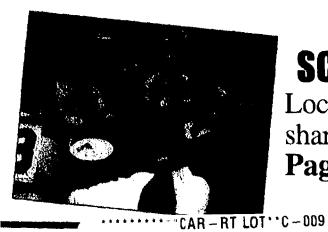
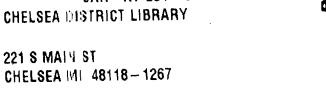
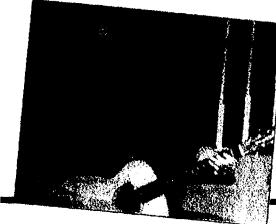


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# **HOLIDAY SHOPPING: PART I**

HOMETOWN APPEAL

Why leave? Chelsea has plenty to offer local shoppers

By Crystal Hayduk and Jessica Tchoryk Special Writers

The holidays have officially arrived. And while the bright lights, decorations and caroling may warm the hearts of many, the thought of shopping and big crowds and spending too much money leave many out in the cold.

But shopping does not have to deplete your spirit - or your wallet. Forget the malls where you park a mile away. Forget the long lines, and forget the lack of attention. personal Chelsea businesses may have just what you need to satisfy your wish list and budget. There are special gifts and unique ideas right here in Chelsea - all the while helping the local economy.

The following are just a few of the many ideas and places to shop or obtain services in town. Chelsea businesses are a good place to start your shopping, and who knows, you may just find everything you need without ever leaving the city limits.

Friendly employees greet customers at The Village Shoppe, located at 104 N. Main Street. The cozy atmosphere is enhanced by soft music and scented candles.

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Part II

Next week: Reporter Sean Dalton looks at what Dexter offers.

Our business: Owners sustain a Chelsea way of community

> When I try to describe to far away friends what I love about Chelsea, my first inclination is to tell them about the schools and churches, the hospital. the culture, the shops, and the historic homes. But it doesn't take long to realize that people bring them all to life.

A school is just a building without the teachers. support staff, and students that make it a place of learning. A church is just a building without the pastor, support staff, and parishioners that make it a place of spiritual understanding. A hospital is just a building without the caring professionals that make it a place of healing. A stage is just

an empty platform without performers to make it a place of entertainment. A shop is just a warehouse of make it a place of service. A house is just a collection of rooms without people to make it a home. Am I describing the Chelsea that you love, too?

Our local businesses are an integral part of what keeps Chelsea thriving and populated. Their presence and diversity create a town center, where people congregate to shop, walk, or have coffee with a friend.

A town center means less sprawl and habitat loss. Imagine the eyesore of a big box store just outside of town instead of farmland.

A town center means decreased use of valuable resources. You don't have to put nearly as much gasoline in your tank to shop in Chelsea as you would if you drove to Ann Arbor or Jackson. And who doesn't think their time is valuable? Time spent



## WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEKEND

This weekend marks the official beginning of the Christmas holidays with a number of events in both Chelsea and Dexter. Here are a few to mark on your calendar:

## Chelsea

The annual Chelsea Hometown Holiday weekend will take place tomorrow through Sunday throughout the community. For a complete list of events, log onto http://www.chelseastandard.com/CH late. hometownholiday2008.pdf.

## Friday

5:45 p.m. The event begins with a School Chamber Choir. Tree Lighting Ceremony at the a special appearance when he CHS Auditorium.

arrives in the American Legion Voiture 957.

6:30 p.m. After the Tree Lighting Ceremony, follow Santa in the train

spend the evening listening to special wishes from Chelsea's children. 6:30 p.m. Palmer Ford will host a live Nativity Scene.

7 p.m. The Chelsea Teddy Bear Co. offers visitors a chance to decorate sugar cookies and enjoy hot choco-

Library to listen to the Chelsea High artists at the Chelsea Fairgrounds.

Gazebo in Pierce Park. Santa makes ed by the Youth Dance Theatre at Museum.

Café

7:30 p.m. "A boy. A girl. The Beatles" presented by Chelsea Area to the Chelsea Depot where he will Players Youth Theatre at Beach Middle School.

Saturday

Holiday festivities continue with many special events planned in Chelsea's shops. Back by popular demand is the Gingerbread House Workshop, and "Common Chords".

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. All the Trimmings 7 p.m. Stop by the Chelsea District Holiday Art Show features local 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Christmas on the

7 p.m. "The Nutcracker" present- Farm at the Waterloo Farm

10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Darwin's Studio

7 – 10 p.m. Live music at Zou Zou's Holiday Open House and West of the

Moon Friends at Chelsea Depot. 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Music by Golden Griffon Stringtet at Pierce's Pastries Plus.

1-4 p.m. "Home for the Holidays" crafts and activities at the Chelsea Center for the Arts.

2 - 3 p.m. "Common Chords" bell

choir at McKune Library. 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. "The Nutcracker" presented by the Youth Dance Theatre at CHS Auditorium.

2 p.m. "A boy. A girl. The Beatles" presented by Chelsea Area Players Youth Theatre at Beach Middle School.

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# **School bond** renewal plan could be on May ballot

By Crystal Hayduk Special Writer

The Chelsea School Board approved allowing the district's financial officers to prepare a bond application of approximately \$18.7 million in preparation for a meeting with Department of Treasury on Jan. 8. Final board approval will be voted on in February. If it moves forward as expected, the bond will go to the district voters in May.

This bond would extend the current millage rate by an additional five years, but would not raise the tax rate.

Superintendent David Killips said that state finances do not look promis-

"The Chelsea School Board has taken the preliminary steps necessary in

oder to proceed with a May 5, 2009, bond issue" Killips said. "This would be an extension of the current 7 mils so tax rates would not increase. All bond payments would be concluded in 2025, as previously planned.

Fif the current local trend continues, student enrollment is expected to decrease for the next school year. An amended budget is expected to be presented in February.

The school district is workwith Kingscott Architects, Granger Construction, Thrun Law and Stauder and Barch Financial Consultants to complete the application. These are the same firms the district used in the 2004 bond vote.

"The purpose of the bond is to help maintain the general fund for classrooms by keeping busses, technology and capital improvements in a separate fund," Killips said. "Because the state has not been able to adequately fund public education (Chelsea has averaged a 1.5 percent increase during the last seven years in student funding), the bond extension

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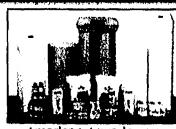


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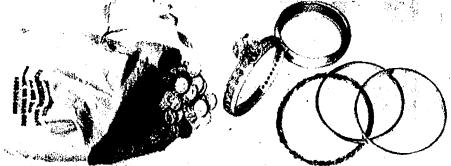
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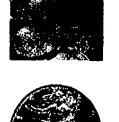
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# **Helping hands**



Chelsea City Manager John Hanifan spoke at a recent Kiwanis meeting. The Kiwanis Club presented Hanifan with a contribution for Timbertown maintenance. Flanking Hanifan are Kiwanians Lucy Stieber (left) and Don Cole.

## **SCHOOLS**

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is one of the limited options that are available to local school districts in order to maintain programming for students.'

Killips added that this particular option is the only tax option that does not increase the current tax rate the district levies.

The bond program would fund bus purchases and technology for the next 10 years. It would also be used to maintain the facilities that have been provided by the Chelsea community.

"A major focus would continue towards energy management within the school district," Killips said. "The district must now meet with the Department of Treasury in January to gain their approval. Once approval is given the Board of Education would be presented with a resolution in mid-February calling for the election."

If approved, the bond vote would take place on May 5, 2009, the normal school board election date.

## an other school board news:

Rob McDowell, who currently spends about 20 hours per week in the capacity of energy manager, spoke to the Board about energy efficiency during a Dec. 1 meeting.

The district has just completed its first year of a fouryear contract with a Dallasbased company called EEI (Energy Education Inc.) that assists districts with maximizing their energy efficiency and minimizing dollars spent on energy.

McDowell implements recommendations, as well as works to raise awareness and accountability for all those in the school district to minimize energy waste.

Overall, in the first 12 months, the district has already appreciated a savings of \$177,000 (18 percent) for utilities, and improvements continue.

"I'm proud of what we've accomplished. It's good for the environment, it's good for the taxpayers, and it's good for the schools," McDowell said.

Andrew Ingall, executive director of instruction, reported that the school district has received a grant for \$500 to purchase touch screens for special needs students. They also received a grant for \$10,000 to assist



needy children in the district, which will be distributed through social work services at Faith in Action.

The board approved a resolution to certify State School Aid Act funds in the amount of \$20,400 to be used to provide preschool education to four-year-old children with extraordinary need for special assistance.



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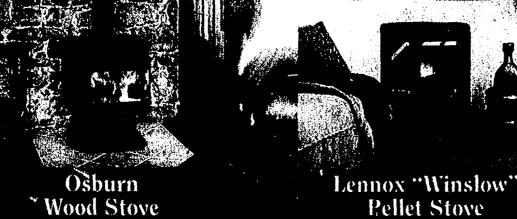
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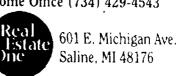
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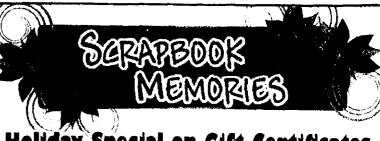


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# **HOLIDAY SHOPPING: PART I**

## **SHOP**

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According to owner Marge Faist, The Village Shoppe began as strictly a country store, but has adjusted to fit customers' needs. The Village Shoppe is a "variety store" containing almost everything imaginable in a variety of price ranges from gift and household items, to clothing and greeting cards.

Garden Mill sells yearround gardening merchandise for nature enthusiasts, birders, gardeners and home decorators. Owner Trinh Pifer is knowledgeable and helpful to customers seeking holiday gifts for loved ones, or to offer any advice. She even has a readily available "Top 10 Holiday Gift Ideas" list. Shopping at the Garden Mill on 110 S. Main Street helps the local economy in more ways than one. Ornaments and other artful items designed by local artists from Chelsea. Manchester, and Ann Arbor are sold at Garden Mill.

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The Mission Marketplace at 117 S. Main Street is a unique store that supports and promotes fair trade, meaning the growers or artists receive a fair price for their goods. According to employee Marilyn Jachalke, a customer once said, "Buying a gift here is like giving it twice." Like many of the stores located in Chelsea, the Mission Marketplace sells a large assortment of goods. "Everything has a story," Jachalke said. The jewelry and scarves have been the biggest sellers so far this year. Scarves from Ecuador are about \$20, and alpaca wool scarves are \$30 to \$35. Similar scarves sell in Ann Arbor for well over that up to \$100. Executive Director Kevin Frahm even offers a free origami peace crane to customers.

La Jolla Fine Jewelry. 111 S. Main Street, owned by Gloria Miller and son Curtis Miller, offers beautiful jewelry to satisfy the tastes of anyone on your list this year. La Jolla is a custom studio that caters specifically to each customer. The friendly owners are eager to help with unique and custom pieces, 14 and 18 carat gold, sterling silver, colored stones and diamonds, opals, and Tahitian pearls.

Located across the street at 108 S. Main Street. Winans Jewelry is another option for fine jewelry, . sterling silver, and pearls. They also carry clocks and watches. Fourth generation jewelers have been serving Chelsea since 1898.

Chelsea Teddy Bear Company at 400 N. Main sells interesting and unique teddy bears and other stuffed animals that can be customized to suit individual preferences. The store is boasting about two of their bears that are 100% manufactured in the USA, "Pancake" (\$12.95) is a basic ten inch bear that kids are raving about. "Conner" (\$59.95) is fully jointed and individually hand-assembled right at the store. To compare, Toys R Us does not carry fully jointed bears; however, a very limited supply of Gund brand jointed bears is available at the Toy House in Jackson for \$30-\$35.

Jan Loveland, proprietor of Cranesbill Books at 108 E. Middle Street, reports



**ABOVE RIGHT: Marybeth** Zielinski cuddles with teddy bears Conner (left) and Pancake (right) at the Chelsea Teddy Bear Company. These bears are made entirely in the USA." **ABOVE**: One of the several

cases of mouth-watering chocolates available for purchase, by the box, the pound, or the piece at the Chocolate Café.

RIGHT: A sample of the selection of the latest in high-definition television technology available in Chelsea at Heydlauff's.

**BELOW RIGHT: Ruby Swirl** Ornament Bouquet, available at Gigi's Flowers and Gifts.

shop belongs to the Teleflora family, and is highlighting several centerpieces for the Christmas season, including the Thomas Kinkade's Childhood Home Bouquet for \$62.95. The ceramic house that makes up part of the arrangement is battery operated to light up.





People with a more creative bent can also purchase flowers and arrange them at home for a significant cost savings.

Whether you need a break from downtown shopping or you're looking for that special hostess, business, or thank you gift,

#### Before you go

First things first. whether you are an old pro, a novice, or you just do not like shopping; there are a few things to keep in mind to help your days of gift buying run smoothly.

Set a budget. Know how much you can reasonably spend so that you do not run into problems with debt later on down the road. Start the New Year off right.

Make a list. Although some may find browsing the selection to be helpful, it is better to at least have an idea of what you would like to buy and for whom. This prevents frivolous and costly impulse buying and assures your loved ones that they are getting what they want and/or need.

Be prepared and know your time limitations. Some find it less of a hassle to get all their shopping done in one fell swoop, while others may find that to require too many long hours. Whatever you decide, prepare yourself for your big day of shopping. Wear comfortable and supportive shoes, and treat yourself to lunch or a snack if you need some extra motivation to get through it. (You will deserve it—the average person burns at least three and a half calories per minute of walking.)

Keep a positive attitude. Remember the reason behind giving to those you love this holiday season. Do not let materialism take over the spirit of the holi-

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# Business owner calls suspicious van advisory into question

By Sean Dalton Staff Writer

To say that Jackson business owner Gerald Cortese is disappointed in the Washtenaw County Sheriffs Department is an understatement.

Many of Cortese's employees working for his company, Jerico Inc., as official Kirby Company sales agents have taken a lot of heat from the public following the release of a department advisory.

The advisory detailed several encounters with a suspicious van that ranged from ters to seemingly serious sitwere very nearly in danger.

The Dexter Leader and lished a story based on the report in the Nov. 27 edition of both papers.

At the heart of the advisodescribed as blue, green or a it," he said.

combination of those hues, ber of occupants of various the fact that nobody called descriptions approaching several residences in the talked to somebody at his Dexter area.

The suspicion and subsequent advisory are some of the results of a string of home invasions that have been occurred throughout the county in the past several weeks.

In those incidents a van and its occupants pull up to a home, knock on the door and, if no one answers, break the door down and go benign suspicious encoun- on a robbery spree loading easily carried valuables into uations in which residents the van and speeding from me)?' the scene.

The Chelsea Standard pub- reporting that his employees going out and putting targets through a source in the described by a witness in about you guys in the newsand the perpetrators of the home invasions are definite- the discrepancies. ly not one in the same.

ry was a description of a van nametags with a picture on license plate?" he said. "Let named herself in the adviso- Trinkle Road, between Lima paper. Don't ever knock on

the number on the card and office, who would have gotten a hold of him immediately to straighten out the misunderstanding.

Cortese himself takes a van and a crew of agents out into his company's territory to conduct their business.

"It's crazy ... everybody had my business card and nobody called," he reiterated. "If we're such bad people why didn't someone take

Cortese wasn't only disap-Cortese was vehement in pointed in the advisory reported that it went out

"It (came) out that we have

liable big time.'

Cortese says that he has already retained an attorney and will be pursuing undetermined action against the offending party or parties.

"I went through this multiple times with somebody down there at the police department and now it's in my attorney's hands."

The report also may not have come out of the sheriffs operation through official channels.

telephone (and contact ed through the Dexter Area and the recipient of the most back from customers. the advisory. It has also been the advisory. District.

"All of our guys wear a van out there with no with Sgt. Lisa King, who approaching a resident of about you guys in the newsme put in very bluntly. It's a ry, indicated that the Dexter Center and Dancer Road.

Probably the most frus-bunch of (B.S.). Someone's chamber was the point and an undetermined num-trating thing for Cortese was on a witch hunt and they're through which the advisory ing the van on Dexterreached the media.

group, which Cortese police... believes is how it got out into the public.

that the people in the van versation. "(have) not been named in

Cortese says the damage man." The Dexter Leader is done, particularly to Huey Chamber of Commerce with damning witness accounts in

on his employees, but also Dexter Community School the first of three incidents paper ... I never talked to Cortese says that talks also reported to have tried "Someone else said 'I read

The man reported follow Chelsea Road at Bunker Hill He also said that she and said a man fitting Huey's denied ever sending it out to description attempted to get the chamber, but did say that out of the van and approach she indicated that she sent it him, which caused him to to a neighborhood watch flee to his home and call

According to Cortese, the worst thing that might have The advisory also said happened is a puzzled con-

"He's one of the sharpest any burglaries (YET), but kids I got," he said. "Is it a appears to be up to no good." racial thing? He is a black

Cortese said that he has the initiative to pick up a received a message forward- Brown, one of his managers heard a wide variety of feed-

> "One guy told me." Saturday, when I knocked on He was suspected and his door in Jackson, 'I read on Dancer Road, and he was someone famous," he said. my door again."

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HOURS

# **Chelsea City Council**

# City approves payment methodology for Chelsea State Bank property purchase

By Sean Dalton

Staff Writer

to making 305 S. Main Street chase will be approximatethe permanent home for city government operations.

The City Council voted unanimously in favor of a purchasing methodology brought forward by Chelsea City Manager John Hanifan.

The city would pay \$495,000 from its existing fund balance upon closing on the property with Chelsea State Bank, which owns the building, parking lot and adjacent property along Main and Summit streets.

Downtown Development approximately \$500,000 will be financed that would be created.

Chelsea is one step closer for the installment pur-streets. officials.

> On Aug. 12 the city issued Chelsea State Bank a notice of intent to purchase 305 S. Main, parking lots and two nearby vacant lots.

> A condominium would be created to separate the existing city office and the bank's operation.

The city hired A.R. Brouwer to complete site design services.

City officials looked over the firm's site design dia-The \$1.53 million transac- grams, which showed a tion will also be paid for basic block layout of two with \$500,000 from future different possibilities for an Authority Tax Increment square foot police station as Funds (TIF), and another well as the public parking

over seven years with an The new police departinstallment purchase con- ment will be built on the

tract with Chelsea State vacant lot at the corner of Bank. The annual payment South Main and Orchard

Police Chief Ed Toth has ly \$80,000, according to city expressed "strong" interest in locating law enforcement operations to Main Street for logistical reasons, as well as due to the uncomfortable nature of the existing police station.

The deal will also secure additional parking that the city and DDA hope will mitigate parking scarcity dur-

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December 4, 2008

# Fuss over jets is nothing new to our leaders

Those darn airplanes.
By now, everyone has read about how the big shot auto executives got in hot water with Congress recently when they flew in on private jets for a handout and got a push

back instead.

Michigan,
for some reason or another, seems to
have a rich
and unenlightened history when it
comes to airplanes.

Tim Skubick

Milliken's administration purchased a nifty new aircraft. But once William Marshall, head of the state AFL-CIO, discovered that state tax dollars were going to Mitsubishi, he came unglued and Milliken's name was dragged through the mud.

Former Gov.

William

Milliken eventually left office and James Blanchard came in and immediately appropriated the Michigan State Police jet copter as his private air limo. It was not an issue until you-know-who made it one.

"The first thing I will do, if elected. I will sell the jet copter." boasted GOP challenger John Engler as he appealed to normal slugs who fight traffic five days a week.

Of course, Engler rode the flying machine into office as he accused Blanchard of being the "imperial governor." And as he promised, Engler gloatingly called the media over to the state police hangar, where he personally slapped a "for sale" sign on Blanchard's taxicab.

Gov. Jennifer Granholm, the queen of symbolism, has studiously avoided using the jet copter, but did get "caught" once for flying her entourage to a basketball tournament out of state. Ever since, state police have made it tougher for the media to check on the governor's frequent flier miles, citing "security" as the reason.

Would-be governor Dick
DeVos owns his own air
force, so when he was flirting
with running for governor
again, he was immune
because no tax dollars were
being used. Still, he managed
to create a flap.

He wanted to build a helicopter pad on the back 40 of his palatial estate in Ada. The common folk and the zoning board took exception, and DeVos took some media hits for his noise pollution insensitivity.

As the auto executives prepare to invade Washington again to secure a federal loan, they will apparently do it by car and not plane.

Somebody finally woke up and is organizing a caravan of auto suppliers, dealers and, hopefully, executives to parade into town with a new plan — and new symbolism. Never mind that they should have done that in the first

place.
But let's be honest here.
The debate over using a private jet will continue to be a phony issue that the media and public can't resist.

