter Senior Center on Friday. Yekulis was invited to the center for an Easter brunch and presented a check for \$2,500 from the county to help with the center's annual

Farmers, legislators meet

Farmland preservation, the Right-to-Farm Act, Project-GREEN and a host of other issues were discussed as some 400 Michigan farmers expressed their agricultural concerns to legislators during Michigan Farm Bureau's annual Lansing Legislative Seminar, Feb. 9, in the Lansing

Farmers from across the state, representing Michigan's diverse agricultural industry, attended the annual pairing of farmers and legislators.

Washtenaw County Farm Bureau participants included Ruth Broesamle, Laverne Leach, Christina Litrones, Harold Trinkle, David Dejanovich, Nancy Geiger and Perry Plouf.

Three breakout sessions served as educational and discussion forums for Farm Bureau members before they met legislators during a late afternoon reception.

The Right-to-Farm Act's Sec. 4, which allows township zoning to supersede the act. continued to be of great concern for many farming operations, particularly livestock.

Farmland preservation was also a hot topic, as farmers explored possible solutions to Michigan's declining farmland. A presentation was offered by Michigan Farm Bureau's new farmland preservation director, Jim Fuerstenau, on agricultural security areas, which are blocks of land set aside for farmland.

Farmers continued to push for further funding of Project GREEEN, which is an effort to boost the state's economy by expanding Michigan's plantbased agriculture and processing systems through research and educational programs while protecting and preserving the quality of the environment and the safety of the food supply.

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The seminar served as an opportunity to honor those legislators who have served agriculture well. Sen. Harry Gast was presented with Michigan Farm Bureau's top honor the 1998 Distinguished Service to Agriculture Award. In addi-

tion, Sen. George McManus was honored with the prestigious 1998 Michigan Farm Bureau Silver Plow Award.

Michigan Farm Bureau is the state's largest general farm organization with 169,202 member families.

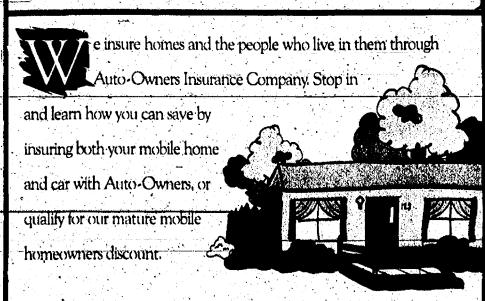
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IRS offers tax help

By Gary Gosselin Heritage Newspapers

The following information has been furnished by the Internal Revenue Service.

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The IRS publishes free tax information to help small business owners and sole proprietors tackle their tax obligations.

Publication 334, Tax Guide for Small Business, provides general information for sole proprietors who file Schedule C or C-EZ. Publication 1518 is a 12-month wall calendar for small businesses that provides tax tips ranging from starting a small business to planning for retirement.

It also shows the taxes due each month, lists other free publications and describes ways to get tax and business' information from the IRS and other agencies. Publication 910, Guide to Free Tax Services, describes year-round tax services, tax season assistance and frequently requested publications for businesses and individuals.

These and other IRS publications and forms are available by calling 1-800-829-3676.

Those who don't want to wait for publications throughthe mail and have access to a personal computer will find that the IRS Web site, www.irs.ustreas.gov, offers forms, publications and interactive assistance.

And, with a quick look ahead to Jan. 1, 2000, some computer based systems will begin processing information as if it were Jan. 1, 1900. This is called the Year 2000 problem or the "Y2K bug." It may cause problems for businesses unless they act now.

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First take a self-assessment test. People should check their computers, as well as any electronic equipment that uses time-sensitive embedded electronic chips. The U.S. Small Business Administration's Y2K Web site explains how to take this test.

Second, take action now. People should fix any Y2K problems they uncover and

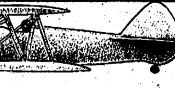
test their results. They can ask their vendors for assistance.

Third, stay informed. Logging onto various Internet Y2K sites is an excellent way to stay current, and the SBA Web site is a good place to start.

Businesses should ask their banks, building managers; suppliers, customers and others critical to their business if they are Y2K compliant.

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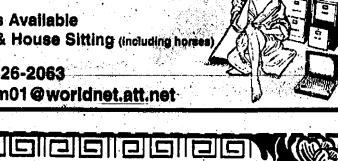


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Ann Terpstra, a 1996 Chelsea graduate and standout player as a junior at Adrian, has had to work twice as hard because of a learning disability she has had since childhood.

Learning disability doesn't stop grad from meeting goals

By Frank Dimich Special Writer

t one point this season, Ann Terpstra's and Carolyn Bollenbacher's mothers were talking after an Adrian College basketball game. Bollenbacher's mother pointed out to Ann's mother, Cheryl, that Ann was different from her teammate Carolyn.

"Carolyn's not like Annie. (Annie) really doesn't have to work hard to get good grades," Bollenbacher's mother told Cheryl.

Nothing could be further from the truth. In fact, Ann, a 1996 Chelsea graduate and standout player as a junior at Adrian, has had to work twice as hard because of a learning disability she has had since childhood.

'Their perception is Annie doesn't have to work hard and that's not the case," Cheryl says. Maybe the 3.8 grade point average she has

maintained throughout high school and college fools people. Maybe she would like you to think she is just like any other successful high-school player who

made the transition to college ball. She has led her league in scoring the past two seasons while playing for Adrian in the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association and aver-

aged 15.5 points this season and 16.1 in 1997-98. Maybe that's understandable because Ann wants it that way, as she doesn't tell her team-

mates or anyone else about it unless they ask. "I don't want them to look at me differently," she says. "I figure, what difference does it make?

I'm still the same person." Adrian senior guard Mar Applegate describes Ann as intelligent but shy.

"She's more willing to open up if she knows she can trust you," Applegate says. "I think when she realizes that people aren't going to make fun of her, she'll talk."

There was a time when people made fun of Ann.

"Freshman year of high school, I got teased quite a bit," Ann says. "People started treating me different like I was kind of weird or something."

"I knew people would make fun of me (in college)," she says to explain why she keeps talk about her disability to a minimum. "I didn't want to make a big deal out of it. It would take a lot of explaining."

The explanation is that Ann has a speech and language disability, and those difficulties increase when she tries to grasp math and science concepts.

But she has made up for it with her work ethic. "She has great study habits; she's had to," Cheryl

Her work ethic doesn't end in the classroom. She carries it right onto the basketball floor

Her father, Paul, the junior varsity girls' coach at Chelsea, says Ann has always been a good . shooter — demonstrated by her 59.8 field-goal? percentage this season at Adrian — but had to work on getting better defensively in college. "You play almost exclusively man-to-man, it's

also a faster-paced game," he says. "You have to communicate more on defense,"

Ann says. Ann has gotten quicker by losing weight off her

6-1 frame since high school, thanks to a more rigorous training program put in place by Adrian coach Kathy Morris.

"Part of the program is that I lifted weights and became stronger," she says.

Paul, who has coached for more than 30 years between boys and girls at the high-school level, has been like a personal coach to her.

"He has had a strong influence on my game," Ann says. "He always tells me after the game to work on something ... He's very strict."

"I kind of worked with her even on the varsity level," Paul says. "All players need to be reminded of the things they need to be doing. I can't do it as well in college because I'm not as close to the situation."

Now it's Morris who's close to the situation, and she says Ann has improved defensively.

"Ann has really improved her footwork," Morris says. "Her sophomore year, she spent a lot of time working on agility. A lot of that she had to do in the off-season."

Working in the off-season is nothing new for Ann, as she has dedicated her time to just one

"She always has been able to spend hours in the driveway," Paul says. "She would spend hours working on her shot. Everything she's done has required her to work."

Her high school coach, Charles Waller, talks about her work ethic by telling of the time he came to practice and saw Ann throwing up in a trash can outside of the school because she refused to miss practice, even if she was sick.

Waller says that even though she had a great

shot, her movement was slow. But she got faster as her career continued.

"Her hard work was unbelievable," he says. "She worked all the way through high school to get faster.

"It was hard for the other kids to give less than 120 percent when Annie was having a hard time and working so hard."

