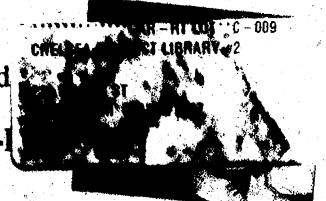


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Farmer's market opens for season

Customers flock to Main Street for fresh produce, flowers .

By Sean Dalton Heritage Newspapers

Karen Sjogren and her daughter Sophia love berries, asparagus, onions and peppers.

They love them so much that they want the very best, which they said is reason enough to visit the Chelsea Farmer's Market.

The market opened for the season at 8 a.m. Saturday and attracted more than 100 people despite early morning showers and gloomy weather.

You get a lot more food as

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more of the plants and flow-

with the season," Karen said. "The berries are our absolute favorite, but we look for the peppers and asparagus too - we love the farmer's market."

Back Forty Acres, LLC owner Stephanie Doll was onland selling duck eggs like hotcakes. She has been a Chelsea Farmer's Market participant for four

"Despite it being a cold first day of the season, we've seen a lot of people," Doll said. "As the season goes on it gets busier. the weather gets nicer and our selection grows."

In addition to duck eggs, Back Forty Acres was selling pasteurized honey.

Doll said the duck eggs are perfect for baking, since they make baked goods more moist and rich in flavor than chicken eggs due to a larger, thicker

deep orange yolk. Dry Bucket Farm co-owner Jack Larder's stall was picked clean with just three bundles of asparagus and a dwindling bag of chives left at the market's noon closing.

At 8 a.m. Larder had a table full of items including rhubarb, maple syrup, naturally colored

eggs and cilantro.
"This week we're sold out," Larder said.

He was touting his farm's collection of livestock, including Welsh mountain sheep, Peking ducks and araucana chickens, which laid the colored eggs that practically flew into people's shopping bags.

Larder wasn't complaining about the rain because his mind is always on the well being of his farm and his land.

"As farmers we need the rain so we're happy to have it," he said.

Market Director Mary Tobin thanked the Chelsea City Council and the Chelsea Police Department for making this year's opening day the safest the market has ever had.

The Chelsea Police cordoned



Photo by Sean Dalton

Jan Savde and Wade Pregitzer shop at the Chelesa Farmer's Market on Saturday.

off Park Street so visitors could walk to and from the market with no traffic interference, and vehicles could park on the curb and pull away without having to deal with oncoming traffic.

This is Tobin's first year as the director for the farmer's market. She stepped in for Debbie Rydzon, who held the

position for the past five years. "We have people who park (in

the public lot across from The Purple Rose Theatre) who're thinking about the market and not traffic," Tobin said. "You have drivers looking at the market and not looking at the streets."

Tobin said the street closure

has also given market operators more space across the street from the Purple Rose.

Right now we have 22 spaces along (Park Street on the Purple Rose side). We lost about four spaces, but we've more than made up for those on the other

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Black mold grows up the side of a wall.

Black mold forces family from home

Chelsea residents say insurance companies won't fund clean-up By Daniel Lai Heritage Newspapers

Chelsea resident Erin Lightfoot does not want to leave her modest residence off of Middle Street near the Jiffy plants in the heart of the city. However, an infestation of black mold throughout the home has forced Lightfoot, her husband, Timothy, and their one-year-old daughter Veronica to seek residence elsewhere.

"The mold is climbing up the walls, on our mattresses and on our dressers and we've been told there is no possible way to deal with it unless, we can come up with the \$20,000 to remove it," Lightfoot said. "We don't have that type of money lying

Five years ago, the family moved into their home unaware that flood damage from a burst pipe underneath the kitchen sink had been covered up.
"We could see that work was

being done on the home before we bought it," she said. "We were informed that all of the repairs had been made." However, Lightfoot said that

was not the case. 'Almost immediately we

started noticing mold on the walls in the bedroom," she said.

After contacting a mold inspection company, Lightfoot said inspectors determined that the cause of the mold was from a layer of wood between the freshly laid drywall that had been damaged in the flood.

Basically someone placed. new drywall over wet wood," she said. "We were told it could be removed but it would cost \$10,000 up front.

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Duo launch bookstore

Just Imagine opens in time for summer Sounds and Sights

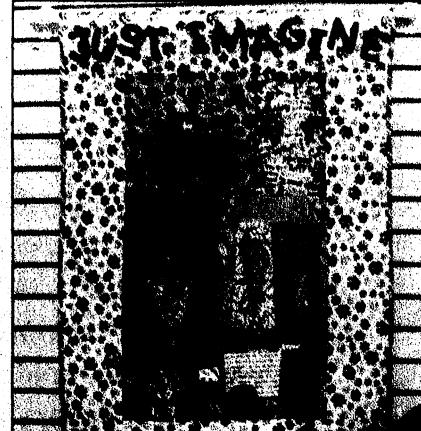
By Daniel Lai

Taking his love of books one step further, Chelsea resident William Harris opened his new store, Just Imagine, in Chelsea on Saturday.

The new retail store featuring books and toys, is located at 108 E. Middle St. in downtown Chelsea, in the space previously occupied by Resale Bliss and Cranesbill Books.

"I think it's important to have an independent book store in the community and I think it's an important part of the downtown business community." Harris said about his decision to open the store. "I definitely think an independent book store can work in Chelsea.

Though he would have liked to find a location on Main Street, Harris said the store's current location is well suited until business begins to pick up.



A handmade quilt hangs in the store's display area.

"We're close enough to the central hub of downtown and I think we can draw people in to visit," he said.

.The store is a first for Harris who is employing the help of

PLEASE SEE STORE/2-A

DeVol, Lehman win seats

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Chelsea residents Sally DeVol and Tammy Lehman were elected to the Chelsea Schools Board of Education Tuesday.

Both candidates ran unopposed for two open seats on the

As of press time, DeVol, who currently serves as board secretary, garnered 511 votes with six out of nine precincts reporting. "I remain committed to working to ensure that the Chelsea

School District does the best job it can to achieve educational goals one student at a time." DeVol said in a previous interview. 'As a board member, I support the four goals targeted by the board: to increase individual student achievement; maintain fiscal responsibility; promote interaction between the school district and the community; and maintain a positive

Lehman will fill current trustee Jon Bentley's position.

and sale school climate.

Bentley chose not to seek reelection to the board

Lehman garnered 519 votes with six of nine precincts reporting at press time. Lehman said she will work with the other trustees to maintain the district's fiscal stability while maintaining academic excellence by seeking alternative: forms of revenue.