Frankly, every governor can justify using a plane because it actually would save tax dollars in the long run because the chief executive could conduct more meetings in less time and get more results that could benefit the state.

But now the car executives have gone and ruined it for everyone.

Tim Skubick is the host of the television show "Off the Record" and blogs regularly at www.heritage.com.

# Letters to the Editor

To the Editor: Do you live in the pits? You know...Waterloo Townpits?

How would you like to live 200 feet from a gravel pit? No. How about 100 feet? Still no.

That is what Aggregate Industries would like to do to the residents who live on Loveland and Harvey Road. Aggregate Industries is stating that all they are asking for is an expansion. This 18.9 acre expansion that they are in the process of purchasing from Jim Dault, doesn't only stop there. They could be testing in your neighbor's yard, too. Aggregate has made Chelsea and Grass Lake home for too long. They are now invading our homes, the safety of our children and our families. This would put a gravel pit 200 feet from

my well and many others. I have been advised to get my water tested and my radon level checked now, so I have some thing to compare to in case they get approval.

Waterloo Township is home to many residences, we continue to look at the ever growing gravel pits which are eye sores. Have you ever driven past a gravel pit in Waterloo and seen it "reclaimed?" No the beauty of that land is now gone. Waterloo Township is having a Public Hearing on this matter Dec. 9 at 7:30 p.m. Waterloo Township only has to post the hearing days before the hearing. We have to reclaim our right as tax payers in Waterloo Township that we should have a say and we do have a right in what goes in beside our homes that we are raising our

families in.
We need to stick together as a community and stop these companies before we are living in the pits! We stand stronger the closer we stick together. If in question please take a drive down Cavanaugh Lake Road turns into Harvey, then turn left onto Clear Lake. What do you

#### Meagan Westcott Waterloo Township

To the Editor: I know the residents of Dexter are aware of their community band. I don't think they know how important their interest and support has been to the band members.

Before the European tour in 2001, I belonged to six bands. I had to eliminate some. When I got back I remembered the warm response I got play-

ing in Dexter. The band had grown from a "gazebo" village band to a concert band comparable to any in the area regardless of size.

This was due to a caring, brilliant director, Dave Angus, now deceased, and the people of Dexter.

#### Duane DeButts Ypsilanti

To the Editor: Ever since starting the 4 Friends arts and fine craft shows years ago, we put out a donation jar for various charitable organizations. Last year with the change to More Friends, we decided to focus locally, and chose Faith in Action as our recipient.

The show last weekend was a little out of the ordinary than past years, reflecting the times, I think. Although the crowds were amazing, sales were down slightly, and almost all sales

were cash, not credit, which was different. But the truly gratifying thing was that donations were nearly triple that of last year.

Thank you, Chelsea, for your generous spirit in these trying economic times. And thanks, too, for supporting local art. You have another chance to do so, and to donate to Faith in Action, at the Chelsea Depot Saturday, where former members of West of the Moon Gallery will sell their wares as part of Chelsea's Hometown Holiday festivities.

Please visit our local galleries and the show at the fairgrounds that day, as well. Chelsea is fortunate to have so much artistic talent in town, and those of us in the arts are blessed to have such enthusiastic support. Thank you again.

Marsi Parker Darwin Waterloo Township

# Thanksgiving turkey

# Is nation finally catching on to our Lions?

et's get this straight: The talking heads who follow the National Football League for a living are making waves from California to New York about taking the annual Thanksgiving Day game away from the Detroit Lions, who have hosted the event since 1934—which makes the Motor City tradition older than 24 current NFL teams.

The problem, of course, is that the rest of the nation has finally caught up with what we knew all along: The Lions are horrible. They have been bad this year, winless in a dozen games. They weren't much better last year, despite a 6-2 start, or the year before that or the year before that.

While parity reigns in the NFL, the Lions buck the system and play consistently pathetic football. They manage poorly. They hire poorly. They coach poorly. And as a result of all of that, they put a poor product on the field.

None of this is anything new. Since Detroit was crowned as



Karl Ziomek

"City of Champions" in the 1950s, the Lions have languished in professional football purgatory. Every so often, they grab lightning in a bottle (Barry Sanders, Billy Sims, Lem Barney, etc.) and compete for a few years.

If anything, the Lions are the anti-NFL NFL team. While the league strives to make every team and every game competitive, the Lions continue to buck the trend.

ne trend.

That leads to some of the most

unique results in the world, such as Matt Millen holding on to his job for the better part of a decade, despite the fact that his teams finished almost 60 games under .500. Or the fact that former coach Wayne Fontes is the Lions' all-time leader in career victories — and losses — with an all-time mark under .500. It leads to the fact that legends like Don Shula and Chuck Knox coached here, but were never given the head coaching job.

It led to this scenario nearly two decades ago: Russ Thomas was the Matt Millen of his day, running the Lions for nearly two decades as they floundered here and there. When he retired, owner William Clay Ford dedicated a "game" to him — on the road, in Atlanta. That was one of the few things in Lions' history that actually made sense. Had Thomas been honored in Detroit, he would have been hanged in effigy.

The Lions are bad for a lot of reasons, many of them going back decades. To get a good handle on them, take a walk through

the ABCs of Lions' football through the eyes of a beleaguered 52-year-old fan:

"A" is for Andolsek. Eric was a fine guard out of LSU, a potential All-Pro, who was killed after his fourth season on the team in 1991. He was working in his front yard when a truck ran off the road and ran him down. There is a trend for disasters on this team.

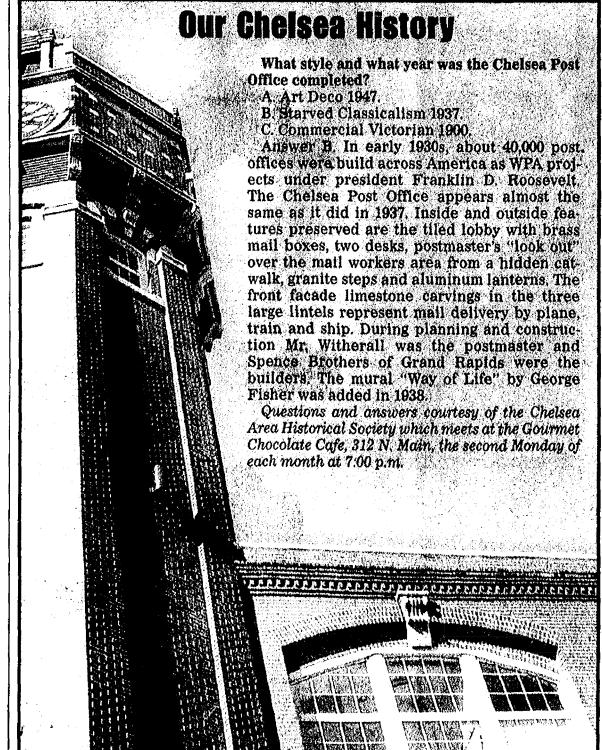
"B" is for defensive tackle Bob Bell (1971-73) or offensive tackle Lynn Boden (1975-78). You think the Lions have made poor draft picks in the past decade? Bell and Boden were two of the worst — and that was three decades

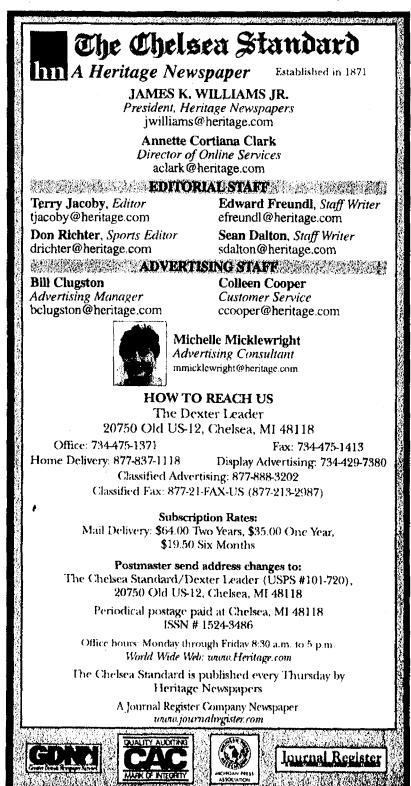
ago.

"C" is for Stoney Case, former backup quarterback. If he had been any good subbing for an injured Charlie Batch on the last Detroit team to fight for a playoff berth in 2000, Ford never would have hired Millen and the Lions might actually be

mediocre, instead of horrible.
"D" is for Ty Detmer and his seven interceptions at

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driver over at the stop sign tor's license on East and the driver proceeded through an intersection and pulled to the curb ed to a 911 call regarding an er's truck. in the 200 block of Park Street.

When the driver was asked for his license, registration and proof of insurhim, but provided the other unresponsive. two items.

When ran through LEIN, were unsuccessful. the license came up restricted, and it had expired in 2004. The driver had also been arrested previously for operating while primary caregiver. intoxicated in 2003.

When confronted the driver claimed that part of breathalyzer activated ignition system or interlock system, and that he had it over-

A Chelsea patrol officer license because of the 10:45 p.m. Nov. 17.

corner of Park and East interlock system still home with two car garage east bound park street disregarding the yellow said. light and a misdemeanor

> unknown medical problem originated from the 500 block of Lane Street.

Upon arrival the Chelsea the pick-up truck. ance, he told the officer he Area Fire Authority found a

Resuscitation

Police suspect substance the driveway. abuse for the death.

his probation included a Protective Services depart- side yard and exited back

Chelsea Area Police Briefs

The single-family one-The restriction for an story brick ranch style truck, police said. streets watching a red light applied to the driver, was found with a Chevy fied the driver as an outstanding felony warrant when a white Chevy Silver according to police. He was pickup truck protruding acquaintance of 30 years by third degree operating made a right hand turn onto issued a civil infraction for into the garage door, police

The corner of the garage The officer pulled the violation for expired opera- and residence structure was pushed in and a section of bricks was found lying on Chelsea police respond- the hood of the homeown-

Pieces of a broken grill at 10 p.m. Nov. 16. The call and a plastic "Ford" blue oval grill ornament was found lying directly behind

Police found a single set didn't have his license on 31 year old female, who was of vehicle tracks in the newly fallen snow. The efforts tracks came from a west bound vehicle and entered

A set of tracks led directly The woman lived with her to the back of the truck, grandmother and was her more tracks backed a short way from the vehicle then The grandmother was turned and went west placed into the care of the bound through the flower Washtenaw County Adult bed lining the driveway, the onto west bound Sibley.

The homeowner was Someone used their vehi- standing at his front door turned in court. He also told cle to forcibly push another and had just turned off the the officer that he never vehicle into a garage in the front porch lights when a bothered reapplying for the 6000 block of Sibley Road at gray Ford truck with wood

racks turned into his drive- him. He said the witness would seek a warrant for way and struck his parked was a liar and claimed to be the current incident.

The homeowner identiuse of a flashlight.

home all night.

The man was arrested for while intoxicated and driv-Officers went to the sus- ing while license suspendpect's house and confronted ed, and police said they on the suspect's tires.

Officers found tire tracks at the scene and at the suspects house matched up when they looked at the "aggressive tread pattern"

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# **CITY**

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ing heavy influxes of traffic into the Chelsea downtown. The motion was moved

and seconded Councilpersons Frank Hammer and Cheri Albertson, respectively.

Albertson pointed out that "the public may want to know payment is commensurate to what the city is currently paying the bank."

The city had been paying \$90,000 a year to lease about half the ground floor and the entire basement of the bank branch. Under the purchase agreement, that \$90,000 will be applied to

the purchase.

Under the agreement, DDA funds. that \$90,000 would be applied to the purchase this year, along with \$150,000 in budgeted

Capital plus \$300,000 each from the chase.

city's General Fund and

The city and DDA would also pitch in \$115,000 each for the next three fiscal Improvement Plan funds, years to complete the pur-



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6 p.m. The Holiday Light Parade begins offering visitors an opportunity to enjoy lighted floats and marching bands.

7 – 9 p.m. The Parade ends at the Teddy Bear Company where participants and viewers can enjoy sweet treats, sip hot chocolate, and join in the Community Sing led by Counterpoint.

Sunday

Noon to 4 p.m. Christmas on the Farm at the Waterloo Farm Museum.

2 p.m. "The Nutcracker" presented by the Youth Dance Theatre at CHS Auditorium.

3 and 7 p.m. The Chelsea Chamber Players perform at the Chelsea Depot.

6:30 p.m. Holiday Festival of Lessons and Carols at the Retirement Chelsea Community Chapel.

7:30 p.m. "A boy. A girl. The Beatles" presented by Chelsea Area Players Youth Theatre at Beach Middle School.

#### Dexter

Bazaar Holiday Shopping

organizations will host Holiday Bazaars from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. St. James' Episcopal

Church, Dexter Area Girl Scouts (St. Andrew's Church), Dexter Senior Center and the Dexter Historical Museum will have a wide variety of crafts and gifts.

St. James will have quilts, holiday ornaments, jewelry, knitted hats and mittens and many other unique gifts for

The Senior Center is having a raffle at 2 p.m. as well as a bake sale, Grandma's Attic sale and a 50/50 raffle. Santa will be at Dexter Historical Society from 9:30 - 12:00. Maps can be found at stjamesdexter.org (426-8247).

#### Home for the Holidays **Victorian Christmas Festival** Saturday, Dec. 13

8:30 a.m. Breakfast with Santa at the Lighthouse

9 a.m. – 6 p.m. Ice Sculpture Exhibit in downtown area.

11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Visit with Santa at the Gazebo in Monument Park.

11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. Lunch with Santa at Alpha Coney. 4 p.m. Holiday Hustle 5k

Run/Walk (www.runholiday5k.com) 5:30 p.m. Home for the

Holidays Light Parade on Main Street. 6:**3**0 - 8 p.m. Stolen

Moments Band at Foggy Bottom.

8:30 - 10 p.m. Untitled, Saturday: Four Dexter teenage, local rock band performs at Foggy Bottom

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# AN EAGLE EYE VIEW

EMU football team awarded for record-breaking win over CMU QB Andy Schmitt wins national honor

YPSILANTI, Mich. — A record-breaking performance by the Eastern Michigan University football team in the 2008 season finale paid off in a host of awards for the Eagles.

Eastern closed out its season with a thrilling, 56-52, upset win over a visiting Central Michigan University squad Friday, Nov. 28, in Rynearson Stadium.

EMU redshirt-junior quarterback Andy Schmitt (St. Johns, Mich,-St. Johns) completed 58-of-80 passes for 516 yards and five touchdowns and also rushed nine times for 38 yards and one score in the win over CMU.

Schmitt's 58 completions against Central broke the NCAA collegiate record of 56 set by Jarrod DeGeorgia of Wayne State (Neb.) against Drake, Nov. 9, 1996. Schmitt set EMU and MAC singlegame records for pass completions (58), and pass attempts (80), and established additional EMU records for passing yards (516), total offensive plays (89) and total offensive yards (554).

For his efforts, Schmitt was named the NCAA Football Bowl Subdivision National Offensive Player of the Week by the Walter Camp Football Foundation. The foundation honors one offensive and one defensive player of the week during the regular season. Recipients are selected by a panel of national media members and administered by the Walter Camp Football Foundation.

In addition to that award, Schmitt was also selected as the Mid-American Conference West Division Offensive Player of the Week for his standout play versus the Chippewas.

EMU punter Patrick Treppa (Livonia, Mich.-Stevenson) earned the MAC's West Division Player of the Week award for his contributions to the Eagles' victory.

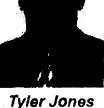
Treppa, a 5-foot-10, 157 pound redshirt sophomore, punted four times for a 40-yard average with a long of 49 yards and had one punt downed inside the 20-yard line against CMU. Treppa's 30-yard punt, under extreme pressure with less than two minutes left in the game, went out of bounds at the CMU 29-yard line, letting the defense set up a stand that helped the Eagles preserve

The Eagles also received an outstanding effort by senior wide receiver Tyler Jones (Belleville, Mich.-Belleville) who tied a FBS single-game record for pass receptions with 23 for 170 yards against the Chippewas. That record tied UNLV's Randy Gatewood who recorded 23 receptions, Sept. 17, 1994, against Idaho.



**Andy Schmitt** 







Patrick Treppa

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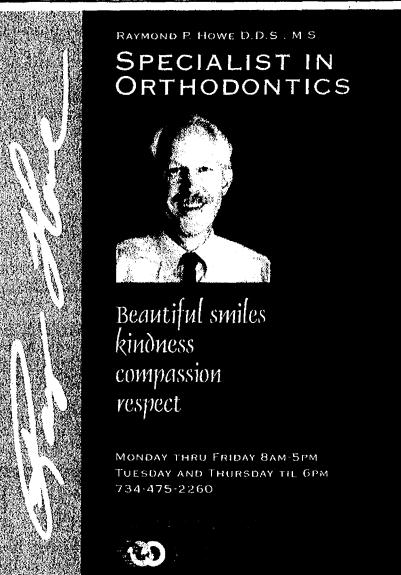


**Dexter Bazaar this Saturday** 

Troop 686 Brownies prepare for the big Bazaar from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday at St. Andrew's United Church of Christ. Cosette Ferris (left to right), Kalista Feight, Shannon Healy and Laura Kapanowski work on Christmas theme necklaces, at the home of their Troop Leader, Celia Ferris. Brownie and Girl Scout Troops from the Dexter area will offer handcrafted items they and their families have made for the event. Also offered on Saturday is lunch, prepared by the St. Andrew's Church Senior Choir. Also, the Dexter Senior Citizens, Dexter Historical Museum and St. James Episcopal Church will tempt Christmas buyers with crafts at their locations during the same time period.



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# OUTFITTING YOUR EYES FOR AFETYIN SPORT

s any parent involved in youth sports can tell you, each sport has its own unique safety equipment: shin guards for soccer, shoulder pads for football, batting helmets for baseball or softball. This list goes on and on. Yet for most participants in sports, one of the most important parts of the body almost always goes

unprotected: the eyes. As a consequence, every year more than 40,000 people suffer eye injuries while playing sports. Most of these could be avoided, according to Prevent Blindness America, by wearing proper eye protection. Here's a list, by sport, of recommended eye protection and the injuries they can prevent:

BASEBALL

Faceguard

**Recommended Protection** 

(attached to helmet) made

of polycarbonate material

Scratches on the cornea

Bleeding into the eye

Recommended Protection

polycarbonate mask

Sports eyeguards

Traumatic cataract

• Swollen retina

HOCKEY

Wire or

Sports eyeguards

Injuries Prevented

Inflamed iris

eye socket

Fracture of the



## BASKETBALL

Recommended Protection

Sports eyeguards

## Injuries Prevented

- Fracture of the eye socket
- Scratches on the cornea
- Inflamed iris Bleeding into the eye

## Swollen retina

SOCCER

## Recommended Protection

Sports eyeguards

## Injuries Prevented

- Fracture of the eye socket Inflamed iris
- Bleeding into the eye
- Swollen retina

# FOOTBALL

- Recommended Protection
  - Polycarbonate shield attached to a faceguard

## Sports eyeguards

- juries Prevented Fracture of the eye socket
- Scratches on the cornea
- Inflamed iris
- Bleeding into the eye
- Swollen retina

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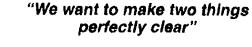
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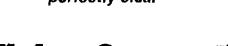
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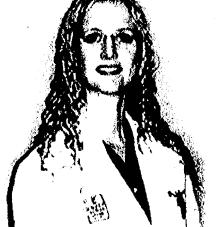
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The 21st Annual Chelsea Hometown Holidays will bring you a fun-filled weekend celebration to mark the beginning of the holiday season. Ushering in the festivities will be a Tree Lighting Ceremony followed by visits with Santa, cookie and gingerbread house decorating, a holiday parade, and more! Chelsea will be decked out in holiday splendor to warm your hearts and your spirit. Browse the shops and attend the many special events planned to capture the spirit of the holiday season.

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#### Location

Various Chelsea Merchants Gigi's Flowers New Chelsea Market La Jolla Fine Jewelry Chelsea Village Flowers

Pierce Park Main Street in Chelsea

Palmer Ford Motor Sales Chelsea Depot

Chelsea Depot

Chelsea District Library Cheisea Teddy Bear Company Chelsea High School Auditorium

Zou Zou's Cafe

#### **Event Description**

Gingerbread House Displays

Make-and-Take Pinecone Birdseed Ornament **Enjoy Holiday Refreshments** 

Punch and Cookies

Holiday Open House to celebrate 5 years in business! Drawings throughout the evening for holiday flowers, décor, etc. Refreshments will be served.

