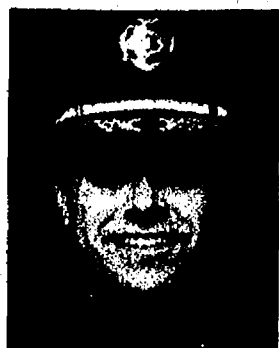


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LYNDON TOWNSHIP

Neighbors concerned about intersection

Turn lane added, but no traffic light to dangerous intersection

By Edward Freundl
Special Writer

Claudia Bahm says she has witnessed too many traffic crashes and near-misses to count at the M-52-Werkner Road intersection, and the state's solution not only won't improve conditions, it may actually contribute to the problem.

"They obviously don't have the best answer in this case," she said. "I live in Lyndon Township and go through that intersection at least twice a day. The traffic patterns have increased in the last 21 years I've lived here."

Work began this summer on a \$300,000 project to put in an offset right-turn lane on westbound M-52 for northbound Werkner because drivers had been using the wide paved shoulder to make right turns in violation of state law.

Bahm said she and other residents were pleased when construction equipment arrived to begin work on revamping the hazardous intersection, but were disappointed to discover that the Michigan Department of Transportation had decided to add a turn lane rather than install a traffic light.

"They did a study a few years ago to determine whether a light was needed, and the best they came up with was a sign (on Werkner) saying 'crossbound traffic does not stop,'" Bahm said. "Well, duh. That's why we need a light there."

State Rep. Pam Byrnes, D-52nd District, is well-versed in the problems the intersection presents, both as a Lyndon Township resident and from her years on the Washtenaw County Road Commission.

It quickly became a priority for her when she took office in January 2005 and was named to the House Transportation Committee, and local legislators and residents bombarded her with requests to "do something."

"Those concerns are valid, so I don't know if this is the end of it for MDOT," Byrnes said. "We requested a traffic light, but MDOT's

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Photo by Rita Fischer

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CHELSEA AREA

Community reflects on five-year anniversary

Terrorist attacks of Sept. 11, 2001,
saddened and unified a nation

By Sandi Kasha
Staff Writer

It has been five years and yet the residual effects of the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11, 2001, still disturb many people as a nation reflects on the solemn anniversary.

The attacks, which resulted in the deaths of 2,973 people, sent permanent aftershocks to those watching or listening to them unfold that Tuesday morning in New York City, Arlington, Va., and Pennsylvania.

Nineteen men affiliated with the al-Qaeda terrorist group hijacked four commercial airplanes in a series of deliberate coordinated suicide attacks on the United States.

The first airplane, American Airlines Flight 11, carried 92 passengers and crashed into the north tower of the World Trade Center in New York City at 8:46 a.m.

The second airplane, United Airlines Flight 175, carried 65 passengers and collided with the south tower at 9:03 a.m.

The towers collapsed within two hours.

A third airplane, American Airlines Flight 77, carrying 64 passengers, struck the east wall of the Pentagon in Arlington, Va., also killing some 125 people in the building at 8:45 a.m.

The fourth, United Airlines Flight 93, carrying 45 passengers, crashed into a field in Somerset County, Pa., at 10:10 a.m. after passengers and crew attempted to retake control of the aircraft.

Whether people knew the victims or not, the terrorist attacks saddened and unified a nation.

On the five-year anniversary, Scio Township Supervisor Charlie Nielsen remembers watching the attacks unfold on television.

"I remember listening to the radio on the morning of Sept. 11, 2001, and hearing the announcement that something was going on at the World Trade Center," he said. "I turned on the TV and there it was — a gaping

hole in the side of one of the towers.

"I immediately saw that it was much larger than some private plane hitting it. This was an airliner, and almost certainly a terrorist attack. I saw the second plane hit, and thought we are now at war with somebody, and this will adversely affect the nation's economy."

"When I saw the first tower collapse I could then only think about the hundreds, if not thousands, that certainly must have died."

Many people still get emotional when reflecting on the traumatic events that saddened a nation.

Rebecca Trester of Chelsea, an office spe-

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Some drivers in the Chelsea Community Fair's final rounds of the Figure 8 demolition derby are upset the prize money was not awarded after the race was called off for inclement weather.

CHELSEA

Derby finalists upset over organizer's decision

Drivers want to split
prize money or get
discount next year

By Edward Freundl
Special Writer

The cancellation of the final rounds of the Figure 8 demolition derby competition at the Chelsea Community Fair has left some drivers grumbling about the prize money not being awarded.

The complaints center on a decision not to award the prize money for the final feature races, which were canceled because of inclement weather that night.

Driver Jody Hayslip said many of the drivers thought the \$500 first prize and \$200 second prize for that race should have been divided up among them, or that those drivers should be given an exemption for the entry fee in next year's event.

"I'm not happy with the way they handled it," Hayslip

said. "I question the way things were done."

But fair officials say they were never told anyone had a problem with their decision.

"I'm really kind of blindsided by this," said Chelsea Fair Manager Jeff Layher, who was in charge of the Aug. 24 event. "Not one person has said anything to me about it."

Chelsea Fair Board President Tom Edman echoed Layher's concern that no one had come to him with any complaints.

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■ **Library to host Family Game and Chess Night:** The Chelsea District Library will hold a Family Game and Chess Night 7 p.m. Thursday at 500 Washington St. The library will provide multiple chess boards, and a variety of board and card games suitable for a variety of ages. The event is free and registration is not

required. For more information, call 475-8732.

■ **Chelsea High School to host Open House:** Chelsea High School will hold its open house 6:30 p.m. Sept. 11. Parents are asked to pick-up their children's schedules in the commons and meet in the auditorium before rotating through their children's six classes.

■ **Berry Patch Foundation to hold auction:** The Berry Patch Foundation will hold its first auc-

tion fund-raiser Sept. 14 at the Dexter Knights of Columbus Hall, 8265 Dexter-Chelsea Road in Dexter. The event, which will benefit pediatric cancer research, will begin at 6:30 p.m. and includes a silent auction, live auction, raffles, and strolling supper.

Tickets are \$25 per person and only will be available for purchase through Monday. No tickets will be available at the door.

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Ever since opening in November of 2000, Chelsea's Arctic Coliseum, located at 501 Coliseum Drive, has been an entertaining, family-friendly gathering place, not only locally, but also throughout southeast Michigan.

Rarl Christen is owner of the arena, while Don Wright, a local resident and Chelsea High School varsity hockey coach, is general manager of the coliseum. Brad Wright and Nick Vetter, coliseum managers, also help out with the day-to-day operation of the arena. Rounding out the coliseum team is a helpful and friendly staff that lends its support throughout the year.

As one might expect, the coliseum, with its two NHL-sized ice rinks, is a beacon for hockey players both young and old, male and female.

The coliseum, home ice for hockey teams from Chelsea and Saline high schools, also offers numerous adult hockey leagues, along with father and son drop-in hockey, sticks and pucks, past masters drop-in hockey for players over 60-years-old and drop-in hockey for all ages.

The coliseum is home base for the Chelsea Hockey Association which numbers over 400 youth hockey players in both house and travel divisions.

The CHA also offers Learn to Play Hockey programs for children ages 3 to 15. The program is designed for children who are interested in playing hockey, but have little or no experience participating on a team. An added benefit of the program is the first 50 players registering receive free equipment.

The coliseum hosts approximately 10 tournaments a year with each one consisting of 60 to 70 teams from across the Midwest and Canada.

The arena's Hockey Masters program is another popular activity at the rink. Hockey Masters is an on ice-off ice training company founded by U-18 and U-17 U.S. national skating coach Carrie Keil and former NHL player Dave Debol.

Besides its role as an elite hockey venue, the Arctic Coliseum is also home to such popular programs as Learn to Skate classes for tots to adults. The Learn to Skate programs are developed by the U.S. Figure Skating Association and begin with Snow Plow Sam through Basic 8 level. For more advanced skaters, one can continue with the USFA program through freestyle or private lessons. The coliseum also has a figure skating club for those individuals who would like to compete or be part of a club.

Each December, a Basic Skills Learn to Skate program puts on a Holiday Ice Show. The event is a great opportunity for the students to show off what they've learned. The show is offered at a minimal participation fee to students enrolled in winter classes. The students perform to a choreographed routine that is taught by an instructor. Also, home school classes are offered on Thursday mornings for both hockey and skating skills.



Over the years, the coliseum has hosted Chelsea's Beach Middle School physical education classes and year-end school parties. Daycare events, church youth group functions and Manchester school field trips have also enjoyed the many entertainment options the coliseum has to offer.

"Summit Sports," a well-stocked pro shop, is also available in the coliseum for players, coaches and fans alike.

The coliseum also offers a video arcade in its spacious lobby area, with numerous arcade games including the popular "In the Groove" with two metal dance pads.

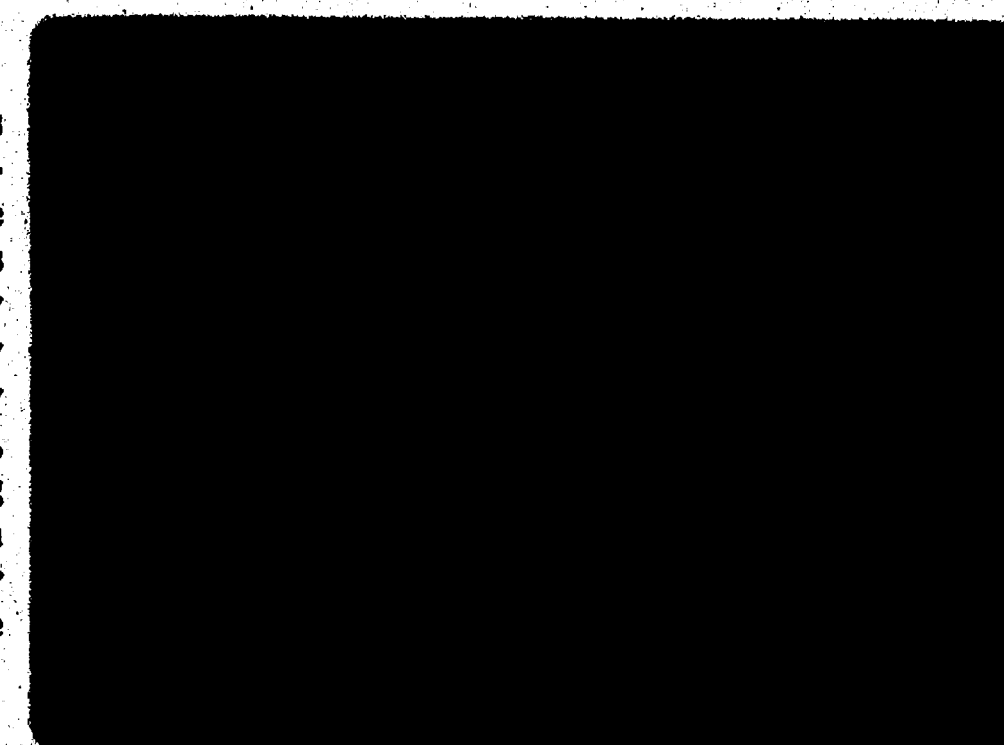
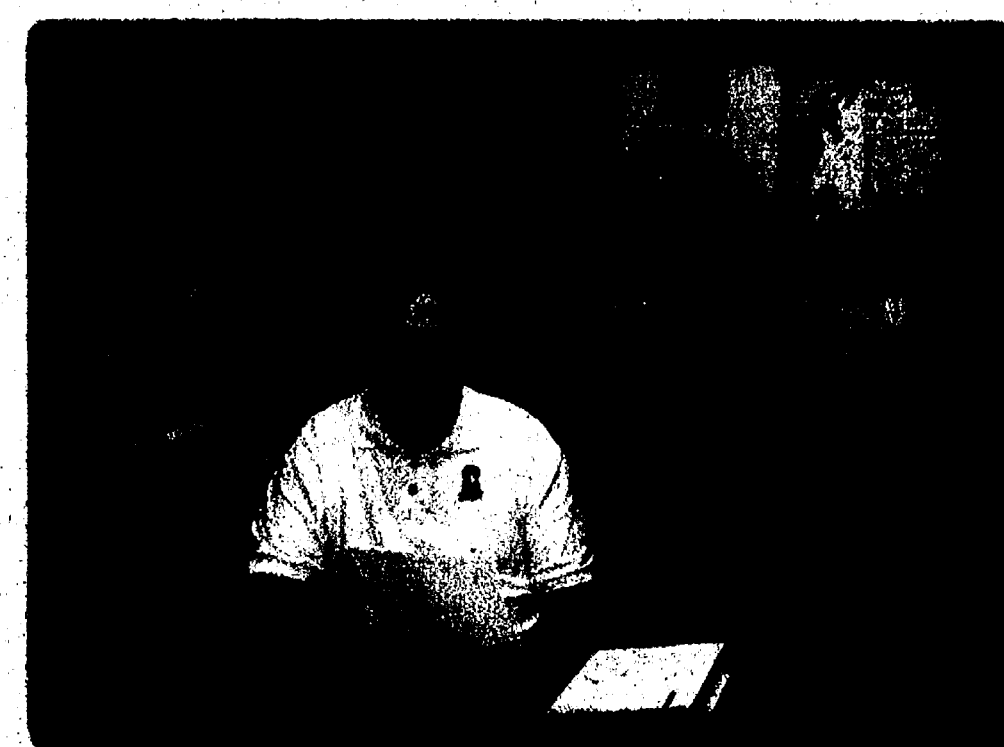
Coliseum plans for 2006 include the opening later this year of a new, full-service sit down restaurant and sports bar on the second level of the building. Sure to be a hit with patrons, the restaurant will feature glass walls overlooking both ice rinks at the arena. Also, the coliseum is making exciting changes to its first floor including the addition of private birthday party rooms. There are three differently priced birthday packages to choose from, with each package including a personal party coordinator. Also in the works for the first floor remodeling are additional locker rooms for high school and junior hockey teams.

The coliseum, which offers open skating and hockey events nearly every day of the week, is a fun-filled venue for families to attend skating events, play video games, cheer on their favorite hockey team in a safe place or celebrate a birthday or other special occasion. The arena is available for corporate parties, as well.

Upcoming programs at the coliseum starting in September are Learn to Skate for tots through adults every Thursday or Saturday and Learn to Play Hockey for youth through adults, with children participating on Saturday and adults on Thursday. Most programs are offered year round. Those interested can register at the arena's front desk.

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With 300,000 to 400,000 people passing through the coliseum's doors annually, there are outstanding advertising opportunities available for businesses at the Arctic Coliseum. Some of the opportunities include ice rink board advertising, having logos placed in the ice, or placing advertisements on the arena's Zamboni.



For additional information regarding programs, classes and other events at the Arctic Coliseum call 734-433-4444, stop by at 501 Coliseum Dr., Chelsea, or visit the arena's Web site at www.arcticcoliseum.net. For advertising opportunities call the coliseum and ask for Tracie Christie. Calendars of daily events are available online or at the coliseum's front counter.



CHELSEA

Museum a hidden gem

Heritage Room features artifacts dating back past 100 years

By Jennifer McArdle
Special Writer

Hidden beneath the chapel at Chelsea Retirement Community is a gem — the Heritage Room.

It's a museum featuring the history of Chelsea Retirement Community and its residents, going back 100 years into Chelsea's past.

"We really want to get the word out about the museum. It's very under-utilized," said Connie Amick, volunteer coordinator at the Esther A. Kirn Heritage Room, named for a former resident of Chelsea Retirement Community who spent 20 years cataloging items in the museum.

"This museum is really unique. As far as I know, it's the only museum in a retirement home in the United States," Amick said.

It's open for the public from 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 3 p.m. Tuesdays, as well as by appointment throughout the week.

"It's a well-kept secret. We certainly want it to be accessible to the public," Amick said.

The history of the museum dates back to 1971 when the wives of two administrators got together and brought old furniture out of the attics in the main building.

"The story is that the fire marshal came and said they had to get those things out of there," Amick said. "So they brought down some furniture and set it up like little rooms."

When Kirn moved into Chelsea Retirement Community, the former librarian put her skills to work in cataloging the artifacts.

"Everything has belonged either to residents or the home," Amick said.

In 1995, Amick formed a task force to renovate the museum. They initially planned to add new carpet and paint the walls, but after visiting neighboring museums the project expanded.

"We wanted to turn it into a real teaching museum," Amick said.

A community-wide fundraiser was held to generate money for the renovations.

"We needed a lot more money once we changed the scope of the project," she said. "People were very generous."

Many residents, family members and others in the community also lent their labor to the project, building walls, painting and helping in any way they could.

At the entrance to the museum is the Hall of History, which features a

timeline on one wall presenting the story of the buildings at Chelsea Retirement Community. The other wall in the hallway showcases the pictorial story of residents since the first moved into Chelsea Retirement Community in 1907.

One wall features Chelsea Retirement Community's founders, with special acknowledgement to the donations of land and money from the Glazier family.

There are also exhibits of furnishings from residents' rooms and the retirement home's common areas, including a dining room with original dishware dating back to the opening of Chelsea Retirement Community.

On display is a collection of residents' napkin rings. In the early years, residents were required to bring their own napkin ring for use at meal times.

"We're so lucky that we have all this information and that people have kept this stuff," Amick said.

There's also a recreation of a resident's room and items from daily life on display.

An old wagon sits in the museum, possibly a remnant from when the chapel was built. Amick believes it may have been a gravel wagon used during the construction of the chapel.

"We've always wondered how it got down here," Amick said.

Another area of the museum is devoted to residents who took up new hobbies in their later years.

"We want to show young people what healthy aging can be. It's not just sitting in front of the TV," Amick said.

One such resident was Milly Smith, who tutored students in her retirement. Smith took up backpacking at the age of 75 and the museum features her old backpacks, covered with patches from the trails she hiked.

Displays are also devoted to Frederick "Stan" and Ida Clements, who built a dollhouse; Louis Balwin, who built signs for his door at the retirement home; and inventor Henry Merriman, who in his retirement invented special beds for the elderly and aids for cutting toe nails.

The museum also contains a directory of residents. Amick said the directory is especially interesting for

those researching genealogy. In many cases, the directory includes photos of the residents and obituaries.

There are also a number of photos that have not been identified.

"One of the things that people in Chelsea could help us with is identifying things. We have a lot of photos and we don't know who the people are in them," Amick said.

In 1998, Chelsea Retirement Community received a certificate of commendation from the American Association for State and Local History for its renovations of the Heritage Room museum and archives.

For more information or to schedule a group visit to the museum, call 433-1000.

Connie Amick, volunteer coordinator at the Esther A. Kirn Heritage Room, believes the museum is a well-kept secret at Chelsea Retirement Community. It's open for the public from 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 3 p.m. Tuesdays, as well as by appointment throughout the week.

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CHELSEA

History project reaches milestone

Volunteers help create online database of deaths in Chelsea

By Jennifer McArdle
Special Writer

A project to digitize local history reached a milestone recently at Chelsea District Library, where efforts are under way to build an online database of deaths in Chelsea.

Just six months after the digitization project began, the library already has seen 10,000 cards entered into the system.

Elizabeth Goldman, adult services librarian at Chelsea District Library, said the project has been so successful thus far thanks to the hard work and dedication of roughly 45 volunteers.

"It would have been a project that would have been almost impossible without all of the volunteers," Goldman said.

Volunteers logged 921 hours between February and June. They are averaging 200 hours per month.

"If we had to hire someone to enter all this information, it just wouldn't happen," said Marie Brooks, volunteer services coordinator at Chelsea District Library.

In October 2002, the library premiered its Family History Index File, formerly known as the Obituary File started in the 1950s by community leader Harold Jones. For years, Jones walked through area cemeteries and gathered information from gravestones, transcribing it onto index cards.

"He would read the cemeteries and notate them," said Nancy VanBlaricum, who volunteers with the digitization project.

His collection of historical data was entrusted to the library when Jones died in 1987.

In 2002, the collection was updated and reorganized into the Family History Index File, which now holds more than 65,000 entries in 50 drawers.