Three write-in candidate votes were cast. Daniel Lai can be reached at

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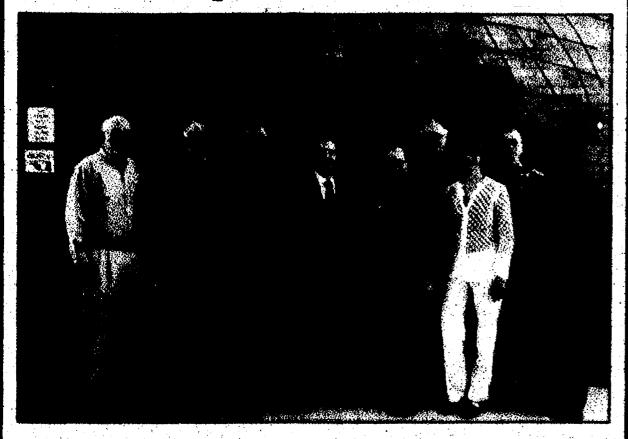
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side," Tobin said. She said the timing was perfect as this year the market will feature live entertainment provided by the Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce. There

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will also be children's activities and crafts available. There will be a children's

booth the second Saturday of each month so children can make a pot and plant to take. home. There will also be market basket giveaways the third Saturday of each month.

"There's something up here

for everyone, Tobin said. "It's not just to fill your grocery bag. It's other stuff."

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his friend Jeremy Montange to help manage the business.

"Jeremy has a lot of knowledge and experience in this type of work," Harris said.

With the bookstore in its infancy, Harris said the selection of books will grow with the customer base.

"Right now we are concentrating on games and children's books," he said. "I'm not sure what genres we will have. It will depend on not only what the customers want, but what they . will buy."

Harris said over the coming weeks, the store will continue to add to its selection and expand to include more variety.

"We wanted to set a deadline of May 1 to open or else it would not have gotten done," he said. "I'm really looking forward to it once we get going.

The store is open Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. and 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursdays during the summer Sounds and Sights series. It is also open 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturdays and noon to 3 p.m. on Sundays. The store is closed on Mondays.

Harris said his long-term goal is for the store to become a community center with book club gatherings, chess clubs, author signings and readings from the Purple Rose Theatre's apprentices.

"I want the store to help maintain the atmosphere of downtown Chelsea, and be the kind of place families want to stop in when they walk by," Harris said.

The second floor of the business also houses The Middle Bead, a small business that specializes in making and selling glass beads. The Middle Bead's

hours are 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. "I'm so excited to be back,"

owner Marc Rafferty said. Harris said eventually he will include used CDs for sale as well as CDs by local musicians.

"I'd also like to start selling some items for musical instruments such as guitar strings or brass mouth pieces," he said. "But that will have to come second to the books.

One benefit of a local book-

store is being able to place special orders for customers.

"Yes customers can go to Amazon.com and order online. but a lot of older residents do not like putting their credit card number on the Internet,' he said. "If they come to us, we can order anything they want, and we can usually get it shipped out quicker and cheaper."

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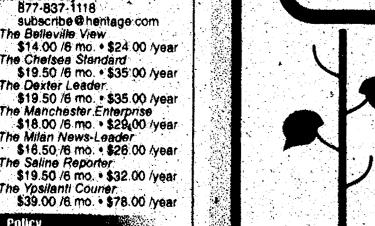
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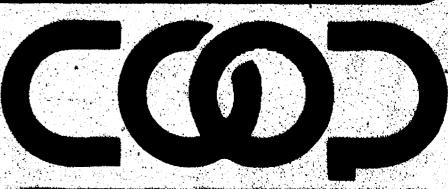


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The Lightfoots contacted the home's previous owners, who promised to contact their Allstate insurance agent on behalf of the family.

The previous owners were genuinely concerned, however, we never heard anything from Allstate and when we tried to call, Alistate wouldn't talk to

us," she said. With no recourse, the family also contacted their insurance agent through USAA.

They told us because damage was done by flooding, they wouldn't touch it," she said.

Now Lightfoot said she has begun to fear for her daughter's health.

Black mold is a term com-

monly used to describe a slimy greenish-black substance that can result in serious health risk. The mold, also known as Strachybotrys chartarum, has been closely linked to the death of babies from respiratory bleeding, and as a contributing factor to illnesses such as asthma and bronchitis. According to the Center for Disease Control. the mold is responsible for over 100 cases of lung disorders.

"Since moving here, our immune systems have been shot and we're constantly sick. I've never had asthma until moving into this house," she said. "Now I'm being told that my daughter will never get better as long as we live here.

Lightfood said she expects the house to be condemned once the family moves out later this month.

'We can't take out a mortgage on a new home because we still have a mortgage on this home," Lightfoot said. "Our best option

BRIEFLY

The Cancer Project, a national nonprofit dedicated to advancing cancer prevention through education and research, is offering a free four-session cooking course designed to help Chelsea residents prevent and survive cancer through proper diet and

nutrition. "The single casiest and best thing most of us can do to prevent cancer or its recurrence is to eat right," Jennifer Reilly, a senior nutritionist for The Cancer Project said. "More than a third of all cancer deaths in this country are due to poor

diet. Reilly said a low-fat vegetarian diet is beneficial to preventing cancer

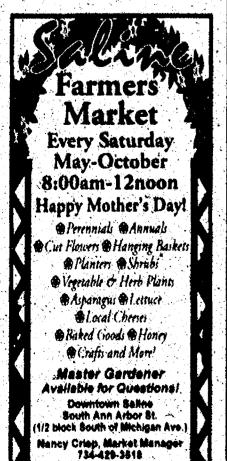
Load up on fruits, vegetables and whole grains," Reilly said.

Retily said the key to stay. ing healthy is cutting down on fatty foods and added fats and oils, particularly saturated fats, which have been linked to an increased risk of breast, colon and prostate cancer. Likewise, look for healthy substitutes for dairy products such as milk. cheese and yogurt, which have been implicated in the occurrence of breast and colorectal cancers.

The challenge, Reilly said, is not only to teach people which foods are good for them, but also to show them how to make the foods taste good. Each class. centers on important cancer nutrition topics as local cooking instructor Jan Kemp guides students through the preparation of tasty and easy-to-prepare recipes.

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is to take the hit on our credit and foreclose on the house."

Lightfoot said the family is planning on moving into a small condo in early May.

We didn't want to foreclose, but there was literally no way around this," she said. "We've done renovations to the kitchen, bathroom and bedrooms because we wanted this to be our permanent home. We love it here in Chelsea and I'm angry we have to leave.'

Lightfoot said she contacted the state attorney general's office for help.

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'They said unless we were in delinquency there wasn't much they could do," she said. "It doesn't make sense that in order for anyone to help you, you have to be at the bottom of the barrel.'

Lightfoot said she hopes someone will come forward with knowledge on how to help her family.

"We haven't been able to find anyone who can help us or who is willing to help us," she said. Daniel Lai can be reached at 429-7380 or diai@heritage.com.

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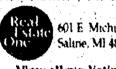
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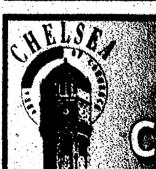
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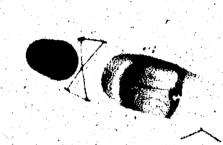
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Bryce Bradley, Jessi Bettaglia and Makayla Bradley pose as characters of the enchanted garden, the theme for Chelsea's prom.