Tree Lighting Ceremony sponsored by Chelsea Rotary. Santa arrives in the American Legion Voiture 957 Train! Luminaries - Sponsored by Girl Scouts & Cub Scouts. Votive candles donated by The Garden Mill

Live Nativity Scene

Visits with Santa! Santa's Workshop with children's crafts. Sponsored by Chelsea Children's Co-Op Storytelling in the American Legion Voiture 957 Train. Sponsored by Cranesbill Books

Chelsea High School Chamber Choir Holiday Concert Cookie Decorating "The Nutcracker" presented by the Youth Dance The-

atre Live Musical Entertainment

"A boy. A girl. The Beatles" - presented by Chelsea



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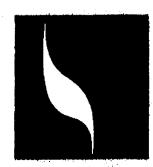
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Time

Chelsea State Bank

10:00 AM - 1:00 PM 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Gigi's Flowers Chelsea Fairgrounds Service Building

Various Chelsea Merchants

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Chelsea Depot

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Darwin's Studio 9080 Beeman Road, Chelsea

10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Waterloo Farm Museum

La Jolla Fine Jewelry New Chelsea Market

11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

11:00 AM - 5:30 PM

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6:00 PM Main Street, Chelsea

7:00 - 11:00 PM ZouZou's Cafe

#### **Event Description**

Gingerbread House Displays

Holiday Greenery Sale sponsored by Boy Scout Troop 425 (wreaths, swags, roping, etc.) Also visit them on 12/13/08.

Make-and-Take Pinecone Birdseed Ornament

"All the Trimmings" Holiday Art Show local artists will offer soap, woodcarvings, jewelry, antiques, rughooking, fiber arts, pastels, photography, tiles, vintage bags, bears, folk painting, counted cross-stitch, gardenart. Refreshments will be served.

Darwin's Studio Holiday Open House and West of the Moon Friends will offer stained glass, etched glass, pottery, jewelry, fiber arts, baskets, wearable, & more. Refreshments will be served.

Antique Slot Machines and Antiques of all kinds! (Other times, by chance or appt call 475-9730).

"Christmas on the Farm" - This recreation of the holiday's traditions include tours of the farmhouse adorned in decorations from the period, and the Dewey School Museum. Handcrafted greens, homemade baked goods, and gift items will be available for purchase. Refreshments & live music on hand.

Punch and Cookies

Enjoy Holiday Refreshments

Music by Golden Griffon Stringtet

"The Mouse Ate the House" reading and book signing. "Merriweather Matthew Mouse" will also make a visit!

Gingerbread House Workshop, Only 50 places please call the Library to reserve one (475-8732, ext. 4)

Stonewall Kitchen & Country Creation Holiday Food Samplings

The Chelsea Teddy Bear Company Free Tours

Cranesbill Books

Chelsea High School Auditorium

The Chelsea Teddy Bear Factory

Meet "Hilda the Goat" from "The Cole Family Christmas" - an interactive video & animation (using Skype)

"Home for the Holidays" - choose from several craft/art activities, open to all ages, \$5 per item or make a wonderful glass ornament for \$10

"Common Chords" - bell choir

"The Nutcracker" presented by the Youth Dance Theatre (Sugar Plum Tea one hour prior to matinee performance)

"A boy. A girl. The Beatles" - presented by Chelsea Area Players Youth Theater

Visit and Pictures with Santa Parade Warming Station with Coffee, Hot

Chocolate & Cookies

Christmas Crafts, Cookie Decorating Luminaries - Sponsored by Girl Scouts and Cub Scouts. Votives candles donated by The Garden Mill

Chelsea's Hometown Holiday Light Parade! "After-Parade Party & Community Sing" (led by Counterpoint), "Great Bear Cub Run", refreshments

Live Musical Entertainment



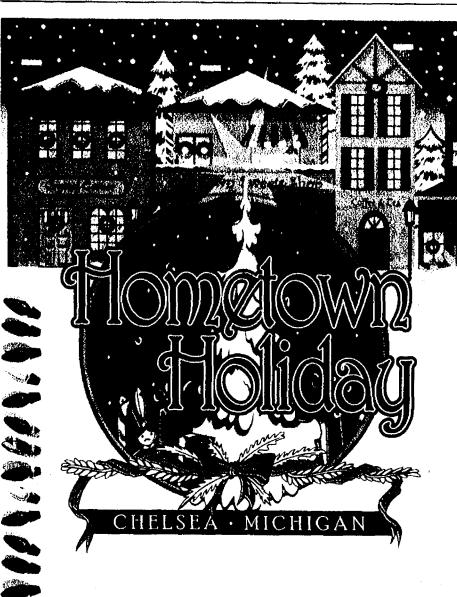
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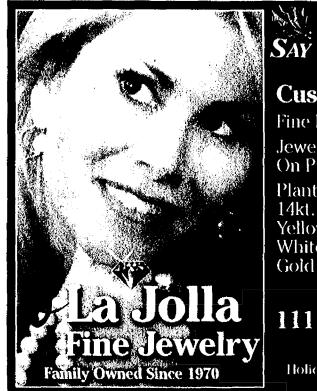
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Location

TIME LOCATION All day Various Chelsea Merchants

12:00 noon - 2:00 PM 12:00 noon - 3:00 PM 12:00 noon – 4:00 PM

New Chelsea Market Pamida

Waterloo Farm Museum

2:00 PM

Chelsea High School Auditorium

2:00 - 4:00 PM

Chelsea District Library

3:00 PM & 7:00 PM

6:30 PM

7:30 PM

Chelsea Depot Chelsea Retirement Community Chapel

Beach Middle School

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Michael Rosenberg, award-winning columnist for the Detroit Free Press, will talk about his book, "War As They Knew It: Woody Hayes, Bo Schlembechler, and America in a Time of Unrest".

Holiday Concert with Chelsea Chamber Players

Holiday Festival of Lessons and Carols "A boy. A girl. The Beatles" - presented by Chelsea Area Players Youth Theater.

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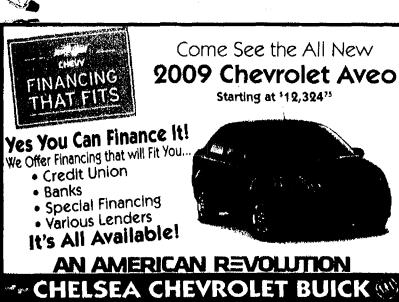
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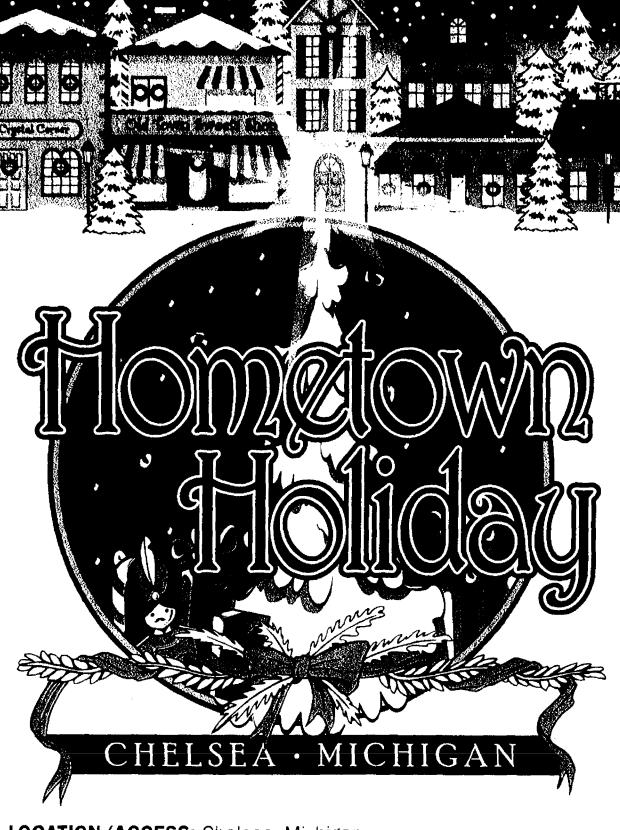
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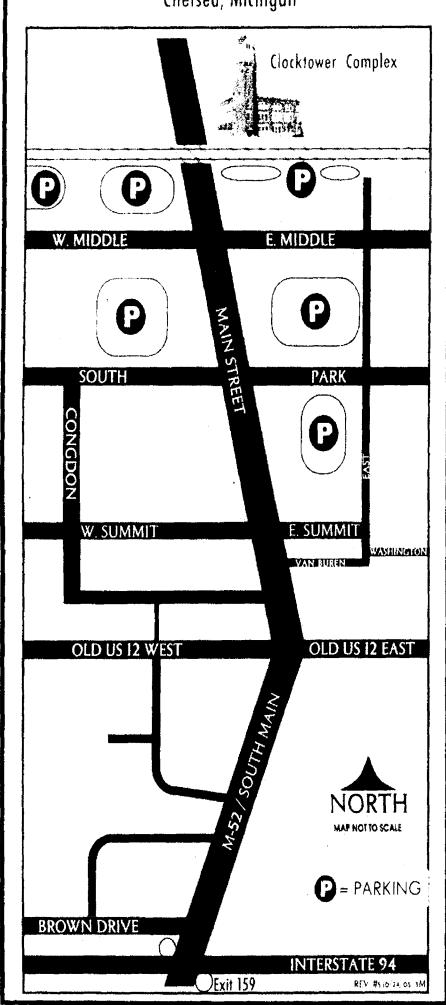


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Friday, December 5 thru Sunday, December 7, 2008

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Saturday, December 6 10 - 4

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# **AS HEARD ON PAUL HARVEY NEWS** New advanced portable heater can cut your heating bill up to 50%

# Heats a large room in minutes with even heat wall to wall and floor to ceiling

# Does not get hot, cannot start a fire and will not reducé humidity or oxygen

By John Whitehead, Media Services

A new advanced quartz infrared portable heater, the EdenPURE® GEN3, can cut your heating bills by up to 50%.

You have probably heard about the remarkable Eden-PURE® as heard on Paul Harvey News and on television features across the nation.

The EdenPURE® GEN3 can pay for itself in a matter of weeks and then start putting a great deal of extra money in your pocket after that.

And that's just the start of the benefits for the new EdenPURE® GEN3 Quartz Infrared Portable Heater.

A major cause of residential fires in the United States is portable heaters. But the EdenPURE® cannot cause a fire. That is because the quartz infrared heating element never gets to a temperature that can ignite anything.

The outside of the Eden-PURE® only gets warm to the touch so that it will not burn children or pets. Pets can sleep on it when it is operating without harm.

The EdenPURE® will also make you healthier. That is because, unlike other heating sources, it will not reduce humidity or oxygen in the room. Typical heating sources reduce humidity which dries out your sinuses, makes you more susceptible to disease and makes your skin dry. With other heating sources, you'll notice that you get sleepy when the heat comes on because they are burning up oxygen.

The advanced space-age EdenPURE® Quartz Infrared Portable Heater also heats the room evenly, wallto-wall and floor-to-ceiling. Other heating sources heat rooms unevenly with most of the heat concentrated high in the room and to the center of the room. And, as you know, portable heaters only heat an area a few feet around the heater. With the EdenPURE®, the temperature will not vary in any part of the room.

Unlike other heating sources, the EdenPURE® cannot put poisonous carbon monoxide into a room or any type of fumes or any type of harmful radiation.

For more details on the amazing EdenPURE® GEN3 Quartz Infrared Portable Heater, here is my interview with Julius Toth, Director of Product Development for BioTech Research®.

#### Q. What is the origin of this amazing heating element in the EdenPURE®?

A. This advanced heating element was discovered accidentally by a man named John Jones. He had a large old farmhouse that was impossible to heat. Jones had a coal furnace in his basement. Jones placed a sheet of cured copper near the furnace to store it. Cured copper is a type of copper that goes through an extensive heating process to give it special properties.

After the fire went out in the coal furnace, Jones noticed that the sheet of copper Never be cold again



Cannot start a fire; a child or animal can touch or sit on it without harm



was heating his entire basement evenly, even though the furnace was no longer putting out heat. He also was amazed as to how long the heat stayed in the copper and continued to warm the

Jones was so taken back by this that he started to experiment. He formed a company to develop a heating source out of this cured copper. But Jones had a number of children and he did not want a heating source that would cause a fire or create other hazardous situations like creating carbon monoxide or radiation. He also did not want his children to get burned.

To make a long story short, through a great deal of research and development, Jones developed a heating source that utilized commercial infrared quartz tubes.

#### Q. What advantages does infrared quartz tube heating source have over other heat-

ing source products? A. John Jones designed his heating source around the three most important consumer benefits: economy, comfort, and safety. The final development of this infrared quartz heat source cannot be matched by any other heating system in the

In the EdenPURE® system, electricity is used to generate infrared light which, in turn, creates a very safe heat. Infrared is the safest form of heat because it does not create carbon monoxide or harmful radiation. And, most importantly, infrared heat does not reach a burning temperature.

After a great deal of research and development,

that utilize three unique exchangers in one Eden-PURE® heater. Over 5 years of research, development and hind this heat source. It has now worked in residential and commercial applications worldwide for over 25 years.

# sources?

The EdenPURE® GEN3 Quartz Infrared Portable Heater does not use burning heat. Once the heat exchanger absorbs the infrared heat, it exhales the heat into the living area which is carried by the existing humidity in the air. This causes the heat to travel rapidly and

In actual studies, photos

very efficient infrared heat chambers were developed patented solid copper heat real life field testing stand be-

#### Q. Why is it that this quartz infrared heating source uses less energy to create heat than other

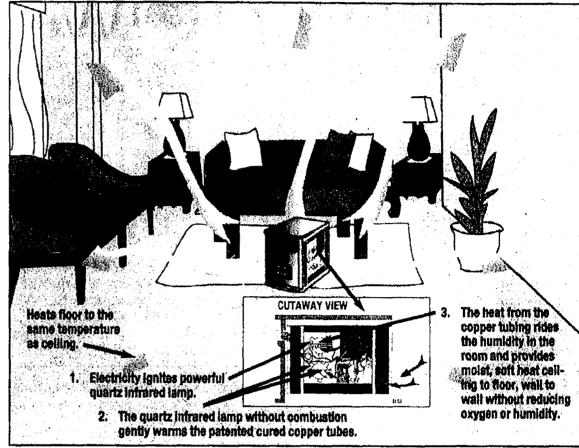
A. Actually, there is more than one reason. One of the primary reasons is that heat at combustion level, which is what all other heat sources use, causes the heat to instantly rise to the ceiling. Therefore, the heat is not evenly distributed, causing a very inefficient and uncom-

fortable heat source. evenly throughout a room.

using infrared lighting demonstrated that the heat was almost perfectly even from floor-to-ceiling and wall-to-wall. The Eden-PURE® Quartz Infrared efficiency is based on the distribution of energized air, not on just fan movement. This heat is coined as "soft heat" due to how comfort-

Q. What are the other disadvantages of combustion heat sources?

**How it works:** 



A. Heat sources that are above the burning level have many unhealthy side effects. One of these is that it creates dry, irritating indoor air. It also burns a great deal of oxygen in the air. If you remember, when you sit in front of a fireplace or a portable heater or close to a heat source, you will remember yawning. This is because you are not getting enough oxygen.

This dry irritating heat and lack of oxygen dries out sinuses and mucus in the throat, and makes people susceptible to disease. The lack of oxygen causes fatigue.

Also, many combustible heat sources produce carbon monoxide, static cling, and some produce radiation.

#### Q. So you're saying that children or pets can come up to this unit and touch it and not be harmed?

A. That is absolutely correct. As a matter of fact, pets are actually drawn to this heat because it is a natural source of heat, just like the sun heats the earth. Animals are much more instinctive than humans. This heat not only heats the air, but it also heats the objects in the room. It is a perfectly balanced heat.

#### Q. How can a person cut their heating bill by up to 50% with the Eden-PURE®?

A. First, the EdenPURE® uses less energy to create heat than other sources, but that is just part of why it will cut a person's heating bill. The EdenPURE® will heat a room in minutes. Therefore, you can turn the heat down in your house to as low as 50 degrees, but the room you are occupying, which has the EdenPURE®, will be warm and comfortable. The Eden-PURE® is portable. When you move to another room, it will quickly heat that room also. This can drastically cut heating bills, in some instances, by up to 50%.

#### Q. I also understand that the EdenPURE® produces clean fresh air without furnace filters. How can it do that?

A. A furnace generates a lot of dust due to the combustion. By lowering the furnace temperature, you are using your furnace less and therefore reducing the

requirement for the furnace filters. Also, when there's no combustion, there are no harmful fumes.

#### Q. So, the EdenPURE® GEN3 is totally safé to use?

A. It absolutely is. The EdenPURE® has zero clearance, which means you can push it up against the wall or furniture without risk of fire. Tests prove the unit does not transmit any energy into the atmosphere that will burn or harm anyone regardless of distance between the person and the EdenPURE®.

The EdenPURE® will pay for itself in weeks. It will put a great deal of extra money in a users pocket. Because of today's spiraling gas, oil, propane, and other energy

costs, the EdenPURE® will provide even greater savings as the time goes by.

The EdenPURE® GEN3 comes in 2 models. GEN3 Model 500 heats a room up to 300 square feet and GEN3 Model 1000 heats a room up to 1,000 square feet.

#### End of interview.

Readers who wish can obtain the EdenPURE® Quartz Infrared Portable Heater at a \$75 discount if they order in the next 10 days. Please see the Special Readers Discount Coupon on this page. For those readers ordering after 10 days from the date of this publication, we reserve the right to either accept or reject order requests at the discounted price.

## SPECIAL READER'S DISCOUNT COUPON

The price of the EdenPURE® GEN3 Model 500 is \$372 plus \$17 shipping for a total of \$389 delivered. The GEN3 Model 1000 is \$472 plus \$27 shipping and handling for a total of \$499 delivered. People reading this publication get a \$75 discount with this coupon and pay only \$297 delivered for the GEN3 Model 500 and \$397 delivered for the GEN3 Model 1000 if you order within 10 days. The EdenPURE® GEN3 comes in the decorator color of black with burled wood accent which goes with any decor. There is a strict limit of 3 units at the discount price - no exceptions please.

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# **HAYDUK**

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driving or waiting in long lines in itself doesn't cost any money, but what valuable thing could you do with those extra few hours this season? Bake cookies; visit a friend; go sledding with the kids; organize a box of photos - you get the idea.

Local businesses create and maintain jobs. They are also more likely to treat their employees better than the big businesses do.

The taxes they pay help to fund city services, most of which are probably invisible to the average citizen until you no longer have them.

Studies have shown that businesses return about 70% of every dollar that consumers spend back into their community. They donate money to support local charities, our schools, and our children.

Election Day may be over. but you can still vote. Vote with your dollars for a healthy local economy. If you appreciate your hometown, then support it as much as possible. If you have plans to spend your hard earned money this Christmas season, carefully consider the impact it can have if you spend it in Chelsea. You aren't supporting a building, but you are helping your friends and neighbors. You are sustaining a way of life.

In this season of giving. please remember a needbased organization or charity of your choice to support. Don't give in to the temptation to withhold a donation from the folks who need it the most. Keep in mind those who are suffering and do what you are able to help alleviate it. No contribution is too small when given with compassion.

help the people of Chelsea hope you won't need help, to support you. Although we because most of the clerks it be a lovelier world if we may not collectively be as bad off as those in the Detroit area, we are not immune to the current economic crisis. Everyone I know is calculating how much money they can reaspend sonably Christmas, with the state of the stock market, the volatility of the cost of food, gasoline and heat, and the reality or fear of unemployment. They want to buy gifts for Christmas, but they want to be certain they are getting the best price they can. If you aren't planning on holding any sales, you might want to reconsider. Give your customers the best deal possible, and they will remain faithful to you.

Make it easier for people to utilize your services. If you close at 6 or 7 p.m., it is harder for those who are working long hours to make ends meet to get to your place of business. The malls are open till 9 p.m. and later on some evenings. Of course it's true that many local stores are run by a only a few dedicated individuals, but think about what it might do for your business if you stayed open a little later one or two nights a week, even if it means delaying your opening time on those days. You could also eater to the morning people of this community by opening earlier a day or two a week.

You might be reading this and thinking, "It doesn't really matter where I shop," or "If my customers want my product, they'll find a way to get here when I'm open."

Let me tell you a true story from my childhood. I grew up in a city that was flourishing in the post-war years. The local steel mills closed in the seventies, and suddenly thousands were unemployed. As the economy spiraled downward, store after store closed and buildings were boarded up. No more shopping downtown; no more malts at the

five and dime. For a while, we kept up the facade by walking downtown and reminiscing, until we realized illegal drugs

## **SHOP**

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can be individually selected, or purchased boxed or as a custom tray. Most of their gourmet confections are a relative bargain at \$15.99 a pound (the Chocolate House in Ann Arbor sells comparable chocolates for \$19.99 a pound). "We also have baklava available year round - that's something unique to this area," said co-owner Tina Diab.