Waller built the offense around Ann's ability to shoot, and she thrived in the system, scoring 1,236 points in her three years on varsity, a Chelsea record. She averaged 20 points and 16.5 rebounds her senior year, and still holds the school record for points in a game with 35.

She was a three-time All-Region and All-Southeastern Conference selection. In 1995, her senior year, she was named First-Team All State and was selected as The Ann Arbor News Regional Player of the Year out of the 26 schools in the newspaper's coverage area. She helped the Bulldogs to two consecutive SEC and district titles in 1994 and 1995.

"She has the quality of shot of a good male player," Waller says. "We built the offense around her ability to get 15 a game."

But in her senior year, she proved she could rebound and play defense, as she was forced to carry more of that load because of the graduation of forward Courtney Thompson in 1995.

She considered attending Alma and St. John Fisher College in Rochester, N.Y., but chose to attend Adrian primarily because it's close to

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Swager rises from the docks to the classroom

By Michelle Rogers Associate Editor

Eric Swager's natural curiosity and scientific mind led him from the docks of a freight company in Indiana to the class-

This past fall, he marked his seventh year as a science teacher at Chelsea High School.

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Although his father was a teacher, a career in education wasn't the obvious choice for Swager.

"I never really thought about it," he says.

But after working several years as a dock foreman for a freight company in Indiana, Swager found himself looking for something else.

"Dealing with the rotten attitude of the Teamsters every day was terrible," he says. "Teaching lets you deal with individuals who still have a little zest for life. The atmosphere

here is just 1,000 times better." Swager earned a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from Western Michigan University in 1987. He returned to study physics and math, adding a teaching degree in 1991. Five years ago, Swager finished a master's degree in math. education.

"I am not your typical physics type with your pocket protector," Swager says. "I am into a lot of other stuff, athletic stuff like hunting. I also sing and do a lot of other stuff you wouldn't think a typical physics teacher would be into."

Swager has strong religious convictions and says he chose. teaching as a career because it was the best way he knew to serve God.



Eric Swager's natural curiosity and scientific mind led him from the docks of a freight company in Indiana to the classroom. This past fall, he marked his seventh year as a science teacher at Chelsea High School.

"My goal was to try and use the talents I have to serve God the best," he says. "And I think he has blessed me with some skills that have let me effectively impart knowledge.

"After working a few years at the freight, I knew that was what I didn't want to do. I did "I have an ability to withstand some praying and thought about

where I could use my brain and craziness at all times. talents and that's what it came to. And it has worked out wonderfully."

It's at the high school level where Swager says he has found his niche. "I am the oldest of 11 kids, so

I am used to mayhem," he says.

"And I was always good at

math and science. I enjoy using. my brain and teaching other people to think. Anything that requires people to use their brains and make sense of things is something I latch onto.

"Middle school would drive me nuts," he says. "High school

students are more like real peopie. They actually act somewhat more like adults."

In Swager's physics classes he says he does anything it takes to stimulate the minds of his students. He says vocabulary tests and assignments that require memorization don't work. He emphasizes hands-on learning.

"What I have them do-is solve problems and answer the question why to real-world situations. For example, why is the sky blue? They should be able to use physics' principles to explain that."

Swager says he is known to have high expectations and his class has a reputation of being one of the toughest at Chelsea High School.

"(My class) is one of the hardest in the school because I claim most kids haven't really learned how to think and analyze on a deep enough level, and that's what I try to teach,"

For instance, Swager says he expects students to explain their answers and draw a picture to demonstrate such things as why it's cold during the winter and hot in the summer.

"The funny thing is the majority of people couldn't accurately give you the right reason to why it's cold in the winter and hot in the summer," he says. "The thing is, they've never thought about it. There is a reason why and I expect my students to figure it out.

"I get really good kids who work hard and try and get their brains to work. When they work you can see their thinking skills develop."

As a result of his efforts in the classroom and his religious beliefs, Swager hopes students. see him as someone who has high expectations and who lives a moral life.

"I hope the students perceive me in the classroom as someone who has high standards and, in general, I hope they see me as someone with quality values

and a Christian lifestyle." Swager says he does not share his religious beliefs in the classroom but he does with

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The Chelsen Standard

Parents' safety fears origin of swimming star's career

By Frank Dimich Special Writer

Josh Hack first got involved with swimming at age 9 by taking lessons from the Chelsea Aquatics Club so his parents didn't have to worry about him when he went into the family's

"I just went from lessons into the swim program," he said. "I was one of those kids who was always making excuses to get out of work, but I decided to put some work into it and see what happens. My times started dropping and I got into it."

Now, it's probably safe to say there's no need for his parents to worry about his safety in the water considering the senior has won individual state swimming championships for Chelsea High School three years in a row. His most recent titles were in the 100yard breaststroke, his third straight in that event, and the 200-yard individual medley which helped the Bulldogs to a sixth-place finish at this year's Class B-C-D state meet March

Last season, he was named an honorable-mention high school All-American, and finished first in the 200-yard freestyle and the 100-yard breaststroke. He has a good chance to match or better his All-American status this season, considering he was named co-swimmer of the year by the Michigan Interscholastic Coaches Association.

"He's just a very unique kid. He's going to be swimming at a Division I school somewhere," Chelsea coach David Jolly said. "He takes everybody with him to a different level. I feel real privileged for the opportunity to work with

Despite Hack's instrumental role in Chelsea's swimming. success over the past three years, he said he hasn't felt any pressure.

"I don't think it affects me," he said. "I just swim to have fun, and as long as I'm doing that, it doesn't bother me."

A large part of Hack's success can be attributed to his versatility.

"With_the_exception_of_the backstroke, he-could-win-any event here," Jolly said. "(But) his forte is the breast, that's where he's being recruited for college."

Case in point: This season he set a Southeastern Conference record in the 100 breaststroke with a time of 1:00.55.

However, he does have some trouble with shorter swims on relays, even though his 200-yard freestyle relay team finished second and his 400-freestyle relay team fin-



Chelsea High School senior Josh Hack has been among the most successful swimmers in the school's history. He has won individual titles at the state level two years running and was named honorable mention for All-American last year.

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ished fourth at the SEC meet difficult," Jolly said. "He's a this season.

"He's a big, tall lanky kid and for him to turn it over is

High Game: Bob McDougal, 231; Dawn Weatherwax, 224

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Hack is most likely going to be taking his efficiency to the University of Minnesota because of the quality of its engineering and swimming program. He will most likely major in chemical engineering. However, he is not getting a scholarship to go there.

"I really didn't look into other schools that would've offered me scholarships," he said. "The biggest determining factor was the quality of the school."

Hack's graduation may not leave as much of a void as many would think, especially with his brother, Andy, on the team. Andy, a sophomore, was third in the state in the 100 backstroke for the second year and sixth in the 200 individual medley. He expects his role to change next season.

"Coach said I'd be switching events more often, I'd be more versatile," Andy said. "I'm kind of like filling his shoes ... He's a pretty good role model for me.'

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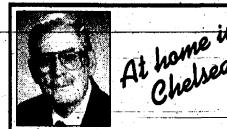
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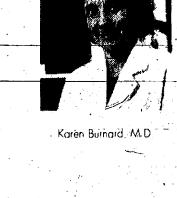
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Guards get postseason cage honors

By Frank Dimich Special Writer

For the second consecutive year, Chelsea senior guard Rourke Skelton was named to the All-Southeastern Confersence Second Team.

Skelton averaged 10.8 points, 2.7 rebounds, led the team with 33 steals and was second with 75 assists for the season He shot 75 percent from the free throw line.

"I think I deserved it, but there were others who did as well," Skelton said.

Others could include senior

guard, Aaron Ruhlig, who was given Honorable Mention, averaging 6.0 points; 2.2 rebounds, was second on the team in steals with 29 and led with 77 assists. He was named the Bulldog's Most Valuable Player for the season.

"He was our leader in hustle and he was our best allaround player," Cheisea coach Robin Raymond said.

Another who may have deserved mention was junior center Alan Bairley, who led the team with 122 rebounds (5.3 per game), 278 points

These girls had a fine season under coach Linda Turok. In front, from left, are Ashley Gadbury, Cat.