But not everyone has the means to come to the Chelsea District Library to view those cards. That's

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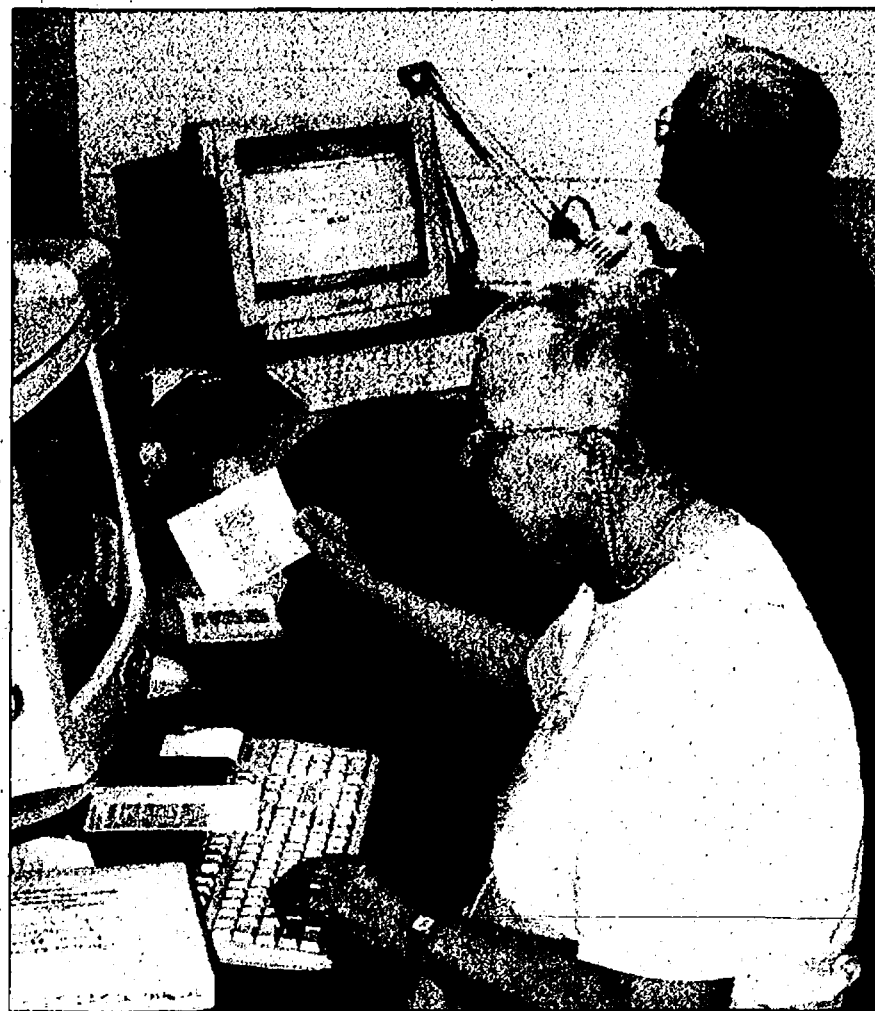


Photo by Jennifer McArdle

Just six months after a local history digitization project began, the Chelsea District Library has reached a milestone. As of last month, volunteers had entered 10,000 cards into the system. Nancy VanBlaricum (left) and Jim Hammel are among 45 volunteers who have spent more than 921 hours entering information into the database.

FINALISTS

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"Nobody has told me that. I've had no calls," he said. "That night I was the one that made the decision to stop the derby and the carnival due to safety concerns."

Edman said he and Interim Chelsea Police Chief Rod Salyer based their decision to stop the competition — and to shut down the entire fair — on their personal sightings of lightning and even more threatening weather approaching from the south.

Layher said the demolition derby is a favorite event at the fair and he was disappointed that it had to be called off.

"Nobody wanted to finish this whole thing more than I did because there were three or four local kids in it and we wanted to see them have a chance to win it," Layher said. "We actually ran two or three heats in the rain just so we didn't have to give the guys their money back."

One of Hayslip's sponsors, Kelly Parks of Charles Reinhart Co. Realtors in Chelsea, felt the rain delay and subsequent race cancellation were unnecessary because, she said, it did not continue to rain that night.

"In the semifinals, they called a rain delay because they said there was more rain coming in, but there was no rain and they canceled it anyway," she said.

"People felt kind of robbed," Parks said. "We suggested they split the money among the 10 final

contestants or just waive the entry fee for next year, and the fair decided to keep the money instead."

Edman bristled at the suggestion that anything dishonest had taken place.

"I resent that insinuation," he said. "We are a nonprofit organization, and our books are open for anyone to take a look at. These people are all volunteers who work very hard for very long hours to put on a nice event for the benefit of the community."

Although the rules for the event do not specifically refer to weather-related cancellations, officials clearly have the authority to make changes as necessary for the safety of participants and spectators.

"Any interpretation or deviation of these rules is left to the discretion of the officials. Their decision is final," the rule book states.

Each of the drivers qualifying for the finals already had been awarded \$100 and a trophy for winning the 10 heats. Those individual races also paid \$75 for second place and \$25 for third, plus trophies.

Each of the 60 drivers paid an entry fee of \$20, which Layher said doesn't even cover the cost of all the cash prizes and trophies.

"We pay out way more in prize money and trophies than what we make in entry fees," he said. "We figured there really was no fair way to split it up because nobody actually competed for it. Everybody got a chance to run and a chance to win, so I don't know where these people are coming from."

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position was it could do more harm than good. They recommended a turn lane because their analysis showed there was a sight-distance issue."

Byrnes added that it was her responsibility as a representative to alert the road agency to the problem, but the agency would have the final word.

"My role was to bring this to the attention of MDOT, and make them aware there was a need for some kind of improvement," she said. "We naturally assume that putting a light in will solve all the problems, so that's why I have to rely on the traffic engineers and defer to their expertise."

MDOT Traffic Safety Engineer Wendy Ramirez conducted traffic-pattern studies last year and did much of the design work on the intersection. She said MDOT's experience has proven that a traffic signal is not necessarily the best solution in every case.

"Our first measure was a signal study at the intersection," Ramirez said. "That was the first step, and we determined it did not meet our standards to be eligible for a signal."

Ramirez said the offset turn lane, while a novel approach, is sufficient to provide adequate sight distance for southbound Werkner Road traffic turning onto eastbound M-52.

"We looked at traffic volumes and police crash reports going back years," she said. "The predominant crash type was angle crashes, and this offset turn lane is designed to mitigate these kinds of crashes."

The current intersection geometry is not conducive to having a signal there, Ramirez added, but that doesn't mean the case is closed.

"We are going to continue to monitor the traffic pattern after construction," she said, and if problems persist, "we may still end up putting a light there."

Still, Bahm is not satisfied with the result and predicted that crashes will continue to occur at the intersection.

"My main concern is that now when we attempt to make a left turn, there will be two lanes of traffic coming at us and the view will be obscured and somebody will get hit," she said. "It's going to make a bad situation worse."

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Local grad named Ypsilanti police chief

Matthew Harshberger grew up in a law enforcement family

By Allison Marable
Special Writer

Bob and Charlotte Harshberger of Chelsea weren't surprised to learn that their youngest son, Matthew, a 1988 Chelsea High School graduate, had been named Ypsilanti's chief of police.

That's because Harshberger has grown up surrounded by relatives who

have dedicated their lives to law enforcement.

Bob Harshberger is a retired commander with the Taylor Police Department. He retired in 1991, but has served the local community as gypsy moth coordinator for Lima Township and is currently active in the McKinley Road Neighborhood Watch group.

Matthew Harshberger's



Matthew Harshberger

oldest brother, Stephen, is a detective-sergeant with the Michigan State Police in Alpena and has appeared on A&E's "Cold Case Files." The case was later made into a movie with a character based on him.

Mark, the middle brother, has been an officer with the Bloomfield Township Police Department for 12 years. There is also an aunt, uncle and cousin on his mother's side who are connected with law enforcement.

The Harshberger family moved to Chelsea in 1984 seeking an escape from the city, as well as an excellent

school system. Harshberger spent two years at Chelsea High School, while his younger sister, Debra, attended Chelsea High School from 1985 to 1989 and married a classmate, Todd Gallagher, in 1991.

"It would be an understatement to say that I am proud of the men in my family, and it began long before any of them ever put on a uniform," Debra Gallagher said. "They are strong, determined, honest, compassionate men who

give 110 percent of themselves. Their communities are truly blessed."

Harshberger played on the Chelsea High School varsity football team, spent some time as an Explorer with the

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cialist with the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department, said she still gets emotional.

"When I think of Sept. 11, I feel a variety of emotions," she said. "First and foremost, I feel sadness for all of the lives that were lost that day. I feel vulnerable that my world isn't as safe as I thought it was. I take pride in the people of America who have bonded together and stood up against terrorism. And I am thankful for those who have taken steps in making America a safer place to live."

Washtenaw County Commissioner Mark Ouimet, R-District 1, weighed whether to see the "World Trade Center" movie, which was recently released. He decided to watch it and said it was difficult for him to hold back his tears.

Looking back on the actual events, Ouimet said the impact of the attacks devastated him.

"It was truly one of the saddest moments of my life to think that we were going to be facing going forward and it's going to be traumatic," he said, "and difficult for our country and for the families to go through. I was hoping that my children and grandchildren would grow up knowing peace, and that's clearly not going to be going forward."

Dexter Village resident Kim Clugston said she looks at 9/11 as a reminder that freedom and safety are precious. She adds that commu-

nication is key to understanding global dilemmas.

"I believe that the human race does have the ability to rise above self-destructive thinking and behavior," she said. "But we need to be

working in cooperation with Europe and the Middle East as good global citizens in creating a vision for peace, and not just reacting to the threat, which was driven home with 9/11."

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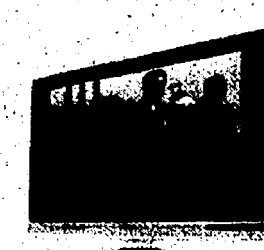
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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2006

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Vote against Proposal 3

For 100 years, the mourning dove had been protected from hunting by Michigan law. It is Michigan's official bird of peace.

In 2004, a lame duck state Legislature, bowing to pressure from out-of-state special interest groups, narrowly passed a dove shooting bill, which would now open up the entire state of Michigan to the shooting of mourning doves.

In an overwhelmingly successful grassroots petition drive, volunteers worked for the Mourning Dove Referendum, or Proposal 3.

On Nov. 7, Michigan voters will have the opportunity to restore the ban by voting against Proposal 3.

Birds today are already under threat from decreasing habitat and pollution. Please consider the following:

- Dove shoots can cause significant environmental damage since dove fields are most often over crop-growing soil. They contribute to the discharge of large amounts of toxic lead into the environment, where it not only gets into our food chain but is also ingested by wildlife.

- Mourning doves are songbirds that should not be used for target practice. People shooting at these erratic flyers pose a danger to others, including children and pets.

- There is a high wounding rate in shooting doves; it is estimated that more than 30 percent are left wounded and crippled to suffer and die.

- The mourning dove is not a viable human food source, but is an important food for birds of prey.

- Dove shoots damage utility wires.

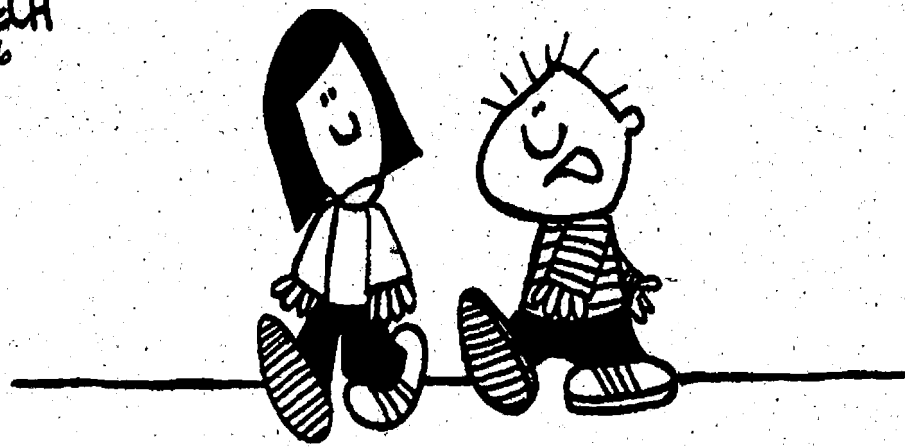
Polling shows that an overwhelming majority of Michigan citizens, including the majority of Michigan hunters, are opposed to the needless killing of these songbirds.

Other voices (with misleading names such as Citizens for Wildlife Conservation) will try to tell us that this proposal is about taking away hunting rights. The truth is the proposal is only about one thing — restoring the ban on shooting mourning doves.

Please help spread the word to vote "no" on Proposal 3.

Kate Hanson
Manchester

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OTHER VOICES

Mother Nature poses as much a threat as terrorists

Help will arrive but it takes time. Rome wasn't built in a day and Manhattan certainly wasn't reconstructed that quickly, either.

New Orleans Mayor Ray Nagin is jumping the gun by throwing some questionable criticism at New York's Ground Zero in what appears to be frustration or embarrassment at the renovations of his own hometown.

On a recent "60 Minutes," Nagin veered off the issue of rebuilding New Orleans and instead slapped the Apple, saying, "You guys in New York can't get a hole in the ground fixed, and it's five years later. So let's be fair."

Probably not the smartest statement to make on the one-year anniversary of Hurricane Katrina and approaching five-year anniversary of the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11, 2001.

When anniversaries of such disasters come about, it pays to reflect on change and the evolution of what's happened since then, rather than to cast stones on the progress — or lack of progress — of others.

New York is facing a lot of "red tape" and political back-and-forth when it comes to the World Trade Center site. A museum, another tower, two towers, a memorial. Who will build it? When will it be built? Who will fund it?

The cleanup, however, progressed more efficiently than I think anyone would've dreamed. The enormous pile of terrorism that smoldered at Ground Zero wasn't an easy task to remove. But night and day, those tireless workers never punched the clock until it was done.

Nagin may have been shooting from the hip with his comments on "60 Minutes," and by now has hopefully realized how harsh and "competitive" they seemed. But how much merit did the statement have?

The mayor was shown strolling around neighborhoods that he called deafeningly quiet. Houses — in shambles — were sitting just as they did the day after Katrina. Instead of laying it out in a clear answer — as clear as possible — Nagin quipped about the "hole in New York" that still remains



CHRIS BARNES

empty.

And what about those levees that failed the first time? Will the new ones that he showed the media be able to stand up to another similar storm?

"C'mon, look at this thing, man," Nagin said while tapping the levee with his knuckles. "Nothing's gonna bring that down."

Not everyone is so confident. The head of the Army Corps of Engineers said recently that he's unsure the levee system could withstand a hurricane with heavy storm surge.

Lt. Gen. Carl Strock told the Associated Press that he's confident the Corps had done all it could to repair and reinforce 220 miles of levee walls, but "many variables would determine whether the levees could withstand another major hurricane striking New Orleans."

Variables include where the hurricane made landfall, wind speed and rainfall. But the mayor seems ready and confident. Perhaps too confident as he walked with a questionable enthusiasm through the ghost towns of destruction.

His words toward Ground Zero were in bad taste, no doubt. But looking at the big picture, did they have any merit?

Something should be there by now. Is too much consideration being given to who gets credit or whose names are emblazoned somewhere as sponsors? These are all minor details compared to the major purpose.

But that's not really Nagin's concern and shouldn't be used as a scapegoat to the cleanup and renovations still needed in his home. If a storm is brewing somewhere off the coast, those levees and any prepared rescue efforts need to be the focus.

New York, Washington and other forces that be are doing their best to intercept future terrorist attacks. Mother Nature poses just as much threat.

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STREET TALK

By Jennifer Sinkwitz

What was your favorite subject in school?



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Paul Rauch
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"English."

Heather Tanner
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"Social studies."

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EDITORIAL

Give nurse practitioners more authority

Nurse practitioners should be able to write prescriptions for patients in Michigan.

In a majority of states, they already can, with varying degrees of involvement and oversight by physicians.

But in Michigan, they can't. And that prohibition creates an unnecessary burden on patients and the healthcare system.

Senate Bill 1245, introduced in May by majority floor leader Sen. Bev Hammerstrom, R-Monroe, would allow registered professional nurse practitioners to prescribe and dispense medications within their scope of their field of practice. The bill, referred to the Senate Committee on Health Policy, makes sense, no matter how strongly physicians may argue against it.

Nurse practitioners are professionally competent to prescribe.

Nurse practitioners already perform many basic medical care functions, such as interpreting X-rays in the course of diagnosing ailments. When they soon begin staffing mini-clinics in

chain drugstores, health care will take a big step forward. There is no reason they should not write prescriptions.

The health needs of Michigan residents make it imperative that they have this capability.

In an ideal world, we could indulge ourselves in requiring the maximum possible credentials for every provider of health services. But this is not that world.

We don't have a socialized medicine system that assigns physicians to communities, so doctors tend to congregate where the most potential paying customers are. That leaves much of the state underserved. Nurse practitioners increasingly are filling the role of doctor in such communities.

If full prescribing authority can enhance their effectiveness in poor urban or sparsely populated rural areas where physicians are scarce, then those nurses should be permitted to prescribe. In other areas, giving nurse practitioners the ability to write prescriptions

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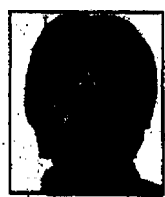
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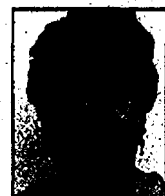
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Institute's fall kickoff a success

The Adult Learners Institute Fall Kickoff Aug. 15 was deemed a success, with some 100 people attending the event at the First United Methodist Church's Gram Hall.

A membership meeting was held before the open house. Guest speakers at the event included Robert Gordon, former Dean of graduate school and current director of the library at Siena Heights University, who presented a small discourse on how and why adult learners learn.

Gordon was followed by Kathy Dries, dean of Continuing Education at Washtenaw Community College, whose presentation encour-

aged the adults to continue education for personal health and a more fulfilling life.

Siena Heights University and Washtenaw Community College are co-sponsors for the Adult Learners Institute.

The open house included presentations by several instructors at the institute and explanations of the courses being offered by Janice Webster, curriculum chairwoman.

Webster said the institute filled 78 percent of its slots, with four courses filled and five courses with openings.

Chelsea-Dexter area residents can join the Adult Learners Institute for a \$25 annual membership fee.

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He also will discuss the team approach to hip and knee replacement surgery at Chelsea Community Hospital.

Carpenter, who specializes

in total joint replacement and general orthopedic surgery, will address questions about minimally invasive surgery, implant materials, and new innovations in hip and knee replacement.

The lecture is part of the hospital's "Let's Talk Bones" series, which is now in its fifth year. The lecture is free and open to the public. It will be held from 7 to 8 p.m. in the Chelsea Community Hospital Health and Wellness Center Conference Room.

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Area blood drives will be held from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday at 128 Park St. in Chelsea and from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St., in Chelsea.

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where technology is stepping in with an online searchable database, making the data available to genealogists and countless others with just the click of a mouse.

Once complete, the digital index is expected to be a valuable resource for both the Chelsea community and genealogists around the country.

VanBlaricum is excited about the online index.

"I'm a genealogist. I've used these cards for years," she said. "This is wonderful because I'll be able to use these cards from home."

The extensive collection of historical data includes the names of those who have died in Chelsea as far back as the early 1880s. It also includes the names of some who died in the surrounding areas, such as Ann Arbor and Jackson.

"It's a very unique resource. Local history tends to be preserved by small libraries, people who have an interest in it, or by no one," Brooks said.

When the database is complete, those seeking family history and other genealogical information will be able to search the files by keywords including name, date of birth, spouse or children.

Jim Hammel, who also volunteers his time to enter the information into the database, believes his efforts are worthwhile.

"I've gotten a lot of information online that other people have done, and I'm just paying it back," Hammel said.

The index cards are filed in alphabetical order and Goldman said volunteers are already half way through the alphabet.

The Family History Index File will become available online after all of the information has been entered into the system.

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Chelsea Fire Department and was an emergency medical technician. His close friend, Andy Box, also played on the Chelsea football team and joined the Explorer program.

"His work ethic in school and athletics was above everyone else," Box said of Harshberger. "He excelled in athletics and as a team player, and has carried that over to his family and career."

The two shared similar interests in public safety, forming a lifelong friendship that spanned both their personal lives and careers.

The friends served as best man at each other's weddings and started their law enforcement professions together. Box said Harshberger influenced him to attend the Washtenaw Police Academy and the two later

worked together at the Ypsilanti Police Department. Box joined the Ann Arbor Fire Department in 1991, but has remained a close friend.

Box said Harshberger is the ideal person for the top police post in Ypsilanti.

"He's deeply dedicated and has the highest standard of integrity. He's so devoted to that community," Box said.