Students dance the night away at CHS prom

By Alana West

It was a magical evening in an enchanted garden for prom attendees on Saturday night.

Dressed in tuxedos and gowns of every hue, delighted Chelsea High School seniors danced and wandered through a hall decorated by the junior

"The juniors put this on for the seniors, led by the Student Council. The seniors vote on the theme in December, and the juniors starf meeting in January," said Lisa Stebelton, who helped organize the prom this year.

Emma Argiroff a junior, was among those who nelped decorate for the prom.

"I worked on the forbidden forest and the cottage," she

Underclassmen dressed as characters among the decorations, which featured an enchanted forest complete with a girl's bathroom disguised as a fairy room. On the ceiling in the fairy room, a set of bicycle

wheels attached to a motor sent butterflies fastened to a wire circling through the air.

Pink gauze decorated the mirrors, and a pond with water lilies stood near the sinks. Silk flowers adorned the walls and candy dishes with Pixie Sticks stood on the counter.

"It's beautiful, and it's really pretty and glittery," sald junior Lauren Rainer. "They did a really nice job."

"I'm impressed," senior Devyn Trester said. "This is the best place yet. It's so pretty."

Back in the forest, lighted trees stood guard over huge fiber optic flowers glowing on the side of the walkway, which ended with a large picture of a

The boy's bathroom was decorated as a troll cave, complete with a troll and bats flying around. The walls were covered in red lights and black curtains to add to the feel.

"Four girls worked on (the troll's cave)," Stebelton said. "They had fun."

At the end of the forbidden

forest, a troll (teacher Adam French) waited to pounce on those walking through.

Past the forbidden forest was a maze that led back to the dance floor, which was the brainchild of sophomore Grace Lee, a Korean exchange student who painted corrugated cardboard in luminous colors and decorated them with a blue dragon, white tiger and a red phoenix which guard the east, west and south respectively according to Korean legend.

"The dragon has a blue pearl in its mouth that controls the rain and the trees." Lee explained.

She added that the tiger controls the earth and is sometimes cruel.

"I love art," Lee said. She said that her favorite part about being in Chelsea for

the past eight months is school. "I definitely liked Company C and working on the prom,"

she said. At the prom, she wore a traditional Korean dress.

'We don't have prom in

Korea," she said.

She said she had been asked to design decorations for a mirror, but misunderstood and designed a maze instead.

"She worked on it entirely on her own," Stebelton said. "She put at least 20 hours into it,"

Junior Sean Stalhandske and Sophomore Kristen Bokros walked through the maze on their tour of the decorated walkways.

"It might top last year's prom. I went on a walk through last year." Bokros said.

The walls of the dance floor were hung with dark material. and decorated with flowers and garden fences. A larg three-dimensional waterfall decoration stood off to the side. near the cottage, where refreshments were served.

Bryce Bradley, his sister Makayla and Jessi Battaglia stood near the waterfall in the enchanted forest. They were dressed as gnomes and fairies to complete the enchanted garden theme.

"My aunt runs (the prom)."

Philip Artiogast-Wilson and Alexandra Shipley take a walk through the enchanted forest at Chelsea's prom.

Bryce said, "I didn't have a choice about whether to be here. But I do like it.'

Senior Josh McKenzie was excited to attend this year's

"The prom looks good," he

said. "It took me 15 minutes to get dressed. This is my second prom. I like the colors and the theme. I'm going to dance

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Hiebers tend to the fields, ready to plant

By Daniel Lai Her tage treaspapers

Favorable weather conditions in parts of southeast Michigan are giving some farmers the chance to get some early fieldwork done for the planting season.

At Hieber Farm in Washtenaw County, Ken and Charles Hieber are busy getting their fields ready to plant feed corn and soybeans in the coming weeks.

'We have about 350 acres set aside for corn," Charles Hieber said. "Right now, we've been busy dropping fertilizer and tilling the ground to get it ready for the

Hieber said he had originally planned to get the seeds into the ground last weeks, but forecasts of rainstorms throughout the weekend forced him to wait a little longer.

'It's still a little early to start planting," he said. "If we planted today and it start. ed raining, it would pack the seeds too deep. So, we're just waiting it out to see what the. weather is going to do.

According to the USDA, the standard guideline for determining the earliest planting date for corn is when the morning soil temperature at a 2-inch soil depth is 55 degrees Fahrenheit at a 6-inch soil depth. Planting before the soil temperature is warm enough for germination greatly increases the potential for stand failure.

Soil temperature may vary depending upon soil texture, slope, color and amount and type of crop residue. However, randomly measuring soil temperature with a



thermometer within a field provides a reliable indicator of desirable conditions for stand establishment.

The USDA reports that corn produces highest yields when planted within four to five weeks after soil temperature is warm enough for germination.

Once weather conditions · improve, Hieber said planting the corn and soybeans doesn't take much time.

'It's not like the early days: when everything was done

without machines," he said. Ken Hieber said he still remembers watching his father plant corn in his fields

using a horse drawn plow. Today, farmers like the Hiebers use seeders. The type of seeder varies per farm. There are air seeders, and disc seeders. Kernets are placed about 6 inches apart with row spacing of 12 inches.

"Compared to back in the early days, equipment today is state-of-the-art," Charles said.

Charles said corn seed is planted 1 1/2 to 2 inches deep: depending on soil moisture. Any deeper and it could cause problems for the crop as it grows: Shallow planting often leads to root development problems. The origina-

tion point of the nodal root system is moved upward when corn seed is not planted deep enough. Corn seed placed less than 1 inch deep will develop nodal roots at or above the soil surface. This exposes these roots to factors such as hot, dry soil, herbi-cide injury, and insect predation which can significant impede root development.

"Once the seeds are planted, then nature pretty much takes over, provided the corn is planted early enough in spring so that it gets enough growing days," Charles said. "Feed corn has a short growing season. We plant now and harvest in October.

Charles said the family plants close to 350 acres in corn and 350 acres in soy-

To ensure the best yield every year, he said the family keeps a close eye on their crops every day.

"Deer and turkey are our biggest problem. Canadian geese are also starting to be a nuisance," he said: "Two years ago, we planted some extra acres of corn so the geese would eat that and stay out of our fields.

He said there are not many ways to detour wild animals from eating the crops.

"You can get hunting permits from the Department of Natural Resources, but you have to follow some strict regulations," he said. "It's more of hassle than it's really worth, unless the deer get really bad."

They also have to monitor soybean crops for bugs and aphids, which is plant lice.

"We'll be spraying for weeds and monitoring the soybeans," he said.



Ken Hieber tills the soil on his farm with a tractor and plow before planting begins in May.

"Soybeans are always going to have some aphids on them, but if they get too heavy, they can suck the juice right out of the plant and kill it.

The actual planting takes thoughtful planning to prevent damage to the soil

"if you're not careful, you can drain the nutrients right out of the soil. You have to treat it good so it treats you good," he said. "That's why. we are fertilizing the ground now to get it ready to plant?"