Carty, Missy Morcom, Meghan Reames, Beth Robertson and Tiffany Shreves. In the second row are

manager Heidi Cobb, Sidney Olinyk, Becky Sprague, Nicole Collins, Melissa Koch, Maureen Callery.

Rachel Dotson and manager Sabrina Roberson. In back are manager Lauren LeFree, Lindsay Parker,

Jenna Connelly, Renee Johnston, Devon Lixey, Brittany Denison, Jessica Manitz and Turok.

(12.0), 29 blocks and a 56 percent field-goal percentage. He was named the team's Most Improved Player.

"Certainly we're going to miss the leadership and work ethic of Skelton and Ruhlig." Raymond said.

Both Ruhlig and Skelton are three-sport athletes who both run track, which helps their speed. "I think one of their attributes is their quickness and speed," Raymond said. "They run the court well."

Skelton attributes his suc-

cess to starting at an early age, encouraged by his older brothers who also played at

"I enjoy the fact that most classes are introduced to the (Chelsea basketball) system at an early age," he said "I think its a definite benefit because you know more about what to expect at an early age. I think it gives our program a leg up"

Skelton's game made a marked improvement in scoring this season. "Last year, I didn't look for my shot, I got a lot more assists and I was focused defensively," he said.

Skelton, who also plays football, will most likely attend Mount Union, a Division III college in Ohio, to play football.

Also receiving recognition at Chelsea's annual basketball banquet was junior guard Sean Davis, who led the team with 29 three-point field goals and 239 plus points.

Plus points is a statistic-Raymond keeps for plays like steals, blocked shots, forced turnovers and other good defensive plays. Negative points are earned and cancel out plus points for mistakes, such as turnovers and fouls.

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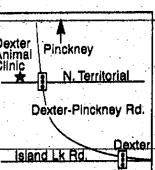
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In recent years, schools no tonger have an Easter vacation, but "spring break," which doesn't always occur right at Easter time. This bothers some Christians, and I myself often slip and refer to school breaks as "Easter "Christmas Vacation," or Vacation.'

Some Christians believe that using terms like "spring break" and "winter break" are a politically correct way of further separating the Christian religion from our society.

- Actually I believe it's the other

way around: Our society has become less Christian, and for us Christians to force our labels on the school system would be intrusive. If public schools use religious references, the time may come when that backfires and we end up celebrating holy days of non-Christian religions. The public schools are wise to use a neutral term.

Don't get me wrong. I firmly believe there is only one true religion. Jesus said, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me" (John 14:6). And I'm thankful to have grown up in a society which was favorable to my faith. Our calling, though, is not to force our religion on the society, but to win people for eternal life by offering God's Word.

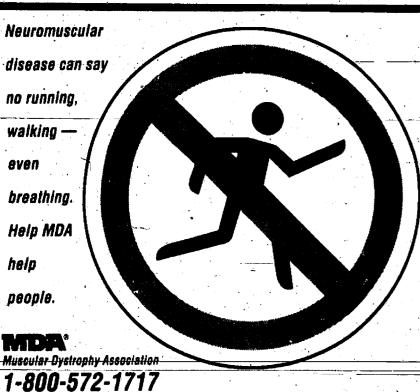
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- 3. For each sample, remove a trowel-full of soil which extends seven inches below the surface. Do not include roots, thatch, plant materials, rocks or gravel in the sample. Mix the ten soil samples together in the pail.
 - Place I cup of the well-mixed soil in a clean plastic bag or container. Dry or damp soil is okay, but soggy soil should be allowed to air dry.
- 5. If you wish to test more than one area of your yard, use a clean pall and trowel to repeat steps #1 - #4 for each area. Label each bag carefully.
 - 6. Bring your soil sample to a participating retailer starting March 27 through April 11, along with \$10 per sample. For a list of participating retailers in Livingston, Macomb, Oakland, Washtenaw or Wayne counties call 248-858-0880 or check out the website at http://www.msue.msu.edu/oakland (SE Oakland County residents can also call SOCRRA at 248-288-5150).
- 7. Your soil will be tested for pH, essential nutrients for the plants you intend to grow, and organic matter. Note: this is not a test for contamination of soils.
 - 8. The Soil & Plant Nutrient Laboratory at MSU will be testing samples. The results will be forwarded to your local Extension Office, where agents will provide individual recommendations.

Results will be mailed directly to you in time



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Play Preparation

Dexter High School students are preparing to put on a production of Annie. Pictured preparing the electrical set for the performances are Jesse Miller and Jacob Munson. Performances are slated April 15-17 at Copeland Auditorium.

CCH to hold special tea

Chelsea Community Hospital Women's Health Center will present a "Mother-Daughter Tea" 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, April 25, at Cousins Heritage Inn, Dexter

Mothers and their adolescent daughters (ages 11-14) may enjoy tea and appetizers while listening to experts discuss the passage through adolescence.

Dr. Mary Westhoff, a pediatrician and Chelsea Community Hospital staff member, will discuss body, mood and hormonal changes. Francey Wheeler, Chelsea Community Hospital, a registered dietitian, will speak on nutrition and body image.

Space is limited. Please call (734) 475-4103 for information and registration.

Pinckney Players hold 'Peanuts' show April 23

The Pinckney Players will present, "You're A Good Man, Charlie Brown," at the Jane Tasch Performing Arts Theater at Pinckney High School in collaboration with the Livingston Symphony Orchestra.

The musical brings the world of Charlie Brown and the "Peanuts" gang to theatrical

Originally premiering on Broadway in New York in 1967, it has charmed critics and audiences alike for many years. It has become one of the world's most popular musicals.

Performance dates are Friday, April 23, at 7:30 p.m. and Saturday, April 24, at 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

For more information call the Pinckney Players hotline at (810) 220-9332.

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4. "Barney" — purebred Beagle, neutered male, tri-

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5. "Meg" — Border Collie/Lab. mix puppy, 11 weeks, female, must spay, long hair, black/white, last of litter.

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1. "Jax" — purebred Bengal, neutered male, short-medium coat, spotted 1 year, can be talkative.

2. "Higgins" - black/white, male, must neuter, adult, abandoned, medium-long hair. very friendly.

3. "Missy" — blue point Siamese, spayed female, 3 years old, vaccinated, declawed, can go as barn cat or in closed room.

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6. "Precious" - spayed female, orange, short hair, used to another cat, 6 years old.

7. "Sugar" — 4 years old, spayed female, gray/black tiger, used to another cat.

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medium coat. 9. "Tommy" — neutered male, 1 year, declawed, white with orange markings, used to

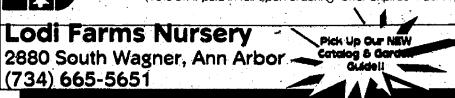
cats, small kids.