For those shoppers who can't resist a practical gift, think hardware stores. Chelsea Village Hardware at 110 N. Main and ACO Hardware at 1103 S. Main will both suffice in terms of friendly service and great sales. Besides tools, chain saws, snowthrowers, and other manly articles, they also carry housewares, humidifiers, space heaters, and bird feeding supplies. You'can also find many useful, inexpensive stocking stuffers.

It won't be long until television broadcasters go digital, so maybe it's time for the family gift. Heydlauff's at 113 N. Main has a selection of name brand high definition televisions that start at \$299 for a 19 inch set. In the appliance business, prices can change

had become a lucrative business. Within a few years, our schools lost their transportation department, their art and music programs, and most of their sports programs. The graduation rate plummeted.

Thirty years later, the downtown hasn't recovered. But you can drive eight miles south to a bustling area of strip malls where you can find common items If you own a business, from chain stores galore, I

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quickly. A few of their offerings were on sale right now, but the salesman could not predict what items might be on sale next week. Best Buy in Ann Arbor reported that most of their 19 inch televisions were \$350 and up, although this week's sale (11/26) was a Dynox brand for \$250.

Pamida at 1040 S. Main Street has re-opened after last spring's fire. Jamie Packard, shift team leader, said, "People realize since we were closed how many things we sell that they had to go to Ann Arbor for." The store will offer varied extended hours throughout the month of December.

don't seem to know much about their products or care about you.

Okay, we don't have a steel mill here that's threatening to close, but I hope you get the point. Times are tough, so let's do what we can to keep our town a viable place to live and work.

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Most people find great enjoyment in giving a gift to their pets on Christmas. Wags to Wiskers, 1171 S. Main Street, carries supplies, treats, and toys for furry, feathered, or scaly pets. Cat toys start at \$1; bird and dog toys start at \$2 **Employee Frank Immekus** was knowledgeable about the many unique toys the store has available; as well as helpful in suggesting a myriad of possible pet gifts, from grooming supplies to comfy beds.

Gift givers need not limit themselves to retail establishments in Chelsea, either. Gift certificates are available at the Chelsea Community Hospital Health and Wellness Center located at 14800 East Old US 12. One does not need to be a member to utilize gift certificates at the center, which are available for such services as therapeutic massage, personal training, and Pilates. The "Pilates Healthy Spine

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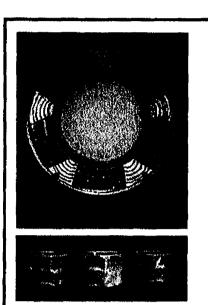
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# **TURKEY**

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Cleveland. And "E" is for Nick Eddy, the Lions' top draft pick in 1966. A truly gifted halfback from Notre Dame, he hurt a knee before he ever got to Detroit and never reached his potential.

"F" is for former quarterback Joe Ferguson. once a standout Buffalo Bill, who was nearly dismembered by Wilbur Marshall of the Chicago Bears during a game in the late 1980s. Rumor had it that Ferguson survived the hit.

"G" is for Aaron Gibson, the first-round offensive tackle from Wisconsin who ate his way out of the league.

"H" is for Jeff Hartings, the offensive guard from Penn State. Hartings was good, but Millen didn't think he was good enough for a decent salary increase. He went to Pittsburgh and helped win a Super Bowl. The Lions are still looking for a left guard nearly a decade later.

"I" is for former Lions LeRoy and Sedrick Irvin, because they weren't named Michael.

"J" is for poor Dick Jauron, the current Buffalo coach, who had to play for the Lions (1973-77) and coach for them.

"K" is for Jeff Komlo, a former starting quarterback from Delaware. Need we say more?

"L" is for the late Looney, Joe Don. Asked to carry in a play during the 1960s, he told the coach, "If you want a messenger boy, call Western Union."

"M" is for end Earl McCullouch, the speedster out of USC. Fast, really fast. But couldn't catch a cold.

"N" is for, well, maybe the Lions ought to try going there for their new head coach. After all, they've gone through all of the M's (Millen, Mornhinweg, Mariucci, Marinelli).

"O" is for former Oklahoma Heisman Trophy winner Steve Owens. Just as he was reaching his great potential, a knee injury ruined his career.

"P" is for Plum, Milt. whose ill-timed interception against Green Bay in Editor Karl Ziomek at 1962 might have cost the

Lions the NFL title and almost cost Plum his life when Alex Karras fired his helmet at him in the locker room. Honest.

"Q" is for quandary, which Lions fans find themselves in annually. Like, "How can they be this bad for this long?" or "Why did they take Drew Stanton in the second round?"

"R" is for defensive end Reggie Rogers, firstround pick in 1987. Never cut it on the field. Was involved in an alcohol-related automobile fatality. Does it get any worse than that?

"S" is for, well, the best of the Lions. Sanders (Barry, Charlie and Daryl), Schlesinger, Schmidt, Sims, Skladany, Spielman and Studstill - all good ones. Of course, that's not counting dogs like Karl Sweetan (quarterback, 1966-67) or Pat Swilling (linebacker, 1993-94).

"T" is for Altie Taylor (running back, 1969-76). One of my childhood memories is of Dick Butkus running Taylor out of bounds at Wrigley Field. He actually chased him over the benches and down into the dugout. I think Altie survived.

"U" is for Utley. Mike was the guard opposite Andolsek. He was paralyzed during a game in

"V" is for Vardell, otherwise known as "Touchdown Tommy." They used to sub him in for Barry Sanders on the goal line offense. The key question is, why would anyone want to substitute for Barry Sanders on the goal line? "W" is for Ware, Andre.

Need we say more? "X" is for what the NFL would like to do with Detroit's

Thanksgiving Day game. "Y" is for Yepremian, Garo. Nice little kicker in the 1960s and '70s. Started here, won Super Bowls in Miami, Typical.

"Z" is for an old favorite of mine, Mickey Zofko, A running back out of Auburn in the early '70s who served as a wedge buster on the kickoff teams.

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# Byrnes updates folks on Lansing happenings

updates on issues important to all disorder that limits one or residents of County.

By Pam Byrnes

#### Hate Crime Legislation

In today's world, there can be no tolerance for violence or other types of crimes against a person who is different from you or me. I am proud to announce that my House colleagues and I recently voted to create a new offense called a "biasmotivated," or "hate," crime within our state's Penal Woodward Light Rail Code.

son is guilty of a hate crime if they select their target based on one of the following char-component to get our state's acteristics:

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The others are gender, race, color or ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, gengender.

clear message to anyone who to see street railway cars, fact that they are different, and this legislation does just

With the high cost of living, Under this new law, a per- and our economy in recession, a high-quality public transit system is a necessary Disability. This term is Michigan has one of the most

52nd District, offers some genital condition or function ing as our state revolutionized the transportation sys-

> Last week, the House national origin or ancestry, passed a plan that authorizes the creation of a nonprofit corporation to operate a der identity or expression of street railway system in certain cities. Under this law, We need to send a strong, parts of our state will begin would target a resident of trolleys and other forms of this state based solely on the public transit. Lack of fast, effective public transit for hundreds of thousands of people is blocking job creation and economic development for the entire region, which affects our whole

> Clearing the way for the Woodward Light Rail system will help spur job creation, economy back on track, stimulate economic development. Private investors will

State Rep. Pam Byrnes, D- ties from disease, injury, con- country, which is ironic, see- light rail system, and not a create more than 138,000 new single tax dollar will be used.

#### New Jobs Training Program

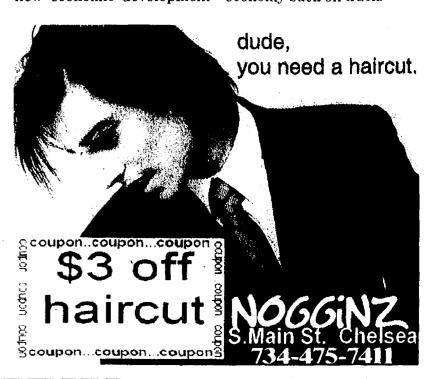
Recently, the House voted in favor of a new jobs training program - an important step toward creating new jobs and getting our residents back to work.

The program makes the most of Michigan's community colleges, which are key centers of higher education and job training that help prepare workers, attract job providers and boost our economy. Strengthening partnerships between community colleges and employers will help create the versatile, high-quality workforce we need to ensure that comattract more employers and panies can do business in Michigan.

A similar program in Iowa defined in the bill to include under-funded public trans- be the sole source of funding has helped attract more than 2,000 training projects and

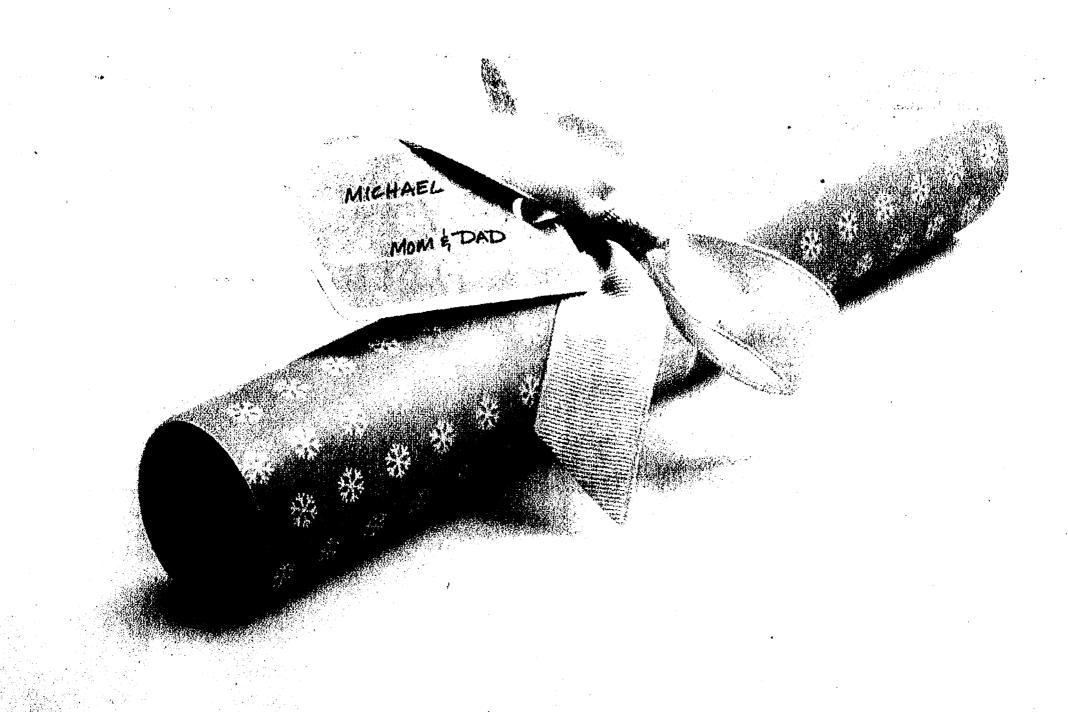
jobs since it was established. Having this new option of responding to employers' requests for skilled workers gives Michigan a powerful new economic development economy back on track.

tool that will help attract more job providers to our communities, train our residents so they can get back to work, and get Michigan's



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# **Coming Soon: At the Purple Rose**

# Daniels to perform 11 'unplugged' holiday shows

The Purple Rose Theatre Co. presents Jeff Daniels' one-man show "Onstage & Unplugged" for a limited 11-show engagement from Friday, Dec. 26, 2008, through Sunday, Jan. 4, 2009.

All performances will be at The Purple Rose Theatre Company, 137 Park Street, Chelsea.

Daniels (executive director and PRTC founder) returns to the PRTC stage for the eighth time since 2001. A prolific songwriter as well as playwright, Daniels performs solo with day. Audiences laughed as Daniels told blues guitar and an arsenal of songs that are alternately humorous and poignant. This year's lineup will feature new selections and crowd favorites from Daniels' critically acclaimed CDs.

The shows 3 p.m. \$70 8 p.m. \$85 Friday, Dec. 26 8 p.m. \$75 Friday, Jan. 2 Saturday, Dec. 27 8 p.m. \$75 3 p.m. \$70 Saturday, Jan. 3 8 p.m. \$75 3 p.m. \$70 Sunday, Dec. 28 8 p.m. \$75 2 p.m. \$70 Sunday, Jan. 4 7 p.m. \$75 Wed., Dec. 31 2 p.m. \$75

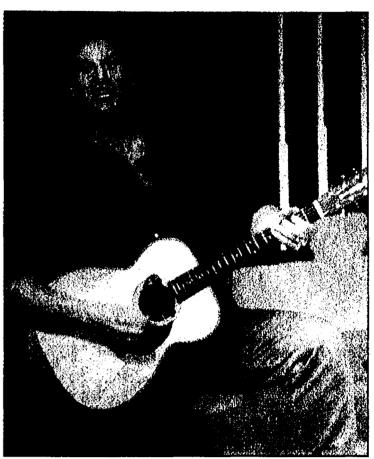
the stories behind each song and delivered them with his unique, wry humor. The ongoing popularity of the event led Daniels to book a national tour which began in 2006 and is still going strong.

The original 'Onstage & Unplugged' collaboration with fellow actor 433-ROSE (7673). Regular Box Office was a huge success in 2001, with all Jonathan Hogan, in 2007. Sales of this hours are Monday through Friday from three performances selling out in one and Daniels' two solo albums - 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

'Grandfather's Hat' and 'Live & Unplugged' - benefit The Purple Rose Theatre Company and are available for sale at the PRTC Box Office or at www.jeffdaniels.com.

The production team for 'Onstage & Unplugged' will include Dana Gamarra as stage manager and Gary Ciarkowski as lighting designer and audio engineer.

Tickets for this season's 'Onstage & Unplugged' performance go on sale to the general public beginning on Monday; annual donors of \$250 or more may pre-order tickets beginning Monday, Dec. 1. Reservations are recommended and can be obtained online at www.purplerosetheatre.org or by Daniels released 'Together Again,' a calling the PRTC Box Office at (734)



**Jeff Daniels** 

# This weekend: BEATLEMANIA!

# CAP Youth Theater presents 'A Boy. A Girl. The Beatles.'

Chelsea Area Players Youth Theater has been performing quite a few interest- spoken. ing shows in recent years, ranging from the holiday spooks of Washington Irving's "Sleepy Hollow," to the classic realm of William Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Nights Dream."

Their next production draws heavily on the influence of the music of the Beatles. With a cast of 40 area young actors, they have been working on a show called "A Boy. A Girl. The Beatles."

And the story is exactly as the title conveys. It's a love story of sorts based around a boy named Robert and girl named Michelle who meet in their last year of high school and have to find a way to hold onto their newfound love as they continue on and grow in life. Yes, there are some difficulties along the way that separate them, but in the end, love prevails as the cast sings "All You Need Is Love."

Told entirely through the music of the

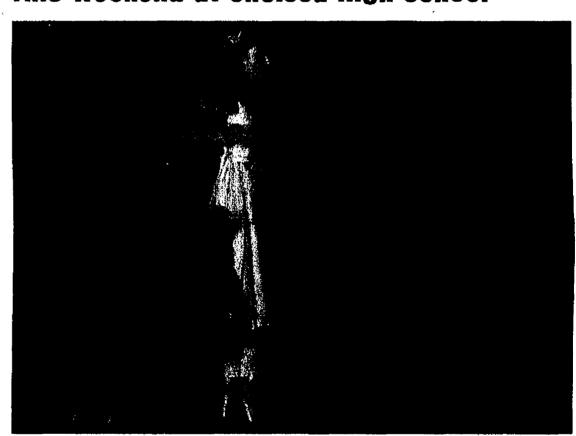
Beatles, not a single word of dialogue is

The show will be performed at Beach Middle School, 445 Mayer Drive in Chelsea, on Friday, Dec. 5 at 7:30; Saturday, Dec. 6 at 2 p.m.; and Sunday, Dec. 7 at 7:30 p.m. The Sunday evening show will feature a special ending tribute to John Lennon, who's memorial of his death on Dec. 8, 1980, will be performed by an audience participation of the song "Imagine."

"A Boy. A Girl. The Beatles." will feature moments of joy and tears as the story unfolds.

It's a family oriented show for all ages, young and old, who enjoy the early years of rock n' roll. Tickets are \$5 and available at Cranesbill Books, the Gourmet Chocolate Café, Chelsea Pharmacy, online at the CAP Web site aboyagirlthebeatles.org, by calling 800-838-3006 and at the door.

# This weekend at Chelsea High School



Christina Condron of Dexter dances as a mechanical doll while surrounded by menacing mice during a performance of The Nutcracker ballet. Christina is a member of Youth Dance Theatre, which will offer the annual performance this weekend at Chelsea High School.

# Youth Dance Theatre shares in the magic of 'Nutcracker'

Few holiday traditions can top the magic of the annual Nutcracker performance by Youth Dance Theatre of Michigan. Once again, dancers from throughout the area are preparing for the shows, which take place Friday. Saturday and Sunday in Chelsea. Recent rehearsals offered a glimpse at the highlights attendees can expect this year.

A delightful fairy-tale set, inaugurated with last year's performance, helps bring the story to life. But the dancers, some as young as nine, are what truly make the performances magical. Based on the E.T.A. Hoffman story, the Tchaicovsky ballet is a favorite holiday outing. The sweet daughter Marie dances through the party scene, wondering about her Godfather, the mysterious Drosslemeyer who has come bearing gifts. The mingling of older dancers with young creates a festive scene and adds depth to the performance. Tension builds as the guests leave and midnight strikes. Marie finds herself among toys and scurrying mice, all come to life through skilled and clever dancers.

As the ballet continues, we are whisked away to the Candy Palace, with a Snow Queen leaping through the air or the Sugar Plum Fairy delicately moving across the stage. We join in Marie's adventure through the Kingdom of the Sweets amazed by the precise timing and expressive flow of the dancers. The story unfolds through acrobatic movements, spritely jumps, and effortless glides.

The stage presence of the young men and women is inspiring, and the production quality shines as a result of frequent and meticulous rehearsals. In preparation, YDT dancers have been working under the direction of Artistic Director Wendi DuBois since mid-September and it shows. The performances are certain to delight children and their families, and will usher in the holiday season in what has become an annual tradition for the area.

Dancers will offer four performances of The Nutcracker: Friday at 7:30 p.m., Saturday at 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., and Sunday at 2 p.m. All shows take place at the Chelsea High School Auditorium, 740 N. Freer Rd., in Chelsea. To extend the magic of the performance, dancers now provide a Sugar Plum Fairy Tea prior to the Saturday and Sunday shows. The tea includes visits from the talented cast, a keepsake photo, and holiday treats.

Tickets are \$18 for adults and \$12 for seniors and students. Reserved seat tickets are available by visiting www.youthdancetheatre.org, or by calling 734-475-3070. Tickets are also available at the door, Group discounts are available. Tickets for the Sugar Plum Fairy Tea are \$10 per person and must be purchased in advance.

The Youth Dance Theatre of Michigan is a non-profit organization founded in 1995 that highlights the talents of more than sixty dance students aged 8-18 from Ann Arbor, Chelsea, Dexter and other surrounding communities.

# **Coming Soon: Madrigal Dinner**

Madrigal Dinner offers quality family entertainment.

The Chelsea High School Choirs, under the direction of Steven Hinz, will present their 17th annual Madrigal Dinner Friday and Saturday, Dec. 12 and 13. This holiday event has become a much anticipated tradition in Chelsea, since its first run in 1991.

This year marks a change in presentation at Pierce Lake Elementary School.

The Madrigal Dinner is the major annual fundraiser for the vocal music department.

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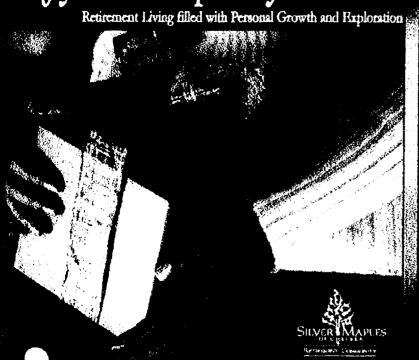


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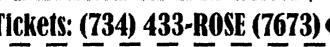
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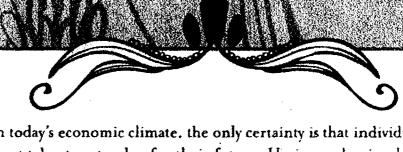
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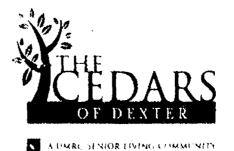


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#### Basketball

# **Beach defeats Dexter**

By Don Richter Sports Editor

Chelsea's Beach Middle School eighth-grade Gold boys' basketball team defeated Dexter 20-9 Nov.