Charles said the Hiebers like to use a regular rotation of beans and corn because the crops produce greater yields.

"You can't grow tobacco or cotton here and you have to . think of what's in the area." he said. "If everyone grew the same thing, it would be

worthless to sell?

In the summer, the Hiebers also will begin harvesting wheat they planted in the fall.

"The opportune time to plant wheat is in the fall because the plant needs the winter to grow," Bonnie Hieber said. "It goes dormant in the winter and in the spring, it starts growing again."

Once harvesting season begins, Charles said he and Ken could be out in the fields from morning until dusk.

"With the soybeans, you want a dry yield. So, if you have several wet days in the fall and you get a dry spell, you could be out there in the field working until you can't work anymore," he said. "It

makes for some long days." A good year produces 150

"Mother Nature is going to tell you what you're going

per acre.

to get," Charles said. "We've had 200-bushel years and we've had 100-bushel years." One bushel equals 58

pounds of corn and 60 pounds of soybeans, he said. With the rigorous sched-

ule, Hieber said there isn't much time to plan family vacations or extended time away from the farm.

"You can't just pack up and go somewhere for a week," he said. "There are slower months where you can afford to take time and go somewhere for a long weekend just to get a break from it.

"It's definitely not like a nine to five job. Daniel Lai can be reached at 429-7380 or diai@heritage.

Obama challenges graduates at U of M

By Daniel Lai Herlage Newspapers

Thousands of University of Michigan graduates and family members poured into Michigan Stadium Saturday to hear President Barack Obama deliver the keynote address for the class of 2010.

Addressing the country's 'poisonous political climate," Obama urged graduates not to lose faith in democracy.

Politics has never been for the thin-skinned or the faint-of-heart, and if you enter the arena, you should expect to get roughed up," he said. "Moreover, democracy in a nation of more than 300 million people is inherently difficult. It has always been noisy and messy contentious and complicated.

'We've battled over the meaning of individual freedom and equality since the Bill of . Rights was drafted. As our economy has shifted emphasis from agriculture to industry to information, to technology, we have argued and struggled at each and every juncture over the best way to ensure that all of our citizens have a shot at opportunity."

However, Obama said Americans must learn to set their political views aside to work toward the betterment of society for democracy to grow and flourish.

"Walk in someone else's shoes," he said. "If you find yourself only hanging around with people of your race or your ethnicity or your religion, broaden your circle to include people who've had different backgrounds and life experi-

This democracy we have is a precious thing. For all the arguments and all the doubts and all the cynicism that's out there today, we should never forget that as Americans. we enjoy more freedoms and opportunities than citizens in any other nation on Earth. We are free to speak our mind and worship as we please. We are free to choose our leaders, and criticize them if they let us down. We have the chance to get an education, and work hard, and give our children a better life.

"None of this came easy. None of this was preordained. The men and women who sat in your chairs 10 years ago and 50 years ago and 100 years ago - they made America possible through their toil and their endurance. Their success, and America's success, was never a given. And there is no guarantee that the graduates who will sit in these same seats 10 years. from now ... will enjoy the same freedoms and opportunities that you do. You, too, will

U of M student Josie Morris said she thought the president's speech was informative.

have to strive.

"He touched on a lot of issues and helped us to focus on our future," she said. "I am very excited that he came to speak with us today.

Ashlee Arder said she thought Obama's speech was appropriate for the graduates. 'I'm glad he didn't talk about

political issues," she said. "I

think his speech was relevant to the graduating class. He was very insightful and helpful, and he was funny. I didn't know he could be so funny."

Student Keith Horlingshed said the president's speech was uplifting.

When he talked about looking at things from a different point of view that stood out for me," he said. "It was interesting to hear how he wants to work with both political parties to help out America."

Jake Holmes said he appreciated the president's challenge.

"It's great that he is challenging all of us to be better people

in our communities," he said. "I expected him to talk a little more about Michigan's economy, but I thought his speech was very thoughtful."

Obama concluded his speech by echoing the late President John'F. Kennedy's dream for America.

"If you are willing, as past generations were willing, to contribute part of your life to the life of this country, then L. like President Kennedy, believe we can. Because I believe in you," he said.

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Thousands of University of Michigan graduates listen and wetch intently as President Barack Obame delivers his commencement speech from the podium at Michigan Stadium.

Obama commissions ROTC grads at ceremony

Nearly 92,000 graduates and spectators rose to their feet Saturday when President Barack Obama stepped to the podium to administer the oath of office to his newest junior military officers at the University of Michigan's spring commencement.

In all, 14 Army ROTC cadets became lieutenants when Ohama delivered the oath. Other cadets from the Air Force, Navy and Marine Corps ROTC programs also were commissioned.

Army cadet Joseph Ewald II, a prior-service cadet and history major, said the experience was "amazing." Ewald recited his oath five years to the day that he first enlisted in the Army.

"I had a lot of naysayers who said I'd never make it in the Army" Ewald said. "Here I am today being commissioned as an officer by the president of the United States.

Having Obama administer the oath is the ultimate reward for a ton of hard work, said Adrienne Gibson, a cadet who will now serve as an officer in the same Army field as her father, a career non-commissioned officer and military policeman.

"I wasn't sure if I'd get to serve in the military police branch or

not," Gibson said. "It was in the back of my mind, though. When I found out, I called my dad and surprised him.'

Gibson said her family, some of whom traveled from Alahama to see the commencement, were very excited to see her commissioned by the president.

"I would never have dreamed I'd have the commander-in-chief commission me," she said.

At a pre-commissioning ceremony held Friday before graduation, family members of the 14 Army cadets turned out to celebrate and pin ranks on the cadets. Ryan Park's father, mother and brother journeyed from South Korea to be present.

"I never expected to have the honor of swearing in by the president," Park said. "My family is extremely proud, especially my dad. He was a noncommissioned officer in the South Korean

The other 10 Michigan cadets who were commissioned Saturday were Aaron Brumbaugh, Kelly Carbary Daniel Jones, Benjamin Karek, Steven Lewis, Richard Moreno, Christian Snyder, Jason Waller, Nathan Wellein and Mercedes Xia.



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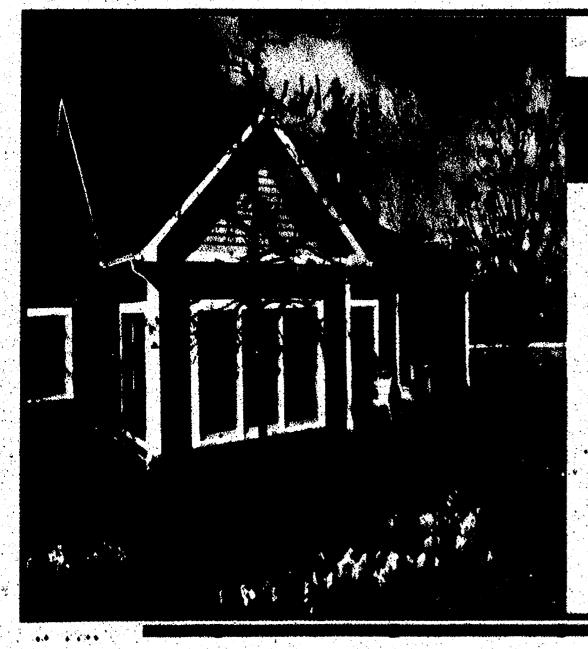
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OTHER VOICES: By Janet Trautwein

Repeal of legislation will drive up insurance costs, harm competition

With Congress' recent historic vote on health reform. it's tempting to think that the 15month health reform debate has finally drawn to a close.