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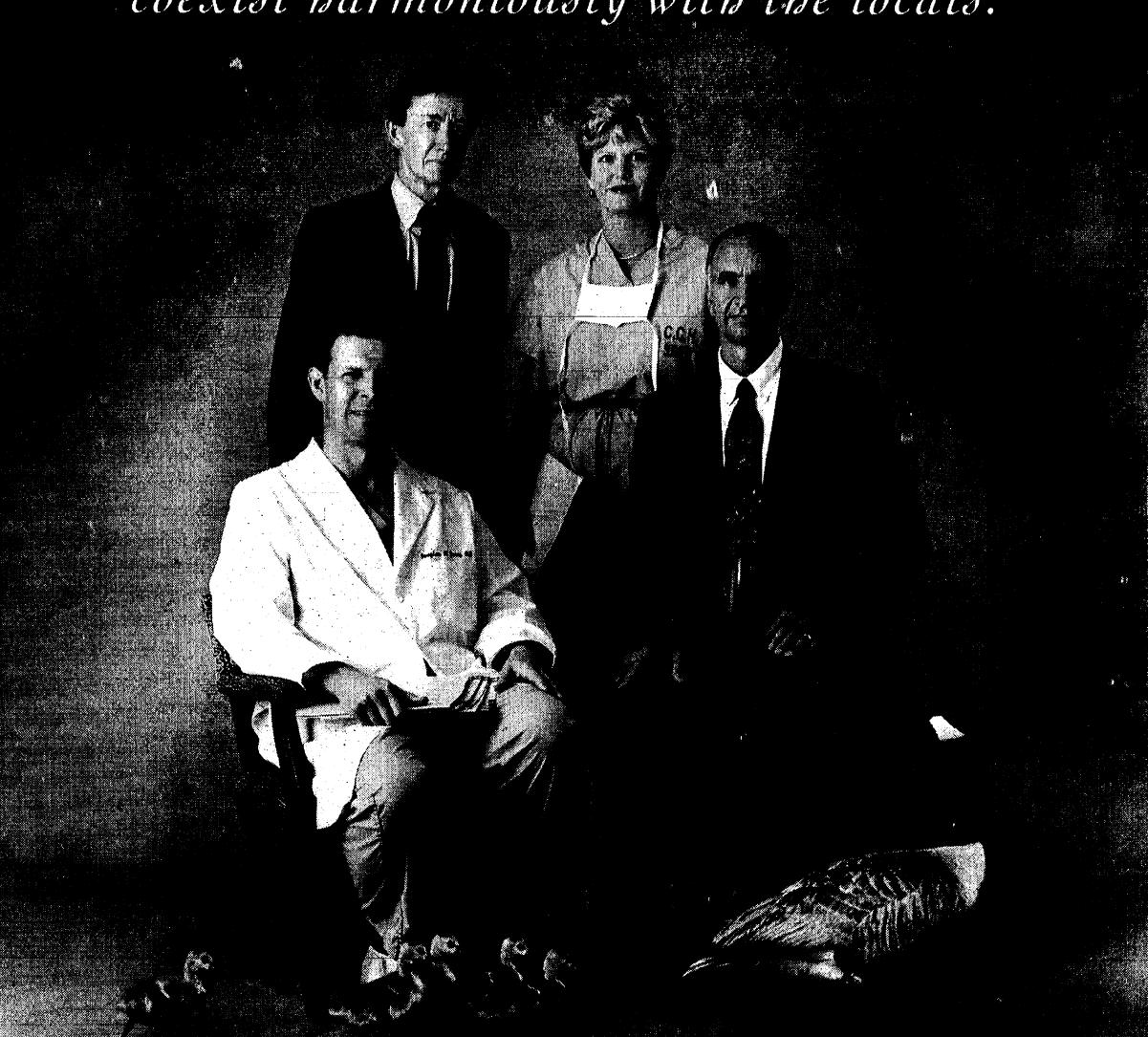
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Independent Probate FILE NO. 99-329-IE Estate of Charlotte S. Richter, Social Security No. TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

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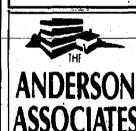
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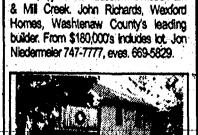


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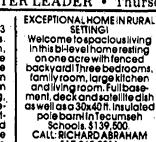
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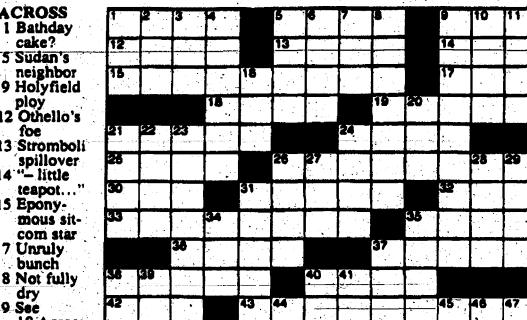
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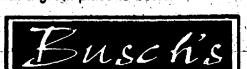
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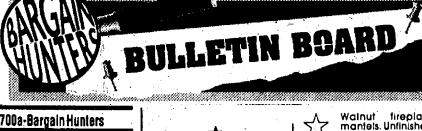
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CRC residents dramatize Bible

Several residents of Chelsea Retirement Community brought the word of God to life with dramatic readings presented during regular Wednesday evening Lenten services in the community chapel. The readings asked and answered questions people have and helped the congregation feel the deep emotions surrounding the passion story.

The Community's Religious Life Committee chose as this year's Lenten theme "The Seven Last Words form the Cross." Readers utilized resources from Creative Communications for the Parish.

Each week during Lent, members of the committee dramatized one of the last words from the cross. The dramatic readings served to bring Christ's words to life.

For each presentation, three readers were stationed at dif-

ferent locations within the chapel. The use of three different voices from different places around the sanctuary helped to focus the congregation on Christ's suffering, and His loving, final thoughts from

The Seven Last Words From the Cross Father forgive them. Today you will be with me in paradise. Woman, behold your son.

My God, my God, why have you forsaken me. I thirst. It is finished. Father, into your hands

I commend my spirit.

With the assistance of Chelsea Retirement 'Community's in-house chaplain, the Rev. Gordon Schleicher, a number of residents participated in the dramatic readings. They



Residents of Chelsea Retirement Community performed passages from the Bible for a Lenten service recently. Pictured are residents Rev. Kearney Kirkby, Berniece Frederick and Marian Schilling rehearsing for the show.

included Omega Field, the up to eight years. Rev. Kearney Kirkby, Ila Ridenour, Berniece Frederick, Marian Schilling, Carol Stidwell, and the Rev. Heath Goodwin. All have been active residents of the community for

For more information about religious life at Chelsea Retirement Community contact Schleicher or Shirley Mitchell at (734) 475-8633 or by e-mail at: CRCinfo@umre.com.

Scholarship applications due

The deadline for scholarships given by the Chelsea Education Foundation is Thursday, April 15.

This year the foundation will give two new scholarships for students planning careers in engineering or teaching.

The Robert Wagner Engineering Scholarship and the Judith Lynn Wagner Owens Teaching Scholarship are being funded by an endowment the foundation recently received. Both scholarships will go to Chelsea residents.

The foundation will also award its usual scholarships.

The Joseph Piasecki Memorial Scholarship, named in honor of the late former school district superintendent, will go to a graduating senior who is continuing his or her education at a college or trade school.

The Mary Merkel Memorial Scholarship will go to a Chelsea resident who is pursuing an associate degree, bachelor's degree or master's degree in a health-related field.

The foundation also awards two Chelsea Education Foundation Scholarships. They also go to students who plan to attend a college or trade school. One is presented to a nontraditional student, such as someone who is returning to school after taking time out to raise family.

The foundation also awards a Washtenaw Community College Scholarship to someone who plans to attend WCC. It also awards the Walter P. and Helen May Leonard Scholarship, funded by Heritage Newspapers, to someone who plans to attend college or trade school: The Leonard Scholarship, named for the former publishers of The Cheisea Standard, favors someone who has been active in the community and has financial need.

Applications are available at the Chelsea High School Counseling Office, the Chelsea Community Education Office and the Chelsea Community Hospital Office of Human Resources.

Applications must be returned to the high school counseling office, the community education office or P.O. Box 295, Chelsea, by April 15.

BRIEFS

Book Club meets April 12

Chelsea District Library's Mystery Book Club will help kick off Chelsea's National Library Week celebration next week by attending an author's presentation by Chelsea mystery author Laura Kasischke.

Kasischke will speak at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, April 12, in the Atrium Room at Chelsea Community Hospital.

Kasischki will talk about her highly acclaimed mystery novels, "White Bird in a Blizzard" and "Suspicious River." For more information call the Chelsea District Library at **475-8732**.

Garden Club meets April 12

The Chelsea Area Garden Club will meet at 12:30 p.m., Monday, April 12, at the Chelsea First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St.

Program for the day will be announced. No experience is needed to attend, just a love of gardening.

Members and guests are welcome. For more information call Christine Forsch at 475-4273.

General Chelsea scholarships available

Any high school senior who will be attending a college, university or a vocational school in the fall may apply for a scholarship through the Chelsea Scholarship Committee.

This local committee disperses funds for scholarships through contributions from various clubs, businesses and individuals, including donations from the Chelsea chapter of the National Honor Society via "Tag Day."

Awards will be given to more than 20 students through this committee, utilizing applications forms distributed by the Chelsea High School counseling office. The same applications covers the various individual awards and may be picked up at this time at the high school.