"We had great execution and everyone contributed to the win," said Chelsea coach Brian Sayers. "All the players on the team scored except one. I am happy we could get everyone in the

Leading the Bulldogs (3-3) was Zach Rabbitt with 13 points.

Alex Maloney added eight points, while Jake Brown had six points. Adrian Schuh netted four points, while Craig Centofanti and Zach Jones each had two points for Beach.

On Nov. 24, Chelsea lost to Temperance Bedford 29-19.

"We executed our plays and had great effort on both ends of the court," Sayers said. "We only had seven players available for the game. I thought we played well enough to win. They had a couple tall guys that blocked a lot of shots and got a lot of rebounds. I was proud of how we compet-

Rabbitt sparked the squad with 10 points, while Centofanti had eight points. Maloney and Schuh each had five points, while Brown had one point for the Bulldogs.

On Nov. 20, Chelsea lost to Ypsilanti Lincoln 25-18.

couldn't handle the press from Lincoln," Sayers said. "They were more aggressive

on both ends of the court." Chelsea's Beach Middle School eighth-grade Blue boys' basketball team defeated Dexter 22-15 last

Michael Steinhauer led the Bulldogs with 16 points. "The team did a great job in the fourth quarter defen-

sively by holding them to just four points," said Chelsea coach Jason Morris. "We were also very aggressive and able to get to the foul line. We just have to continue to shoot a better percentage from there. Overall, I was very pleased with our effort."

Also last week, Chelsea lost to Temperance Bedford 31-20.

Logan Brown finished with 19 points, including 11of-13 from the free throw 20. line, to lead Beach.

"We played a talented Bedford team with seven players and really gave it our all," Morris said. "We did some better things on the offensive end of the floor and were much better from the foul line. We still need to become a better rebounding team. I still continue to be pleased with our effort each night."

Chelsea's Beach Middle School seventh-grade Blue boys' basketball team defeated Dexter 14-7 last

"We won with great defen-

"We played well, but sive play all night long," said Chelsea coach Corey Knight. "It was great to see the team respond after a tough loss the night before to Bedford. It was a good team win. I'm proud of these guys."

Playing well for the Bulldogs were Aidan Fahle, Ryan Knight, Frank Shanley, Josh Bach and Corey McKenna.

Also last week, Chelsea lost to Temperance Bedford 23-21 in overtime.

"I told the kids that we lost this game ourselves with poor judgment and a lack of concentration,' Knight said. "This is a good basketball team and they have shown improvement all year. I felt we took a small step backwards tonight, but sometimes you learn more that way."

Chelsea also lost to Ypsilanti Lincoln 26-23 Nov.

'To play a good Lincoln team that only has one team (not split into two teams) and only lose by three points is saying a lot about the character of this group," Knight said. "I have never come that close to beating Lincoln in all the years of split teams. We just panicked a few times during their press. Otherwise, I think we could have won the game.'

Playing well for Beach were Aaron Stucki, Nat Busch, Zach Fosdick, Scott Crews and Matt Caffrey.

# **Chelsea Runner**



Chelsea's Sarah Brigham competed in and finished the 26.2-mile Chicago Marathon Oct. 12. Standing in the photo after completing the race are Christy Meyer (left), Paula Bokoch, Blair Visser and Brigham. Bokoch, Visser and Brigham were roommates at Albion College: Meyer is Visser's sister.

## TOURNEY

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ontest, Zack Goodman scored for the River Rats.

At the 11:00 mark of the first period, Brown scored a power play goal for the Bulldogs off an assist from Cox tying the game at 1-1.

With eight seconds left in the first period, Goodman scored shorthanded for Huron.

In the second period, Brown scored at 2:48 of the frame off an assist from Cox and Johnson.

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## **FINALS**

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showed heart, courage and a never-give-up attitude, which is always so inspiring, but the overall execution and play just seemed a bit down this year compared with other seasons.

Other than that, the state finals were, as usual, a blast to attend. To sit for 12 straight hours and watch four consecutive games, go home, and come back and do it all over again the next day, is indeed strange, when I think about it. But, I wouldn't have it any other way.

If I didn't travel to the the pleasure of experiencing the excitement of so many small towns throughout our state closing up their storefronts, rolling up their sidewalks and filling car load upon car load and invading Ford Field. I wouldn't feel the joy of seeing students and young people caring enough to paint their faces in school colors, create signs and banners and show pride in their town and team by supporting and cheering, with every ounce they have, whenever their beloved team makes even the smallest of plays.

The state championship weekend is Ovid-Elsie, a rural, farming community located between St. Johns and Owosso just north of Lansing, making its first ever appearance in the Division 5 state finals and seemingly bringing the entire community to the game. It's an old farmer in a John Deere hat proudly wearing a swéatshirt that says "From the corn field to Ford Field. Go Marauders!" And it's a grown man, obvimet, complete with horns, favorite times of the year. and walking next to his young son, who's also don- can be reached at 475-1371 or ning a similar helmet, but at drichter@heritage.com.

one that's a bit too big and droops over his eyes. Both laugh as dad loudly yells "Go Marauders!" as they make their way through the sea of people to their seats.

As the crowd roars, it's a Lake Orion teacher strutting his stuff and dotting the as the Dragon band spells out "Orion" during halftime of the Division 1

It's fans from small-town Ubly, in Michigan's Thumb, rocking Ford Field in their first ever Division 7 state championship game, with a constant chorus of "U-B," followed by an even louder "L-Y." It's also watching an Ubly cheerleader drape a big, oversized bass drum over her tiny shoulders and state finals, I wouldn't have march with her school's band at halftime.

> It's the Upper Peninsula's Crystal Falls Forest Park players wearing candy cane striped black and white socks in the Division 8 final.

It's Rockford fans sportbus load upon bus load and ing "Rock the Ford" T-shirts and seemingly painting the phrase on every Ram car and truck in the Ford Field parking structure.

> And finally, it's the Inkster band putting on a hip-hop, tap your foot and bob your head halftime performance that had everybody at the Division 3 final dancing in their seats, including fans of opponent East Grand Rapids. A hardscrabble, blue collar, urban suburb of Detroit, the Inkster drum majors wore white tuxedos, complete with top hat and tails, and led a band that entertained, not only with their instrument playing, but also with their movement and dance routines.

Though the play on the field during this season's championship weekend wasn't as top-flight as past years, the two-day football ously an Ovid-Elsie fan, finals are still, and I bet wearing a shiny Viking hel- always will be, one of my

**Sports Editor Don Richter** 

## **GRIDDERS**

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Lincoln, Tecumseh senior running back Zack Noack (6-0, 210) and senior quarterback Drew Simpson (5-11, 180) and Adrian senior lineman Andrew Kapnick, senior running back Undra Peterson and junior lineman Andrew Rothen also earned All-SEC honorable mention status.

Making All-SEC first team on defense from Adrian were senior defensive back Nick Galvan, senior end Dylan Farrington (6-5, 235), senior defensive back Markice Frederick and junior linebacker Greg Glaser (6-1, 235) were also named first team. Senior defensive back Julius Kidd and senior tackle Terrence Radcliff were selected from Ypsilanti Lincoln, while senior linebacker Dan Easterday (5-11, 165) was chosen from Tecumseh.

Named All-SEC honorable mention defensively was Tecumseh senior defensive back Dane Grimm (5-10, 160), Lincoln junior defensive back Brandon Farrel and junior linebacker Ryan Bottorff and Adrian senior defensive back Tyler Graham and junior linebacker Brooks Sutherland.

In the SEC Red Division, making the first team made honorable mention.

offense were Saline senior quarterback Nick Moeller (6-3, 195), senior running back Travis Owen (6-0, 190), senior wide receiver Evan D League Kourtjian (5-10, 150) and Red senior lineman Chris Dubois (6-1, 260). Ann Arbor Pioneer senior quarterback Nader Fuurha (6-1, 185), senior wide receiver Ricky Griffin, junior lineman Esham Farha (6-4, 250) and junior lineman Jimmy Spaly (6-4, 235) also made the first team. From Temperance Bedford, senior running back Doug Harmon (6-0, 195) and junior center Mason Cole (6-4, 245), along with Ann Arbor Huron junior wide receiver Jeremy Jackson (6-4, 190), senior lineman Ebube Nnodim (6-2, 230) and senior running back Nate Scott (5-5, 170) also were selected

Making All-SEC honorable mention offensively were Huron senior quarterback John Heaton (6-1, 185) and Saline junior lineman Alex Zeiher (6-0, 185) and senior wide receiver Cord Trott (6-0, 165). From Pioneer, sophomore running back Jeron Clayton, senior wide receiver Jon Wade, junior wide receiver Brandis Yarrington, junior kicker Don Strite and junior wide receiver Mark Hugan

for the first squad.

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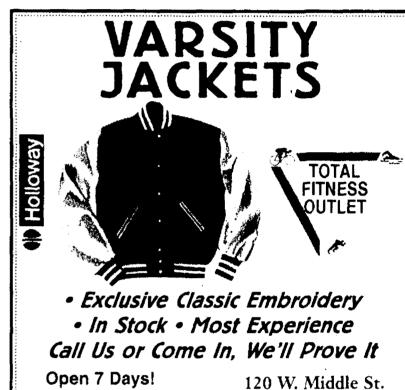
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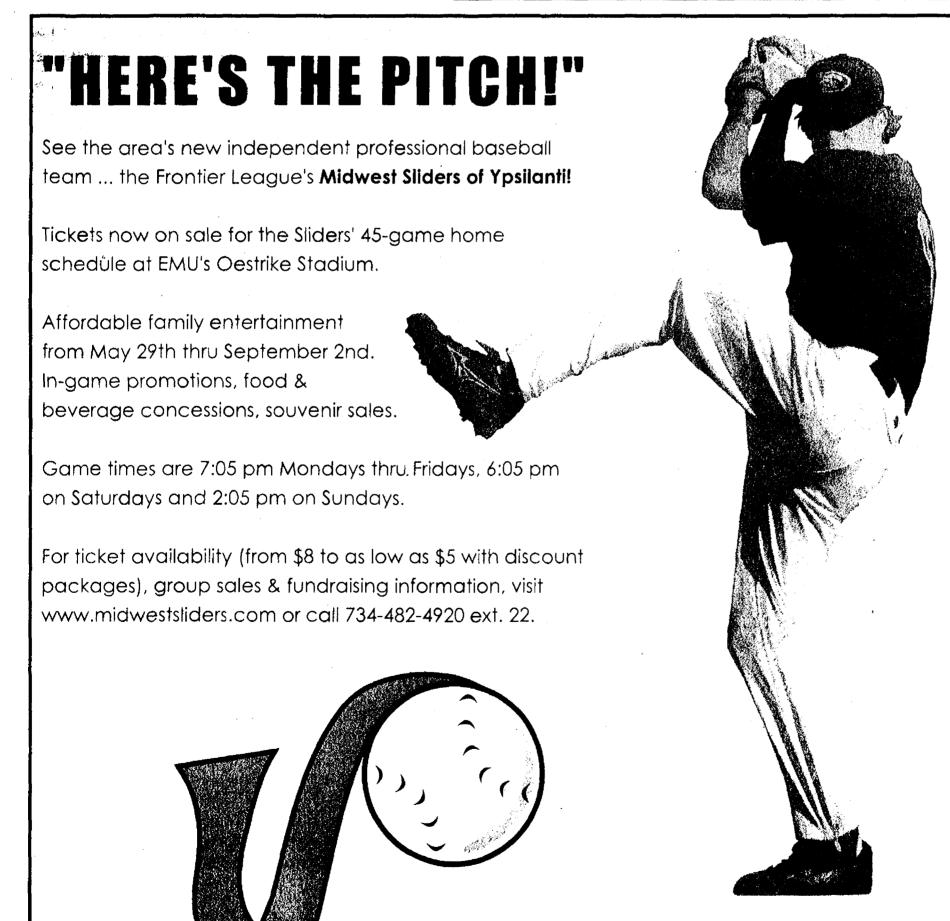
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# Holiday charity at the Chelsea District Library

Library is hosting two charity drives and a teen charity event to help local families and teens this holiday season.

Chelsea families will benefit from the Faith in Action canned goods and paper product drive now taking library.

The second is a charity drive especially for teens,

The Chelsea District items that will be distributed through Faith in Action and Ann Arbor's Ozone House, a shelter for homeless teens. Finally, teens are invited to the Teen Charity Potluck and Gift Exchange held at the library on Dec. 14 from 1-3 p.m. in the McKune room.

For the Faith in Action place in the lobby of the drive, patrons are asked to bring in canned goods and paper products and place them in the Faith in Action asking for personal hygiene box in the library's lobby.

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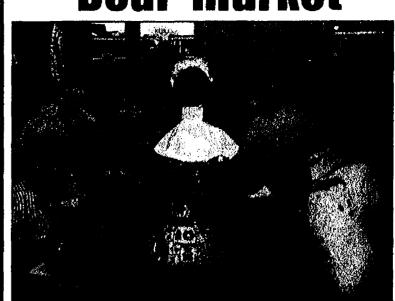
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and Gift Exchange will be a enjoy that."

Canned meats, cereals, jelly, party for teens where they rice, beans, baking mixes, are asked to bring two gifts: one to exchange with the paper are some the items other teens at the party and another to wrap for home-

"This is the second year we have had a special 'wrap party' for teens, and it should be lots of fun," said Edith Burney, youth and teen librarian. "Plus, we're doing something good for the com-The Teen Charity Potluck munity, and the teens really

# **Bear market**



Susan Moore of Chelsea sets up shop at the Holiday Bazaar in Saline last month. Moore was selling her popular handcrafted teddy bears.

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# **Snow day**



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The Week 2 program is Dec. 10 from 6 to 8 p.m. "Managing Challenging Behaviors" provides problem-solving strategies for challenging behaviors that take into account the person's health and physical surroundings. Program participants will learn how to apply these strategies to specific behaviors.

The Week 3 program is Dec. 17 from 6 to 8 p.m. "Breaking Down Barriers to Successful Caregiving" helps caregivers address barriers to successfully implementing the strategies they've learned. Participants will apply strategies to specific situations.

The program series is free; advance registration is required. To register, contact the Alzheimer's Association, Michigan Great Lakes Chapter at (734)-475-7043 or (800) 272-3900 or visit www.alz.org.

## Tree sale

The Washtenaw County 4-H Advisory Council is holding their annual Christmas Tree and Wreath Sale. The Sale will take place at the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds on Saturday, Dec. 6 and 13 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Sunday, Dec. 7 and 14, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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A new list of America's top doctors for women features Dr. Joel Saper, founder of the Michigan Head Pain & Neurological Institute (MHNI) in Ann Arbor and Medical Director of the Head Pain Treatment Unit at



Dr. Joel Saper

Chelsea Community Hospital. The November **2008** issue of Women's Health magazine includes a

list of the best doctors in the specialties most important to women. Dr. Saper is featured in the "Top Neurologists" category - the only Michigan doctor among the 16 that were named in that specialty.

Dr. Saper is featured for his pioneering work with women suffering migraines. When he began his career 35 years ago, women were often told their migraines were due to their "anxious natures." Women's Health credits Dr. Saper for rejecting that idea, and states that new research linking women's higher headache rates to estrogen receptors in the brain backs him up.

"It's an honor to be recognized by a publication that targets a significant segment of America's pain population," said Dr. Saper. "We have worked tirelessly over the years to identify the causes of pain and provide successful treatment outcomes to everyone who walks through our doors. This is one of the primary reasons people suffering from pain travel here from around the country for treatment, often after exhausting all other options in their local communities.

Women's Health recognizes Organizational a total of 176 doctors in 10 specialties: Cardiology and Internal Medicine, Dermatology, Obstetrics and Gynecology, Endocrinology, Gastroenterology, Oncology, Neurology, Orthopedics/Sports Medicine, Services for the Aging.

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Dr. Saper founded the Michigan Head-Pain & Neurological Institute 30 years ago. MHNI is considered one of the world's premier centers for head and neck pain management providing comprehensive care to patients suffering from headache and related painful disorders. MHNI partners with Chelsea Community Hospital (CCH) for specialized and in-patient treatment. Dr. Saper and CCH developed the head pain treatment unit at CCH in 1978, forming the first hospital specialty program of its kind in the world.

United Methodist **Retirement Communities** announced this week that Lori Herbig has been named executive director of Chelsea Retirement Community (CRC).

In her new position, Herbig will oversee all facets of the Chelsea campus, including Independent Living, Assisted Living, Kresge Skilled Nursing and Rehabilitation, and Towsley Village, CRC's state-of-theart memory care center.

Prior to CRC, Herbig was with Sunset Association for 18 years, most recently as Chief Operating Officer of Healthcare. As COO, she was responsible for a skilled nursing facility and an assisted living facility, each with specialized memory loss units, as well as a homecare company.

Herbig is a Licensed **Nursing Home** Administrator and a Licensed Practical Nurse. She has a bachelor's degree in Management and Development and a master's in Public Administration. She has served on the Board for the Michigan Continuing Care Alliance and the board of directors for the Michigan

Association of Homes and

Andrew Monson of Dexter recently received one of Central Michigan University's most prestigious scholarships.

Monson is attending CMU on a

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Award,



a graduate Andrew Monson of Dexter

High School, is the son of Lynn and Marcia Monson of Dexter.

During their first semester at CMU, Monson and his fellow scholarship recipients have become engaged in the community, conducting a silent auction that raised \$2,700 for the American Red Cross Mobile Food Pantry of Isabella County.

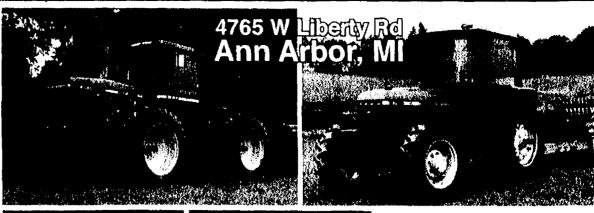
High school seniors who have earned a grade-point average of 3.5 or higher and have demonstrated strong extracurricular involvement are eligible to apply for the merit-based scholarships. As part of the application process, students also visit the CMU campus for a halfday to participate in information sessions and an essay competition.

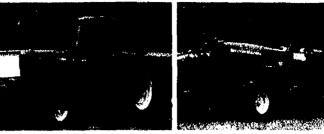
Each year, 20 students receive Central's Scholar Awards, "full ride" scholarships covering four years of tuition, room and board, and books, while another 20 students receive Central's Gold Awards.

Recipients of the scholarships follow a protocol in which they enroll in Honors courses and seminars, acquire foreign language skills, perform community service, complete an Honors Senior Research Project in their major field of study. receive personal faculty mentoring, and receive Honors academic advising.

Central's freshmen live in Larzelere Hall, CMU's Honors residence.