Not in the least. The Senate must now consider several separate measures passed by the House, including a bill that would repeal the exemption that insurance companies receive from certain federal antitrust regulations.

Proponents of scrapping the antitrust exemption claim that it will make the health insurance market more competitive. But as the Congressional Budget Office, among others, has concluded, repealing the exemption would do little to reduce health insurance premiums, In fact, it would stifle competition among insurers and drive up premiums for many Americans.

First, some background. In 1945, Congress passed the McCarran-Ferguson Act, which afforded insurers protection from federal antitrust laws for activities considered to be "the business of insurance." The law basically recognizes that individual states - not the feds - are responsible for regulating

insurance. Critics of the insurance

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industry claim that the antitrust a tremendous advantage over exemption hamstrings competition by allowing one or two big insurers to dominate the mar-

ketplace. But McCarran does nothing of the sort. Instead, it charges states with regulating insurance companies and enforcing consumer protection laws to safe guard their residents against price-fixing or other unfair collusion. State regulators are empowered to punish insurers who violate contracts or refuse to pay claims. And the feds can intervene if they suspect insurers of engaging in boycott, intimidation, or coercion.

Ironically, without McCarran. consumers would likely have fewer insurance choices and face higher premiums.

The antitrust exemption allows insurers to create organizations called ratings bureaus through which they can share information about claims histories, payout histories, projections of future losses, and all kinds of other data.

In other industries, sharinginformation with competitors would constitute collusion. After all, if Coke and Pepsi started coordinating their business strategies, they would gain

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the rest of the market and could exercise their market power to the detriment of consumers.

But the insurance industry is totally different. The ability to share information with other insurers actually encourages companies to enter the marketplace.

When insurers set their rates, they first consult data about how much other companies paid out in previous years and how others are modeling future payouts. Using this data, they can estimate their own future losses and thus determine how much they need to charge in order to remain financially solvent.

The more data they have at their disposal, the more accurate those estimates are. That leads to stable premiums — to the benefit of both consumers and insurers.

Not only does such informationsharing ensure that premiums are fair, it also promotes competition by helping smaller insurance companies gain access to data they wouldn't otherwise have. Such competition leads to lower premiums and provides consumers with more choices. If Congress scraps the anti-

trust exemption, the feds likely would prohibit insurance companies from sharing their data. The Congressional Research Service predicts that smaller insurers would consequently be forced from the market, as they would lack access to the data they needed to ensure that they could cover their obligations to

their customers. Repealing the exemption would also unleash a wave of costly litigation. Insurers would find themselves reporting to both federal and state regulators, who may have different requirements. Money that could be directed to premium relief for consumers would instead become tied up in the legal

Antitrust authorities are supposed to foster competition. In this case, they'd actually undermine it.

Lawmakers should halt their misguided attack on McCarran and work for reform that actually encourages competition among insurers and reduces health insurance premiums.

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sun Takt: Editorial Proposed legislation an assault on the public's right to know

complicated series of bills pending in the state
Legislature is, at best, misguided and, at worst, a
biatant assault on the public's right to know.
House Bills 5845, 5847, 5848, 5853, 5916 and 5917 are
pitched as efforts to save municipalities money. However, the savings will be minimal, if at all, and citizens' access to what

their local governments are doing will be severely limited.

The six-bill package would allow cities, townships, villages and county cierts to satisfy the requirement of publishing legal notices in a newspaper merely by posting the announcements in one of three ways. One way is on a municipality's website. Another is posting on the website of a newspaper and the third is placing them on a public education and government channel.

These bills have many problems.

First, not everyone in a municipality may have access to cable television or a computer, both of which are needed to view legal notices through one of the three options.

Also, there's the question of how much money a community will actually save. A check of various municipalities across the state by the Michigan Press Association in the fall of 2009 showed that the cost of these notices constituted, on

average, only 0.0005 percent of a general fund budget.
Yet, there will have to be staff members assigned to post
the notices online and with the cable channels. And these

employees don't come cheap.

But the larger issue is that these notices are legal documents. Any notice published on a government run website would open the door to legal challenges because of the lack of ability to prove publication. An ink-on-paper, hard-copy notice published in an independent publication provides

This proposed package of bills would eliminate due pro-cess for the taxpaying citizens in the communities that decide to opt out of putting their notices in local newspapers. We are disturbed that several legislators are co-sponsors of one or more of these ill-advised and freedom of information

Representatives who should know better than to support this legislation are Vicki Barnett, D-Farmington Hills; Tom McMillin, R-Rochester; Mary Knollenberg, R-Troy; James Marieau, R-Holly; and Gail Haines, R-Waterford Township, Rep. Eileen Kowall, R-White Lake Township is officially

still listed as a co-sponsor, but she tells us she is und We hope that translates into a "no" decision soon. Also, Peter Lund, R-Shelby Township, in Macomb County

Also, Peter Lund, R-Shelby Township, in Macomb County is the main and only sponsor of two of the bills.

All of these legislators need to seriously rethink their positions and help kill the bills.

Also, on May 12, the House Judiciary Committee will conduct hearings on this legislation. Several representatives on this committee would also serve their constituents well if they reject the bills. These legislators include Lisa Brown, D-West Bloomfield Township; Eileen Cogen-Lipton, D-Huntington Woods; Marc Corriveau, D-Northville; Tory Rocca, R-Sterling Heights; and Kowall.

We're greatly disappointed in these legislators for supporting these bills, but their backing doesn't have to continue and we strongly urge them to change their positions.

In the meantime, residents should also contact their leaders to let their opposition be strongly heard.

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So what's involved? You need to send HVA information about family members with specific medical problems. The information is entered into HVA's dispatch system and is then made available to the operators at the

9-1-1 emergency center. Dispatchers can then relay the information to responding paramedics before they arrive on

the scene. So, who should register for this paramedic alert service?

Anyone with significant health problems, physical disabilities or an infant on a special "apnea" monitor for premature babies.

You can also include medical conditions such as Alzheimer's, diabetes or autism on the form.

Register at http://www.hva. org/Programs/ParamedicAlert/ ParamedicAlertEnrollmentForm. htm, or if you'd rather write the information by hand, visit the site and there's a form to fill out and a

paper copy will be sent to you. It's important to make sure the information is correct because the conditions provided will be directly linked to your address.