Garden Club rescheduled

the Chelsea Evening Primrose Garden Club has rescheduled last month's speaker at 7 p.m. for Wednesday, April 14, at the about gardening are welcome. Chelsea First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St.

Kathy Kersten will present director, at 665-4703.

Due to inclement weather, the program "Vegetable Gardening - A French Potager." All who are interested in learning and sharing more

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Scouts planning food drive

-Local Scout leaders from the Chelsea Area have begun planning for this years community service project, Scouting for Food. This activity will use the efforts of local Girl Scouts, Club Scouts and Boy Scouts.

On Saturday, April 17, Scouts will go door to door, distributing food bags to area residents. The following Saturday, April 24, the Scouts will go back to collect the donated food. Items may be left in the bag on your doorstep or porch.

Food collected will be donated to Faith in Action. Scouts need to report to the Faith in Action building both Saturday, April 17 and 24 between 9 a.m. and noon.

For more information call Nancy Neff at 475-2188.

Lima rezones land for housing project

Lima Township Board voted 3-0 to rezone a 70-acre parcel southeast of the corner of Trinkle and N. Fletcher from agricultural to rural residential.

The rezoning will allow John Daniels and Al Baker to develop three-acre single-family residential units. The previous zoning only allowed one per 10 acres.

Daniels has said in the past that the development will be along the lines of Upland Hills on E. Old US 12.

Trustees Harold Trinkle and Robert Heller were not in attendance for the vote.

VILLAGE OF DEXTER NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Michigan Public Act 207 of 1921, as amended, notice is hereby given that the Dexter Village Council will hold a public hearing Monday, April 28, 1999 at 8:00 p.m. at the National City Bank Building, 8123 Main Street, Second Floor Meeting Room, Dexter, Michigan, for the purpose of hearing public comment regarding an application filed by Variety Die and Stamping Company, 2221 Bishop Circle East, Dexter, Michigan, for an Industrial Facilities (Tax) Exemption Certificate.

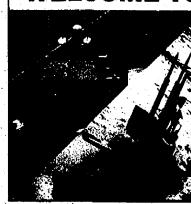
Variety Die and Stamping Company is a manufacturer of metal stampings and assemblies for the automotive and lawn and garden industries. The exemption would apply to a 4,860 square foot addition to the existing building located in the Dexter Business and Research Park, as well as to new equipment. Information regarding the application is available for public inspection at the

Village Office, 8140 Main Street, Dexter, weekdays between 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Written comments regarding this project should be submitted to the Village Clerk, and must be received no later than 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 21, 1999, Sign language interpreter, or other assistance, is provided upon request to the Clerk, at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting. Minutes of all meetings are available at Village

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VILLAGE OF CHELSEA **NOTICE**

Starting the night of Sunday, April 11 at 11:00 p.m., the Village of Chelsea will begin it's annual hydrant flushing program.

The flushing will take place between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. Sunday nights through Thursday nights. We expect this flushing season to last at least 3 weeks.

Residents are advised to check the color and condition of their laundry before doing laundry.

Thank you for your cooperation.

TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON **NOTICE OF BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING**

The Lyndon Township Board will hold a public hearing on the proposed township budget for fiscal year 99-2000 at Lyndon Township Hall, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118 on April 13, 1999 at 7:00 p.m.

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

A copy of the budget is available for public inspection at Lyndon Township Hall Clerk's office, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, Mi 48118, phone 734/475-2401. This notice is posted in compliance with PA 267 of 1976 as amended (Open

Meeting Act), MCLA 41.72a(2)(3) and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). , The Lyndon Township Board will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting upon 7 business days notice to the Lyndon Township Clerk.

Individuals with disabilities requiring auxillary aids or services should contact the Lyndon Township Clerk by writing or calling the following: Janis Knieper, Clerk, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118 or phone 475-2401.

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

DEXTER TOWNSHIP NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Dexter Township Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a meeting on Tuesday, April 3, 1999 at 7:30 p.m., at the Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter Pinckney Rd.,

Agenda: 1) Dennis Abraham, Tax Code: 04-06-355-011,

14344 Edgewater. Tabled to a future meeting. 2) Mary & Michael Wenners, 8851 McGregor Lane, Dexter

Tax Code: 04-01-484-009

Applicant is requesting a variance from section 4.30.E.3 to allow a floor area ratio of 30%. Recognize existing non-conformities to remodel a single family dwelling, add a second story and a 26' x 36' garage. Would like to request approval without having to move the sewer line.

3) David & Susan Widmann, 9495 Shell Beach Rd., Pinckney. Tax Code: 04-01-407-036

Applicant requests relief from section 3.14.B to allow a 35' setback from the pond, rather than the required 50' setback, to construct a single story single family home; and recognize existing non-conformities.

4) Floyd & Mary Boyce, 7517 Noah's Landing, Gregory Tax Code: 04-18-100-022/036/037

Applicant requests relief from section 4.30.E to allow an increase in floor area ratio from existing 1.35% to 28.9%, rather than the permitted 15%, to add a second story to existing non-conforming single family residence on the same foundation and foot-print; and to recognize the existing non-conformities.

Sincerely, Coy Vaughn, Chairman

VILLAGE OF CHELSEA COUNTY OF WASHENAW, MICHIGAN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Village of Chelsea, Michigan will hold a public hearing on the proposed Village of Chelsea Draft Project Plan for improvements to the existing water system. The hearing will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 13, 1999 at the Sylvan Township Hall, 112 W. Middle Street, Chelsea, Michigan, 48118.

The purpose of the public hearing is to receive comments and views of interested persons on the Draft Project Plan and the environmental impacts of the proposed water system alternatives. The hearing is a requirement of the Michigan Drinking Water State Revolving Fund (DWRF) loan program, from which the Village of Chelsea is pursuing project funding.

The recommended plan includes the construction of the following elements: Construct new walls, wellhouse and connecting watermain to the existing water

Construct new telemetry system for wells, treatment plant and elevated storage.

Construct a new water softening treatment facility.

· Construct water main improvements to complete currently open loops and replace undersize mains. The opinion of probable cost of the proposed project is \$9,900,000. The estimated costs to a typical residential customer (including operation, maintenance and

equipment replacement costs) will be approximately \$22.00 per month. Copies of the plan detailing the proposed project will be available for public inspection at least 30 days prior to the public hearing at the Chelsea Village Office,

305'S. Main Street; Suite 100, Chelsea, Michigan, 48118. Written comments may be sent to Jack Myers, Village Manager, at the Village Office, 305 S. Main Street, Suite 100, Chelsea, Michigan, 48118, Written comments received by the close of the public hearing on April 13, 1999 will be entered into the

public hearing record. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services who wish to attend this public hearing should contact the Village of Chelsea at least five (5) business days in advance of said meeting by writing or calling the following: Village Clerk. Village of Chelsea, 305 S. Main Street, Suite 100, Chelsea, Michigan, 48118. Telephone (734) 475-1771.

Suzanne C. Morrison, Village Clerk

HOUSES OF WORSHIP

CHELSEA. Assembly of God First Assembly of God 14900 Old US-12, Chelsea (734) 475-2615 Rev. James Massey, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.

study. Chelsea Christian Fellowship 337 Wilkinson St. (734) 475-8305 John Dambacher, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.: Worship Service. 10 a.m.; Evening.

Service 6 p.m.

Baptist Faith Baptist Faith-In-Action Bldg. Main St., Chelsea (734) 475-7841 Jack Story, Pastor Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.

New Life Baptist Meeting in Pierce Lake Elementary School (734) 844-8017 David W. Pearson, Pastor Sunday: Worship, 10:15 a.m.

North Sharon Baptist Church 17999 Washburne Rd., Grass Lake (734) 428-7222 Bobby D. Toler, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service. 7 p.m., Wednesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m.

<u>Catholic</u> St. Mary Catholic Church 14200 Old US-12, Chelsea (734) 475-7561 Rev. Dr. William J. Turner, Pastor Sunday Masses: Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Sunday, 8 and 10 a.m. Weekday Mass: 9 a.m. Confessions: Saturday, 12-1 p.m.

Church of Christ Church of Christ 13661 E. Old US 12, Chelsea (734) 475-8458 Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.: Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.