While growing up, Harshberger also worked at Poma's Pizza, which is now the Purple Rose Theatre Company, and at Westside Gym, where he was friends with the owner, Jon Oesterle. Harshberger played on the Westside Gym's softball team and exercised there. Oesterle said he knew it was always Harshberger's intention to work in some area

related to law enforcement.

Harshberger's parents thought that he might make his career in either the police department or the fire department, although they neither encouraged nor discouraged any of his choices.

"They made career choices they wanted, and they've all wanted to help people," Charlotte Harshberger said of her children.

She knows exactly what it's like to be married to someone in law enforcement.

"He couldn't get where he's going without his wife," she said of daughter-in-law Amy Harshberger, who works part time as a nurse at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital.

Bob Harshberger said he offered his son both his congratulations and his sympathy.

"He's deeply dedicated and has the highest standard of integrity."

*Andy Box
Friend*

NURSE

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could ease crowded waiting rooms in doctors' offices and emergency rooms.

There have been no complaints about the efficacy of their prescribing in other states where nurse practitioners already prescribe without physician oversight. Surely Michigan can at least try it, in the interests not of doctors or nurses, but of the underserved populace.

Our senators should support this bill and our representatives in the House should introduce similar language to better the chances that the prohibition can be lifted.

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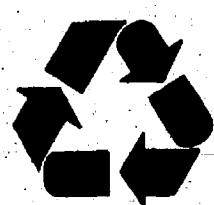
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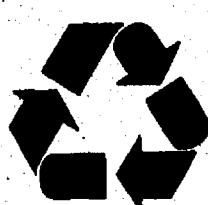
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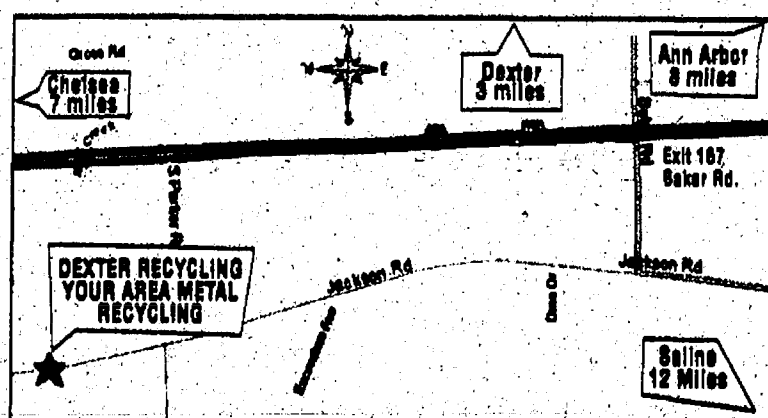
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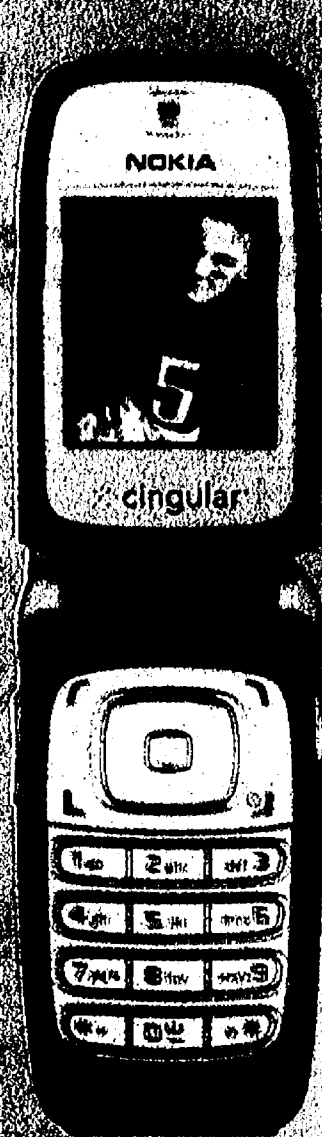
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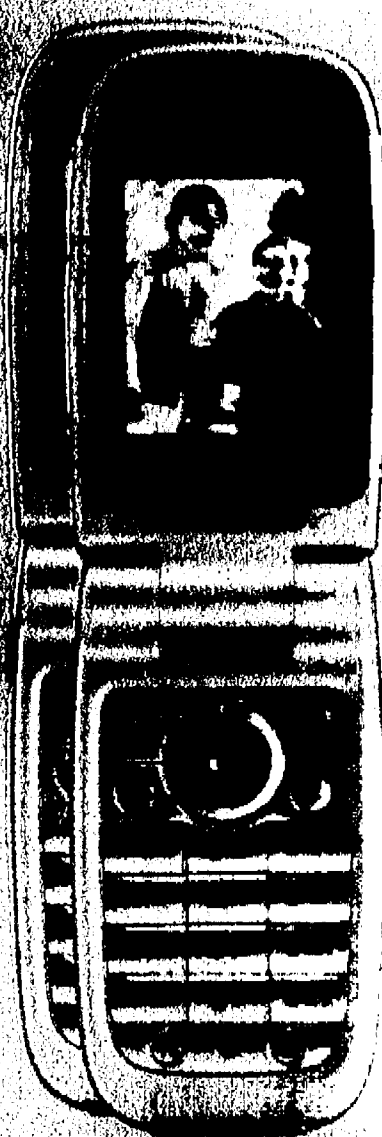
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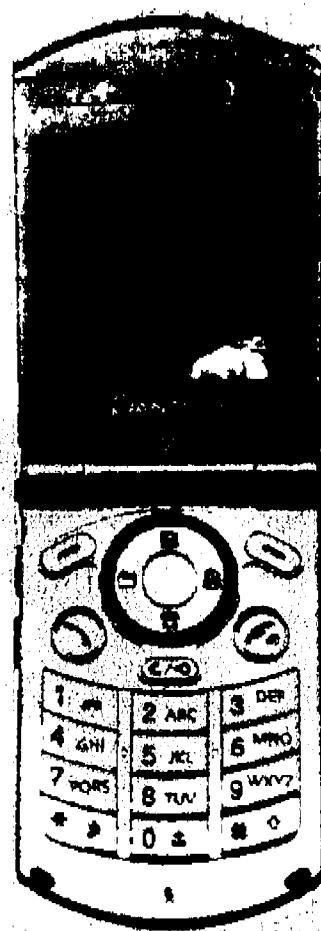
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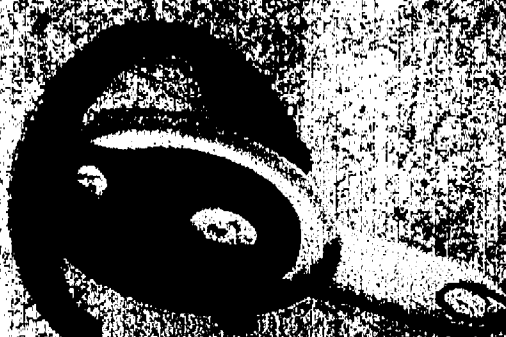
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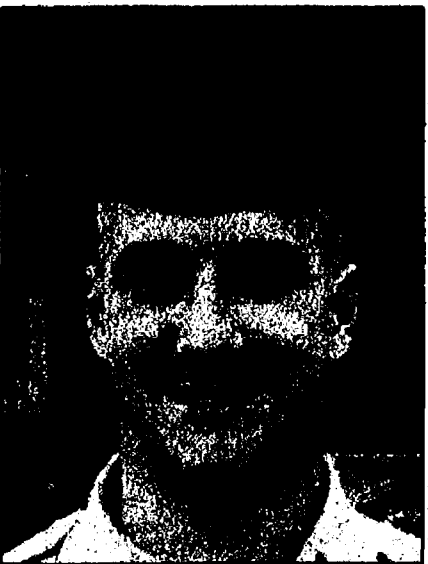
Sgt. Joshua Zissler

Sgt. Joshua Zissler served in the U.S. Marine Corps for eight years. He entered the Marine Corps after graduation from Dexter High School. Zissler served in the First Air Force Reconnaissance Company based at Camp Pendleton in California. He served two tours of duty in Iraq. He was wounded in Fallujah in November 2004 and received a Bronze Star with valor for meritorious achievement in connection with combat operations in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. He is the son of Michael McCowry and Paul Zissler, and grandson of Jim and Charlotte Lovelace of Monroe, formerly of Dexter.



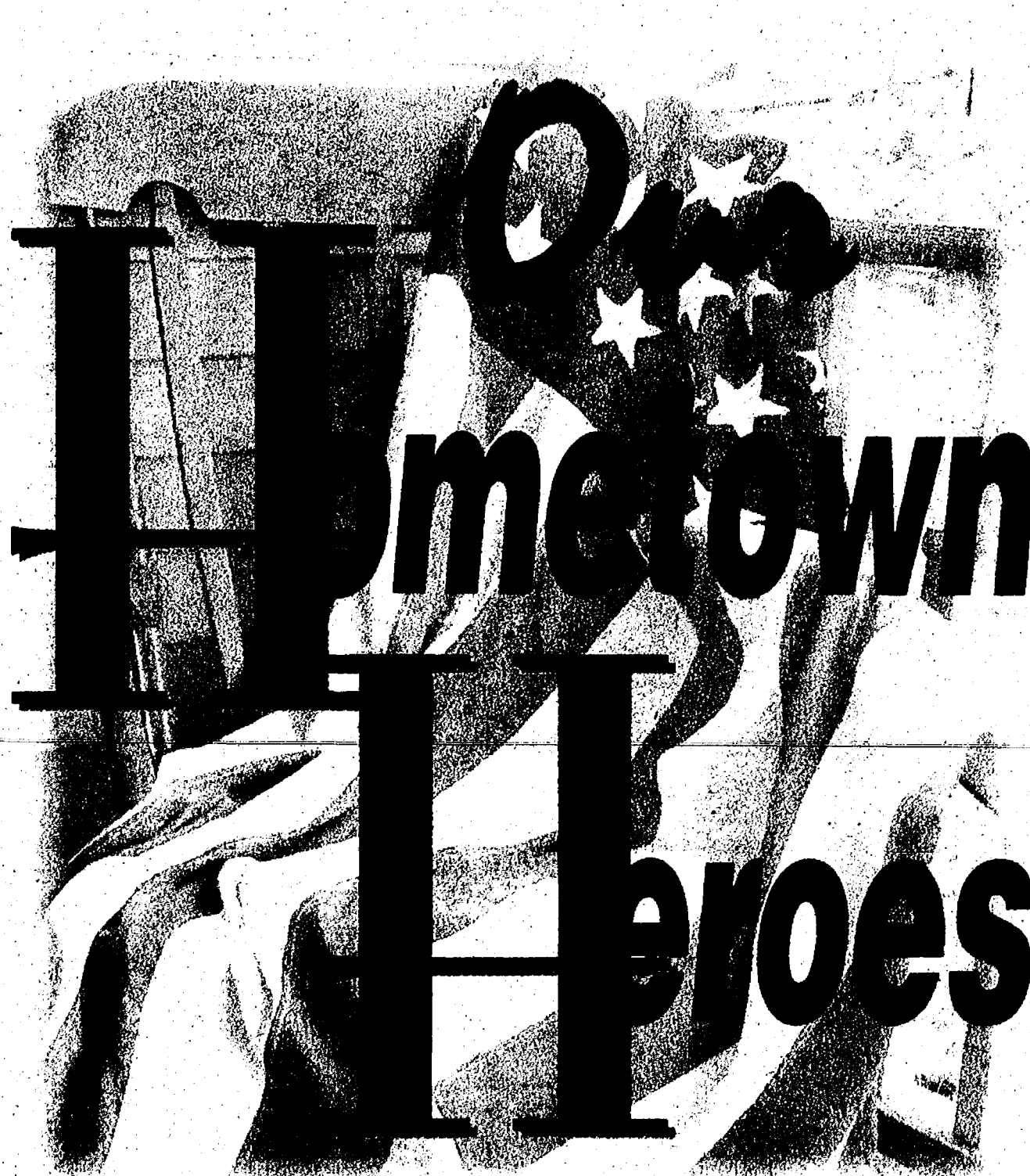
Seaman Michael Zissler

Seaman Michael Zissler entered the military in February 2006 and is currently serving in the U.S. Navy. Zissler recently graduated from school at the Great Lakes Naval Training Facility as a corpsman. He is stationed at Camp Johnson, a Marine Corps base in North Carolina, for further corpsman training. Zissler is a graduate of Dexter High School. He is the son of Michael McCowry and Paul Zissler, and grandson of Jim and Charlotte Lovelace of Monroe, formerly of Dexter.



Sgt. Jacob Boyce

Sgt. Jacob Boyce has put his personal goals on hold and is serving his country in Iraq with the 209th Quartermaster Company, Army Reserve. Before his deployment, he was a senior at Western Michigan University. Boyce grew up in Dexter and is a 2002 Dexter High School graduate. He and his wife, Sarah, are expecting their first child in January.



2nd Lt. J. Andrew Colson

2nd Lt. J. Andrew Colson is an electronic warfare officer in the 338th Combat Training Squadron at Offutt Air Force Base in Omaha, Neb. He has been a resident of Dexter since 1999. In 2002, he received degrees in economics and political science from the University of Washington. Sept. 11, 2001, was the date that motivated him to pursue a military career. He was commissioned in September 2004 and received his flight wings in September 2005. At the winging ceremony, he received both the Richard I. Bong Award for the top Air Force Electronic Warfare Officer, as well as the Jack Donovan Award, which is given to the top electronic warfare officer in the combined Air Force and Navy training class. This month, he was promoted to first lieutenant. Upon completion of his training, he will be assigned to the 343rd Reconnaissance Squadron of the 55th Wing of the Air Combat Command. Colson is a member of a flight crew on the RC-135 reconnaissance airplane.



Pvt. Michael Crawford-Lucas

Pvt. Michael Crawford-Lucas, 20, of Dexter is at his base in Fort Carson in Colorado. He is a sniper in the U.S. Army, and will be going to Iraq Oct. 1 for the next 18 months. He has ties to both Chelsea and Dexter. While on leave, he calls Dexter home, with his mother, Sally Darrow; stepfather, Oliver; sister, Emily; and brother, Byron. His father, Terry, and stepmother, Toni Lucas, sister, McKenna, and brother, Cross, live in Chelsea. Michael also has a brother, Justin Crawford-Lucas, who died in 2002. "Michael is our hero and we could not be more proud," Sally Darrow said. "He is the light of our lives. As much as we fear him going to war, we know



this is something he wanted to do and we stand behind him 100 percent."

Leo Borders

Leo Borders, a 1957 Chelsea High School graduate, died Aug. 3, 1966, in the line of duty. He was a deputy with the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department and was pursuing a suspect in a high-speed chase when the patrol car he was driving went off the road, struck a tree and burst into flames in Dexter Township. Borders, who was 28 at the time, left behind a wife, Emma Elsie, and two daughters, Sara and Dawn. Dawn was born less than a month after his tragic death.



Matthew Tuttle

Matthew Tuttle, a reserve officer with the Chelsea Police Department and full-time captain with the Chelsea Area Fire Authority, died April 13, 2006, in the line of duty. Tuttle, a 1998 Chelsea High School graduate who also worked for Huron Valley Ambulance, was piloting a helicopter that crashed while pursuing a suspect with Chelsea Police Chief Riley Scott Sumner. Tuttle left behind a wife, Mary Lisznyai.



Riley Scott Sumner

Chelsea Police Chief Riley Scott Sumner died April 13, 2006, in the line of duty. Sumner, a 1980 Chelsea High School graduate, was in a helicopter pursuing a suspect when the chopper crashed, killing him and Chelsea Reserve Police Officer Matthew Tuttle, also a full-time captain with the Chelsea Area Fire Authority. Sumner left behind a wife, Amy, and two sons, Mitchell and Riley.



Doug Trojanowski

Doug Trojanowski, a 15-year resident of Chelsea, is employed full time as a dispatcher with Huron Valley Ambulance Communications, but also works on the road as an emergency medical technician. He is a reserve firefighter/EMT with the Chelsea Area Fire Authority and a K-9 specialist with Michigan Urban Search and Rescue. He is pictured here with his 3-year-old Belgian Malinois, Greta.



Dexter Area Fire Department

Dexter firefighter Lee Miller (left), Capt. Troy Maloney, Lt. Scott Gochis, firefighter Mike Grissom and Lt. Art Stauch are pictured Sept. 12, 2001, with the south tower of the World Trade Center in the background. "First and foremost, I would like to explain the smiles, as this was no place or time to be happy," Gochis said. "We had been separated during an evacuation of the site due to possible collapse of one of the many damaged high-rises and this picture was taken when we had found each other. During these evacuations, everyone would run for their lives not knowing if something was coming down or not. We were happy to find each other and know that everyone was OK."

HOMEFRONT

A nod and thanks to our hometown heroes

You see them often, the popular yellow magnetic ribbons on the backs of cars and trucks that proclaim, "Support Our Troops."

As a sentiment and reminder they are well intended.

The reminder is needed because it's too easy for average Americans to forget we are into our fourth year of war; to easy to put out of mind that thousands of men and women and their families had their lives disrupted for months on end when they were deployed overseas to Iraq, many for more than one tour.

The war can easily slip into the background for many of us as we go about our daily lives. But for those who serve and for their families, it's inconceivable that the war should become overshadowed with the practicalities of every-

day life.

For them, the war is ever-present.

Forgetting the war is a luxury we have. It's a luxury our servicemen and servicewomen have granted us. We are able to forget the war because on our behalf they have chosen not to.

So the message of the yellow ribbon "Support Our Troops" magnets serves a valuable purpose in reminding us of the violent and turbulent state of affairs in which our country is embroiled. But there's a problem.

The problem is that the message on the magnets — though succinct — is too vague.

First, what is meant by "support"? What exactly is being asked of us? Americans surely



BRIAN COX

want to do their part, but some guidance is warranted in what that part might be. The answer for too long has been nonspecific and unclear.

Second, consider the word "troops" and how faceless and vast it is. How is the average American expected to support "troops"? It's nearly overwhelming in its scope.

And even relieved of its perceived political weight, the command "Support Our Troops" leaves many wondering — "How?" and "Who?"

And so because of its vagueness and impersonal approach, the message on the magnetic yellow ribbons should be changed.

It should simply read:

"Thank a soldier."

That should be easy enough. That's something we can all do. It in no way hinges on our political views; it does not call for some great sacrifice or effort. It calls for nothing more than a nod and a thank you. It shows gratitude and appreciation for the men and women who are doing their duty as asked by their country.

It's a simple gesture, bereft of political undertones. It's one we can all make.

Above are pictures of but a few of the men and women in this area who are serving or have served our country. This page recognizes them and their families for their contribution and sacrifice.

You could think of this page as a nod and a thanks.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

CHELSEA

Thursday, Sept. 7

Family Game and Chess Night will be held 7 p.m. at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. The event is free and registration is not required. For more information, call 475-8732.

Sounds and Sights on Thursday Nights will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. on Main Street in Chelsea. Attractions will include Kickshaws, bluegrass music, Strong Suits and Zeemo the yo-yo juggler.

Author William Grace will sign copies of his novel, "The Gathering," from 6 to 8 p.m. at Cranesbill Books, 108 E. Middle St., in Chelsea. For more information, call 433-2665.

Friday, Sept. 8

Animanga Club will be held from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. The event is free. For more information, call 475-8732.

Saturday, Sept. 9

Keith Parmentier will perform guitar solos from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Pierce's Pastries Plus, 103 W. Middle St., in Chelsea. Morning, Mochas and Melodies is a free event open to the public. For more information, call 475-6081.

Heritage Day art fair will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Whistlestop Park, 210 E. Michigan Ave., in Grass Lake. Attractions will include museum tours, an art fair and a bicycle tour. For more information, call 1-517-522-4660.

Sunday, Sept. 10

"Incredible Edibles" walk will be held 1:30 p.m. at Gerald E. Eddy Discovery Center, 17030 Bush Road, in Chelsea. Registration is required by calling 475-3170.

Monday, Sept. 11

6-11 Club: Comics will be held 4 p.m. at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. The club is for children ages 6 to 11 and an opportunity for them to get together and have fun creating, playing games, and exploring a theme. Registration is requested by calling 475-8732.

Chelsea High School open house will be held 6:30 p.m. at 740 N. Freer Road. Parents are asked to pick up their child's schedule in the commons and meet in the auditorium before rotating through the classes. At approximately 9:10 p.m., the annual report will be shared with interested parents.

Tuesday, Sept. 12

An American Red Cross blood drive will be held from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Chelsea Community Hospital, Woodland Room, 775 S. Main St. The blood drive is open to the public.