So, if you move, be sure to update the information on flie

with HVA. Ditto if there are any changes

in the health of family members. The information will remain on file for two years and then it is

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update it annually When an emergency arises and every second counts, this service

could be your lifeline. Lisa Allmendinger can be reached at 1-877-995-NEWS

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Your Voice: Letters to the Editor **Employee cutbacks**

should be last resort I just heard that Saline schools recently passed out a more than 60 pink slips to their teachers. Since I am a substitute teacher, this means 60 fewer opportunities for me to work pext year.

. Have our dreams been set aside on the curb for trash pickup day? Or is there a way for us all to continue to recycle our dreams of an abundant life that we all should deserve with hard work and perseverance?

Getting right down to the basics of human nature and survival, when all else fails, what do we always turn to for comfort, inspiration, hope and personal prosperity?

We seek comfort in our creative gifts and soon desire to share our talents with each other. Our creative thought process becomes more inspired during our down times. Song lyrics, novels, movie ideas, paintings; inventions, strong supportive friendships are

often inspired by tough eco-

nomic times.

Should we rely on large corporations or government orga-nizations that harbor this "do away with," throwaway habit of American jobs? Shouldn't" we stop and question ourselves if our productive energy and dedication to our employers are going to sustain us long term? Are we trying to mold ourselves into someone we really are not simply to have a job? How have we become this throwaway, giveaway and send-away society? We are supposed to be big on "going green" these days by preserving the planet, but what about the preservation of human dignity?

When we lose our jobs, we do not only lose a paycheck, butwe lose our sense of self-worth. Our sense of identity gets mis-placed. We feel beaten down, frustrated, depressed, confused and lost. Our daily routine gets interrupted, friendships and support systems from our coworkers get misplaced.

stay home more often, which leads to a loss of social interaction and networking. We donate less money to worthwhile charities, and invest less in businesses that work very hard at helping communities and individuals to stay on track financially. Yet, our re-circulated money means that employ-ees still get paid and businesses remain open to continue to

hits small communities. We

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serve you. Recently, I asked an employee of a family-owned business in Milan if it came down to closing the doors of the business, would she consider working for less, rather than close. She proudly replied that she already has volunteered to reduce her hours when there was road construction going on, which caused businesses to have a few slow months. Her family was fine with temporarily reduced wages because they cared greatly about their employees, customers and had faith in the community. They

think about throwing away our reasons for getting up and out of bed each morning, our sense of self-worth, they should reduce, reuse and recycle. Reduce the amount of supplies purchased. Reduce unnecessary electricity, phone calls and water usage. Is there a way to make it yourself rather than purchase goods that are made in foreign countries or by expensive vendors that are tak-

Before business owners

ally get better.

ing advantage of your reliance? 'If it isn't broken, then don't try to fix it." All it takes is a little bit of creative imagination, and a little bit of handyman work. We can reuse the furniture, appliances and clothes we see piled up on curbsides on garbage collection days or sold at garage sales or thrift stores.

Keep businesses doors open and our employees here. Don't throw us away. When we do this, we discard our own humanitarianism.

Marguerite Granados YORK TOWNShip

Family fights to help daughter combat vision loss

Team raises \$7K for May 7 fundraiser to benefit research By Jana Miller Heritage Newspapers

Inherited retinal degenerative diseases affect more than 9 million Americans and their families. Simple acts such as reading a newspaper are special challenges that most people don't consider, but that many must cope with on a daily basis.

A very scary thought for parents is wondering if that will one day be the fate of their own child. In fact, loss of vision ranks as one of the most dreaded disabilities by people throughout the world, because human beings often rely on sight more than any of the other senses.

One mother in Manchester. as well as a sister and a father. are currently fighting their own battle to make sure a daughter in the area does not lose her sight. Her name is Lillian Diuble, and she is currently fighting a retinal disorder, most likely Usher syndrome.

This particular syndrome is a rare genetic disorder characterized by deafness and gradual vision loss. Some patients have ... vision that degenerates when they are infants and some when they are adults. But all have hearing loss linked to a defective inner ear and vision loss associated with retinitis pigmentosa. There is currently no cure.

Because there is no cure, the Diuble family of Manchester is going to go for a walk, but not just any walk. The family has helped form a team for the 2010 Vision Walk on May 15, spon-



Lillian Diuble (left) is hoping to raise money for the Vision Walk.

\$1,065.

Lillian said.

family and friends.

er donations. Lillian Diuble, 7,

is the team's fundraising leader

with \$1,485. Her younger sister,

Abby, 5, is trailing closely with

"People should help so that

The team is made up of her

So far, Lilly's Friends has

raised \$4,635, which is 62 per-

cent of the team's goal. People

began donating generously as

soon as they heard from Lilly

on the Vision Walk Web site

(www.visionwalk.org) says,

In fact, the team's homepage

"Lilly is a wonderful girl whose

spirit grabs you and pulls you

about that girl,' and there is."

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sored for the third time by the Foundation Fighting Blindness. The walk is a 5K walk-a-thon fundraiser that benefits the foundation's researchers.

The Diuble family team is called "Lilly's Friends," and the group's monetary headway so far has been unmatched by only two other groups out of dozens of participating teams. Some of that came from general donations from family and friends, while others came from area groups such as the Saline Lions **Club and Manchester Lions**

Lillian's mother, Angle Diuble, has a grandfather in the Saline Lions Club who provided her with the opportunity to tell her family's story. The Saline Lions Club was the first to donate.

"They were very generous, and we were raising money so quickly that we had to reanalyze our goal," Angie Diuble said. "We changed it to \$7,500 as

The team has 10 members responsible for helping to gath-

Orchestra to perform last season show

hear properly. There is so little information has been waiting almost two

not having a cure is a fear for

her parents who want to make

sure Lilly continues to see and

available about certain vision diseases that the Diuble family years for a diagnosis. DNA confirmation of Usher syndrome has proven difficult.

We sent the blood samples off to Boystown [University] and still have not heard back," Angie Diuble said. "They don't have the complete mapping done yet, so there's still a lot of work to be done. That's why we're doing the walk and why more studies need to be done. We're waiting for a diagnosis and a cure."

Both a diagnosis and a cure would be exceptional news for a family that has been in and out of eye care offices since Lilly was a toddler. She spent two years in childhood wearing a correction eve patch and undergoing invasive eye exams to get to the current tentative diagnosis. Now, Angie Diuble just hopes that friends, family and community members will make donations to the team or to the Foundation Fighting Blindness.

"It's a really good cause so we're glad we're doing it," she said.

To help out Lilly's Friends. visit www.visionwalk.org, click

"donate" and search "Lilly's Friends."

The Foundation Fighting Blindness is the largest nongovernmental supporter of retinal degeneration research in the world. It funds 151 grants at 80 academic institutions worldwide and sponsors 18 research centers at nine of the top 10

eye hospitals in the country. For more information, visit the foundation's Website at www. fightblindness.org.