Church of the Nazarene Church of the Nazarene 805 W. Middle St., Chelsea (734) 475-2526 Jeff Crowder, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. Wednesday: Small groups, 7 p.m. in homes.

<u>Episcopal</u> St Barnabas 20500 Old US-12, Chelsea (734) 475-8818 Rev. Dr. Jerrold Beaumont

Sunday: Christian Education, 10 a.m.; Services, 10 a.m. Wednesday: Services, 7:30 p.m.

<u>Free Methodist</u> Chelsea Free Methodist 7665 Werkner Rd. (734) 475-1391 Mearl Bradley, Senior Pastor Larry Lyons, Associate Pastor Mikel Henderson, Pastor of Youth Ministries Sunday: Traditional worship, 8:30

a.m.; Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.; Contemporary worship, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Mid-week services. <u>Lutheran</u>

Faith Evangelical (WELS) 9575 North Territorial, Dexter (734) 426-4302 or 426-8442 Rev. Mark Porinsky, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m.

Our Savior Lutheran 1515 S. Main St., Chelsea (734) 475-1404 Rev. Dale Grimm, Pastor Sunday: Heritage Service, 8:15 a.m.; Education Hour (all ages), 9:30 a.m.; Celebration Service, 10:30 a.m.; Junior Confirmation, 6:30 p.m.

St. Jacob Evangelical 12501 Riethmiller, Grass Lake 517-522-4187 Rev. Paul Huebner, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School and Bible Class, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10:15 a.m.

Zion Lutheran 3050 S. Fletcher Rd., Chelsea (734) 475-8064 David Hendricks, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School for all ages, 9 a.m.; Worship, Coffee Hour, Junior Choir, Catechism, 10:15; Bible Study, 7 p.m.

MethodistFirst United Methodist 128 Park St., Chelsea (734) 475-8119 Rev. Richard Dake Rev. Peggy R. Garrigues-Cortelyou Sunday: Traditional Worship, 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Sunday School (all ages), 9:45 a.m.

Manchester United Methodist Church 501 Ann Arbor Road, Manchester (734) 428-8495

Rev. Dave Mulder North Lake United 14111 North Territorial Rd. (734) 475-7569

Rev. Wayne Hawley, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Fellowship, −11:30 a∵m.: Tuesday: Bible Study, 7:15 p.m.;

Choir, 8 p.m. Salem Grove United Methodist 3320 Notten Rd., Grass Lake

(734) 475-2370

Corner M-52 & Pleasant Lake Rd. (734) 428-8430 Rev. Carter Garringues-Cartelyou Wednesday: Noon fellowship din-Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. (July and ner, followed by prayer & bible August only)

Waterloo Village United Methodist Church Washington St., Waterloo Kathy Kursch, Minister Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; Worship service, 11 a.m. Country Breakfast second Sunday each month. All you can eat. Free- will donation to Building Fund:

Rev. Carolyn & Rev. Daniel Harris

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;

Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Sharon United Methodist

Chelsea Retirement Chapel 805 W. Middle St., Chelsea (734) 475-8633 Rev. J. Gordon Schleicher Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.

 ${f Mormon}$ Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints Gary Spooner, President 1330 Freer Rd., Chelsea (734) 475-1778 Sunday: Sacrament, 9:30 a.m.;

<u>Non-Denominational</u> Baha'i Faith 705 S. Main St., Chelsea (734) 475-2718 Monday: Devotional meeting, 7

Sunday school, 10:50 a.m.; Priest-

hood and Relief Society, 11:45 a.m.

Chelsea Hospital Ministry 775 S. Main St., Chelsea (734) 475-1311

p.m.

Covenant Anthony Dickerson, Pastor 50 N. Freer Rd. (734) 475-2508 Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.: Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m. Communion first Sunday of every month.

(734) 475-8936 Ronald W. Clark, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:45; Evening small groups, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Service, 7 p.m.

Immanuel Bible

145 E. Summit St., Chelsea

Mt. Hope Bible Church 12884 Trist Rd., Grass Lake (517) 522-8182 Joseph O'Neill, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.; Evening Worship, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer Fellowship, 7

> New Life Christian Center Gall for-Location---

(734) 475-1147 Erik Hansen, Pastor Sunday: Worship, 11 a.m.

St. Vladimir Orthodox 9900 Jackson Road (734) 761-7311 Rev. Father Paul Karas Sunday and Holy Days: Divine liturgy, English and Slavonic, 10 a.m.

<u>Presbyterian</u> Unadilla Presbyterian 20175 Williamsville Rd., Unadilla Joh Qiu, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.

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First Presbyterian Church On the Square in Stockbridge M-52 and M-106 1-888-784-8128 Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. Communion and pot-luck first Sunday of the month. Wednesday: Worship, 6:45 p.m.

.7748 Clark Lake Road, Chelsea Isabel Bliss (734) 475-9976 Sunday: Unprogrammed meeting at 10 a.m., first Sunday of each month; all other Sundays, 5:00 p.m.

Quaker

Michigan Friends Center

United Church of Christ Bethel Evangelical 10425 Bethel Church Rd. (734) 428-8000 The Rev. Richard Hardy

First Congregational-Chelsea 121 E. Middle St. (734) 475-1844 Rev. David Cleaver-Bartholomew Sunday: Informal worship, 8 a.m.; Church school, 9 a.m.; Traditional

worship, 10 a.m.

St. John's (Roger's Corners) 12376 Waters Rd., Chelsea (517) 456-7661 Rev. Nancy M. Doty, Pastor_ Sunday: Sunday School and Worship, 9:30 a.m.

St. John's 270 Bohne Rd., Grass Lake Kris Abbey, Pastor Sunday: Worship and Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Communion first Sunday each month.

St. Paul 14600 Old US-12 (734) 475-2545 Rev. Dr. Lynn Spitz-Nagel, Pastor Sunday: Church school, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m., Communion Service, every second Sunday, 8:15 a.m. Wednesday: Choir Rehearsals, 6:00

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CatholicSt. Joseph Catholic Fourth and Dover Streets, Dexter (734) 426-8483 Rev. Brendan Walsh, Pastor Saturday: Weekend Liturgy, 5 p.m. Sunday: Liturgy, 8 a.m., 10 a.m. and 12 noon. Nursery open 10 a.m.noon.

<u>Episcopal</u> St. James 3279 Broad Street, Dexter (734) 426-8247 Rev. David J. Horning Sunday: Holy Eucharist, 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Nursery and Sunday School, 10 a.m.

Lutheran Faith Lutheran (WELS) 9575 N. Territorial Rd. (734) 426-4302 Mark Porinsky, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.

Peace Lutheran 6105 Jackson Rd., Birchwood Plaza 313-930-2324 Rev. Larry Courson Sunday: Worship 8:30 a.m.; Education Hour 9:45 a.m.; Communion Services, 11 a.m.; Renewing the

Family Spirit, 6 p.m.

Worship 10 a.m.

 ${f Methodist}$ Dexter United Methodist 7643 Huron-River, Dexter (734) 426-8480 William Donahue, Pastor Sunday: Worship, 8:30 and 11 a.m.; Church School, 9:45 a.m.

Presbuterian Covenant Presbyterian 5171 Jackson Rd., Dexter (734) 761-1999 Rev. Mark Vanderput Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Refreshments 10:20 a.m.; Worship, 10:45

Non-Denominational Christian House of Prayer 9949 Mc Gregor Rd. Between Dexter & Pinckney (734) 426-0933 Paul McKelvey, Elder Ron Mannor, Elder Sunday: Worship, 10 a.m.; Sunday School, 11 a.m.; Evening Service, 7 Thursday: Bible Study/Youth

Group, 7:30 p.m. **Dexter Gospel** 2253 Baker Rd., Dexter (734) 426-4915 John O'Dell, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.

New Hope Christian Fellowship 2207 Jackson, Ann Arbor (734) 761-7303 Tim Wise, Pastor Sunday: Worship 10:30 a.m.

United Church of Christ St. Andrew's

7610 Ann Arbor St., Dexter (734) 426-8610 Rev. Gary J. Kwiatek Sunday: Worship, 8:15 a.m.; Coffeetime, 9:30 a.m.; Worship and Sunday School, 10 a.m.