"Exploring Online Health Resources" workshop will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. Learn what sites to trust and how to search for information. Registration is required by calling 475-8732.

Wednesday, Sept. 13

Dance Dance Revolution Night will be held 7 p.m. at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. The dance is free and open to new players. Snacks will be provided. For more information, call 475-8732.

Lima Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing 6 p.m. at the Lima Township Hall, 11452 Jackson Road, in Chelsea.

Saturday, Sept. 16

The Chelsea Senior Center will host a euchre tournament from noon to 6 p.m. at the Chelsea Grille, 1120 S. Main St. Partners

are not necessary. The cost is \$35 and includes a hot dinner buffet and prizes. For more information, call 475-9242.

MISCELLANEOUS

Thursday

Alzheimer's Association Family Caregiver Support Group meets from 2 to 3:30 p.m. the third Thursday of the month at the Chelsea Retirement Community, 805 W. Middle St. Call 1-800-337-3827.

Books & Banter Group meets 1:30 p.m. the third Thursday of each month at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. Copies of the books are available for registered readers. For information, call 475-8732.

Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meets the third Thursday of the month. Call 475-1145.

Friends of Chelsea District Library meets on a regular basis. For more information, call Marie Brooks at 475-8732 or Jennifer Kundak at 475-2424.

Senior Nutrition Program meets noon every Thursday for dinner at the Waterloo Township Hall, 8061 Washington St., in Waterloo. For reservations, call 475-7439.

Friday

Al-Anon meets 12:30 p.m. every Friday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St., in the White Oak Center Great Room. Call 475-1462.

Saturday

Hope Clinic, for people with no health insurance, is held 9 a.m. to noon on the second Saturday of the month at Faith In Action, 775 S. Main St. Call 475-3305.

Western Washtenaw Republicans meets from 9:30 to 11 a.m. the second Saturday of the month at Cleary's Pub, 113 S. Main St. Call 996-9467.

German Social Club meets 1 p.m. the last Saturday of the month at Wolverine restaurant, 20460 Old US-12. Call 475-1583.

Sunday

The Parkinson Education and Support Group of Washtenaw County meets from 1:30 to 4 p.m. the second Sunday of the month. Call 1-800-852-9781.

Monday

Al-Anon meets 7:30 p.m. every Monday at Chelsea Community

Hospital, 775 S. Main St. Call 475-1462.

Chelsea AA group meetings are held 8:30 p.m. Monday, 8 p.m. Thursday, 7 p.m. Saturday and Sunday at the Chelsea hospital dining room, and noon on Tuesday and Wednesday at First Congregational Church, 121 E. Middle St.

Chelsea Area Garden Club meets noon the second Monday of the month at First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St. Call 475-1493.

Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets 6:15 p.m. every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St. Call 475-6128.

Lima Township Board meets 8 p.m. the second Monday of every month at the Township Hall, 11452 Jackson Road, in Chelsea. For more information, call 475-2246.

Taste of Home Café serves lunch at noon Monday through Friday at the Washington Street Education Center, 500 Washington St. It's open to the public with a \$2.50 donation for senior citizens 62 years or older, and \$5 for all others. Reservations are required one day in advance. For information or reservations, call 475-9242.

Tuesday

Chelsea District Library Board meets 6:45 p.m. the third Tuesday of the month at the Washington Street Education Center, 500 Washington St.

Chelsea Lions Club meets 6:45 p.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of the month at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St.

Chelsea Rotary Club meets 12:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the Common Grill, 112 S. Main St.

Senior Nutrition Program meets noon every Tuesday for dinner at the Waterloo Township Hall, 8061 Washington St., in Waterloo. Call 475-7439.

Washtenaw County Board of Road Commissioners meets at 1 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of each month in the Road Commission Boardroom, 555 N. Zeeb Road, in Scio Township. For updates to the meeting schedule, check out the Web site at www.wcroads.org.

Woman's Club of Chelsea meets 1 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month at The Pines, 325 Wilkinson St. For information, call Edith Lindberg at 475-3019 or Jinny Johnson at 433-9825.

Wednesday

Chelsea Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4076, 105 N. Main St., meets 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of the month. Call 475-1448.

Narcotics Anonymous meets 7 p.m. every Wednesday at Chelsea Community Hospital, Dining Room B, 775 S. Main St., in Chelsea.

Parents Supporting Parents of Children with ADD and ADHD support group will meet from 6:30 to 8 p.m. the third Wednesday of every month through May 2007 at Chelsea Pediatric Center, 1513 S. Main St. This series is open to the public and is free of charge. To enroll in the support group, call Pat Hepburn at 475-9175.

DEXTER

Saturday, Sept. 9 and Sunday, Sept. 10

The Last Step will be featured at a four-band event 7 p.m. both days at Foggy Bottom Café, 7065 Dexter-Ann Arbor Road, in Dexter. The event is a fund-raiser for CROP Walk to help fight hunger in Africa.

Tuesday, Sept. 12

An American Red Cross blood drive will be held from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Creative Solutions, 7322 Newman Blvd., in Dexter. The blood drive is open to the public.

Thursday, Sept. 14

Girl Scout registration roundup will be held from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Dexter American Legion, 8225 Dexter-Chelsea Road, in Dexter. The roundup is for girls ages 5 through 17. For more information, call 1-734-213-2922.

DEXTER

MISCELLANEOUS

Thursday

Dexter AA group meets 7:30 p.m. every Thursday at St. Joseph's Parish Hall in the education building, 3470 Dover St., in Dexter.

Dexter American Legion meets 8 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at the American Legion Post, 8225 Dexter-Chelsea Road. Call 426-3112.

Dexter Community Band meets from 7 to 9 p.m. every Thursday at the Dexter High School band room, 2200 N. Parker Road. Call 426-2734.

Dexter Historical Society meets 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday. See CALENDAR — Page 3-B

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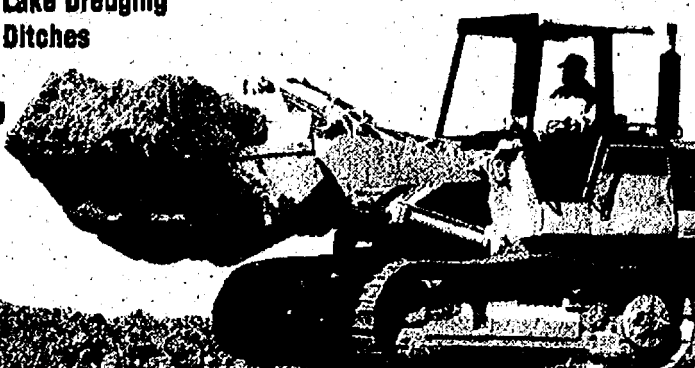
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HEROES

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Tom Steele

Tom Steele, 59, of Chelsea was drafted into the Vietnam War in 1968. During his service, he earned a Bronze Star for bravery, a Silver Star for gallantry in action against a hostile force and a Purple Heart for being wounded in action. He is now co-owner of Steele Heating and Cooling Inc. in Chelsea and a former board member of the Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce.

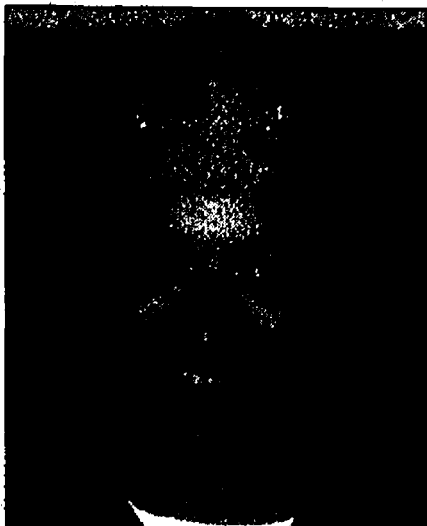


Cmdr. Thomas Fluent

Cmdr. Thomas Fluent of Dexter is a hometown hero currently serving in the U.S. Navy Reserves. He earned his doctor of medicine from the University of Michigan in 1989 and then entered active naval duty as a resident in the Department of Psychiatry, Naval Medical Center in Portsmouth, Va. In 1995, he completed a fellowship in child and adolescent psychiatry at Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Washington, D.C.

Fluent served as an instructor and then as an assistant professor of psychiatry at the Uniformed Services University of Health Sciences in Bethesda, Md., until 1998. During this time, he also was a team leader of the Naval Medical Center in Bethesda, Md., Special Psychiatric Rapid Intervention Team, responsible for intervention during military disasters and trauma. He also served as program director of the National Capitol Area Adolescent Psychiatric Programs at the Naval Medical Center in Bethesda, Md.

In August 1998, Fluent received a faculty appointment in the Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry at the University of Michigan and soon after entered



service in the U.S. Naval Reserves. Since May 2000, he has served as commander of Medical Corps, U.S. Naval Reserves, Naval Reserve Fleet Hospital in Great Lakes, Ill. From February to August of 2003, he was recalled to active naval service assigned to the Mental Health Department, Naval Hospital, Camp Pendleton in California. He currently is preparing for an anticipated deployment to Germany for one year in support of military personnel in Europe and the Middle East.

His wife, Marie, and children, Natalie and Nick, are also hometown heroes for their support of Fluent's call to service.

CALENDAR

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of the month at the Dexter Area Museum, 3443 Inverness St., in Dexter.

Dexter Rotary Club meets 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. every Thursday at Creekside Intermediate School, 2615 Baker Road.

Dexter Downtown Development Authority meets 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of the month at the Copeland Administration Building, 7714 Ann Arbor St., in Dexter.

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Monday
Dexter Board of Education meets 7 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays at Creekside Intermediate School in Dexter.

Dexter District Library Board meets 7:30 p.m. the first Monday of the month at Dexter District Library, 8040 Fourth St., in Dexter.

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Dexter AA Group meets 8 p.m. every Tuesday at St. Joseph's Parish Hall Education Building, 3470 Dover St.

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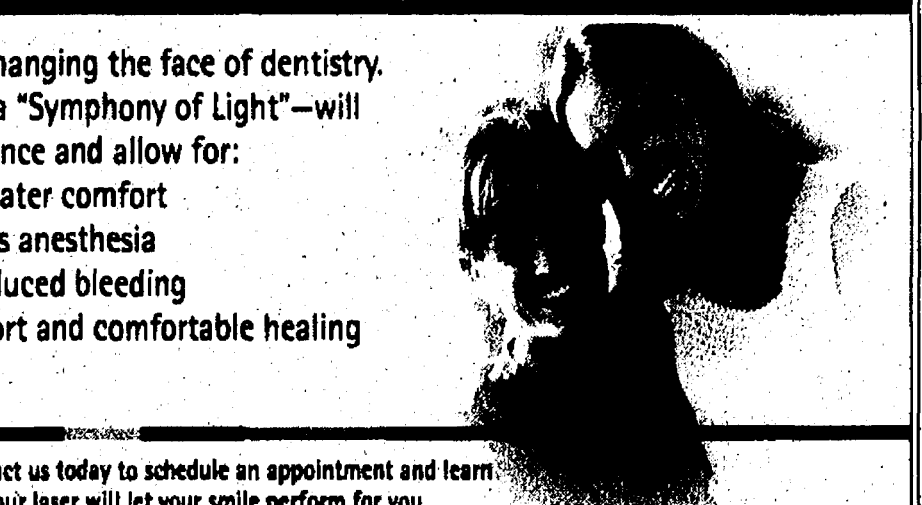
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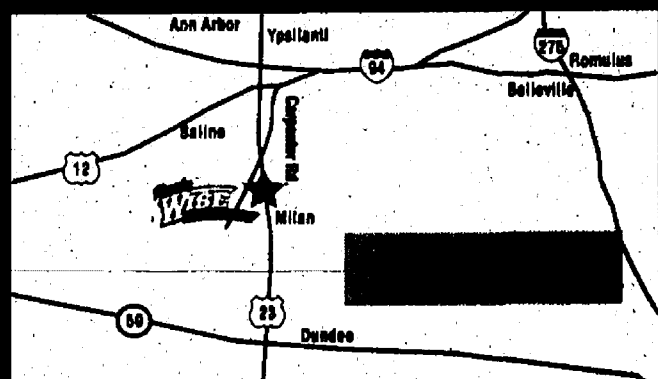
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Shown is Thursday's weather. Temperatures are Thursday's highs and Thursday night's lows.

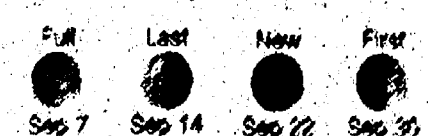
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Precipitation:
Total for the week 0.20"
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Total for the year 25.61"
Normal for the month 0.45"
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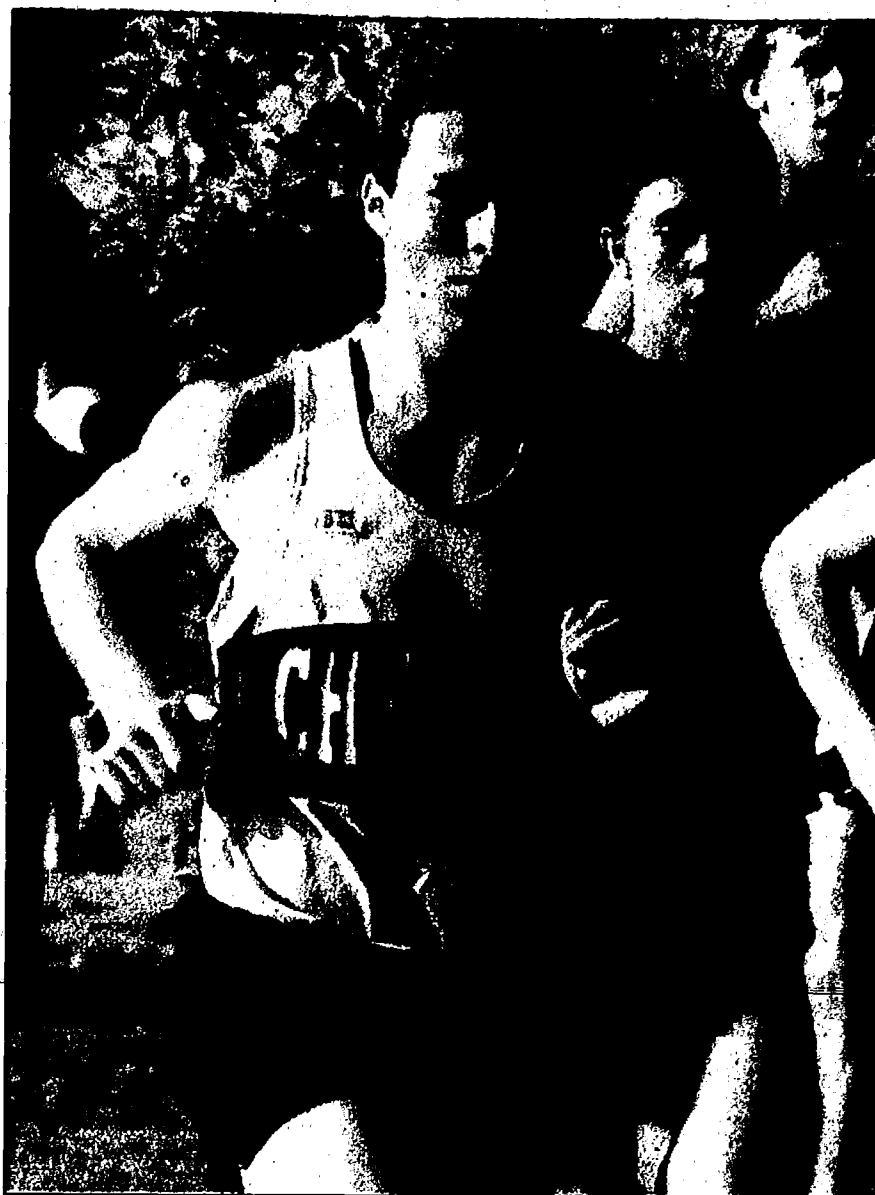


Photo courtesy of Michael Smith
Chelsea senior Brendan Smith finished first overall at the Corunna Early Bird Invitational Aug. 30. Smith bested the field with a time of 16:50.

CROSS COUNTRY

Smith places first at Corunna invite

Chelsea runners show toughness, grit in finishing second at meet

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

The Chelsea boys' cross country team placed second at the season-opening Corunna Early Bird Invitational Aug. 30.

The Bulldogs accumulated 71 points.

Capturing the nine-team title was Bloomfield Hills Lahser with 46 points.

Rounding out the top five were Linden in third place with 85 points, followed by Flint Powers Catholic with 112 points and Corunna with 118 points.

"We entered this meet not knowing where our early-season conditioning would place us," said Chelsea coach Eric Swager. "I am pleasantly surprised."

Individually for the Bulldogs, senior Brendan Smith finished first overall with a time of 16:50.

"Brendan ran a superb race, finishing as overall champion in a thrilling finish," Swager said. "Brendan also won this meet as a sophomore and he rebounded nicely from an injury-plagued junior year."

Placing fifth overall for Chelsea was Teddy Eyster with a clocking of 17:40, while Jeff Squires was seventh in 17:50 and Nick Heuhl 17th in 18:02 for the Bulldogs.

"Our 2-3-4 runners ran extremely tough races," Swager said of Eyster, Squires and Heuhl. "They

had superb times for this early in the year."

In 38th place for the Bulldogs was Nick Hewitt with a time of 18:40, while Mark Smith was 41st in a lifetime best 19:18 and Dolan Personke 47th in 19:30 for Chelsea.

Justin McGrath finished 51st in 20:37 for the Bulldogs, while Dan Case was 62nd in 20:41, Geoff Smith 65th in 20:45 and Jared Gentz 66th in a lifetime best 20:48 for Chelsea.

Evan Carpenter was 73rd for the Bulldogs with a time of 21:11, while David Hudson was 76th in 21:16 and Jared Farley 80th in a lifetime best 21:23 for Chelsea.

Joe Turek ended up 101st in 23:10 for the Bulldogs, while Will Argiroff was 104th in 23:22, Pete Kinsey 111th in a lifetime best 24:03 and Josh Golec 122nd in 27:02 for Chelsea.

"While this team doesn't have the raw talent of other years, I am encouraged by the toughness that many are showing as we develop," Swager said. "While it is still very early, I can unequivocally state that this is a great start."

The Bulldogs next travel to Bath to participate in its invitational Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

On Tuesday, Chelsea visits Ann Arbor Pioneer to compete in the Southeastern Conference Jamboree No. 1 at 4:30 p.m.

On Sept. 16, the Bulldogs travel to New Boston Huron to participate in its invitational at 10 a.m.

Sports Editor Don Richter can be reached at 475-1371 or at drichter@heritage.com.



Photo by Jerry Milliken
Chelsea senior Marty Holmes (3) assists teammates Chris Schmelz (left) and Zach Leszczynski during last Friday's 31-7 victory over Temperance Bedford. With the win, the Bulldogs improved their overall record to 2-0 on the young season.

FOOTBALL

Chelsea overwhelms Bedford

Bulldog balanced attack too much for Kicking Mules

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

Chelsea used a balanced attack to convincingly defeat host Temperance Bedford 31-7 in a Southeastern Conference match-up last Friday.

The Bulldogs (2-0, 1-0 SEC) rushed for 230 yards and passed for an additional 211 yards to subdue the Kicking Mules (1-1, 0-1).

Senior halfback Adam Connell scored three touchdowns, including two on pass receptions, to lead Chelsea offensively.

"It was a good, solid win," said Chelsea coach Brad Bush. "It was an opportunity for everybody to get in a lot of playing time."

"I thought our special teams improved and we had no turnovers. We were able to get four (turnovers). A plus four in turnover margin was important to our success."

Bush said he was pleased with his team's offensive performance.

"I thought we were balanced," he said. "Early on we made a couple of big plays. They (Bedford) were blitzing and we were able to catch them."