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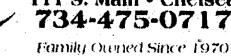




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Romantic' to be followed by director pick By Sean Dalton Heritage Newspapers

The Dexter Community Orchestra performs its final concert for the 2010 season with "Quest for the Romantic" under guest conductor Anthony Elliott at 4 p.m. May 23 at Dexter High School.

The program features Tchaikovsky's orchestral fantasy "Francesca da Rimini," the first movement of Tchaikovsky's Violin Concerto

to the subtitle of the roman-

tic symphony by Howard

Hanson," Elliot said. "The

work is unabashedly roman-

tic by nature, as are the two

Tchaikovsky works. Many will

of the first movement featured

as the lead-in on those radio

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broadcasts, leading some to call

Elliott is a professor of cello

at the University of Michigan.

a frequent soloist with major

symphony orchestras; and the

The concert concludes the

DCO's search for a new music

director. The new music direc-

Should Elliott become the next music director of the DCQ

It is his hope that the orchestra

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to be a performance outlet for its musicians, but it also has a role in terms of education and engagement that is potentially very powerful in its ramifications," Elliot said. "I am enjoying tremendously my time with

the DCO and sincerely hope it works out to be a long-term

The concert is free and open to the public. Dexter High School is located at 2200 N. Parker Road. For more information, visit http://www.dextercommunityorchestra.org/

AN EAGLE EYE VIEW MEN'S GOLF BRINGS HOME THE POSTSEASON HARDWARE

NASHPORT, Ohio (EMUEagles.com). - Fresh.off a runner up finish at the 2010 Mid-American Conference Men's Golf Championship, four Eastern Michigan University student-athletes picked-up postseason awards to cap a stellar 2009-10 campaign. Seniors Cam Burke (Baden, Ontario-Waterloo Secondary) and Marty Jeppesen (Saline, Mich,-Saline) were named first team All MAC white senior Brandon Lemons (Portage, Mich.-Portage Central) and junior Brad Larente (Cambridge, Ontario-Hespeler Secondary) were selected second team All-MAC. Burke also garnered alltournament team accolades for the second consecutive season.

Burke picked up his second consecutive conference first team accolade with an average of 72 8 strokes per round, good for sixth lowest in the conference. The Baden, Ontario native had a runner-up finish at the FAU Spring Break Championship with a four-under 209 (71-69-69). Burke has, 16 rounds of par-or-better this season and 32 rounds in his career. Ranked 190th according to the Golfweek/Sagarin system, he has finished in the top

He placed third at the Robert Kepler Intercollegiate with a three-under 210 (70-70), as the Eagles won the prestigious event with a tournament record total of 861. Burke took fourth at the MAC Championships with a one-under 287 (74-72-70-71) and tied for sixth at the USF invitational with a 212 (70-70-72). He also finished tied for 10th with a 217 (70-70-74) at the Wolf Run intercollegiate and fired rounds of 73, 73 and 74 to take 12th place at The Firestone Invitational.

Jeppesen moves up to the MAC's first team after earning second team honors in 2009 with an average of 73.1 strokes per round, good for seventh lowest in the conference. The Saline, Mich. native has a runner up finish at The Firestone invitational with a 212 (69-71-72) and 16 rounds of par-or-better this season and 27 rounds in his career.

Ranked 198th according to the Golfweek/Sagarin system, Jeppesen tied for fourth at the Robert Kepler Intercollegiate with a one-under 212 (72-71-69) as the Eagles won the prestigious event. He took home sixth place at the MAC Championships with a 293 (71-74-74-74) along with finishing tied for eighth with an even-par 213 (70-76-67) at the FAU Spring Break Championship

Earning his first MAC award, Larente averaged 74.4 strokes per 18 holes in 2009-10 while playing in 10 of the Eagles' 11 tournaments. The Cambridge, Ontario native picked up his second career top-10 showing with an eighth place finish at the MAC Championship with a 296 (74-73-74-75).

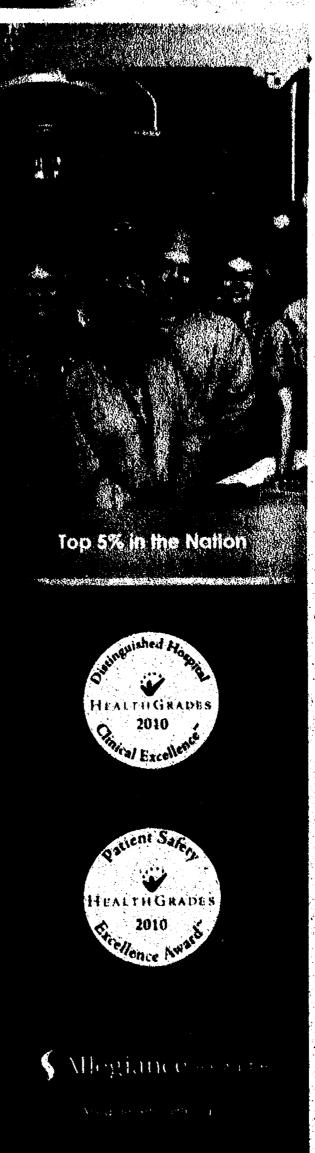
Ranked 385th according to the Golfweek/Sagarin system, Larente has five rounds of par-or-better this season and 15 rounds in his career. He tied for 14th place with a 221 (76-73-72) at the Windon Memorial Classic and finished 16th at The Firestone Invitational with a seven-over 223 (73-74-76). Larente recorded a 17th place finish at the Wolverine at Radrick Farms with a one over 217 (73-73-71) and tied for 18th at the Bollermaker invitational

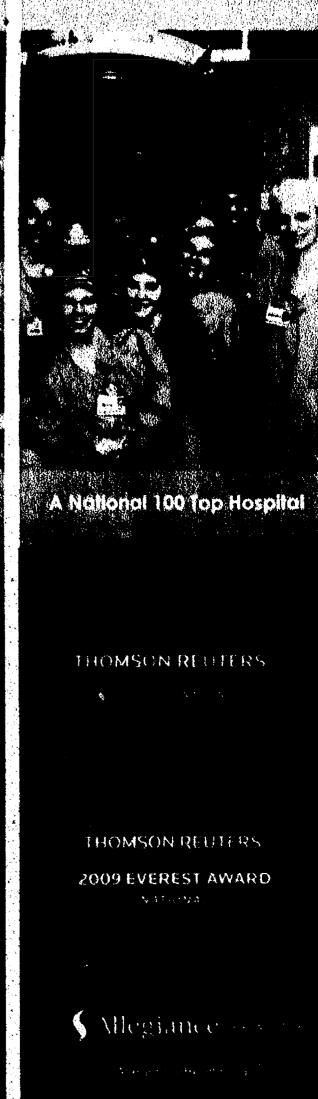
Lemons picked up his second conference accolade with an average of 74.4 strokes per round, the 16th lowest score in the conference. The Partage. Mich. native has a third place finish at the 2010 Desert Shootout with a 207 (67-67-73). Lemons has 11 rounds of par-or-better this season and 39 rounds in his career.