# **AUCTION: Sat, December 6 at 10am**









#### Vehicles

2002 Ford F250 XLT Super Duty 4WD, 4x4, New Brakes, Power Windows, 39147 Miles

1979 Ford F250 4x4 W/Meyer 7.6' Plow, 83880 Miles. VIN F263QT4KB4

1978 Ford 800, Tandem Axle, 476 Motor, 20ft Grain Bed 10 Spd Transmission, New Front Tires, Dual Hoist. 66381 Miles, VIN SB1JVGF2966

#### Tractors

1990 JD 2755 Front Wheel Assist, 2 Remotes Plus Live Hydraulic for Planter, Duals, 8' Weights, PTO, 540, 3pt Quick Hitch, W/Poly Front Fenders, Quad Range 16 Spd Transmission, 1447 Hours, 18.4x30 rear tires, SN L02755U701666

1987 JD 4250, Dual 18.4 x 38, Front Weights "8". Rear Weights, 2200 Hours, 3pt. Quick Hitch. PTO, 2 Remotes W/Extra, Power Shift trans, SN RW4250P011679

1981 JD 4640 Tractor, Dual 20.8 R 38, Front Weights. 2586 Hours, Power Shift trans. SN TP855001915RX 1980 JD 8440 4x4, 18.4 x 38 Tires, 3 Remotes, Quad Range Transmission, PTO, 3pt, Quick Hitch, Rear Wheel Weights, 2944 Hours, SN 8440H0036026 1967 JD 4020, MTW Turbo Pkg, Power Shi', PTO, 3pt, 2

Remotes, New Tires, 18.4 x 34, Front & Rear Weights. (2) Univertenth 230 Gravity Box on 10 Ton Univertenth Gear, New Batteries, 5390 hrs SN T213P164492R

#### **Farm Equipment**

1994 JD 7240 Vacuum No Till Planter, 6 Row, 30in, Dry Fertilizer, Cross Auger, W/Unverferth Zone Tiller Unit. SN A07240A10042Z

2000 JD 1560 No Till Grain Drill, 24 Hole Oversized. Break Away Markers, Unverferth Crossover 15 Auger, Front Tires, 7:5in Spacing, SN 1560X686003 JD 2 Row Corn Planter

Schulte 14' Rock Rake, SN 36A8028911

Schulte Jumbo 320 Rock Picker W/Angle Hitch, SN 9080076904

1988 JD 722 Soil Finisher, 201, New Knock on shovels, Walking Tandems, W/Rear Harrow, SN N00722X001929

Deutz-Allis 2500 24' Rock Flex Disc. SN 3481 IH 496 19ft Rock Flex Disc. SN 0470000U044562 2000 JD 510 Disc Ripper, 15', Rock Flex, SN N00510X004521

IH 45 Vibrashank W/Harrow, 12', SN 45C1411 1990 Brillion 15' Cultimulcher, SN 158611

Westgo 6 Row Cultivator, MN 2020 JD 1010 24' Field Cultivator, Walking Tandems, New Cylinder

JD 400 Rotary Hoe. SN 059807N JD 3 Bottom 16in Plow 1980 JD 2700 7 Bottom, 16-18-20", SN 010946

Plow Parts Yetter 15' Harrow fH 352 24' Wheel Drag

tarp, SN 500360 New Idea 41ft Grain Elevator W/Transport 16' Grain Elevator

(2) Grain Aeration Fans & Dryers

Unverlerth 5000 Grain Cart W/Light Kit, 500 BU, roll over

Telescoping Tongue W/Tarp (2) Gravity Wagons, Parker, 10 Ton Gear, 180 BU (2) Unverferth 10ft Augers

Dual Compartment Fuel Tank, 50gal/50gal Honda 4.0 Transfer Pump W/Hose & Quick Latches 300gal Diesel Fuel Tank 500 Gal Gas Tank W/Electric Pump

Kale Nurse Tank, 1600gaf W/Light Kit, Water Only W/Monarch Pump (4) JD Wheel Weights

2004 Woods BW180 Batwing Mower, 15', SN 937553 IH 300 8 3pt Back Blade 3pt Hitch, Fits JD 3020 to JD 1010



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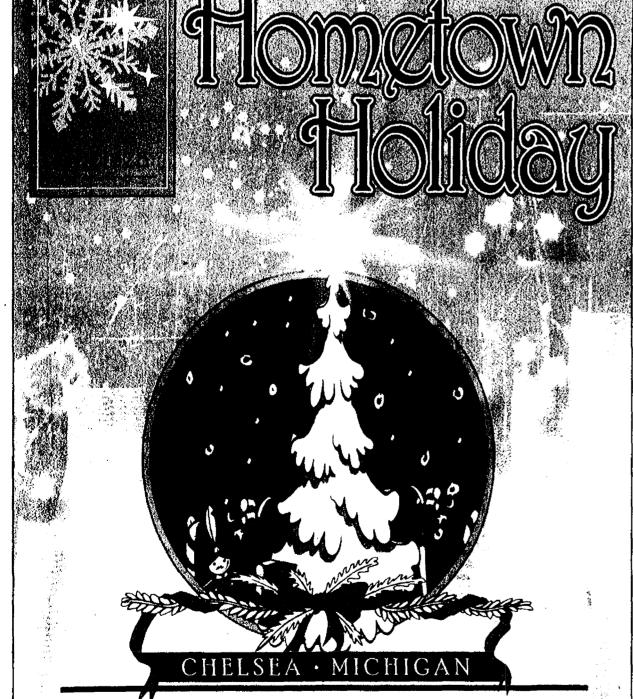
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# **TAYLOR**

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then the combine is run ning. If the weather is bad then the equipment can finally get worked on and maintained.

While I'm planning out my afternoon hunt on any given fall afternoon. Matt is getting the combine ready to run soybeans or corn. He doesn't have the luxury to "get out there" the way most of us do. It's ironic really when you think about it. Matt lives on a farm, but can barely hunt it, whereas I don't live on a farm, but I hunt often.

Matt wasn't a bow hunter by trade, he focused on the gun season every year. Last year, however, we both went to Schupbach's Sporting Goods in Jackson and got Matt set up with a new bow.

Matt took the time to practice, but was unable to hunt with the bow last year. He was disappointed.

Things were going to be different for him this year, though.

I've been fortunate enough to hunt a nice "honey hole" in Dexter over the last four years. This area has produced . . many deer for the freezer and it had Matt's name all over it. Together, Matt and I put up a two-seated ladder stand and decided to give it a go for this year's bow season.

It was the second week of October and I called Matt like so many times before. We'd talk about the harvest, deer we've seen on the property and see if today might be the day to "get out there". Keep in mind that Matt always says no, therefore I expected the worst again. But, today was different and he agreed.

This would be the first time Matt would bow hunt (except once or twice in his youth) and I would be there with him. I was so excited for my buddy. I just hoped that we'd have deer nearby.

We drove out to the property and got our gear ready and made it to the tree stand. It didn't take long for us to see two deer out in the field feeding on a rye food plot. We had a number of squirrels, cardinals and other creatures making their way through the woods.

My tree stand was set up about 15 yards inside the woods to the east of a field. Would the deer cross the field to us or just walk off to another part of the property? It's funny, deer hunting is like a box of chocolates. You just don't know if, when or where they'll come from no matter how much you think you know.

The sun had just set, but we still had a lot of shooting light left. All of a sudden Matt said, "There's a buck in the field to our right, do you see it?" I did my best to see it, but I just couldn't locate the buck.

Looking back, I should have asked Matt how far out it was. The leaves were so thick, but Matt kept a close eye on his potential trophy. Matt kept asking me if I could see the buck making its way closer and closer to us, but I just couldn't see it.

Matt stood up carefully and prepared to draw his bow when I finally saw the gorgeous 8-point buck coming into view. 'Wow, I think Matt's actually going to get this,' I thought.

The buck finally stopped at 30 yards directly in front of us and snapped its head to the left and looked right at us. Without hesitation, Matt launched his arrow and put an excellent shot on his first deer ever.

This story is dedicated to all the farmers out there who work so hard to make their living and allow people like us to hunt their land. Thank you.

In other outdoor news, muzzle loader season begins Dec. 5 through 21 (Zone 3 only). Late firearm season is Dec. 22 through Jan. 1 (Anterless deer only, private land only).

Verify information with



Connie Ledwidge says she rarely misses a day of hunting in November.

## **HUNT**

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deer a few times up north before I was born. He traded his gun to his brother when I was younger."

Ledwidge's first hunting experience was in 2003. She was introduced to the sport by her friend, Glenn Maxwell.

"I went to his parents and sat with him in the blind a few times and practiced shooting his 12 gauge shotgun," she says. "He let me borrow his gun on my first hunt I went on by myself. He couldn't go because he had to work. That was the gun I shot my first buck with. After that, he took me to a gun shop in Adrian and I picked out my very first shotgun, one similar to his. I use that for firearm's season."

Ledwidge, 32, says she

Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

There's still time to get that buck of a lifetime, so get out there!.

Any comments or story ideas? Feel free to contact Rick Taylor at rtaylor@reinhartrealtors.com or call (734)223-5656.

enjoys deer and turkey hunting the most. She hunts with a shotgun and can't even try archery because of carpal tunnel in both wrists.

Her hunting appetite is only starting to get fed. Her menu has no limits.

"My goal is to travel to Africa to go on a safari hunt and out West to hunt an Elk,' she says. "I am hoping to get a Michigan Black Bear tag next fall and travel to the UP for a few days to try and score a bear. I have actually made some hunting contacts in the UP and visited and scouted for bear for the last three years in preparation.

"I also love fishing and can be found out on my pontoon boat just about every day that is above freezing, fishing on Silver Lake. My grandma was the big fisherman in our family and I have many fond memories of going out on Four Mile Lake in Chelsea with her catching just about

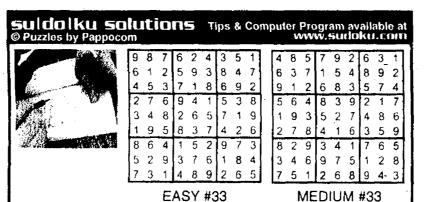
everything under the sun on bread balls, corn and hot dogs."

Her memories of hunting aren't exactly old, but proudly displayed in her heart.

"They are all very fond memories and all very different memories," she says. "My most exciting moment was the turkey hunt in Stockbridge this spring. My mom's cousin let me hunt on his farm. It was very exciting to see eight mature toms within 12 yards. When I made the shot, I remember thinking that 'this was more exciting than any deer hunt I have been on!' Turkey hunting is also more of a challenge and after trying to call in a tom for over five years this was a very exciting accomplishment.'

Ledwidge admits that hunting is not easy, but rather a physical and mental challenge.

"It is a test of your ability,





**SECOND PUBLIC HEARING** JOSLIN LAKE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE DESIRABILITY OF IMPLEMENTING A WASHTENAW COUNTY LAKE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

TO: ALL THE RECORD OWNERS OF, AND PARTIES IN INTEREST IN, ANY LANDS WITHIN THE SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT DESCRIBED BELOW:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Washtenaw County Board of Public Works (WCBPW) has declared its intention to implement a Lake Improvement Project for Joslin Lake in Washtenaw County described as fol-

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The proposed Project will provide lake improvements to Joslin Lake in Washtenaw County in order to provide control of invasive and nuisance aquatic weeds. The Project shall include chemical application and subsequent spot applications for a five-year period. It shall also include all necessary regulatory approvals and studies for the application.

The total cost of the Project over the five-year period is estimated at \$302,980 The WCBPW has tentatively designated a special assessment district against which all or a part of the cost

of such Project is to be assessed, which district consists of the following lands: All tax parcels identified as having lake access and use of the waters of Joslin Lake in

Sections 3 and 4 in Lyndon Township, Washtenaw County The above properties are located within the boundaries of the Special Assessment District shown on the

sketch below: Each parcel identified above will be assessed the following amounts based on the type of property

and the cost is the total cost for the five (5) year project: Non-waterfront residential properties with lake access \$ 980

Waterfront residential properties \$3,150 A report describing the Project, including program elements and cost estimates has been prepared and is on file with the Washtenaw County Director of Public Works. The report is available for public examination at the Department of Planning and Environment, 705 N. Zeeb Road, Ann Arbor, Michlgan 48107. The offices are located on the first floor of the Washtenaw County Western Service Center. To ask questions or obtain information on the project, please call 734 222 6865.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Board of Public Works will meet on Monday, December 15, 2008, at 7:00 p.m., Local Time, or as soon thereafter as may be heard, at the Lyndon Township Hall, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118 for the purpose of hearing all interested parties concerning such improvements and the special assessment district.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the owner or any person having an interest in property that is specially assessed may file a written appeal with the Michigan Tax Tribunal within thirty (30) days after confirmation of the special assessment roll. However, appearance and protest at the public hearing on the special assessment roll are required in order to appeal the special assessment to the Michigan Tax Tribunal. An owner or a party in interest or his or her agent may (I) appear in person at the hearing to protest the special assessment or (2) file his or her appearance or protest by letter before the close of the hearing.

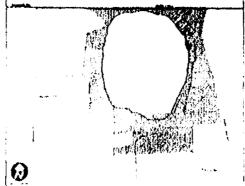
The Board of Public Works shall maintain a record of parties who appear to protest at the hearing. If the hearing is terminated or adjourned for the day before a party is provided the opportunity to be heard, a party whose appearance was recorded shall be considered to have protested the special assessment in person.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS Daniel R. Myers, P.E., Director of Public Works SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT MAP

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endurance and dedication," she says. "My mom takes every Opening Day off for deer season and waits for me to call her if I need help."

Ledwidge would like to see more women out on the hunt with her. She says there is no reason why hunting should be reserved for men only.

"It's very empowering to try something new and challenging," she says. "I would encourage anyone to study, research and practice before trying hunting. You need to be confident in your shooting ability and safety is always first. If you have a desire to challenge yourself, go for it! It has opened so many doors for me, allowed me to meet so many friends and companions, learn to cook venison,

make homemade sausage and jerky, and advance my skills in the outdoors.

"I now have gloves, warm slippers and a gun case made from the leather fron my deer. There are so many resources that come from the deer and it is much better to use them, than for them to be wasted by a deer getting hit by a car or the deer starving in the middle of winter. It also gives me something that is in common to talk with others about in daily conversation.

"If you talk to any outdoorsman you will hear excitement in their voice and some very interesting stories that they are very proud of."

Enough stories to fill a book.

## CHELSEA COMMUNITY **HOSPITAL** NOTICE OF INTENT

Due to our merger with St. Joseph Mercy Health System, Chelsa Community Hospital has applied for a change in its substance abuse license through the Michigan Department of Community Health, Substance Abuse Licensing Section. The change in license will allow us to continue to provide outpatient and preventive substance abuse services. Comments should be directed to: Washtenaw Community Health Organization, Livingston-Washtenaw Substance Abuse Coordinating Agency, P.O. Box 915, 555 Towner Street, Ypsilanti, Michigan 48197. Publish: December 4, 2008

#### SYLVAN TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

PUBLIC HEARING TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2008, 7:00 P.M. SYLVAN TOWNSHIP HALL 18027 OLD US 12, CHELSEA, MI 48118 www.twp-sylvan.org

PURPOSE OF MEETING:

Variance application has been received for a side yard set bac at 567 Glazier Rd. Chelsea, MI 48118.

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

The Sylvan Township Board will provide necessary reasonable aixiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, up n 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

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VILLAGE OF DEXTER
SYNOPSIS OF ACTION TAKEN AT THE REGULAR
COUNCIL MEETING MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2008

CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 by President Keough in he Dexter Senior Center located at 7720 Dexter Ann Arbor Rd. in Dextr, Michigan

ROLL CALL: Fisher, Cousins, Semifero, Carson, Tell, Smlh, Keough

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES Motion Smith; support Fisher to approve the regular Council minues

of October 27, 2008 as presented. Ayes: Cousins, Fisher, Smith, Semifero, Tell, Carson. Keough.

Nays: none Motion carries

APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Motion Carson; support Semifero to approve the agenda as pe-

Ayes: Smith, Semifero, Tell, Carson, Fisher, Cousins . Keough Nays: none

Motion carries **CONSENT AGENDA** 

Consideration of: Bills and Payroll in the amount of \$106,396.12

Consideration of: Request to place temporary signs to advertise a Pride and Honor fund raising craft fair on November 16, 2008 Home for the Holidays/Victorian Christmas Holiday Hustle ik-

December 13, Consideration of: Home for the Holidays/Victorian Christmas Lighted Christmas Parade December 13, 2008

Motion Fisher; support Semifero to approve the consent agendaas

Aves: Semifero, Tell, Fisher, Carson, Cousins, Smith, Keough. Nays: None

Motion carries

OLD BUSINESS-Consideration and Discussion of: Motion Cousins; support Fisher to accept the proposals form

Johnson Sign and Everbrite to replace the sign at the Mobil Staton (7177 Dexter-Ann Arbor) at a cost not to exceed \$10,100 Aves: Tell, Carson, Cousins, Smith, Fisher, Semifero, Keough

Nays: none

Motion carries

NEW BUSINESS-Consideration of and Discussion of: Motion Carson; support Smith to approve the request from he

Dexter Area Firefighters association to use the basement of 8140 Min St. for storage. Ayes: Carson, Cousins, Fisher, Smith, Semifero, Tell, Keough

Nays: none

Motion carries

Motion Semifero, support Fisher to extend Katie's Restaurant final site plan until October 12, 2008 as per Planning commission's reconmendation. Ayes: Cousins, Fisher, Smith, Semifero, Tell, Carson, Keough

Nays: none

Motion carries

Motion Semifero; support Carson to accept the proposal for design services from OHM for the Central St. project at a cost not to exceed \$15,000

Ayes: Smith, Semifero, Tell, Carson, Fisher, Cousins, Keough Nays: none Motion carries

Motion Carson; support Cousins to accept the proposal for design services for the 5th well and additional system improvements from OHM at a cost not to exceed \$115,000 (work to start contingent upon

signed agreement with Dexter Schools) Ayes: Semifero, Tell, Fisher, Carson, Cousins, Smith, Keough

Nays: none Motion carries

**ADJOURNMENT** 

Motion Smith; support Fisher to adjourn at 9:11 Unanimous voice vote

Respectfully submitted, The Honorable David F. Boyle, Clerk, Village

Approved for Filing: November 24, 2008

NOTE: This is a synopsis of the Regular Council Meeting. The rlinutes in their entirety may be viewed at the Village Office at 8123 Main Street, Dexter MI or online at www.villageofdexter.org Publish: December 4, 2008

#### Chelsea

Tuesday, Dec. 9

There will be a public hearing for expansion on Loveland Road Pit at 7:30 p.m. at Waterloo Township Hall. Aggregate Industries wants Waterloo Township to adjust the zoning ordinance to allow them to start digging 100 feet from any residence property line on Harvey and Loveland Road.

McKune Memorial Library

Saturday: 10:30-12 p.m. -Reading and book signing of The Mouse Ate the House

Saturday: 11-12:30 p.m. -Gingerbread House workshop-decorate a gingerbread house with frosting and candies. One kit per family. Call the library at 475-8732 to **Dexter** reserve a house. Registration required.

Dec. 13, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.: Friends of Chelsea District Library Used Book Sale. Thousands of giftable books, books on tape, CDs, DVDs and video tapes. Friends' ecofriendly book bags and other items for purchase. All proceeds go to the library. For more information, call 475-5829.

#### Chelsea Senior Citizens **Activities Center**

The center is located at 512 Washington Street (Washington) Street Education Center). For reservations and additional information call 734-475-9242.

Tomorrow: Bingo at 9 a.m.; Quilting and Piecing at 10 a.m.; Euchre at 12:30 p.m.

Tomorrow: Movie and Discussion of "Nobody's Fool" starring Paul Newman at 1 p.m. Join Senior Center's Tina Patterson and Chelsea District Library's Bill Harmer for a discussion following the movie.

Monday: Massages and Reservations Manicures. required, 475-9242

Monday: Greektown Trip. Join Chelsea Seniors in a trip to the Greektown Casino and surrounding area. Reservations required, 475-9242

Monday: Bingo at 9 a.m.; Chair Exercise at 10:30 a.m.; Hand & Foot at 12:30 p.m.; Dominoes at 1 p.m.

Tuesday: Pewter Look Angels. Take home an angel

for decorating or gift giving. 10 District Library, contact Sue a.m. Reservations required, Smith 475-9242

Tuesday: Crafts at 10 a.m.; Knit & Crochet at 12:30 p.m.; a.m. Holiday Story Time for 4477. Winter Story Times will Euchre at 7 p.m.

Wednesday: Personal Financial Consultant shares ments and a visit with a live information. Diane Winner of Chelsea State Bank specializes in retirement, investment, estate and business Book discussion group for planning and debt management. All invited at 10 a.m.

Wednesday: Ray Schairer Life," by Barbara Kingsolver. 5397. reads from "Barefoot Boy" at Registration required. 12:15 a.m.

Wednesday: Free Fitness at Thursday, Dec. 25: The Dexter coffee hour; 10:30 a.m., exer-10:30 a.m.; Square Dancing 12:30 p.m.; Pinochle at 1 p.m.; Bowling at 1 p.m.

Tonight

St. Andrew's UCC Monthly Dinner features roast beef and all the trimmings, tonight. beginning at 5 p.m. at the church, 7610 Ann Arbor Street. Tickets at the door, \$8 for adults; \$5 for children 5 to 12; and children 4 and under. free. Both dine-in and carry out meals will be available.

**Dexter District Library** 

The Dexter District Library is located at 8040 Fourth Street. All Library programs are free and open to the public. For information, call 734-426-4477.

Saturday: 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Friends of the Dexter District Library Used Book Sale. Anyone interested in joining the Friends of the Dexter

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF WASHTENAW NOTICE TO CREDITORS Decedent's Estate FILE NO. 08-1117-DE Estate of Ernest Smola. Date of Birth:

May 22, 1921.
TO ALL CREDITORS:
NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Ernest Smola, who lived at 6655 Jackson Road, Lot 120, Ann Arbor, Michigan died October 26, 2008.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Nancy Kiel, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at 101 E. Huron, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48107 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 mon date of publication of this notice

Date: November 17, 2008 Nancy Kiel Personal representative c/o Susan Zale 114 N. Main Street, Suite 10 Chelsea, MI 48118

Susan E. Zale P-53736 114 N. Main Street, Suite 10 Chelsea, MI 48118 (734) 475-5777

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(734) 475-5777

Scott Cooper thanks the sitting board for their public service.

Motion by Solo, seconded by Merkel to adjourn.