Connell began the scoring for the Bulldogs, hitting pay dirt in the first quarter, snatching a four-yard touchdown pass from senior quar-

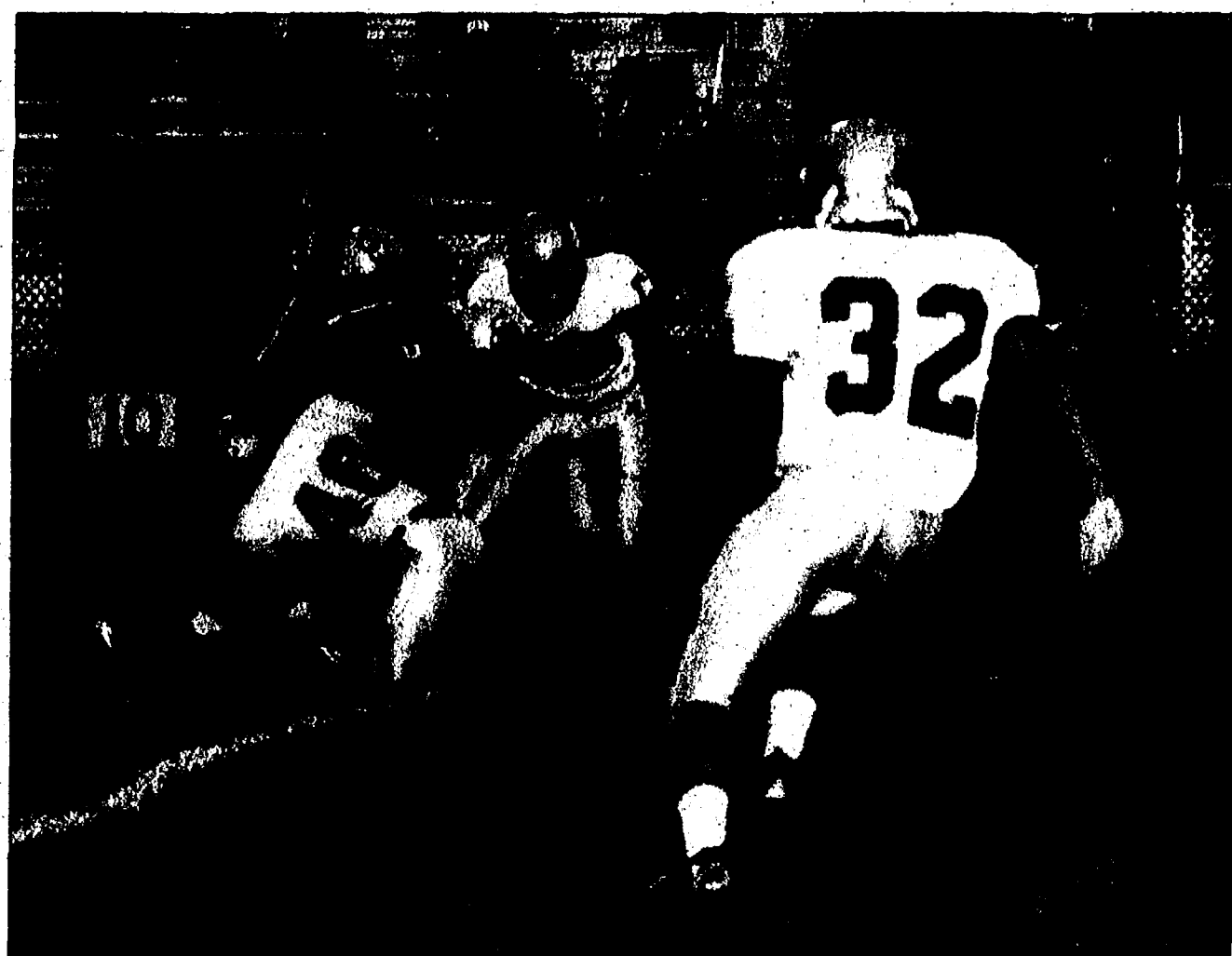


Photo by Jerry Milliken
Chelsea's Nick Avila (32) runs toward the ball as teammates James Connelly (40) and Sean Dreyer attempt to tackle a Bedford ball carrier.

terback Jon Seelbach. With senior Dan Rhodes' successful extra point, Chelsea led 7-0.

In the second quarter, the Bulldogs increased their advantage as Connell hauled in a 32-yard TD pass from Seelbach. Rhodes' point after touchdown kick was good and Chelsea led 14-0 with 8:39 left in the first half.

Two minutes later, the Bulldogs struck again, as senior receiver Nate Schwarze caught a 52-yard touchdown

pass from Seelbach. Rhodes' PAT split the uprights, giving Chelsea a commanding 21-0 lead midway through the second quarter.

After Bedford scored a touchdown trimming the Bulldogs' advantage to 21-7 with less than a minute remaining in the first half, Chelsea answered.

The Bulldogs scored to close out the half as Connell scampered in from three yards out for a touchdown. Rhodes nailed the extra

point and Chelsea entered the locker room with a 28-7 lead.

In the third quarter, Rhodes drilled a 25-yard field goal for the night's final margin.

Seelbach had an impressive game for the Bulldogs, finishing 11-of-15 for 200 yards and three touchdowns. He also rushed four times for 18 yards.

"Jon had a solid outing," Bush said. "The key for him

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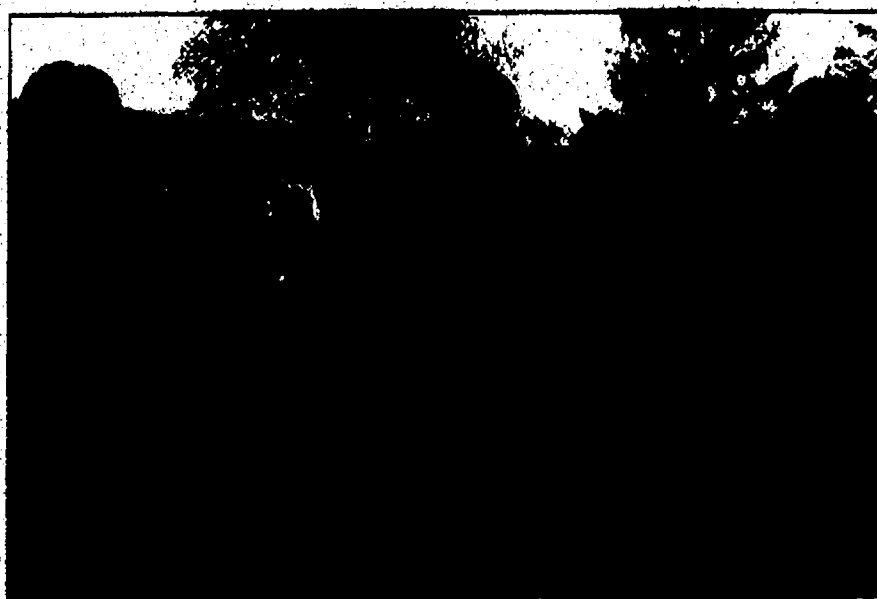


Photo courtesy of Meghan Smith
The Bulldogs' boys' cross country team finished second at last week's Corunna Early Bird Invitational with 71 points. Members of the squad include Jeff Squires (left), Nick Hewitt, Dolan Personke, Nick Heuhl, Mark Smith, Brendan Smith and Teddy Eyster.

TENNIS

Bulldog netters fall to Adrian

Maples sweep all four singles flights to secure win

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

The Chelsea girls' tennis team lost to host Adrian 6-2 last Thursday.

The Maples swept all four singles flights.

At No. 1 singles, Chelsea's Liz Hood

lost a three-set marathon 0-6, 6-3, 6-4. Bulldog Maggie Valle dropped a 6-3, 6-1 match to Aubrey Hendricks at No. 2 singles.

At No. 3 singles, Chelsea's Amanda Snyder lost 6-3, 6-2 to Shelly Chesher 6-3, 6-2.

Adrian's Kristin Vallade defeated Bulldog Cathy Wijsman 7-5, 6-3 at No. 4 singles.

In doubles, Chelsea's Hannah Osbeck and Lauren Verardi prevailed 6-0, 6-3

over Jessica Carson and Emily Goldberg at the No. 1 flight.

At No. 2 doubles, Bulldogs Lindsey Dahl and Katie MacFarlan lost a three-set battle 6-3, 3-6, 7-5 to Caiti Bolick and Katie Griswold.

At No. 3 doubles, Chelsea's Katie Cohen and Caroline Olsen fell 6-3, 6-3 to Ashley Makersturm and Alexis Ringman.

The Bulldog twosome of Robin Olinyk and Lauren Verardi prevailed 6-0, 6-3

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CROSS COUNTRY

McKenzie paces Bulldogs at meet

Bougher, Ciaccio, Wilke also finish in top 25 at Corunna race

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

The Chelsea girls' cross country team opened its season finishing third at the Corunna Early Bird Invitational Aug. 30.

The Bulldogs ended up with 79 points.

Winning the 22-team meet was Goodrich with 45 points. Flint Powers Catholic was second with 75 points.

Rounding out the top five were DeWitt in fourth place with 99 points and Haslett in fifth spot with 172 points.

"We placed third in a very strong field," said Chelsea coach Pat Clarke. "Goodrich is a strong team that has won Division III states the last three years, and Flint Powers is a perennial Division II powerhouse."

Chelsea's B team placed eighth with 186 points, while the Bulldogs' C team was 12th with 296 points.

Individually for Chelsea, senior Amanda McKenzie finished second

overall out of 131 runners, crossing the line with a time of 19:03.

"Amanda ran a very strong race against Erin LaFave (Bloomfield Hills Lahser), who was the (Division II) state runner-up a year ago," Clarke said. "They traded the lead several times during the race with Amanda coming in second by only six seconds."

Finishing seventh was Bulldog senior Nicole Bougher in 20:56.

"Nicole ran a strong race to place seventh," Clarke said.

Ending up 18th for Chelsea was Katelyn Ciaccio with a clocking of 21:54, while Joy Wilke was 24th in 22:00 for the Bulldogs.

Liz Guden was 28th in 22:24 for Chelsea, while Courtney Maher was 29th in 22:27 and Amy Glover 30th in 22:32 for the Bulldogs.

Chelsea's Julie Beaumont finished 38th with a time of 22:51, while Cassie Coffman was 42nd in 22:56, Nikki Laeder 47th in 23:13 and Jenny Squires 52nd in 23:25 for the Bulldogs.

Nicole Hopp ended up 55th in 23:28 for Chelsea, while Katie Lindauer was 62nd in 23:52, Jessica Farley 63rd in 23:54 and Christina Coffman 64th in

23:56 for the Bulldogs.

Lauren Johnson placed 70th in 24:19, while Stephanie Becker was 88th in 25:36, Katy Martin 98th in 26:05, Kathryn Brieland-Shoulz 114th in 26:47 and Amanda Abdon 121st with a clocking of 27:38 for Chelsea.

Clarke was pleased with his squad's season-opening performance.

"We showed a lot more depth this year than last year," he said. "We learned a lot about where we are and what we need to do. We will improve as the season progresses and hopefully get to where we want to be."

Last season, Chelsea placed fifth at the Division II state meet.

The Bulldogs next travel to Bath to participate in its invitational 8:30 a.m. Saturday.

On Tuesday, Chelsea visits Ann Arbor Pioneer to compete in the Southeastern Conference Jamboree No. 1 at 4:30 p.m.

On Sept. 16, the Bulldogs travel to New Boston Huron to take part in its invitational at 8:30 a.m.

Sports Editor Don Richter can be reached at 475-1371 or at drichter@heritage.com.

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and Baile Simpson defeated Lindy Coon and Sarah Machniak in three sets 2-6, 7-6, 6-4 at No. 4 doubles.

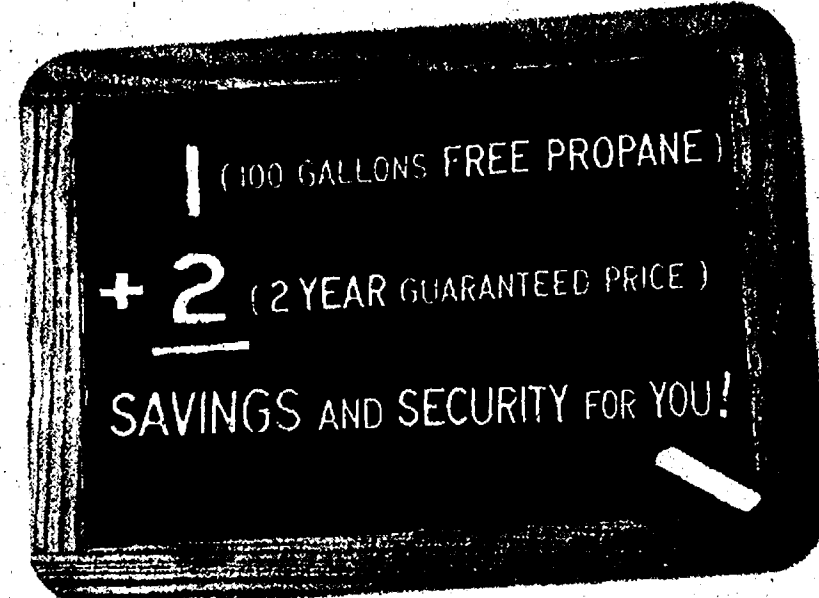
Chelsea (2-1) next hosts

Saline Thursday at 4 p.m.

On Saturday, the Bulldogs travel to Adrian to participate in the Maples' tournament at 8:30 a.m.

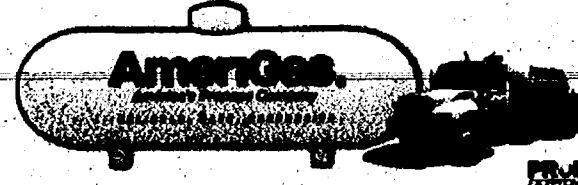
On Sept. 14, Chelsea visits perennial state power Ann Arbor Pioneer for a match at 4 p.m.

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GOLF

Chelsea drops two straight

Bedford, Huron defeat Bulldogs in dual matches last week

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

The Chelsea boys' golf team lost to visiting Temperance Bedford 165-169 Aug. 30 in a dual match at Reddeman Farms Golf Course.

"I felt good having them on our home course," said Chelsea coach Joe Ewald. "I thought we would be in control. We had one of our worst outings of the year. I was a little disappointed to shoot that score at home."

Junior Danny Battistone led the Bulldogs, shooting a 39.

Junior Elliot Marshall added a 42, while juniors Garrett Nichols and Matt Heinien each chipped in a 44 for Chelsea.

On Aug. 29, the Bulldogs lost to Ann Arbor Huron 205-224 in a dual match at Stonebridge Golf Course.

Nichols led the way for Chelsea, carding a 40.

Senior Austin Herter finished with a 42, while junior Drew Martin and Heinien each shot a 47 and junior Kyle George a 48 for the Bulldogs.

"It wasn't a very strong performance," Ewald said. "I expected a closer match."

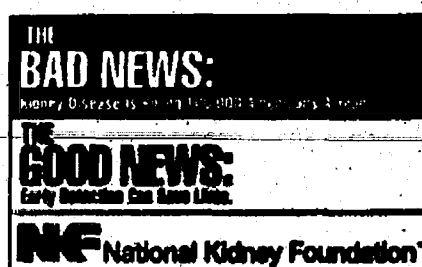
Chelsea next hosts a Southeastern Conference White Division quad at Reddeman Farms Wednesday at 3 p.m.



Photo courtesy of Alice Rawson

Chelsea junior Elliot Marshall ponders his next shot during last week's dual match against Temperance Bedford.

"I hope we can bounce back," Ewald said. On Sept. 15, the Bulldogs can be reached at 475-1371 or travel to Jackson to participate in the Elite Invitational. Sports Editor Don Richter can be reached at 475-1371 or at drichter@heritage.com.

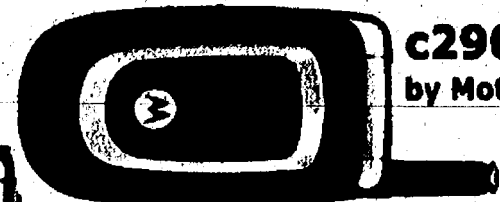


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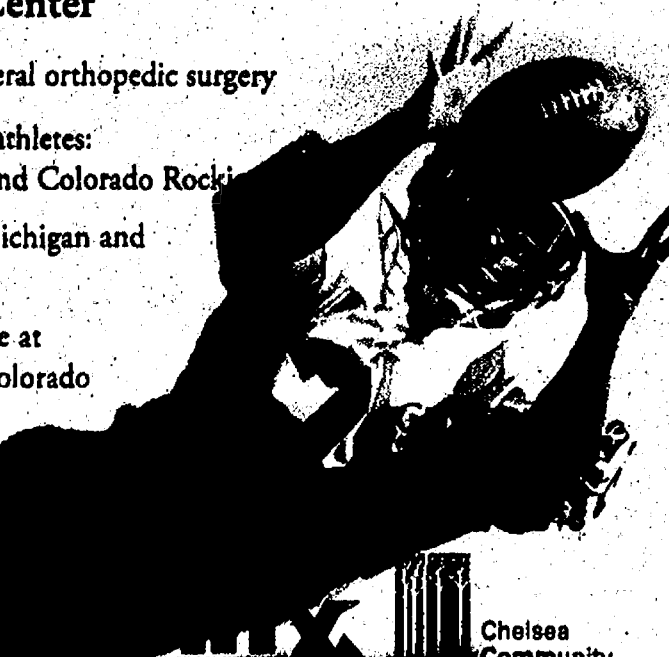


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BASKETBALL

Turnovers haunt Dawgs in opener

Mistakes contribute to Chelsea loss versus Ann Arbor Huron

By Don Richter
Sports Editor

The Chelsea girls' basketball team opened the 2006 season losing to visiting Ann Arbor Huron 48-33 last Thursday.

The Bulldogs (0-1) trailed 25-21 at halftime.

To begin the second half, the River Rats went on a 12-2 run, increasing their advantage to 37-23.

"That was the difference in the game," said Chelsea coach Todd Blomquist. "We played very sloppy and had 40 turnovers compared to 24 for Huron."

Senior point guard Leah Morrison led the Bulldogs with nine points, seven steals and four assists.

Junior forward Brogan Darwin added six points, while senior forward Paige Denison had six rebounds for Chelsea.

The Bulldogs next host Temperance Bedford 7 p.m. Thursday.

On Tuesday, Chelsea travels to Jackson Northwest for a game at 7 p.m.

On Sept. 14, the Bulldogs visit Adrian for a contest at 7 p.m.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF WASHTENAW NOTICE TO CREDITORS Decedent's Estate FILE NO. 06-793-DE

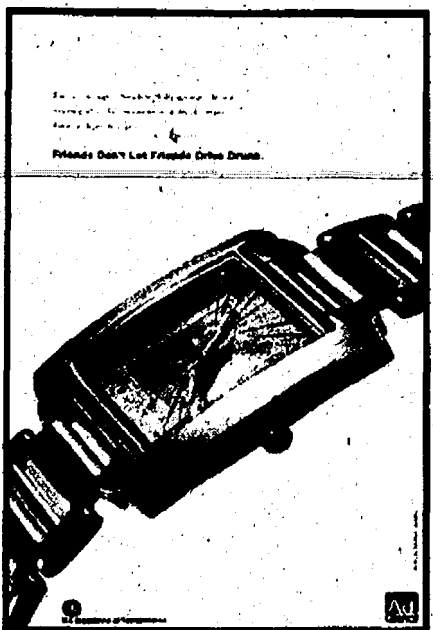
Estate of Alice W. Ludwig, a/k/a Alice Werling Ludwig and a/k/a Alice M. Ludwig. Date of birth: September 30, 1925

TO ALL CREDITORS: NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Alice W. Ludwig, who lived at 324 Wildwood Drive, Manchester, Michigan, died September 8, 2005.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Connie Ludwig c/o Susan E. Zale, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at 101 E. Huron, Ann Arbor and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Connie Ludwig c/o Susan E. Zale
Personal representative
114 North Main Street, Suite 10
Chelsea, MI 48118
(734) 475-5777

Susan E. Zale P-53736
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DEXTER DISTRICT LIBRARY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with the Budget Hearings of Local Government Act (PA 43 of 1963) the Dexter District Library Board of Trustees will hold a public hearing on the 2006 -- 2007 Budget on Monday, September 11, 2006. This hearing will take place at 7:00 p.m. and be held in the meeting room at the Dexter District Library, 8040 Fourth St. in Dexter. This hearing is open to the public. Copies of the budget are available at the Library for inspection.

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LIMA TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2006, 6:00 P.M.
LIMA TOWNSHIP HALL
11452 JACKSON ROAD, CHELSEA, MICHIGAN 48118

APPLICATION ZBA # 06-001. A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD TO CONSIDER THE APPLICATION FOR A VARIANCE FROM THE LIMA TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE, SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT REGULATIONS SET-BACK AG-2, FRONT-SET BACK VARIANCE REQUESTED. THIS PROPERTY IS LOCATED AT 10800 TRINKLE ROAD, DEXTER, MI 48130 AND IS PART OF SE 1/4 OF SECTION 10, LIMA TOWNSHIP, PARCEL # G 07-10-400-015.