The Webster Church 5484 Webster Church Rd., Dexter (734) 426-5115 Rev. Kennyon Edwards Sunday: Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m.: Church School, 9:15 a.m.: Worship, 10:30 a.m.

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.

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Kids defy easy answers

One hot August afternoon, I peered through a fog of sleep deprivation into the eyes of my wailing two-week-old daughter and I knew two things: I was confused and I was no longer a perfect par-

My tenure as a perfect parent was a short one. It lasted until I actually gave birth. Until then. I knew exactly how to raise bright, responsive, wellbehaved children. And I. would have been happy to tellanyone who listened.

As a teen, I was certain I would never be one of the frazzled mothers, unruly children in tow, whose purchases I rung up in the mall.

As an education major at a reputable state university, I learned exactly how parents failed their children and glibly offered advice to the seemingly dysfunctional parents whose preschoolers I had been assigned to teach.

And as a young working woman, I frequently discussed with my husband the finer points of child rearing, especially as they related to the mistakes of our friends who were parents.

But, as the biblical proverb says, "excellent speech is not fitting for a fool." My excellent advice fell apart when I brought home a real, live, demanding, incomprehensible infant. I learned then that I had foolishly succumbed to a few popular myths about parenting.

Myth 1: Parenting comes naturally.

Fact: Parenting is learned; it takes time and practice. Fortunately, I had read a lot about parenting before Erin's birth. And the many books and



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manuals I devoured during her first year helped me immensely. But some things I just had to learn by trial and error and by listening to my child.

Myth 2: A parent's love is tireless, their patience is unlimited and they can sacrifice. all their needs for their chil-

Fact: Parenting is hard work and can be frustrating. It's easy to take out resentment and tension on children. For this reason, it's important to meet your own needs as a parent as well as those of your child. I had to learn to be patient with myself and ask for help when I needed it.

Myth 3: Babies are sources of constant satisfaction and happiness.

Fact: Babies bring schedules, endlessly shifting needs, and emotional ups and downs. Parents need support from other adults. They need emotional rewards, challenges and friendships in addition to their children.

Myth 4: Good parents are self-sufficient and know how to meet all the challenges their children present.

Fact: Good parents know when to ask for help. And they benefit from communities who are willing and able to help them do their jobs.

Everyone agrees: effective parenting creates children who grow up to be happy, healthy and independent adults. There is far less agreement, however, on how to promote education and resources to help parents develop good parenting skills. Ideas range from mandatory parenting classes in high school (I suppose we could replace algebra) to regular home visits by professionals (can you say "Big Brother?")

One simple thing we all can do is re-examine our attitudes about parents and how we can make their jobs a little easier. If you know a parent, take some time to compliment them on doing a good job. "Pleasant words are a honeycomb, sweet to the soul and healing to the bones," Proverbs says. I know that as a young mother, I sure could have used some pleasant words to get me through those days of toddler tantrums.

If you see parents struggle, offer to lend a hand. Encourage them to read to their kids daily, to talk, to sing, to take them on outings and to provide a safe place to play. Tell them stories about when you were a parent and the rules that worked in your home.

And if you are an imperfect parent, like I am, be sure to ask for help when you need it. Many churches, schools, and community centers offer training and a listening ear to parents. Real parents don't have to be perfect; they just need to know where to look for help.



LUCY McHONE

Chelsea Age 90, died Saturday, April 3, 1999, at Stockbridge Country Manor. She was born on Feb. 16, 1909, in Bradley, Ky., the daughter of Kern and Willie (Bailey) Patrick. Mrs. McHone-had resided in Chelsea since 1937. She was a member of the United Baptist Church Following 32 years of service, she retired in 1972 from the Federal Screw Works where

she had been an inspector. She married Roy McHone in Clintwood, Va., on May 25, 1970. Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Harley (Alfreda) Grable of Jackson and Mrs. Richard (Dolores) Berner of Ann Arbor; three sisters, Vergie Harrity of Florida, Cassie Allen of Kentucky, Verglinda Stephens of Chelsea; eight grandchildren; six greatgrandchildren; and one greatgreat-granddaughter. She was preceded in death by her son, Wendall Marshall, a daughter, Betty Bishop; as well as three brothers and three sisters.

Funeral service was held Tuesday, April 6, at 1 p.m. at Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with the Rev. Ron Clark officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove Cemetery, Chelsea.

MARTHA E. WEST O'DOWD Fremont, Mich.

Formerly of Ypsilanti Age 90, died Sunday evening, March 28, 1999, in Fremont, Mich. She was born February 17, 1909, in Sylvan Center, Washtenaw County, Mich., the second eldest child of Harrison and Mable

(Dyer) West. Mrs. O'Dowd lived in Ypsilanti for many years and spent winters and retirement in Boca Raton, Fla. She moved in 1991 to Fremont to be near her daughter. She was an award-winning sales person for Avon Products while living in Florida.

Mrs. O'Dowd attended the Fremont United Methodist Church. She was formerly married to Richard B. Smith. She then married Carl Arndt. Following his death, she married George O'Dowd, who also preceded her in

Surviving are her daughter Joyce (Richard) Gale of Fremont; four grandchildren, Cherrill Keel of Midland, Joan (Ronald) Vliem of Fremont, Andrew (Laurel) Gale of Fremont and James Gale of Lexington, Mich.; and nine greatgrandchildren. She was preceded in death by a grandson, Richard Lewis Gale, and seven brothers, Nelson, Arthur, Harold, L.D., J.D., Wilson and Donald West.

Funeral services were held April 3 at Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home with the Rev. Richard Dake of the First United Methodist Church of Chelsea officiating. Burial was at Maple Grove Cemetery, Sylvan Center. Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Fremont United Methodist Church Memorial Fund for Hand-



SHIRLEY ANN WHIPPLE STRIETER Ann Arbor

Age 70, died Sunday, April 4, 1999, in her home from cancer in the loving care of her family. She was born on March 25, 1929, in Ann Arbor, the daughter of Harold and Milda (Nicolai) Whipple. Shirley graduated from Ann Arbor High School in 1946. From there she started working for Michigan Bell Telephone Co. and worked from 1946 until her retirement in 1984. She was a coowner of Garnett's Flowers in Chelsea (with her sister Carolyn Strieter), sold Avon, and had 10 years of Christmas Bazaars. She was a member of Salem Lutheran Church of Ann Arbor.

On April 3, 1948, she married Nelson Strieter in Bethlehem United Church of Christ, and he survives. Other survivors include two daughters, Linda (Dennis) Ludwig and Sharon (Kirk) Naebeck, both of Ann Arbor; one sister, Carolyn Strieter of Ann Arbor; three grandchildren, Charlie Naebeck, Christopher Naebeck and Robert Ludwig; and four nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her brother, Eben Calvin "Bud" Whipple.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, April 7, at 11 a.m. at Salem Lutheran Church, Ann Arbor, with Pastor Douglas Hartley officiating. Burial will follow at Salem Lutheran Cemetery. The family received friends at Cole Funeral Chapel on Monday from 7-9 p.m. and Tuesday 3-5 and 7-9 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Salem Lutheran Church Building Fund.

ROSE W. KING Chelsea

Age 97, died April 3, 1999, at the Chelsea Retirement Community. She was born July 7, 1901, in Gebo. Wyo., the daughter of Frank and Frances (Bednor) Wondra: Mrs. King lived in Monarch, Wyo., with her family and later in Sheridan, Wyo, where she was a member of the First Christian Church, Mrs. King married Thomas H. King on Jan. 18, 1922. in Sheridan. She had worked for many years for the Jersey Creamery where she retired at the age of 69. She has made her home since

her husband's death in 1987 with her son, Thomas J. (Margaret) King, and family of Chelsea. Mrs. King enjoyed her home and especially the cabin "King's Kastle," which she, her husband and son built in the Big Horn Mountains. Everyone was welcome at the cabin where family, friends and people from all walks of life, even as far away as Japan and Korea, stopped_for_coffee, a piece_of homemade pie or cookies or a complete meal cooked on a woodburning stove. She was an avid fisherman and hunter, but her greatest joys were her family and friends.