LuAnn S. Koch

The regular meeting of the Sylvan Township Board was held November 11, 2008 at 7pm at the Sylvan Township Hall, 18027 Old US 12, Chelsea, Mi 48118. Members present: Supervisor Williams, Clerk Koch, Treasurer

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP

**REGULAR BOARD MEETING NOVEMBER 11, 2008** 

Calendar

Monday, Dec. 15: 7:30 p.m. Dexter. Luncheons are com-

Miracle: A Year of Food a day ahead by noon at 426-

Wednesday, Dec. 24 and ming at Wylie Pool; 9:30 a.m.,

District Library will be closed cise; 11:30 a.m., luncheon

**WEBSTER TOWNSHIP** 

**BOARD OF REVIEW** 

The Webster Township Board of Review will meet on Tuesday.

Those with disabilities must notify the Township Clerk no less than

December 9, 2008, at 10:30 A.M. to correct "Mutual Mistakes of Fact

and Clerical Errors" only. Meeting will be held at the Township Hall, 5665

seven days prior to the meeting, so that accommodations may be fur-

nished to satisfy their disability and allow for a meaningful attendance.

District Library will be closed HOLIDAY BAZAAR

sueandbernie@aol.com

required.

Saturday, Dec. 13: 10 – 11:30

all ages. Program includes

books, songs, crafts, refresh-

reindeer. No registration

adults. "Animal, Vegetable,

Wednesday, Dec. 31 and

Webster Church Rd, Dexter, MI 48130.

Posted: November 26, 2008

Publish: December 4, 2008

Thursday, Jan. 1: The Dexter

at for Winter Story Times

start the week of Jan. 12

**Dexter Senior Center** 

begins. Caregivers may regis-

ter in person or by calling 426-

The center is located at

7720 Ann Arbor Street in

plete for a \$2.50 minimum

donation. Make reservations

Tomorrow: 8:30 a.m., swim-

Saturday: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Mary Dee Heller

Webster Township Clerk

(lasagna/meat sauce)

Grau, Trustee Merkel and Solo Also present: Hank Schoch, Scott Cooper, Reuben Lesser, Tom

Caplis, Elsie Swanberg, Jerry Jackson, Earl Heller, Kristen Jensen, Kitty Jensen, Brian England and Bob Lange.

The meeting was called to order and the pledge recited. Motion by Grau, seconded by Solo to approve minutes as pre-

sented. Carried. Motion by Koch, seconded by Merkel to pay bills as presented. Carried.

No Public Hearings. No Public Participation.

No Other Committee Reports. Zoning Inspector Lange reported 3 zoning compliance permits and 2 certificate of occupancy for the month of October.

Reports: Supervisor - None

Clerk Koch reported the CAFA and Sewer Authority information is in vour packet Treasurer Grau - None

Trustee Merkel reported that the Master Plan has been adopted by Planning Commission and work is still being done on the Business

ark Zoning District. Trustee Solo thank everyone for helping him during the 4 year term as Trustee.

No Old Business

**New Business:** Motion by Merkel, seconded by Koch to adopt the 2009 Guidelines for Hardship Exemptions. Carried.

Sylvan Township Clerk

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Friday, Jan. 2: Registration County

Friday, Dec. Professional Volunteer Corps (PVC), a group for single, widowed and divorced men and women, holds its monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the NEW Center, 1100 North Main St., Ann Arbor, when new social and volunteer projects are planned. Free refreshments, card games, board games, socializing. Orientation for prospective members at 7 p.m. Call 747-6801 or visit www.a2pvc.org.

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**CITY OF CHELSEA ORDINANCE NO. 159** 

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 32, UTILITIES, ARTICLE III, SEWERS, OF THE CHELSEA CODE OF ORDINANCES. ADOPTED: November 25, 2008 EFFECTIVE: December 25, 2008

THE CITY OF CHELSEA, MICHIGAN ORDAINS:

Section 1. Amendment of the City of Chelsea Code of Ordinances. Chapter 32, Utilities, Article III, Sewers. The City of Chelsea Sewer Ordinance is amended by amending Section 32-736 to read as fol-

Sec. 32-736. Lien.

Charges for sewerage service furnished to any premises within the service area may be a lien on the premises, and those charges delinquent for six months or more may be certified annually to the proper tax assessing officer or agency, who shall enter the lien on the next tax roll against the premises to which the services have been rendered, and the charges shall be collected and the lien shall be enforced in the same manner as provided for the collection of taxes assessed upon the roll and the enforcement of the lien for the taxes. The time and manner of certification and other details in respect to the collection of the charges and the enforcement of the lien shall be prescribed by resolution of the City Council. This lien remedy does not preclude any other remedy provided by law. Those premises outside the service area that are served by the city's wastewater treatment works that have delinquent bills will be certified in their governmental units for collection as provided in the contract between the city and the governmental unit. In a case where a tenant is responsible for the payment of the charges and the City is so notified in writing, the notice to include a true copy of the lease of the affected premises, then the charges shall not become a lien against the premises after the date of notice. In the event of filing of the notice, the City may elect to render no further service to the premises until a cash deposit in the amount to be determined by resolution of the City Council is made as security for the payment of the charges.

Section 2. Non-Repeal. This Ordinance amendment shall not be construed to repeal by implication any other ordinances of the City of Chelsea pertaining to the same or similar subject matter.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Ordinance amendment shall take effect thirty (30) days after publication in a newspaper circulating within the City of Chelsea, Michigan.

Moved by Hammer, seconded by Anderson, that the foregoing Ordinance be adopted.

YEAS: Hammer, Anderson, Albertson, Lindauer, Martinez-Kratz, and Feener

NAYS: None ABSENT:None

That the Ordinance amendment as set forth above was adopted by the City of Chelsea City Council in regular session on November 25, 2008, and that it was published in the Chelsea Standard on December 4, 2008. Further, I certify that the attested copy of the Ordinance amendment was filed with the Chelsea City Clerk on November 26,

Teresa Royal Chelsea City Clerk

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## **DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING NOTICE**

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2008 AT 7:00 P.M. AT **DEXTER TOWNSHIP HALL** 6880 DEXTER-PINCKNEY RD.,

**AGENDA** 

1) Meeting Canceled. Publish: December 4, 2008

# **DEXTER, MI. 48130**

CITY OF CHELSEA

ORDINANCE NO. 160
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 32,
UTILITIES, ARTICLE II, WATER, OF THE CHELSEA CODE OF ORDINANCES. ADOPTED: November 25, 2008 EFFECTIVE: December 25, 2008

THE CITY OF CHELSEA, MICHIGAN ORDAINS:

Section 1. Amendment of the City of Chelsea Code of Ordinances. Chapter 32, Utilities, Article II, Water. The City of Chelsea Water Ordinance is amended by adding a Section 32-46 to read as follows: Sec. 32-46. Lien.

Charges for water service furnished to any premises by the Waterworks System may be a lien on the premises, and those charges delinquent for six months or more may be certified annually to the proper tax assessing officer or agency, who shall enter the lien on the next tax roll against the premises to which the services have been rendered. and the charges shall be collected and the lien shall be enforced in the same manner as provided for the collection of taxes assessed upon the roll and the enforcement of the lien for the taxes. The time and manner of certification and other details in respect to the collection of the charges and the enforcement of the lien shall be prescribed by resolution of the City Council. This lien remedy does not preclude any other remedy provided by law. In a case where a tenant is responsible for the payment of the charges and the City is so notified in writing, the notice to include a true copy of the lease of the affected premises, then the charges shall not become a lien against the premises after the date of notice. In the event of filing of the notice, the City may elect to render no further service to the premises until a cash deposit in the amount to be determined by resolution of the City Council is made as

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Moved by Hammer, seconded by Anderson, that the foregoing Ordinance be adopted. YEAS: Hammer, Anderson, Albertson, Lindauer, Martinez-Kratz,

Holmberg and Feeney.

NAYS: NONE **ABSENT: NONE** 

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# CITY OF CHELSEA

ORDINANCE NO. 161
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 32, UTILITIES, OF THE CHELSEA CODE OF ORDINANCES BY ADDING ARTICLE VI, ELECTRIC SERVICE ADOPTED: November 25, 2008 EFFECTIVE: December 25, 2008

THE CITY OF CHELSEA, MICHIGAN ORDAINS:

Section 1. Amendment of the City of Chelsea Code of Ordinances, Chapter 32, Utilities, by adding Article VI, Electric Service. The City of Chelsea Electric Service Ordinance is added as Article VI of Chapter 32, to read as follows:

Sec. 32-1000. Administration and enforcement of Michigan Electrical Code.

Pursuant to Section 8 of the Stille-Derossett-liale Singe State Construction Code Act, Act 230 of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, the City assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement of the Michigan Electrical Code throughout its corporate limits. The Superintendent of the City Electric Department is designated as the enforcing agent to discharge the responsibility of the City under the Michigan Electric Code.

Sec. 32-1001. Authority to fix, alter, and amend electric rates. The City Council is hereby authorized and empowered to fix the rates for electrical service to all users of electrical service within the City. Said rates may be fixed, altered or amended by resolution from time to time by the City Council after a public hearing, with notice of said hearing to be given by publication in a newspaper published and circulated in the City; said publication to be at least 15 days prior to the time of hearing.

Sec. 32-1002. Authority to make regulations.

The City Council is hereby authorized and empowered to make by resolution all regulations it deems necessary for the efficient operation of the City electric supply system.

Sec. 32-1003. Authority to shut off service.

The City, through its representatives, in addition to other remedies provided in this Article, may shut off electric eervice to any user in the City if the charges for electric service are not paid when due, or if the user fails to comply with any regulations established for the operation and maintenance of the electric supply system. Electric service, once shut off, will be resumed only after compliance with all regulations and upon payment of a charge covering all past-due amounts and the cost of resuming service, which charge is to be set by the City Council.

Sec. 32-1004. Authority to inspect system. The City, or any of its authorized representatives, may go upon premises served by the City's electric service system from time to time for the inspection of said electric system and to read meters placed thereon by the City to determine the amount of electricity consumed on the premises.

Sec. 32-1005. Tampering without permit prohibited.

No party shall tamper in any way, or connect with any part of the electric system, which is the property of the City, without a written permit issued by the Superintendent of the Electric Department. All connections or other activities authorized by permit shall be subject to inspection by authorized representatives of the City.

Sec. 32-1006. Violation a municipal civil infraction.

Any person or customer found guilty of violating any of the provisions of this division, or any written order of the Superintendent of the Electric Department in pursuance thereof, shall be responsible for a municipal civil infraction. In addition, any connection to the City's electric system in violation of this division is hereby also declared to be a nuisance per se and the Superintendent of the Electric Department is authorized to seek the appropriate equitable relief in the county circuit court for the abatement and restraint of such connections.

Sec. 32-1007. All energy to be metered; exceptions. All energy sold to customers shall be measured by commercially

acceptable measuring devices owned and maintained by the City except where it is impracticable to meter loads, such as street lighting,

temporary or special installations, in which case the consumption may be calculated.

Sec. 32-1008. Deposits.

The City is authorized to require a deposit from property owners, lessees, and occupants who make application for electric service. Such sum may be set from time to time by the regulation or resolution of the City. Any arrearages in the electric bills of the depositor or the consumer on the premises for which the deposit was made may be

deducted therefrom as arrearages occur. Sec. 32-1009. Right to refuse service."

The City Electric Department is authorized to refuse to furnish electricity to any person or to any premises for which there is unpaid electric charges on a previous account.

Sec. 32-1010. Authority to discontinue electric service.

The electric department is hereby authorized and directed to discontinue electric service after reasonable notice to any property wherein any connection in violation of this Article exists and to take such other precautionary measures when deemed necessary to eliminate any danger to the electric distribution system. Electric service to such property shall not be restored until appropriate connections are made consistent with this Article, and all dangers to the system are eliminated.

Sec. 32-1011. Lien. Charges for electric service furnished to any premises by the Electric Department may be a lien on the premises, and those charges delinquent for six months or more may be certified annually to the proper tax assessing officer or agency, who shall enter the lien on the next tax roll against the premises to which the services have been rendered, and the charges shall be collected and the lien shall be enforced in the same manner as provided for the collection of taxes assessed upon the roll and the enforcement of the lien for the taxes. The time and manner of certification and other details in respect to the collection of the charges and the enforcement of the lien shall be prescribed by resolution of the City Council. This lien remedy does not preclude any other remedy provided by law. In a case where a tenant is responsible for the payment of the charges and the City is so notified in writing, the notice to include a true copy of the lease of the affected premises, then the charges shall not become a lien against the premises after the date of notice. In the event of filling of the notice, the City may elect to render no further service to the premises until a cash deposit in the amount to be determined by resolution of the City

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www.pirtsfieldtwp.org Held at 6201 W. Michigan Avenue - Ann Arbor -Michigan Meeting colled to order at 7:30 p.m. Present: Brostrom, Burhop, Conner, Lirones, Mayer, Urda Thompson, Walter.

Absent: None. Presentation: Pittsfield Preserve Vision Plan Approval of Minutes: Approved minutes of regular Boar neeting held on September 23, 2008.

Financial Matters: Approved payment of payables, check #63946 through #64052 for \$655,823.55. Approved payment of payobles through electronic transfer for S300,679.38. Approved payment of poyobles, checks #64053 through #64190, for \$1,031,374.15.

Approved purchase of (2) "Pro-Pok" portable foam units for Fir Department from Time Emergency Equipment, for \$1,808.70. Approved electrical repairs to Engine 1, by R&R Fire Truck Re pair, Inc. for \$3,100. Authorized Supervisor to sign contract with Wolverine/Moor Glass Inc. to install storefront style doors in main hallway of Ac ninistration Building for \$10,525. Authorized Department of Building Safety to act as general cor tractor for associated work required to install storefront styl

doors in main hallway of Administration Building for \$4,000. Approved Allied Waste Services rubbish collection report and pai bill for \$82,318.95. Approved purchase of 2008 L39 Kubota Tractor Loader Backho from Wolverine Rental & Supply, for \$30,617.71. Approved hiring Beckett and Raeder Inc. for Design Developmen through Construction Administration for Hickory Woods Parl

Phase I for \$1,632,904.28. Approved request to approve GASB (Governmental Accounting Standards Board) required actuarial study of Other Post Employ ment Benefits (OPEB) related to retiree health benefits, by Roc wan Consulting Group for \$9,150. Clerk's Office: Received Revenue/Expenditure report for Sep

Approved resolutions placing street lighting special assessmen districts on the 2008 tax roll. Department of Public Safety: Approved hire of Mr. Bradley Alan D'Agostino to position of Fire Fighter, effective October 3,

Department of Building Safety/Planning and Zon-ing/Utilities: Received Building Permit list for September 12008. Approved resolution #08-51 to set rubbish collection rate \$14.50 per household per month) effective December 1, 2008.

Approved resolution to approve bid from S.L.C. Meter Service Inc. of Davisburg, Michigan to install Neptune meters. Approved resolution to approve purchase of one Allis Chalmer Pump from Kennedy Industries for District 3 Booster Station. Approved request to accept proposed Comprehensive Pla Amendments for review and comment and authorized Secretary of Planning Commission to distribute proposed Comprehensive Plan Amendments in accordance with Section 41 of the Michigan Planning enabling Act (PA. 33 of 2008).
Approved resolution for approval of an ordinance to amend zoning ordinance RZ 08-02 Mantibeller Park Amendment, for firs

Approved resolution for approval of an ordinance to omend zoning ordinance RZ 08-03 Lillie Park Amendment, for first reading. Approved resolution for approval of an ordinance to amend zon ing ordinance RZ 08-04 Preserve Park (North of Textile) Amend ment, for first reading. Approved resolution for approval of an ordinance to amend zon

ing ordinance RZ 08-05 Marsh View Meadows Park Amendment for first reading Unfinished Business: Approved resolution to correct parce identification number for CRS Realty Company Industrial Devel

opment District.
New Business: Approved resolution #08-50 to transfer IF certificate #97-290 for an existing facility, located at 4843 Run way Bivd., Ann Arbor, from Creative Automation to Guedel, ELC. Approved request to name former Hickory Woods Golf Course Hickory Woods Pork and recognized Ann Kovacs and Stephanic Buttrey as name the park contest winners.

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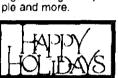
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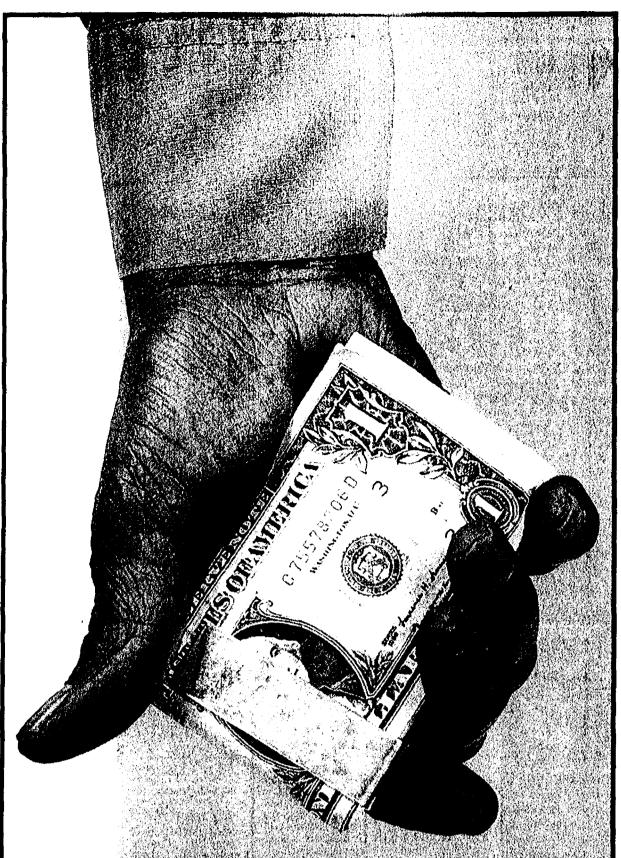
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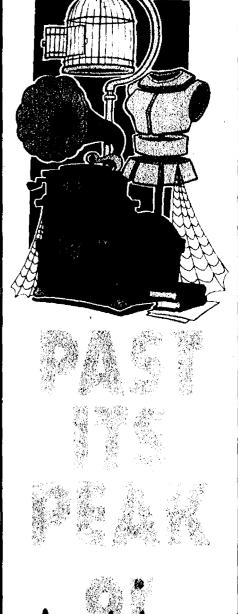
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# Faith: U-Turns, You-Turns & I-Turns

By Jeff Crowder

I drove into our parking lot this morning. There was still snow on the ground from last night. I noticed my vehicle was the second one to make tracks today. The first vehicle hadn't stayed, however. It simply drove into the lot, turned around and left.

That's not uncommon for us. Because our building is located a short distance from an exit off of I-94, many people use our lot as a turn around.

That may bother some of our congregants, but I haven't heard any. And I kind of like the symbolism.

A place where people can turn their lives around and begin to head in a new direction.

Isn't that one picture of what The Church at its best'is meant to be? I think so.

And this is the season for turnarounds. I know many in our culture will look for making changes Jan. 1 with New Year's Resolutions. Prophet Isaiah called the people And that's great.

But on the Christian calendar we are in a time period called Advent. Advent means "a coming or arrival" (Webster's Concise Dictionary).

Advent is the season when we:

1. Remember God in Christ Jesus are preparations for us to make. coming to earth as a little, helpless Baby

2. Anticipate God showing up into our regular, everyday lives

3. Anticipate Christ's return to earth again at the consummation of all things

Long before Jesus was born, the to, "Prepare a pathway for the Lord's coming! Make a straight road for him!" (Isaiah 40:3 NLT)

Isaiah was trying to get people ready for an Advent.

Advent says that while God's arrival into our lives is a gift, there

Advent says that while God is the main character, we have a part to play prior to God's arrival.

One way we play our part is making U-turns.

Or maybe a You-turn.

Of course, it is always easier to see where other people need to turn around, isn't it?

"You can a better parent." "You should be a more supportive wife."

"You could be a more attentive husband."

"You ought to be a better friend." But I don't think Advent is about

correcting others. Our fixation upon others' faults is what Jesus refers to when he mentions getting the plank out of my own eye before I try to help you get the speck out of yours. Ouch.

No, advent is probably more about I-Turns. (To my knowledge, Apple has not coined the phrase yet. But if they do, would you be my

witness that we thought of it first?) Advent gives me a chance to ask, "What could I do to prepare for God's coming into my life?" And . . .

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# Chelsea Market expands with wine & art gallery

The New Chelsea Market ceeds, but all of the money boutique grocer, is expandexpansion with a holiday grateful." benefit event for Chelsea Community Hospital and their Patient Assistance from 6 to 9 p.m. on Wednesday.

and available at The New Chelsea Market.