APPLICATION FILED BY: JOEL & CONNIE COOK
10800 TRINKLE RD.
DEXTER, MI 48130

A COMPLETE COPY OF THIS PROPOSAL IS ON FILE IN THE LIMA TOWNSHIP OFFICE.

WRITTEN COMMENTS MAY BE SENT TO:
NEIL ADAMS, CHAIRMAN
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
P.O. BOX 59
CHELSEA, MI 48118

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LYNDON TOWNSHIP ATTENTION RESIDENTS -NOTICE-

LYNDON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF APPEALS WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2006 AT 7:00 P.M. THE LYNDON TOWNSHIP HALL 17751 N. TERRITORIAL ROAD, CHELSEA, MI 48118

AGENDA:

To review the application of Thomas and Sarah Glendenning, 317 Island Lake Road, Chelsea, Michigan, property I.D. #E-05-23-100-008. They would like to build a detached garage closer to the service road (12 ft. to 13 ft.), and are appealing Chapter 7- Section 7.04 - Front Yard Setback.

Written comments may be sent to: Carol A. Morrow, Office Manager, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118.

The Lyndon Township Board will provide, if time after the request allows, necessary and reasonable auxiliary aids or services to individuals with disabilities at the public hearing.

Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Lyndon Township Board by writing or calling: Linda Reilly, Clerk, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118, or phone (734) 475-2401.

A copy of this notice is on file in the Office of the Clerk.

LYNDON TOWNSHIP
Linda Reilly, Clerk

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WEBSTER TOWNSHIP SPECIAL BOARD MEETING AUGUST 24, 2006

The Special Webster Township Board Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Supervisor Kingsley on August 24, 2006, at the Township Hall, 5665 Webster Church Road Dexter, MI 48130.

Members present: Supervisor Kingsley, Clerk Heller, Treasurer Calhoun, Trustees: Fink, Kleinschmidt, Koch and Westman, Deputy Treasurer Whitney, Assessor Grendze and three residents.

Meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

Agenda: Information Systems Specialist: Should the Township hire a fulltime employee; if so:

1) Timeline: Discussion
Motion Fink second Calhoun to hire full time employee to replace the retiring personal. Roll call vote, Koch aye, Kleinschmidt no, Fink aye, Kingsley aye, Heller no, Calhoun aye, Westman no. Carried. Discussion

2) Who should be selected
Motion Calhoun second Fink to offer employment to Bill Sinkule. Roll call vote, five ayes 2 nays. Carried

Motion Kleinschmidt support Calhoun to adjourn meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Respectfully submitted
Mary Dee Heller, Clerk

Publish: September 7, 2006

LYNDON TOWNSHIP -NOTICE-

THE LYNDON TOWNSHIP BOARD WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2006 AT 7:00 P.M. AT THE LYNDON TOWNSHIP HALL 17751 N. TERRITORIAL ROAD, CHELSEA, MI 48118

AGENDA:

1. An application for a variance from the Private Road Ordinance by Shirley Keller Hurst of 456 Bruin Lake, Gregory, MI 48137. (Parcel # E-05-02-400-010). Ms. Hurst wants to build an addition onto her existing structure.

Written comments may be sent to:

Lyndon Township Clerk, Linda Reilly,
17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118.

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Linda Reilly, Lyndon Township Clerk

Publish: September 7, 2006

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TO BE HELD THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2006, 7:00 pm SYLVAN TOWNSHIP HALL 18027 OLD US 12, CHELSEA, MI 48118 www.twp-sylvan.org

SUBJECT OF MEETING:

Variance application has been received for rebuilding on a non-conforming lot of record, side yard set backs and expanding the footprint at 211 Glazier Rd. Chelsea, MI 48118.

This notice is posted in compliance with PA 267 of 1976 as amended (Open Meetings Act) MCLA 41.72a(2)(3) and the American With Disabilities Act (ADA).

The Sylvan 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, upon 14 days notice to the Sylvan Township Board.

Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Sylvan Township board by writing or calling the following:

LuAnn S. Koch, Clerk
18027 Old US 12
Chelsea, MI 48118
(734) 475-8890

A copy of this notice and application with supporting documents are on file in the Office of the Clerk.

LUANN S. KOCH, CLERK

Posted: August 30, 2006
Publish: September 7, 2006

LYNDON TOWNSHIP ATTENTION RESIDENTS -NOTICE-

LYNDON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF APPEALS WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2006 AT 7:00 P.M. THE LYNDON TOWNSHIP HALL 17751 N. TERRITORIAL ROAD, CHELSEA, MI 48118

AGENDA:

To review the application of Sean and Lindsay Klebler, 600 Island Lake Road, Chelsea, Michigan, property I.D. #E-05-23-149-007. They would like to build a single family dwelling and are appealing Chapter 7- Section 7.04. They are asking for a setback variance from 35 feet to 17 feet.

Written comments may be sent to: Carol A. Morrow, Office Manager, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118.

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LYNDON TOWNSHIP
Linda Reilly, Clerk

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September 14, 2006

THE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING SEPTEMBER 26, 2006 AT 7:30 P.M.

OFFICIAL NOTICE TO THE CITIZENS OF THE CITY OF CHELSEA OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER APPROVAL OF A PROJECT PLAN AND THE ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS PROPOSED THEREIN AS SUBMITTED TO THE CITY COUNCIL BY THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF CHELSEA FOR THE BENEFIT OF SILVER MAPLES OF CHELSEA, INC.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Act 338 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1974, as amended, The Economic Development Corporation of the City of Chelsea (the "EDC") has submitted a project plan to the City Council for its approval.

Said project plan deals with the acquisition, construction and equipping of independent and assisted living units located on a project area or site in the City of Chelsea, Washtenaw County, Michigan, described as follows:

Commencing at the Northwest corner of Section 18, T2S, R4E, City of Chelsea, Washtenaw County, Michigan; thence N87°35'00"E 26.13 feet along the North line of said Section to the POINT OF BEGINNING; thence continuing along said North line N87°35'00"E 1168.05 feet; thence S02°44'00"E 815.49 feet; thence S87°35'00"W 684.18 feet; thence N55°42'07"W 244.88 feet; thence N08°13'45"E 60.00 feet; thence N22°06'35"W 156.61 feet; thence N47°54'00"W 35.00 feet; thence N12°23'20"W 130.83 feet; thence N30°03'00"W 115.37 feet; thence N46°37'45"W 124.89 feet; thence N37°23'25"W 143.34 feet to the Point of Beginning. Being a part of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 18, T2S, R4E, City of Chelsea, Washtenaw County, Michigan and containing 17.43 acres of land, more or less. Being subject to easements and restrictions of record, if any.

The street address of the facility is 100 Silver Maples Dr., Chelsea, Michigan 48118.

Said Project Plan further provides for the refunding of all or a portion of the EDC's Variable Rate Demand Limited Obligation Revenue Bonds, Series 1996 (Silver Maples of Chelsea Project) (the "1996 Bonds") previously issued by the EDC on behalf of Silver Maples of Chelsea, Inc. (the "Corporation") to finance the acquisition, construction, furnishing and equipping of certain independent living facilities and congregate independent living facilities owned and operated by the Corporation.

Said project plan details all information required by law relative to said project, the refunding of the 1996 Bonds and its impact on the community. No persons will be displaced from the project area as a result of this project. Said project plan also proposes the issuance of revenue bonds and revenue refunding bonds by the EDC in a maximum principal amount not to exceed \$21,700,000 to assist in the financing of said project and the refunding of all or a portion of the 1996 Bonds. The revenue bonds proposed to be issued shall not be a debt of the City and the City shall not be liable for the payment thereof.

The City Council will meet at 7:30 o'clock p.m., Tuesday, the 26th day of September, 2006, in the Board Room of the Washington Street Education Center, 500 Washington Street, Chelsea, Michigan, and will conduct a public hearing on the advisability of the City Council approving, modifying or rejecting by resolution said project plan and the issuance of bonds as proposed therein.

THIS NOTICE is given pursuant to the requirements of Sections 10 and 17 of Act 338, Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, as amended, and of Section 147(k) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. The project plan and relevant maps or plats are available for inspection at the office of the City Clerk, 305 South Main Street, Suite 100, Chelsea, Michigan.

All interested citizens are encouraged and will be offered an opportunity at said hearing to address the City Council concerning said project, said project plan and the bonds proposed to be issued. Written comments may also be submitted to the City Clerk prior to said hearing.

Teresa Burton, City Clerk

Publish: September 7, 2006

CITY OF CHELSEA REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING Tuesday, August 8, 2006 Washington Street Education Center Room 404

Call to Order

Present: City Manager Steklac, Deputy Clerk Beeman
Council Members Present: Mayor Feeney, Bollinger, Hammer, Lindauer and Albertson

Absent: Council Member Merkel and Martinez-Kratz
Others present: Gary Benjamin, Catherine Neill, Valerie Przywara, Karl Kasichke, Belinda Deol, Brad Roberts.

Mayor Feeney called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Consent Agenda

1. Meeting Minutes of July 25, 2006

2. Approval of Bills

Motion by Hammer supported by Lindauer to approve the Consent Agenda. All Ayes. Motion approved.

Approval of Regular Agenda

Councilmember Albertson asked to have the following added to the Agenda:

1) Update on DPW Superintendent Search

2) Update on Police Chief Search

Councilmember Hammer asked to add to the Agenda the scheduling of a Work Session for the purpose of Water Treatment Plant

Presentations

1. Kelly Stanford and Mary Charles from Michigan Municipal League presented City Council with training opportunities for Elected Officials.

2. Mr. Michael Galea from Washtenaw Community College shared with City Council plans for the internship program with WCC on computer security for city computers.

Motion by Albertson, supported by Hammer to approve the Computer Security Internship Agreement between the City of Chelsea and Washtenaw Community College. All Ayes. Motion carried. (Agreement attached as Appendix A)

3. Valerie Przywara from Michigan Board of Directors presented to City Council plans to establish a commission to study the financing of health care in Michigan.

Motion by Albertson supported by Lindauer to adopt the Resolution Requesting the Establishment of a Commission to Study the Financing of Health Care in Michigan. All Ayes. Motion carried. (Resolution attached as Appendix B)

Projects Updated by City Manager Steklac

City Manager Steklac updated City Council on the following:

1. City Police Chief resumes received by the City were distributed to the four police professionals who agreed to review these resumes.

2. DPW Superintendent Resumes are being reviewed by Councilmember Bollinger and former Superintendent Bulson along with City Manager.

3. Freer Road signal has been installed and will flash for 1 week. Paving will take place later this week and construction barrels will be pulled.

4. Water Plant - Corey and Rob have been working on changes to the RO system to allow it to work under the high water demand.

5. Vets Park Bridge - survey work has been completed and will go out the week of August 28th.

6. Main Street railroad crossing repair work was to have happened on Sunday (August 5th). Will replace the rubber inserts with asphalt.

7. MDOT will begin road construction project at Werkner Road on Wednesday, August 9th - installing a turning lane.

New Business

Michigan Municipal League Workers' Compensation Fund - The City of Chelsea is a member of the Michigan Municipal League Workers' Compensation Fund. Trustees are elected yearly to the Compensation Fund. Seven candidates for the seven available positions are George Bosanic, Jeff Bremer, Linda Gedeon-Kuhn, Ken Hibi, James Leidlein, Arthur Shuffelbarger and Kevin Welch.

Motion by Hammer supported by Lindauer to cast the City's ballot for George Bosanic, Jeff Bremer, Linda Gedeon-Kuhn, Ken Hibi, James Leidlein, Arthur Shuffelbarger, and Kevin Welch for trustees of the Michigan Municipal League Workers' Compensation Fund. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Midwest Wheels of Hope Ride 2006 - Bill Holmes representing South Michigan Wheels, Inc. made his request to City Council to ask if Chelsea would consider being a rest stop for their charity ride. This ride will benefit

Ozone House in Ann Arbor and will be held on Sunday, September 10th. The group of bikers will stop in Chelsea in route to Hell, Michigan from Ann Arbor. They would like to request parking for their bikes on Main Street along with an area to set up a band. The approximate time for their presence in Chelsea will be between 11:45 am. to 12:15 p.m. Discussion between City Council members and Mr. Holmes.

Motion by Hammer supported by Albertson to allow Main Street from Orchard Street to Jackson Street for Motorcycle Only parking on Sunday, September 10th 2006 for the Midwest Wheels of Hope Ride 2006. City Staff will work with this group to provide for adequate portable toilet facilities along with liability coverage. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Change Order for Additional Well Drilling Costs

The City contracted with Peerless-Midwest, Inc. to dig two new production wells near the current water treatment plant. Peerless is seeking a change order in the amount of \$24,892.50 for their cost of extricating their truck and for the unsuccessful drilling attempt.

Motion by Bollinger supported by Hammer to approve a change order with Peerless-Midwest, Inc. in the amount of \$10,500.00 in settlement for additional well drilling expenses for Production Well No. 6 due to unanticipated conditions.

All Ayes. Motion carried.

City Council member Hammer requested for an additional Work Session to be held to discuss the water treatment plant. The consensus of Council was to schedule a work session on Tuesday, August 29th at 7:00 p.m. at City Offices, 305 S. Main Street.

Motion by Albertson supported by Lindauer to re-schedule the City Council meeting of Tuesday, August 22, 2006 to Monday, August 21, 2006 at 7:30 p.m. at the City Offices, 305 S. Main Street. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Resolution to Establish Boundaries and Appoint Additional Directors to the Economic Development Corporation for Silver Maples Project was introduced.

Motion by Bollinger, supported by Hammer to approve the resolution Certifying: Approval of Project Area Designation, Establishing Project District Area Boundaries; and Appointing Irene Corbett and William Groves as additional directors for the Silver Maples of Chelsea, Inc. project. All Ayes. Motion carried. (Resolution attached as Appendix C).

Resolution to Approve Name Change for the Economic Development Corporation was introduced.

A change in the name is recommended by the City's bond counsel.

Motion by Albertson supported by Hammer to approve a resolution changing the name of The Economic Development Corporation of the Village of Chelsea to The Economic Development Corporation of the City of Chelsea. All Ayes. Motion carried. (Resolution attached as Appendix D)

City Council Reports

Bollinger - None

Mayor Feeney attended elected officials meeting at Dexter Township have performed several weddings, attended Retail Advisory Council meetings and DDA meeting.

Hammer - WWRRA has hired new Manager. Next public hearing for special assessment change will be held August 23rd at Manchester.

Lindauer - Recreation Council only had one meeting this month. Doing a formal study to convert Timbertown fields to tournament level fields.

Albertson - Planning Commission work session was cancelled.

Mayor Feeney shared a communication from Robert DeLong informing City Council of his plans to hold a Haunted House at Chelsea Fairgrounds the nights of Thursday, Friday and Saturdays in October along with the last weekend in September. This is volunteered staffed and as part of the haunted house a food drive and children's winter coat drive will take place. City Council gave their support.

Adjournment

Motion by Bollinger supported by Albertson to adjourn meeting. All Ayes. Meeting adjourned at 8:50 p.m.

Approved: August 22, 2006

Ann E. Feeney, Mayor
Georgia Beeman, Deputy City Clerk

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BEDFORD

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is to distribute the ball. He hasn't turned the ball over. He's played smart. He's been in command."

Junior signal-caller Jeff Adams ended up 1-for-2 for 11 yards for Chelsea.

Rushing-wise, freshman Nick Hill led the Bulldogs attack, gaining 77 yards on nine carries. Justin Swarhout added 56 yards on five carries, while Adams had 22 yards on five attempts, Chris Tapping 22 yards on eight rushes and Jake Scott 15 yards on three carries for Chelsea.

Schwarze was tops for the Bulldogs with four catches for 115 yards. Connell had three receptions for 50 yards, while Jason Kolokithas had two catches for 23 yards. Hill added two receptions for 16 yards, while senior tight end Dan Augustine had one catch for seven yards.

As a team, Chelsea piled up 441 total yards of offense.

Defensively, the Bulldogs were strong. Chelsea was stingy on the ground, allowing only 14 yards rushing. Because of the Bulldogs' ability to clog the running

lanes, Bedford was forced to throw. The Mules attempted 53 passes for 351 yards. D.J. Fischhaber, Taylor Hopkins and Rhodes all picked off passes for Chelsea.

Senior linebacker Chris Hopkins led the Bulldogs with 10 tackles. James Connelly ended up with six stops, while Chris Schmelz and Stu Mann each had five tackles for Chelsea. Adams recorded four tackles, while Taylor Hopkins, Marty Holmes and Zach Leszczynski each had three stops for the Dawgs.

Jesse Stewart, Nick Mattson, Chea Lance, Kyle Bucholz and Fischhaber each added two tackles, while K.J. LeBeau, Steve Tapping, Alex Stephens, Justin Hoffman, Sean Dreyer and Sean Scott each had one tackle for Chelsea.

The Bulldogs next travel to SEC White Division rival Tecumseh (0-2, 0-1 SEC) for a game 7 p.m. Friday. The

Indians are coming off a 31-13 loss to Adrian last week.

"They're an improved team," Bush said. "We need to continue to be consistent and not turn the ball over. We need to keep doing what we're doing and we'll be successful."

JV Football

Chelsea's JV football team defeated visiting Temperance Bedford in a shootout 36-33 Aug. 31.

"On both sides of the ball we weren't great, but I guess we were good enough," said Chelsea coach Chris Orlandi. "Offensively, we were able to move the ball effectively on the ground which opened things up for (Michael) Lenneman and (Brett) Everding through the air."

Everding finished with two TD receptions, while Riley Feeney and Lenneman each had one touchdown catch for the Bulldogs (2-0).

Michael Roberts had an 85-yard kickoff return for a touchdown for Chelsea.

Bulldog Chad Schiller sacked the Mules' quarterback in the end zone for a safety.

Feeney led the ground game with 82 yards rushing on 22 attempts.

Roberts finished 5-of-9 passing for 70 yards and three TDs. Randy Cox was 2-of-2 for 32 yards and one score.

Scott Rhodes led the Bulldogs defensively with 10 tackles. Kevin Rosentreter added nine stops and Schiller eight tackles and two sacks for Chelsea.

Jake Mantel had two interceptions for the Bulldogs.

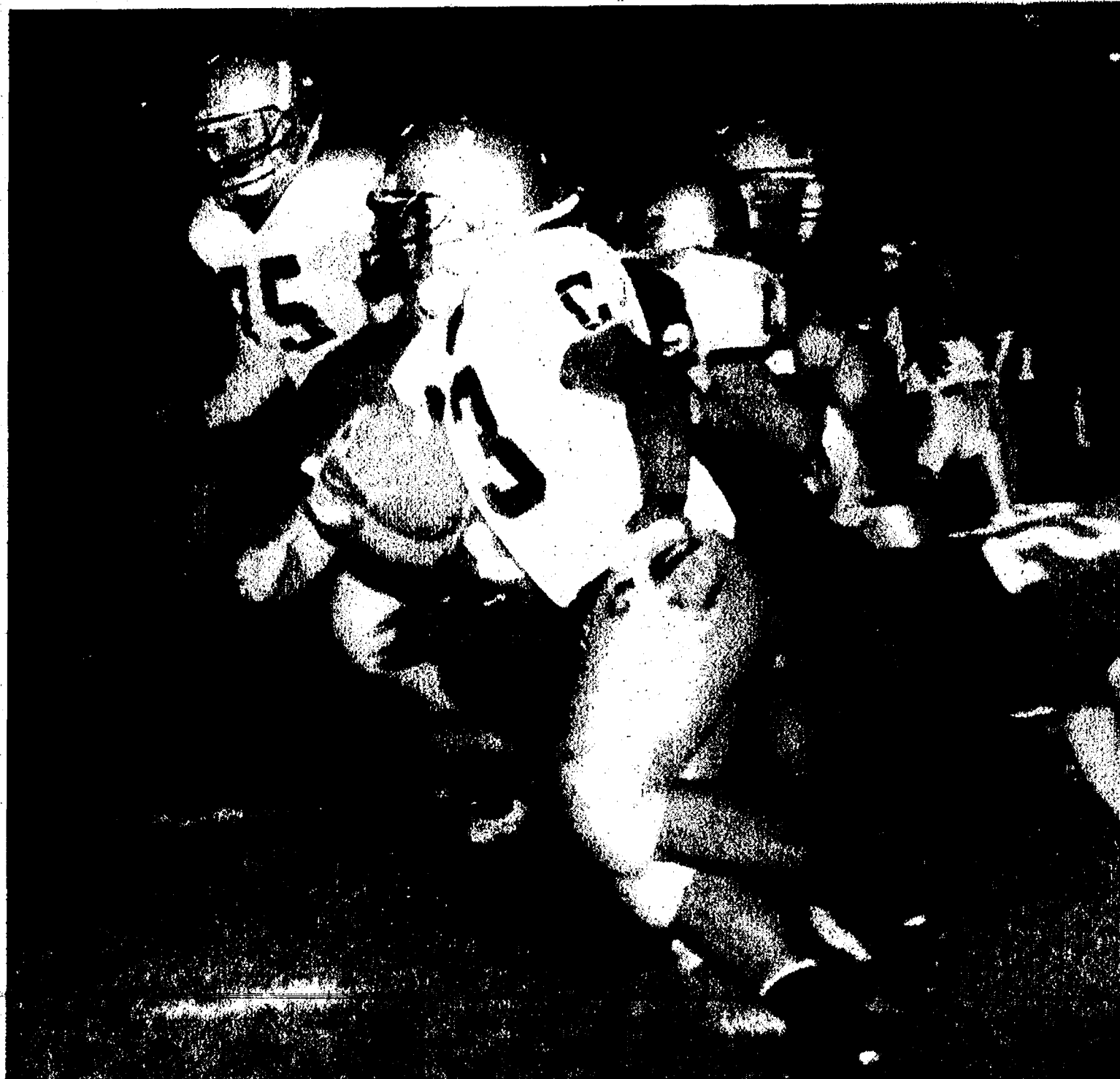
Chelsea next hosts Tecumseh 7 p.m. Thursday.