Mrs. King was preceded in death by her husband, four brothers, and four sisters, of which she was the youngest. Survivors include her son, Thomas J. (Margaret) King of Chelsea; four grandchildren, David (Cherrie), Kathy, Marjorie and Roseanne, one great-grandchild, Kasey King; andtwo step great-grandchildren, Amy Cook and Andrew (Lisa) Cook; and two step great-great-grandchildren, Alexandria and Marshall Cook; and many nieces and nephews

Funeral service was held Wednesday, April 7, at 11 a.m. at the Chapel of the Chelsea Retirement Community, with the Rev. Dr. Gorton Schleicher, chaplain, officiating.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Chelsea Retirement Community, Burial will be in the Sheridan Municipal Cemetery, Sheridan, Wyo. Arrangements by Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home.

JEREMIAH PAUL LEDWIDGE Chelsea

Age 70, died March 30, 1999. He was born in Pinckney on June 5, 1928. He graduated valedictorian of Pinckney High in 1946. He was in the armed services for two years after which he attended Notre Dame University on an athletic scholarship. He was an alumnus of the Notre Dame Monogram Club and played professional baseball for the St. Louis Browns, House of David. and Yankton Yanks. After teaching school in Pinckney and Hartland he worked for the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago for 35 years. He was a member of St. Joseph Church in Dexter and St. Matthew Church in Winter Haven. Fia. He was a member of Inverness Country Club in Chelsea and Cypresswood Country Club, Winter Haven. He was a volunteer for the American Cancer Society.

Jeremiah is survived by his wife of 42 years, Alice and children Leisa (Jay) Achterhoff, Easley, S.C., Paul (Laura) Ledwidge of Pinckney, and Karen Ledwidge of Berkely, Mich. He is also survived by siblings Nan Cupchack of Whitmore Lake, Denise LaRosa of Pinckney, and the Rev. Fr. Keith Ledwidge, Pinckney. He was a loving grandfather to Jeffrey Achterhoff, Jordan Achterhoff, Anna Achterhoff, Hadley Achterhoff, Jeremiah Ledwidge, and Patrick Ledwidge

A memorial mass will be held on Friday, April 9, at 11 a.m. at St. Joseph Church in Dexter.

TERPSTRA

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Her freshman season, she was forced to play behind a couple of other players and didn't see much playing time. But her sophomore year, she started and besides leading the league in scoring, she also led the MIAA with 9.5 rebounds and 2.7 blocked shots per game.

We've really relied on her for her height." Applegate says. "We can count on her to get rebounds and to score."

This season, her team improved to 15-5 and 9-7 in the MIAA compared to last season's record of 7-17 and 6-6. She led the league again this season with 9,5 rebounds per game. Also, Ann has been named to the All-MIAA first team for the last two seasons.

"Last year, it was live or die by Ann Terpstra," Morris says. "This year, we have more options."

"This year, I scored less

than last season, but the other. girls are good scorers," Ann says. "My teammates got it together and started very well."

As in high school, she did have some problems adjusting to Adrian's system early in fier

"Her first year, it was an adjustment for me and her." Morris says. "To her credit, she did not give up. I haven't had a kid that's worked any harder in my program than she has both on and off the court."

Her work is not limited to basketball, as she has received extra help from her mother to become a good student. Each year, her mother, a pharmacist at Grass Lake Pharmacy, would get Ann's books ahead of time, especially in math and science, to stay a chapter ahead so she could tutor her. During this period, Cheryl just worked part time at Chelsea Phar-

"It really was helpful,"

very available for those having

problems with physics," he

says.

in there and be involved."

Paul, who is an English teacher at Chelsea High School, has helped out where he could, but Ann is a better student when it comes to reading and

Outside of that, Ann did receive special instruction from speech therapists in elementary and middle school, as she had trouble speaking and often stuttered and mispronounced words.

However, about the only exception made for her in high school was the scheduling of a one-hour study hall, which was fine with Ann because she didn't have to miss class and could use the time in study hall to catch up, especially during basketball season.

Besides shooting the basketball, Ann spent summers in speech therapy programs like those offered by the Chelsea Hospital Auxiliary.

"This kid never got sum-Cheryl says. "You have to get mers off," Cheryl says. "We used to go to a lot of summer programs."

Now, as a human services major at Adrian, her academic life has become a little easier because her studies allow her to specialize more. There are no special education programs, and Ann says she is doing just fine on her own. Her speech is much better now,

"I still have my good study habits," she says. "I think I've improved a lot over the years."

Much of Ann's work ethic has come from her parents, from her father pushing her in basketball to her mother's work with her in school. Although Ann did have some help from speech therapists, much of her help has come from her parents.

"They really don't tell you what to expect, you do what you can," Cheryl says. "You always have to be positive and realistic about she can do."

"My wife and I have never let her use (her disability) as an excuse," Paul says.

me with, the energy and the health to serve the community of Chelsea for a long time."

When Swager is not in the classroom he stays busy with many interests. He is a marathon distance runner, having completed 13 marathons, including the Boston Marathon. which he has run five times.

Swager sings in the choir at St. Mary Catholic Church in Chelsea and in a barber shop quartet with his brothers...

He also enjoys hunting, biking, traveling and reading books on politics and morality. A native of Climax, near Kalamazoo, Swager now lives in Grass Lake, which he calls "God's country," with his dog

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and a cow.

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- Alice Pastalan and Virginia Ryan, Co-chairpersons

SWAGER

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athletes he coaches. Swager is the head coach of the boys cross country and track teams.

The only hard rule in his class is that students take responsibility for their learning.

"I emphasize responsibility for learning. For example, they're responsible to get their assignments completed and in on time, and do whatever is necessary to learn and understand.

"The idea is, they're going to do what it takes to learn it, instead of me feeding it to them," Swager says.

What I am trying to achieve is not just for students to get by in physics, but to truly, deeply understand down to the core what's going on."

If students aren't grasping the material; Swager makes time before school to work

"Since it's a hard subject, I am here at 7 o'clock in the morning. I try to make myself



Tracy Dufek

CHS grad to give recital

Tracy Dufek, a 1996 graduate of Chelsea High School, will give a voice recital at 7 p.m. on April 24, at the First Baptist Church of Ann Arbor.

Dufek is a junior in the University of Michigan School of Music studying vocal performance. While at Chelsea High School, she was a four-year member of the Washington Street Show Choir, and a three-year member of the Concert Choir. She attended the Interlochen Arts Camp All-State Choir program for four summers and was a member of the University of Michigan Youth Chamber Singer for three years.

Dufek was the 1995 Chelsea Community Fair Queen and talent winner. In 1996 she was the recipient of the Grand Prize at the Madrigal Chorale of Southfield's "Brian Callaghan Voice Competition." From 1991-1996 she studied with Lisa Hinz-Johnson of Chelsea.

At the University of Michigan Dufek has performed in opera choruses for Donizetti's L'Elisir D'Amore, Mozart's Le Nozze di Figaro, Gilbert and Sullivan's Ruddigore, and Verdi's La Traviata. She is currently participating in the opera workshop class under the direction of Joshua Major and is a third-year member of the University of Michigan Chamber Choir.

Dufek's recital will include pieces by L. Spohr, Gounod, G. Donizetti, B. Britten, F. Durante, Donaudi, and A. Scar-

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Swager finds Chelsea schools to be unusual in that the students value their edu-

cation and the facilities are state of the art. "I think the whole system is

a top-notch system," he says. "The students, compared to other schools, are well-raised and well-behaved and place, in general, a value on learn-

"The other half, I want to give a lot of credit to the aduse their own style. As long as you're doing a great job, they their goals. let you do your own thing. They don't try to micro-

manage the classroom." There have been many highlights in Swager's rela-

tively short career. Among them, Swager says he has had students return and thank him for preparing them for college. He also has been named Most Influential Teacher every year by a cum laude graduate. In addition, last year he was named Teacher of the Year by

the Chelsea Rotary Club. "I am very blessed by God," Swager says. "I consider myself very lucky and blessed. Anything I get is a gift-from God."

What Swager looks forward to in his career is continuing ministration. They let teachers in the job he loves and helping students and athletes meet

"It's my job and I like it," he says. "I am actually being productive with the talents God has given me.

"I hope the Lord will bless

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