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not just giving us the pro- Gallery was born.'

in downtown Chelsea, a they collect. It will go to help so many of our patients ing with an additional 900 who need assistance in paysquare feet of space. The ing for their medical servicstore will celebrate the es. We are elated and very fixtures that accommodate local

their many fine wines, sam- DeTroyer built the fixtures plings of a new line of pre-Fund, open to the public pared foods, and fresh Zingerman's desserts, the event will promote fine art Tickets are \$25 per person from local artists (thus the Wine & Art Gallery theme).

"We had this great space The Market owners feel next door that used to be the event is an opportunity an art gallery," says coto give back to the commu-owner Kevin Riley. "We nity. And CCH Marketing & decided to expand into the Development Director Judy space so we could increase Stratman wholeheartedly our wine visibility while displaying wine in a "This is a wonderful and gallery like setting. Then generous gesture from the we thought, why not show New Cheisea Market," work from some our many Stratman said. "People talented local artists? need to know that they are Thus, the Wine & Art



Kevin Riley and his wife Francisca Fernandez are co-owners of the New Chelsea Market.

# **Money Talk**

# Local lenders suggest folks recognize rates

By Sean Dalton Staff Writer

A small sub-set of people who should be taking advantage of falling mortgage rates are doing so.

What about the rest? Mary Pierce, owner of The Home Lending Center in Dexter, says it's just a

matter of awareness. "We've gotten a few phone calls from people who are on top of it," she said. "I've had people with (Adjustable Rate Mortgages) just waiting for a lower rate. They're calling me because that's

been on their minds." Pierce wonders how many people with banks that have been in turmoil during the recent financial crisis have been properly informed.

Average rates on a 30year-fixed-rate mortgage fell to 5.97 percent from 6.33 percent last week, according to Bankrate.com. Some brokers see low 5 percent rates on the horizon.

Borrowers with an average loan of \$200,000 would save \$63 a month if their interest rate dropped to 5.5 percent from 6.

Chelsea State Bank's John Mann says he has seen the Bankrate.com numbers, too.

"We agree, for most people, now is a good time to convert from an adjustable rate mortgage to a fixed rate one as rates fell pretty abruptly last week in general financial markets," Mann

Mann added that while he personally doesn't look at

## What to know

A good candidate for a refinance is a homeowner who:

• Has good credit.

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· Has enough cash to pay the closing costs.

When homeowners got mortgages two to five years ago many of them:

 Got away with exaggerating their incomes.

· Had terrible credit · Made no down pay-

ments or tiny down pay-· Overpaid for their

houses.

Who can refinance? Those who have fixed-rate mortgages

above 6 percent. • Those who have adjustable-rate mortgages and want to flee to the security of a fixedrate loan.

Source: Bankrate.com.

the secondary mortgage market much, it would "make sense that those rates would drop along with the

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and display dozens of indi- DeTroyer. In addition to showcasing vidual bottles of wine. out of recycled wood and old signs salvaged from the area.

> "It's been a blast to build these wooden displays and

To help create a "gallery" a thoughtful use of recycled local Celtic trio, String from our customers. It's feel to the space, Riley con- materials. Plus, it's a wontracted with Rick De'Iroyer, derful collaboration when a well-known local artist, to local businesses get activecreate special wall mount ly involved with the arts and artists,"

> patrons at the neighboring Chelsea Gallery with an I are very happy to be a part opportunity to sample of this community and very dozens of wines while thankful for the wonderful or click 734-719-4700 or enjoying the sounds of the response we have received www.newchelseamarket.com.

Cheese. Tours of the market's new space will follow and guests may enter to win and it's time to say thank one of many door prizes.

"We have some nice giveaways and other goodies in "Francisca (Fernandez) and

been a year and a half since we took over the business you...what better way to do it than a with party."

Riley and his wife The evening starts for the works," says Riley. Francisca Fernandez purchased the store in August

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# HERITAGE NEWSPAPERS

EBERLE, HAROLD M.: age 92; of Tecumseh; died Tuesday, December 2, 2008 in Bixby Medical Center, Adrian. He was born on May 6, 1916 in Saline, MI, the son of Michael and Mollie (Robison) Eberle. He married Lois H. Collins on March 19, 1965 and she preceded him in death on November 20, 1991. Harold was a Supervisor at Tecumseh Products for 32 years retiring in the late 1980. He enjoyed gardening, woodworking, fishing LAMBERT, NANCY and spending time with his family and many friends. Chelsea, Michigan; age 83; died Wednesday, Novem-He will be greatly missed by all those who knew and ber 26, 2008 at Chelsea loved him. He is survived Community Hospital. Nanby four sons, Richard cy was born August 28, Optimist Club, Athletic On May 20, 1943, Leonard (Tammy) Eberle, Steve 1925 in Philadelphia, Boosters, Village Council, married Malena E. Renz Eberle and James (Tracy) Pennsylvania, the daugh- Fire Department and and she preceded him in Eberle all of Tecumseh ter of George P. and Sara and Randy (Kathy) Eberle S. (Strange) Boggs. On Febof Saline; three daughters, ruary 14, 1948, she married

Sharon Eberle of Ypsilan- Roy F. Lambert at the Cal-

ti, Shelia (Jan) Losee of Sa-vary Orthodox Presby-

line and Shirley (Kevin) terian Church in Willow

Bordine of Tecumseh; 18 Grove, PA, and he sur-

grandchildren, 19 great vives. Nancy was a gradu-

grandchildren, and 1 great ate of University of Penn-

great son. In addition to sylvania (BS) and Michigan

his parents and wife, Har-State University (M.Ed).

old was preceded in death Residing in Waterford for

by 5 brothers and 4 sisters. 33 years, she taught ele-

At Harold's request, Cre- mentary school for 23

mation has taken place, years and was an active

Burial of the cremated re- member of Lakeland Unit-

ed Presbyterian Church

where her husband was

pastor. After retirement,

Roy and Nancy moved to

Chelsea in 1992. They

spent many joyous sum-

mers at their cottage on

Torch Lake (Bellaire).

Nancy was a member of

Westminster Presbyterian

Church in Ann Arbor and

attended the Church in the

Hills in Bellaire. She was

an avid gardener who

loved her flowers. She

loved children, especially

her grandchildren and

great grandchildren. Nan-

Nicky

grandchildren,

KNIEPER, STELLA MA-RIE; 87; of Clinton; died Monday, November 24, 2008 in Ann Arbor, Michigan. She was born December 10, 1920 in Deerfield, Michigan the daughter of Dale and Susie (Iott) Diver. Stella married Aloysius Paul Knieper on October 12, 1940; he preceded her in death on January 30, 1996. Stella was a member of St. Dominic's Church of Clinton for many years. She was a member of the Clinton Red Hatters and an avid Euchre player. Stella is survived by a daughter, Markietta Hensel of Pocatello, Idaho; four sons, Aloysius Dean Knieper of Pocatello, Idaho, Kenneth Knieper of Denver Colorado, Rodney (Janis) Knieper of Ashland, Ohio, and Larry Knieper of Aurora, Colorado; one son-in-law Jim (Linda) Devine of Dexter, Michigan; 13 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Aloysius, 4 sisters. 3 brothers. 1 son. Wayne and 1 daughter, Winona Devine. Cremation has taken place and no Service has been scheduled at this time. Condo-

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cy's home was always full of music. Other survivors include a son, Timothy (Debbie) Lambert of Waterford; two daughters, Township, Nancy Jean (Tiof Greenville, NC; five grandchildren, Moore, Nathaniel, Kimberly and Cassandra Vachon; Marta Lambert; and three Skyler, Alexa, and Billy. She was preceded in death by a brother, Richard Boggs. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday December 27th, at 11 a.m. at Westminster Presbyterian Church, Ann Arbor, with Rev. Stephen Carl officiating. A Luncheon will follow the Service. Burial will be at Westminster Memorial Garden, Ann Arbor. Memorial contributions may be made to Westminster Presbyterian Church, World Vision sociation lences may be offered to

worldvision.org or the American Lung As-

midlandlung.org Arrangements by Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea.



#117. Besides his wife of 58 years, Ted is survived by his children, Gary (Janice) Stautz of Manchester, Karen (Tom) Marshall of Canadian Lakes, MI, Larry (Lori) Stautz of Manchester; St. Johns, MI; five grand- ter, Natalie Suggs, Holly Stautz, Jennifer Stautz, and Ryan Stautz; one great grandchild, Bailey Suggs. He was preceded in death Stautz. Memorial dona-Department or American Legion Post #117. Envelopes will be available at the Borek Jennings Funeral Home, Jenter Chapel, Manchester where family will receive friends on Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. and Friday from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. A Sara Lambert of Hamburg tek officiating. Interment 2008 from 10 a.m. until Oak Grove Cemetery. time of Service at 11 a.m. bor Hortobagyi) Lambert Please sign Ted's guestbook at

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To place a Death Notice Please call 1-877-888-3202 or Fax to 1-877-213-2987 THEORDORE UPHAUS, LEONARD L.; LEIGHTEN; age 86; of Scio Twp., MI; age 90; died Manchester; passed away at home on Monday, Deat home on November 24, cember 1, 2008 surrounded 2008. Mr. Stautz was born by his family. He was born on September 6, 1922 in on July 18, 1918 in Free-Manchester the son of dom Township, MI, the son Leon and Cora (Hoelzer) of Bert and Alma (Alten-Stautz. He married Norma bernt) Uphaus. Leonard Wurster on July 22, 1950 was a member of Bethel

and she survives. Ted was United Church of Christ in a Partner of Manchester Freedom Township and Tool & Die and Manches- was a life-long farmer in ter Stamping and currently Scio Township, belonging owner of the Manchester to the Washtenaw County Car Wash. He was a mem- Farm Bureau and the ber of the Emanuel United Michigan Milk Producers. Church of Christ. Ted was He served in the United dedicated to Manchester States Army during W.W. II and generously contribut- in the European Theater ed his time in the commu- as a Corporal and was nity. He belonged to the awarded the Bronze Star. American Legion Post death on September 1, 1991. Survivors include his son, Gerald (Beverly) Merz; granddaughter, Julie (Dan) Schaible; three grandsons, Steven (Gail) Merz, John (Monica) Merz, and Christopher (Kristin) Merz, ten sister, Juanita O'Leary of great grandchildren; sis-Ruby VanSickle; children, Matthew Stautz, brother, Ray Uphaus; several nieces and nephews and a good friend, Mary Bonisteel. He was preceded in death in addition to his wife, by a sister, Margaby his brother, Robert ret Ekin and a brother, Alan Uphaus. Funeral Sertions may be given to the vices will be held on Fri-Emanuel United Church of day, December 5, 2008 at 11 Christ, Manchester Fire a.m. at Bethel United Church of Christ in Freedom Twp. with Pastor Shirley Martinson, Officiating. Burial will follow at the Bethel Church Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Michigan or Bethel U.C.C. Building Fund. Envelopes will Healing Farewell Service be available at the Robiwill be on Saturday, No- son-Bahnmiller Funeral vember 29, 2008 beginning Home in Saline where with visitation at 10 a.m. friends may begin calling until the time of service at on Thursday, December 4, 11 a.m. at the Emanuel 2008 from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 United Church of Christ to 8 p.m. and at the Church with Reverend Gary Kwia- on Friday, December 5,





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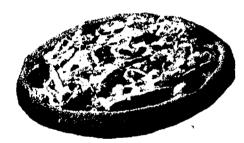
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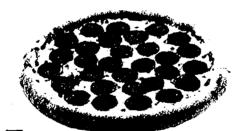
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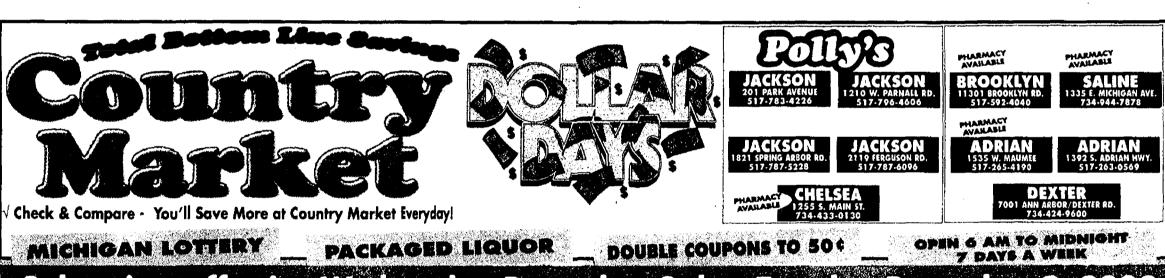
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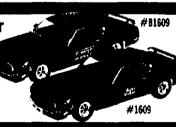
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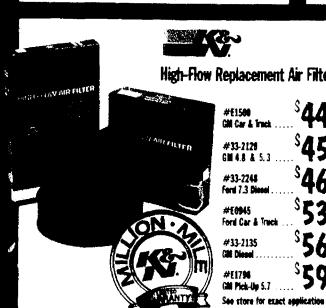
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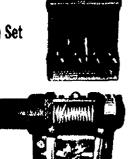
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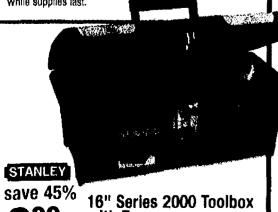
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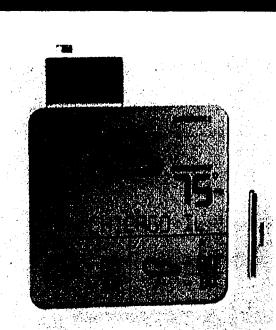
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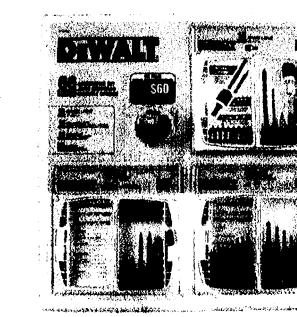
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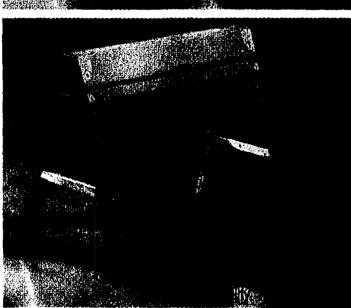
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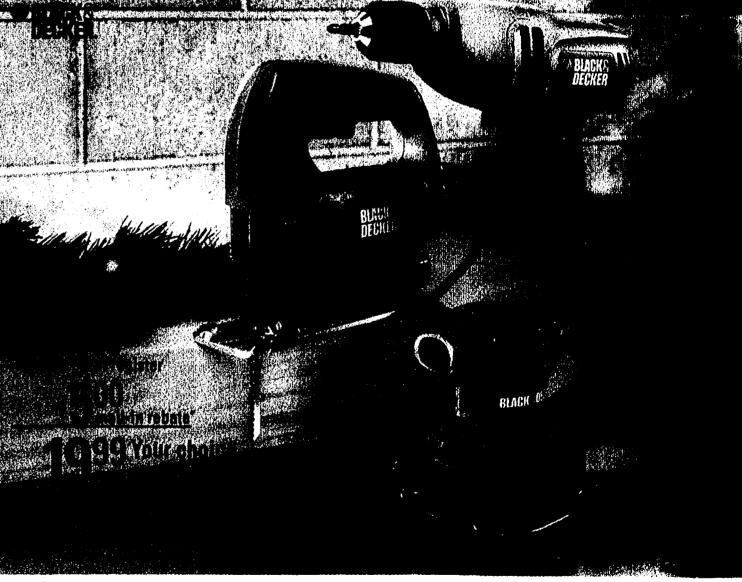


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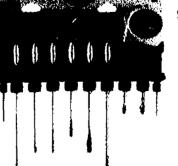
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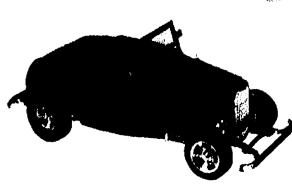


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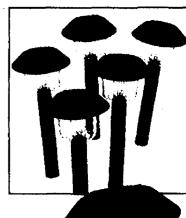


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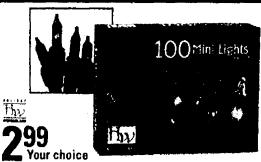
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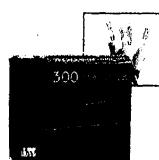
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999 Your chaice 300-Ct. Icicle Light Set Two 150-ct. strands, each 19' long. Clear, multicolor or blue. T 523 084, 407 426, 335 B12

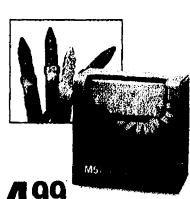


HangMan Light Hanging System Includes 25 fixed clips, 7%' pole and pole topper. T 711 689 86 12-Pk. HangMan Clips 7.99 T 711 788 B24

All items on this page A6 True Value. are available while supplies last.

### Make the switch to LED holiday lighting

- Saves energy (uses 80%-90% less) Ultra long life (rated up to 20 years!)
- Safe, cool to the touch
- All-weather/water-resistant



35-Ct. M5 Pinecone LED Light Sets Green cord. Assorted color lights. T 644 106, 086, 056, 072, 064, 094 B30

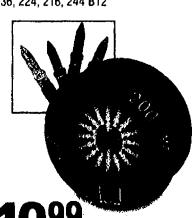


Double reflective for twice the light of regular LEDs

100-Ct. Twin Star **LED Light Set Multicolor** or white. T 465 404, 416 B10

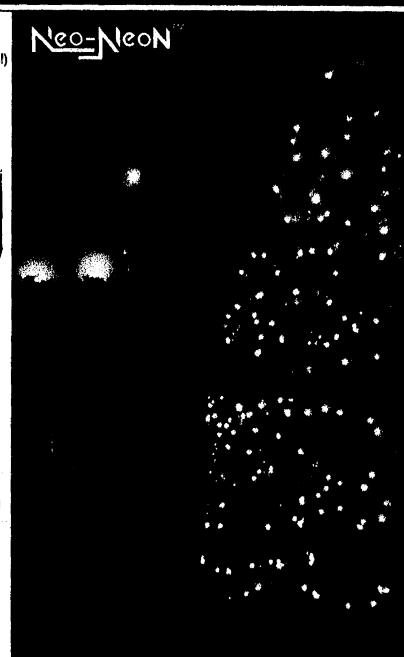


70-Ct. M5 Pinecone LED Light Sets Green cord. Assorted color lights, T 749 257, 236, 224, 216, 244 B12



Reusable storage reel

200-Ct. M5 Pinecone LED Light Set on Reel Cool white or multicolor. T 465 784, 743 6



For trees up to 7' tall, trunks up to 4%" dia.

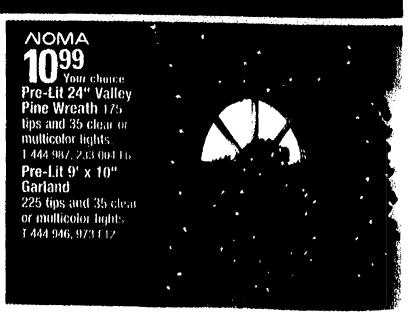


23" 4-Leg Steel Tree Stand T 462 820 B10

27" 4-Leg Steel Tree Stand 14.99 T 288 308 B5



**5**99 **Deluxe Light Set Tester** Traces circuit to Interruption. With 3-way bulb puller. T 271 483 F12



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100W Color Floodlight Bulb Choose blue, red or green. E 706 376, 392, 384 B12



**Outdoor Floodlight Holder** With a 6' cord. Includes mounting plate and stake. E 392 969 B18 Bulb not incl.

Plug-In Timer with Random On/Off On/off

Two on/two off settings per day. E 184 424 B12

Plug-In Timer 3.99 E 325 621 B12

times vary slightly to create a more "lived-in" look.



100W Halogen Floodlight Bulb Indoor or outdoor use. E 797 046 B6



Metal Outdoor Floodlight Holder ideal for holiday & accent lighting, 6' cord. E 705 424 B16 Bulb not incl.



4-Pc. Outdoor Lighting Accessory Kit 3-outlet yard stake with 6' cord, 20' extension cord, 2 floodlight holders. E 671 786 B6 While supplies last.



E 315 294 B12



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Photocell Outdoor Timer Turns on at dusk and off after 2, 4, 6 or 8 hours. E 825 205 B8 Outdoor Timer 2 on/off settings. E 185 485 B12





E 765 125, 790 855 B12

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A. 8', 16/3 Triple-Tap Light-Duty Extension Cord 4.99 E 765 174 B16 B. 20', 16/3 Light-Duty Extension Cord 4.99 Green or white.

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Cord 19.99 E 834 665 B4 White supplies last.





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