Freshman Football

Chelsea's freshman football team lost to visiting Temperance Bedford 20-12 Aug. 31.

"We had a lot of chances to win this one," said Chelsea coach Dennis Strzyzewski. "We had a few big plays called back with penalties. We need to get those things cleared up."

Offensive leaders for the Bulldogs (0-2) were Cody Adams, who finished with 160 yards rushing and one



Chelsea freshman halfback Nick Hill led the Bulldogs with 77 yards rushing on nine carries in last Friday's 31-7 victory over Temperance Bedford.

Photos by Jerry Milliken

touchdown and Dakota Cooley, who had 100 yards passing. Colton Waterbury added a rushing TD for Chelsea.

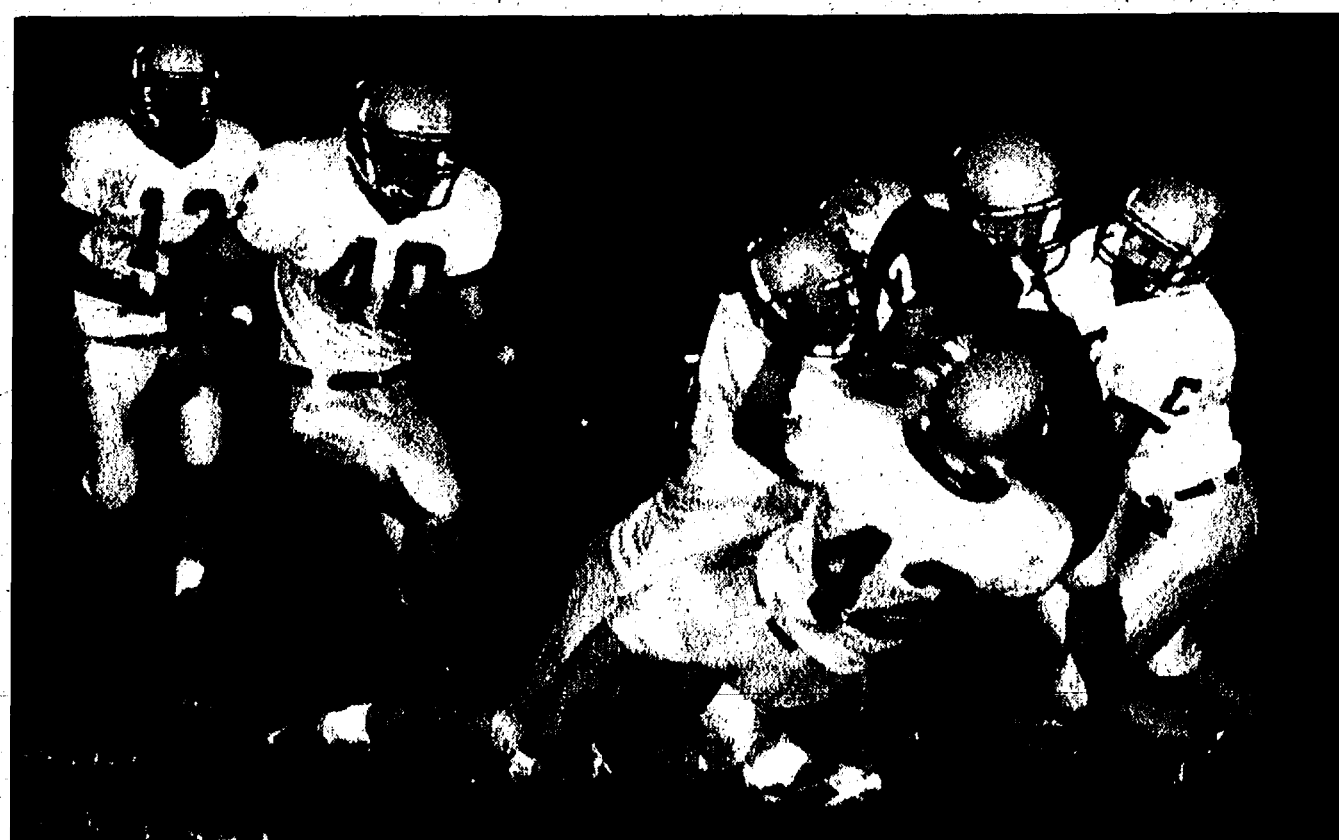
On defense, Scott Devol had 10 tackles and one interception to spearhead the Bulldogs' stop corps.

Despite the setback, Strzyzewski said his squad gave a strong effort.

"The guys showed a great deal of improvement this week," he said. "They came to play and they seem to be starting to understand what it means to play hard. I really see great potential for this group in the weeks and years ahead."

Chelsea next hosts Tecumseh 4:30 p.m. Thursday.

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Bulldog senior linebacker Chris Hopkins (42) helps bring down a Bedford ball carrier as teammates James Connelly (40) and Chris Schmelz (12) rush in to help.

COLLEGE ATHLETICS

Local athletes suit up in MIAA

Chelsea's Ausable Schwiebert is a member of this season's Hope College men's soccer team. A freshman, Schwiebert will play forward for the Flying Dutchmen.

Hope placed first in the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association last season with a 17-4 overall record.

At Albion College, Chelsea's David Knox scored the game-winning goal unassisted in the Britons' men's soccer season opening 1-0 win over Eastern Connecticut last Friday.

Knox, a senior forward, led Albion with three shots on goal.

WHO'S WATCHING THE CHILDREN?

The Orange County Register thought its readers might like to know about the criminal histories of workers in the state's day-care facilities. After all, the paper's readers were placing their own trust and their children's well-being in the hands of those workers.

But the state of California turned down a series of newspaper Freedom of Information requests to look at those histories, citing the privacy rights of the workers. It also refused access to its data base of offenses and other day-care center violations unless the newspaper paid \$45,000 for the information.

In the end, the Register won its fight for access to documents—which were used to track down the criminals and public court records that revealed their histories. The newspaper also built its own data base from nearly 50,000 pages of inspection and complaint reports in Orange County. These efforts allowed the Register to unveil for the state's parents the uncomfortable truth. Throughout California, thousands of day-care workers had long criminal histories. The results of the data base analysis also showed pervasive problems of mistreatment, neglect, overcrowding and unsafe conditions.

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ALLEN PARK 3 family sale. 7211 Larme, Fri. & Sat. Sept. 8 & 9, 8-5, furniture, clothes & misc.

ALLEN PARK 3 HOMES Antiques, homegoods, kids, etc. Fri. & Sat. 9-5, 9015, 9020, 9039 Manor off Wick Rd.

ALLEN PARK, 8438 Niver, Fri. & Sat. 9-4pm. Huge yard sale! 2 family. House-hold items, toys, plants, Christmas, canned goods, too much to list, no junk!

ALLEN PARK 8998 Niver, Sept. 8 - 10 9-4. Homecoming dresses, clothes, books & household!

ALLEN PARK 9804 Seavitt off of Allen Rd. Thurs. Sept. 7-9, 9-5:30 p.m.

ALLEN PARK 9/9 & 10, 9-5 Something for everyone. 15261 Euclid Ave. near Allen/Southfield Roads

ALLEN PARK moving sale 14888 Arlington, Thurs. 8-5, furniture, baby items, kitchen, tools, misc.

ALLEN PARK Moving Sale, 15403 Belmont Park & Colwell, Thurs. & Fri. 9a.m.-4p.m.

ALLEN PARK office chairs, desks & misc. items, Sept. 8-9, 9-5, 5556 Carter/Englewood.

ALLEN PARK Stove, clothes, household, exercise unit & misc. Sept. 7-9, 9-5, 6741 Winona off Ecorse between Peiham & Allen Rd.

BELLEVILLE FAITH United Methodist Church Annual Yard Sale Fri. Sept. 15 & Sat., Sept. 16, 9-5, 6020 Denton Rd. off Michigan Ave.

BROWNSTOWN 22608 Stephanie, Sept. 8-9, 8-5. Something for everyone!

BROWNSTOWN 27542 Evelyn off Vreeland 9/8 & 9/9 9am to 4pm. 3 Family Sale.

BROWNSTOWN 32128 Covington, Sept. 8, 9 & 10, 9-5. Moving sale, furniture, Nascar, misc., decor.

BROWNSTOWN HUGE SALE! 20400 Newman Dr. (Gibraltar & Allen Rd. area) Sept. 8-10th, 9-5.

BROWNSTOWN Multi Family, 15550 Millman off W. Jefferson near Pe Mouille, Sat-Sun, 7-4, furniture, crafts

BROWNSTOWN TWO SALES, samples of NEW sports clothing, furniture & plants. 9/7-8, 21297 Roche off Allen Rd.

BROWNSTOWN TWP 20809 Bourassa @ corner of Polk. Sat. Sept. 9, 9-5. Little Tikes, lots of kid stuff

CELSEA: MOVING 14352 Forest Ct. Sat. & Sun. 10-3. Power & garden tools, household & more misc!

CHELSEA 17800 W. Old U.S. 12 at the corner of Fahner Rd. Sept. 8 & 9, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

CHELSEA 2 Family, 760 Fieldstone Circle W. Sept. 8, 9-3. SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!

CHELSEA 3475 Jeanette Dr. off McKinley, Sept. 8 & 9, 9-5 p.m. Furniture and lots of misc household items

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CHELSEA 6419 Stillwater Dr. Sept. 9, 9-6, & 10, 2-6, bunkbeds, bar stools, kitchen table & chairs, kid's bikes, etc., big items.

CHELSEA FRI. 2-6 Sept. 8-4. Collectibles including Barbie, decorative items & misc. 1004 Gene Dr.

CHELSEA HUGE INDOR GARAGE SALE, SAT. ONLY Sept. 9th 9a.m.-3p.m. 118 W. Middle St.

CHELSEA HUGE sale, Household, toys, furniture, antiques. 20618 Island Lk. Rd. Sept. 8 & 9, 8a.m.

CHELSEA MULTI Family! 13893 N. Territorial, Fri. 9-5, 9-6. Table w/ chairs, Birm. Set, Couch, Loveseat, Entertainment Center, Quality Clothes, Toys, Books, Baby Gear, CD's & MORE!

CHELSEA Items in Training Fundraiser All proceeds go to the: Lukens Lymphoma Society 13976 Oakridge Lane, Sept. 8-9, Fri-Sat, 9-5.

DEARBORN 1765 Robindale, Sept. 7-8, 9-3. Kids, home and everything else, all in GREAT CONDITION!

DEARBORN 2445 Parker, Sept. 7 & 8th, 9-4. Stuff & more stuff! Books, computers, furniture & clothing!

DEARBORN 24908 Notre Dame, Sept. 8-10, 9-5. Baby, kids, toys, videos, household, jewelry & misc.

DEARBORN 2661 Woodside Drive, Sept. 8 & 9, 9-7. Party items & more.

DEARBORN 2 Family Moving/garage Event 2110 & 2120 Syracuse, Sept. 7-9, 9-4. Variety & Quality!

DEARBORN 3044 Dudley, (Between Outer Dr. & Monroe) Sat. Sept. 9th, 9-5 Sun. Sept. 10th, 9-1

DEARBORN 3431 Smith, Sept. 9th, 10a.m.-6p.m., HUGE ONE DAY TOOL & HARDWARE SALE!

DEARBORN 4 Family, 2400 Banner Oxford/Telegraph Sept. 7-10, 8-5. House-wares, furniture, crafts, 50" digital TV, toys, games, electronics, clothes, holiday, books, videos, kids items & more! Party Starts Wednesday! 1-800-888-3202

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DEARBORN 4 Family Sale! 11171 Penny corner of Park, 1 blk. S. of Mt Ave. 1 blk. E. of Military. Household items, some new, most nearly new! Sat. Sept. 9 & Sun. Sept. 10 9-5.

DEARBORN "ALICE" in Friends Big Sale! 1535 N. Vernon, Thurs. 9/7 thru Sat. 9/9, 9-4. Some antiques, furniture, garden tools, linens, sports stuff, old albums, mens golf clubs, girls bike and lots more. All in excellent condition!

DEARBORN AWE-SOME garage sale! Household Collectibles, clothes, movies, CD's, books, jewelry, old china cabinet, santa bears, beanie babies, needlework. Sept. 7-8, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. 15552 Longmeadow.

DEARBORN Cherry Hill Presbyterian Church annual rummage sale! Sept. 14-16th, 9am. Telegraph at Cherry Hill.

DEARBORN HGTS. 24748 Andover, 9/7-9/9 10 am to 5 pm. Everything must go, moving sale.

DEARBORN HTS. 17988 Colgate, 9/7-9/8, 10-6. movies, toys, Christmas items and more. No Early Birds Please!

DEARBORN HTS. 4134 Harding, Thurs. & Fri. Sept. 7 & 8, 8-4 p.m. Great stuff - low prices.

DEARBORN HTS. 4160 Detroit St. - Outer Dr. & Peiham area. Huge Sale, Thurs. 10-6 & Fri. 10-3. Last chance sale. Lots of goodies.

DEARBORN HTS. 6062 S. Norborne Ct., Sat. Sept. 9th, 9-2p.m., furniture, toys, bike parts, kitchenware

DEARBORN HTS. Sept. 8 & 9. Estate sale, 9 Robbindale Ct. 10-5

DEARBORN HTS. Sun., 9/10, 4899 Westpoint between Annapolis and Van Born, like new baby items, misc. household items, 10-4.

DEARBORN MOV-ING! 5230 Neckel, Thurs. - Sun. 10-4. Everything must go! REALLY NICE items!

DEXTER SEP-9, Fri. 9-4p. Sat. 9-1p. 5151 Madden Rd. (off North Territory 1 mile West of Dexter Town Hall Rd.). Rototiller, antique tables, household items, & more.

FLAT ROCK 9/8-9/9 9-5pm. Dearfield Estate 25051 Cheyenne. Lots of infant, toddler & misc. items.

FLAT ROCK, Huron Woods Annual Fall Subdivision Sale, Saturday, September 9, 9-4. Rain or Shine. Located off N/E Huron River Dr. between Olmstead & Woodruff Rd.

GIBRALTAR 13981 Sturgeon Bar Ct., 9-5 p.m. Sept. 8. Holiday Home decor, ping pong tables, kitchen table & chairs.

GROSSE ILE 27601 Elba, Sept. 9, 9-4pm. girls clothing 12-14, ladies clothing 12, girls toy chest, twin bed set & misc.

GROSSE ILE 8450 Ferry St., 9-5. Household items, large pedestal table, tools, small band saw.

GROSSE ILE 8669 Cadillac Circle, Sept. 8-9, 9-4. Furniture, wood shelves, metal shelves, household items, pictures & lots of nice stuff!

GROSSE ILE furniture, toys, holiday decorations, novelty items, something for everyone. Sept. 9, 10-8, 24119 West River Rd.

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8819 Rucker Rd.

GROSSE ILE Island Estate condos, entrance W. River Rd or Horse Mill, Saturday Sept. 9th, 9 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Household, books, toys, baby items and misc. items.

GROSSE ILE, Multi Family Sale! 8800 Church, Sat. Sept. 9th, 9-2pm

GROSSE ILE 8441 Stout, Fri. 8th & Sat. 9th, 9-3. MOVING SALE!

HURON TWP. 20418 Wahrman bet. Sibley & Huron River Dr. Sat. Sept. 9, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Kids stuff, misc. household items, golf, hunting, luggage & office. Lots of good stuff. Free gift.

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LINCOLN PARK 1533 LeBlanc, Sept. 8-10, 9-5pm. something for everyone.

LINCOLN PARK 1754 London St., Sept. 7, 8 & 9, 9-5, lots of dishes, chairs (recliners), boat & fishing equipment, wall pictures & blue glass, misc.

LINCOLN PARK 2414 River Dr., Sept. 8-10, 8-5. Small Organ, electric fireplace, upright freezer, 2 bunk bed frames, baby clothes, bike & 26" wheels, tool cart. All in great condition!

LINCOLN PARK 3 Family Moving/Garage Sale. Everything Must Go from Soup to Nuts! 3008 Fort Park, Sept. 7-10, 9-6.

LINCOLN PARK 4005 Hazel, Sept. 7 & 8, 9-4, tons of stuff for kids, Disney Halloween costumes.

LINCOLN PARK 4184 Brouseville, Sept. 9 & 10 9-5. Huge Garage Sale. Multi Family, designer clothing, bridal party dresses, furniture and more. Everything must go!

LINCOLN PARK 461 New York, Sept. 9, Sat. Only, 9-5. RAIN OR SHINE!

LINCOLN PARK 454 Detroit 9/7-9/10 9 to 4, Huge Moving Sale, 55 gallon fish tank, furniture & much more.

LINCOLN PARK 581 Capitol 9/9 & 9/10 8am to 5. House hold, knick knacks, everything must go.

LINCOLN PARK BIG 2 family yard sale Fri. Sat., Sun., 957 Pagel.

LINCOLN PARK ESTATE SALE 933 Winchester E. off Fort St. 9/8 10-4p, 9/9 10-3p. Loads of milk glass, collectable, tables, chairs, China cabinets, Lowery organ, crystal, silver, antiques, Christmas decoration, baskets, glass & cook books 3 sisters assisting.

LINCOLN PARK lots of everything, kids clothing, 725 Mayflower, Fri. & Sat. 9/8-9-5

LINCOLN Park Multi Family! 947 St. Johns, Fri. 9-5 Sat. 10-3. Trampoline, household, school clothes & more!

LINCOLN Park Multi Family! 2144 LeBlanc Sept. 9 & 10, 9-5. Kid's clothes, toys, furniture, household & toys!

LINCOLN PARK Wed. 9/8 Thru 9/7, Fri. 9/8, 9-2pm. 922 White St. Misc. items.

MANCHESTER: ONE DAY HUGE YARD & BASEMENT SALE. Sharon United Methodist Church, corner of M-52 and Pleasant Lake Road. Sat. Sept. 16, 9:00-3:30. Clothes, including lots of infant and toddler clothes, toys, books, housewares, specialty items, many miscellaneous items.

MELVINDALE 18800 Ruth St., Sept. 7, 8 & 9, 9a.m. - 5p.m. lots of children's clothes, furniture, misc. items

MILAN FRIDAY, 9-4 Antique bed, dresser, toys, clothing, household, crib mattress. 633 Barnswallow.

NEW BOSTON 37245 Felt Rd., Thurs. Sept. 7 & Fri. Sept. 8, 9-4. Multi Family Garage Sale.

RIVER ROUGE Collectible dolls, tools, clothes, & much more! 9/7-9, 9-7, 49 E. James St.

RIVERVIEW 17789 Family, 17789 Kennebec, Sept. 9, 9-7 ODDS & ENDS!

ROCKWOOD, 31688 William Ct., (corner of Laffier), Sept. 8-9th, 9-5pm, household, tool, furniture, lawnmowers, & more!

ROCKWOOD BACK to School Yard Sale. Sept. 8 & 9, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Boys clothes up to size 6, Girls up to size 8, toys, sewing patterns, craft items, & lots of miscellaneous.

SALINE 160 & 168 Harper Dr., Fri. Sept. 8, 8:30-8 & Sat. Sept. 9th, 8:30-7, 2 garages, 10 families, lots of kids books, Yagloch cards, X-mas decor & much more.

SALINE 316 Pleasant Ridge Dr., Sept. 9, 9-4. Casa Blanca fan, misc., collectables & a variety of items.

SALINE 639 Pembroke Dr., Fri./Sat., 9/8 & 9, 9a.m.-3p.m. office furniture & equipment, household items, etc.

SALINE: 6875 Textile 4 mi. W. of AA-Saline Rd. Fri. 9/8 & Sat. 9/9 9-4. Baby, household, clothes & horse stuff!

SALINE 701 Judd Rd., between Moon & Warner, home gym, clothes, furniture (Fri. 9-5, Sat. 9-2).

SALINE, GARAGE/ MOVING SALE & House for Sale, 189 Wallace Dr. Fri.-Sat. Sept. 8th-9th, 9am-3pm. House viewing Sat. only 1-3pm.

SALINE SEPT. 8 & 9 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., 551 & 552 Canterbury. Old quilt magazines, kids & adult clothes, furniture. Lots to see!

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SOUTHGATE, 16700 Poplar, Sept. 8-9, 9-4pm, 1950's phone booth w/ phone, 44 Ruger Rifle, 38 Pistol, gun cabinet, 17" rear tire tiller, aluminum J brake, Tools (planer, wet saw, radial arm saw, etc.), camping & fishing items, household, & more!

SOUTHGATE 13252 Chestnut, Thurs. & Friday, 10-5. Sat. 10-4. Collectibles, glass, pottery, salt & pepper shakers, & much more. Saturday everything 1/2 off.

SOUTHGATE 13448 Mercier, Sept. 7-9, 9-5pm, entertainment center, quilting frame, baby girl clothes, books, christmas items and misc.

SOUTHGATE, 13682 Ward, St. Sept. 8-10, 9-5pm, clothing, toys, other items, furniture, household, miscellaneous, & more!

SOUTHGATE 13769 Pearl 9/8-9/9 9 to 5 Huge Garage Sale, lots of everything.

SOUTHGATE 16308 Nancy St., between balsam and plum, Sept. 8-10, 9-6. Furniture, clothes, toys and misc.

SOUTHGATE 15341 Windmere off Eureka, Sept. 9th & 10th, 8-3. Girls clothes & lots of miscellaneous.

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SOUTHGATE 9/8-9 9-4p. No Early Birds. 17800 Jessica. off Reekw. Dix & Eureka. Baby/toddler, tons of misc. 4 all.

SOUTHGATE CHURCH rummage sale Peace Lutheran Sept. 9th, 10-3, 12250 Fort at Wesley. Bake Sale and plants.

SOUTHGATE/ City wide 12318 Buckingham, W. of Fordline N. of Northline. Sat. Sept. 9, 9-4.

SOUTHGATE CITY- WIDE Sale 8205 Jessica off Reekw. between Eureka & Dix, Sat. 9/8, 8:30-6p.m.

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SOUTHGATE HUGE 10 family sale, 14217 Poplar between Eureka & Dix, Sept. 9-4, don't miss this!

SOUTHGATE HUGE Garage Sale, 16521 Rosa Lane, Country Gate Sub. Off Pennsylvania. Home misc., clothing, Longaberger Baskets, Party Decor., Sat. Only: 9-5pm

SOUTHGATE: MOVING 13498 Netherwood, Fri. Sept. 8th, 9th & 10th, 9-5. Kids clothes/toys, household, misc. 3 FAMILY!

SOUTHGATE MULTI Family! 12883 Orange, Sept. 9-10, 9-5pm. Something for everyone!!

SOUTHGATE 9/8-9/9 13323 Cunningham tools-misc.-tools 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

SOUTHGATE MULTI Family, 13487 Venness, between Howard & Burnes, Sept. 8-10, 9-5. Asian Art, household, lots of misc. 4 all.

SOUTHGATE MULTI family garage sale 13241 Peach, Sat. Sept. 9 9-3. Sun. Sept. 10 10-3 many items available

SOUTHGATE Multi Family Sale 15000 Block of Wesley 9/8 & 9/9 9 to 4 Stove, clothes, toys & much much more.

SOUTHGATE MULTI Family, Sept. 9, Sat. Only, 9-5. Collectibles, household, crafts. No Junk! Rain or shine! 12996 Netherwood

SOUTHGATE SAT. only 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. 14320 Burnes & Chestnut, lots of good stuff

SOUTHGATE SAT. Sept. 9 9-5, 15209 Flanders, huge garage sale

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SOUTHGATE SOME- THING for everyone, Sept. 8th, 9th & 10th, 9-5. 13601 Orchard off Trenton Rd.

STOCKBRIDGE 4639 Chapman 9/8 & 9/9 9am to 5, Oak Bar, small refrigerator, 4 wheeler, lots of misc.

TAYLOR 24916, 24932, 24904 Hayes, antiques, tools, jewelry, kids' toys, clothes, misc. Thurs. Sat. 9-4

TAYLOR 25168 Champaign, Sat. Sept. 2, 9-3, toddler toys, clothes, hardcover & soft cover books, more!

TAYLOR 15332 Michael Fri-Sat 9/8 & 9/9 9-6pm Dnette St. Curio Cabinet, Dolls, Toys, Kids Clothes, Lots of Misc.

TAYLOR 15705 Guilley, Sept. 6-8, 9-5, 30" gas stove, women & girls clothing + winter coats. Starting Line-up Figurines & lots of misc.

TAYLOR, 22028 & 22038 Guidot, Thurs. thru Sat., 9-5. Ecores & Monroe. Kids stuff, dresser, crafts, tools

TAYLOR 22064 Hayes Sept. 6-10, 8-7 VHS tapes: Disney Movies, CDs + misc. household items.

TAYLOR 24761 Cherrinick, 2 FAMILY SALE! Sat & Sun. Sept. 9 & 10th, 10-5. Tools, clothing, etc!

TAYLOR 24916, 24932, 24904 Hayes, antiques, tools, jewelry, kids' toys, clothes, misc. Thurs. Sat. 9-4

TAYLOR 25168 Champaign, Sat. Sept. 2, 9-3, toddler toys, clothes, hardcover & soft cover books, more!

TAYLOR 4 family sale 6737 Madison, Sept. 8, 9 9-6, baby stuff, lots of everything rain or shine

TAYLOR 5862 Madison 9/16 & 9/17 9am to 7. 2 Family Yard Sale.

TAYLOR 6840 Mayfair, Sat. Sept. 9th, 8-4pm, furniture, household goods, clothing & misc.

TAYLOR 7501 Clipper, 9/1-9/4, Fri. 4-8, Sat. 9-5, Sun. 9-1. Mon. 9-1. crib, clothes, baby items, printers, and more.

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TAYLOR HUGE 2
Family Sale. 7909
William, Thur. Sept. 7-9, 10-5. All new items!
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TAYLOR HUGE 3 DAY
SALE! 23606 Irving, Sept. 7-9, 10-5. All new items!
Contractor's oil compressor!

TAYLOR HUGE
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Antiques, collectibles &
slot machine. Thurs.
Fri. & Sat. 10-5pm.
21012 Champaign

TAYLOR SEPT. 8 & 9
9-3 p.m. New Life
Metro Ministries
20320 Superior Rd.
Several Family Sale.

TRENTON 2409
Churchill, Sept. 8 &
9, 9-4, 5 family sale,
toys, furniture, misc.

TRENTON 2471 Pinetree Dr.
Sept. 9, 7-5. Dining table &
chairs, Longaberger baskets,
curtains & blue dishes,
children's books, Lucy
Videos & Hope Chest.

TRENTON MOVING
SALE 3323 Edsel
TV's, dining room table
& chairs, poker
table, lots of quality
furniture, family
treasures assisting.
Sat. 9/9-9-5

TRENTON MULTI
family 1890 Hawthorn
Sept. 9/9-9-5 a.m.-
2 p.m. baby items
clothes, household

WAYNE ESTATE SALE
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collectibles, antiques, 1888
safe, furnishings, 2 nice
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WYANDOTTE 1264
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9-3. tables, chairs,
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Kids & XX large
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1712 Cora St. 1 block
East of Electric, 2
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years of stuff that
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12th St. Sept. 7-9, 9-5.
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toys, videos, books,
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2748 22nd St. Fri.
Sept. 8 & Sat. Sept.
9th, 9-2, homecoming
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Annual. Huge Rum-
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9th, 9th, 10-5pm. K of
C Hall, 2430 Bid-
die Ave. Lots of
Everything.

WYANDOTTE 4224
23rd St. Sept. 9th,
9-5. Baby clothes &
misc. household
items. No early birds!

WYANDOTTE 833
Orange, Sept. 9 &
10, 9-4pm. Huge
Multi Family Sale.
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hold, Nick Knacks,
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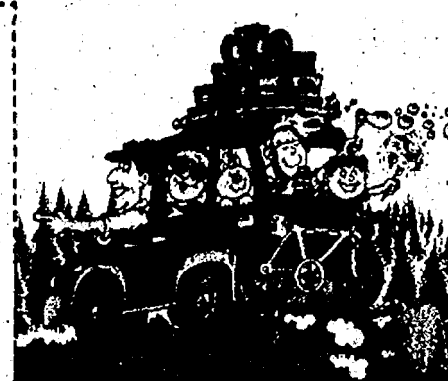
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Andria Fitch practices early last month in preparation for the fall sports season.

The Chelsea High School Marching Band began preparations for the upcoming season with its annual marching band camp last month at Chelsea High School. The band, which will perform Sept. 15 at home, put in eight-hour days learning marching fundamental techniques, many new musical arrangements and 31 pages of drill maneuvers. The band ended the week with its annual car wash fund-raiser Aug. 12.

Numerous parent volunteers and Chelsea band alumni also contributed during the week, helping with uniform fittings, meals and a variety of other tasks.

This year's band will be led onto the field by drum majors Eric Hohnke, Emma Seitz and Alex Stacy. They will perform at two adjudicated marching band shows, and all home football games.

The band made its 2006 premiere Aug. 26 at the Chelsea Fair Parade and traveled that same day with the football team to Eastern Michigan University to take part in the Big Prep Showdown.

Director of the bands is Rick Catherman, associate director of bands is Jim Otto and color guard supervisor is Chelsea High School teacher Phil Jones.



Abby Ingall (left), Katrina Williams and Alyson Gines play their flutes during band camp.

Bulldog SPIRIT



Lexi Ridley (left), Schuyler Adkins and Sara Dixon were among the members of the Bulldog Marching Band to participate last month in band camp.



Timmy Koch, a member of the Chelsea High School Marching Band, practices for the upcoming season at band camp last month at Chelsea High School. The band, which will perform Sept. 15 at home, put in eight-hour days learning marching fundamental techniques.



Abby Lewis-Lakin joined fellow musicians at Chelsea High School last month for band camp. On Aug. 26, the band performed in the Chelsea Fair Parade and then traveled that same day with the football team to Eastern Michigan University to participate in the Big Prep Showdown.

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CHELSEA

Couple shares musical gifts

Husband-wife folk rock duo now call Chelsea their home

By Sheila Pursglove
Special Writer

The Chelsea area is well known for its artistic and musical residents. Now two more are added to the mix.

The husband-wife folk rock musical duo Rod and Annie Capps moved from Ann Arbor to Chelsea last December.

"We've been coming out to Chelsea for a long time. One of our close friends lives out here," Annie said. "We've also performed at Zou Zou's many times, and helped design their Web site."

Designing Web sites serves as a day job for the couple, teaming up on freelance work while Rod also works part time as a Web designer for the University of Michigan. They're currently working on a new Web site for the Youth Dance Theater of Michigan, which is based in Chelsea.

Annie got an early start in performing, dancing at age 5 and learning to play guitar in sixth grade.

"I started writing very bad songs," she said. "I loved to be up in my room playing and singing."

"Friends could sometimes get me to play and sing, but other than that I was very shy."

An appearance in an eighth-grade talent show changed all that, and the Royal Oak native blossomed even further in college.

"I was very introverted, but college got me out of my shell," she said. "I got involved with a couple of musicians and started performing and playing with bands."

"I found there's a big difference between singing along with the radio and standing in front of the mike in front of a crowd."

Her husband was another early musical bloomer, studying violin, bass and guitar at an early age. An Ann Arbor native, Rod performed in jazz band in junior high and began playing in rock bands as a student at Pioneer High School.

While in college in the early '80s, he played for a

Chicago-era band before returning to his musical roots in Ann Arbor in 1989.

The pair met in the band Dreamstreet and tied the knot in 1994. The band broke up, but the newly-weds took to the road in a small production company tour of "Jesus Christ Superstar."

In 1995, the couple joined some Ann Arbor musicians to form the modern rock cover band Foolish Mortals and performed in clubs throughout southeastern Michigan.

In 1997, Annie started writing songs again. She and her husband played with the band Roxanne and with Foolish Mortals, performing throughout southeastern Michigan, including appearances at The Ann Arbor Folk Festival, the Ann Arbor Art Fair and The Ark in Ann Arbor.

The duo recorded "A Thousand Pictures" in their home studio and released it on their own label, Maynard Music, in 1999. The following year, Roxanne was nominated for two Motor City Music Awards.

Their fourth album, "One Big Show" — available at Cranesbill Books in Chelsea — is their first release on Yellow Room Records and features 12 new original songs.

"We play folk, we touch on country and bluegrass and definitely some edgier folk, and we're very singer-songwriter oriented," Annie said.

"Rod is a multi-instrumentalist, and he's refurbished an old tenor banjo that belonged to his grandfather. I'm still pretty much just on guitar, although I'm learning to play other instruments."

The couple is sometimes joined by drummer Christine Schinker, as well as Ann Arbor fiddler Greta Mae Barnard.

Annie also is very involved in the local music community, organizing events, hosting songwriter showcases and coordinating local networking meetings.

One such event was Connections 2006, a multi-disciplinary cultural series celebrating its third year in Ann Arbor's Riverside Park. Annie, who has been involved in Connections since its inception, designed the Web site and delivered the emcee for the event Aug. 25 through 27.

Connections offers visual arts workshops, music, theater and dance. Local musicians like Water Drumworks and The Raisin Pickers were among the performers.

Annie is a member of the Yellow Room Gang, a group

of singers and songwriters who meet monthly to share food and new works and perform together.

"I'm truly honored and humbled to be part of that group," she said. "The idea is to provide constructive feedback, encourage each other, and help each other, especially when you get stuck. We all write differently. You can

get stuck in a rut, but it's nice to hear where someone else might take a song."

"It's hugely rewarding." For more information on Chelsea's new musical residents, visit the Web site www.anniecapps.com.

Sheila Pursglove is a freelance writer. She can be reached at bingley51@yahoo.com.



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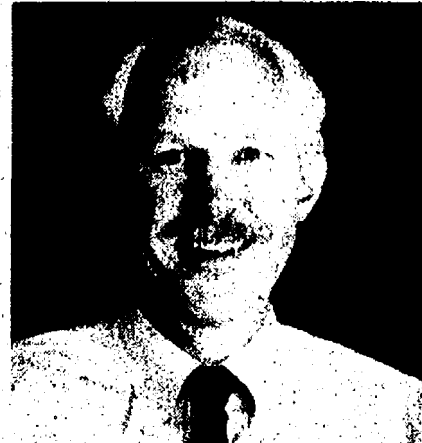
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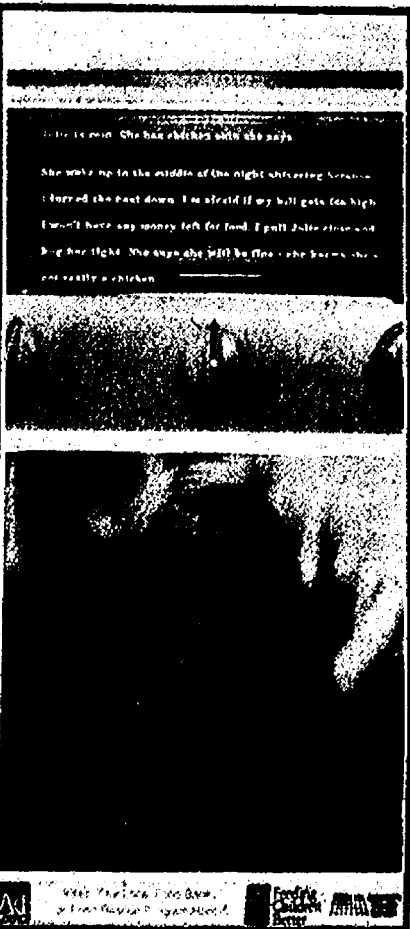
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Mrs. Worden worked part time for Chelsea Public Schools as a playground supervisor and custodian. She also was a member of St. Jacob Evangelical Lutheran Church in Grass Lake.

On Jan. 19, 1947, she married R.V. Worden at St. Jacob Evangelical Lutheran Church, and

he survives. Other survivors include two sons, Ronald and Rodney Worden, both of Chelsea; a sister, Maxine L. (Arthur) Ellis of Jackson; brothers-in-law Richard (Beverly) Worden of Jackson and James (Doris) Worden of Munith; and sisters-in-law Elizabeth Worden of Chelsea and Betty (Dan) Cowan of Stockbridge.

Mrs. Worden was preceded in death by two brothers, Wilbur H. and LaVerne Lehman; and a sister, Marie Bloom.

A funeral will be held 11 a.m. Thursday at Cole Funeral Chapel in Chelsea.

Schwertfeger will officiate. Burial will follow at Munith Cemetery.

The family received friends Wednesday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jacob Evangelical Lutheran Church.

ALVIN "AL" RETTIG

Dexter
Alvin "Al" Rettig died Sept. 1, 2006. He was the youngest child of Albert and Effie (Chardon) Rettig. He was born Oct. 20, 1919, in Ann Arbor, but spent nearly all of his life in the Dexter area.

War II, participating in the North African and Italian campaigns. On Nov. 3, 1951, he married Mary Parks in Waterloo, and she survives.

In addition to his family, Mr. Rettig enjoyed dancing, bowling, traveling and following University of Michigan sports. He retired from U of M in 1983 after 31 years of service.

Surviving are his son, Anthony (Karin) Rettig of Dexter; daughter, Linda (Eric) Prinzing of Grass Lake; granddaughters, Melanie, Erica, Lindsay and Lela; step-granddaughter, Jessica; and a sister, Dorothy Schneider.


parents; his infant brother, Elmer; brother, Walter; and a sister, Mabel.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Hosmer-Muehlig Funeral Chapel in Dexter.

A funeral will be held 11 a.m. Friday at St. Andrew United Church of Christ in Dexter.

Mr. Rettig will lie in state 10 a.m. until the time of service at the church. Burial will follow at the St. Andrew Cemetery.

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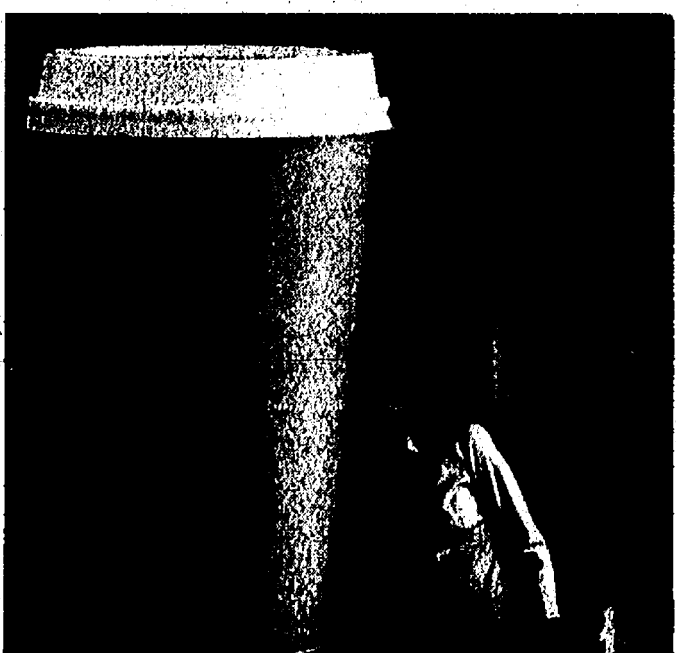
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