Ranked 476th according to the Golfwerk/Sagarin system, Lemons finished tied for ninth at the MAG Championship with a 297 (25-72-74-76) and tied for 13th at the Robert Kepler Intercollegiate with a 219 (70-73-76) He also finished 16th with a 216 (72-74-70) at Wolverine at Radrick Farms. Lemons has posted of record of 509-376 this season and is 1,758-1,443 in his career.

Head coach Bruce Cunningham and the rest of the Eagles will now awalt the announcement of the teams that will participate in the six NCAA regional championships. That announcement will be made May 3. Should they be selected to participate, the Eagles will play at one of six sites. The Capital City Club in Alpharetta: Ga. (Georgia Tech, host): The Warren Golf Course in Notre Dame, Ind. (Notre Dame, host); Carlton Oaks Golf Course in San Diego, Calif. (San Diego State, host); Traditions Club in College Station, Texas (Texas A&M, host), Gold Mountain Golf Club in Bremerton, Wash. (Washington, host) or The Yale University Golf Course in New Haven, Conn. (Yale, host). The regionals are scheduled for May 20-22 with the NCAA Championship scheduled for The Honors Course in Chattanooga, Tenn. (UT-Chattanooga, host).







In the April 29 edition of The Dexter Leader, the Mill

Creek Middle School honor roll was incorrectly reported. The honor roll was not from Mill Creek Middle School in Dexter. Mill Creek does not publish its honor roll.

We apologize for the error and we are happy to set the record straight.

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Obama inspires students to become leaders

DAIEL LAI

This past weekend, I had the chance of a lifetime to attend President Barack Obama's commencement address to the students at the University of Michigan.

I'm not going to lie. When I first heard that President Obama was going to be at U of M. I could hardly contain my excitement. The night the announcement was made, I immediately e-mailed my boss to ask for permission to apply for press credentials.

True I had covered Sen. Obama when he was making a campaign stop in Detroit in 2008, but this was different. Now he was the leader of the free world and he was taking time out of his hectic schedule to talk directly to people

Political affiliations aside, how neat will it be to one day tell my future children and grandchildren that I got to see the president of the United States in person?

The week before the commencement, my excitement got the best of me. I had dreams of interviewing the president and scooping the story from our large daily newspaper competitors. Often I would wake up in the middle of the night unable to fall back asleep. Most of my college friends thought I was being ridiculous even when I-wrote a letter to the White House requesting an interview with the president while he was in Michigan - but I didn't care.

Up until the day of the event. I came home from work every evening half expecting a response to my letter, but it never came. 🔍

The experience at Michigan Stadium more than made up for it-though.

Arriving at Michigan Stadium was an adventure in itself. Being an alumnus from the University of Texas, I had never been to "The Big House." Luckily, I didn't have to worry about parking because my coworker lives less than a mile from the stadium and graciously offered to let me park in her apartment complex.

All media were expected to check in for their press credentials between 5 and 8 a.m. I arrived promptly at 6 a.m. to find the line already snaking halfway down the street.

Ten minutes into my arrival, the skies opened up on a bunch of angry, tired, hungry journalists, who were told we wouldn't be allowed inside the stadium until lightening stopped. It's a good thing I listened to my girlfriend the night before and sprung for a poncho because umbrellas were not allowed either. I hate ponchos: they make whoever is wearing them look like they were too lazy to dress themselves so they just punched a hole through a tablecloth.

I passed the time — about 45 minutes — cursing at my Blackberry which had the visible signs of rain damage. Two nights prior I had labored an hour or so at midnight trying to figure out how to sync the phone with our company's online blog to bring periodic updates to our readers. The journalist behind me in line seemed quite amused by my predicament. Though he spent

his time unsuccessfully trying to flirt with a high school journalist

while cracking jokes about the soon-to-be caliber of graduates running in the rain with their caps and gowns on, "sans-poncho.

Finally the gates opened and the media were ushered to a security checkpoint run by Secret Service. When I finally got to the metal detector. one of the agents quickly pointed out that I didn't

have a press pass. "Yes I do," I argued holding up my Heritage Newspapers badge. Apparently I missed the memo. Every single reporter before and after me produced a red University of Michigan official press lanyard. The agent pointed me butside the stadium gate to a blue trailer marked "PRESS." I had been waiting in the wrong line.

I dashed out the gates, pushing past several reporters, ran across the street nearly missing the front end of a state police car. and up the hill to the press trailer. Inside, out of breath and dripping wet from the rain. I had finally registered.

Back inside the stadium. crowds of people began filling in. The rain had slowed to a light sprinkle and I had managed to find my coworker, who was taking pictures for the paper;

It was amusing to see U of M students walking around looking for family and loved ones in the stands while texting or calling

others on their cell phones. Students kept blowing past one particular Secret Service agent who had a stare that could melt ice. The man didn't move, smile or say a word to anyone who got near him. He was quickly deemed "Mr. All Business" by some students. Maybe that's a pre-

requisite for being a

At one point, several students started parading around the stadium with monstrous paper mache characters singing along to bands performing "Sign Sealed Delivered," on stage to pass the

It was a party in Michigan Stadium. I almost forgot why we were there in the first place, and I half-expected Lynyrd Skynyrd to come out on stage performing "Free Bird" while students tossed about plastic beach balls.

Then, as if someone had hit fast-forward on their VCR, the 11 o'clock hour hit and cheers erupted as a U.S. Army helicopter flew overhead. The president had arrived.

Once the university band switched from "Pomp and Circumstance" to "Hail to the Chief" and President Obama walked on stage, my eyes were glued. Like the other 82,000 people in attendance, I don't even think L. remember what the other speakers said before the president took to the podium.

I do remember listening to the president directing all of us to become better citizens in order to foster democracy. The president challenged all of us to look beyond the name calling and bickering in Washington and work toward helping each other

in our respective communities His speech was poignant, yet funny and easily relatable. The most moving part of the ceremony however, was watching the president swear in the ROTC graduates. I remember the jumbo television screen showing several graduates with tears streaming down their faces. Being in the same room with the president and being a part of the energy at Michigan Stadium is a feeling I will never forget.

After the president left and the ceremony ended, one student remarked, "That was pretty cool."

It was cool, but it was so much more than that. It was a once in a lifetime opportunity to come together united with thousands of other Americans to ignite the flames of passion for our next generation of doctors, teachers, military personnel and politicians who will take up the torch and lead our country to greatness.

Local woman takes up food challenge

Patti Johns steps up to help Dexter's needy

In the newspaper business. unless you get a phone call from someone criticizing your work or letters to the editor in response to a specific article, you often wonder if what you're writing is having an impact.

Every once in awhile we get thank you cards or a reader fills out a questionnaire (yes, we do actually see those and take them to heart so keep the feedback

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ACADEMY

something completely different happened to me last week when I picked up the phone.

Dexter resident Patti Johns called and shared an extraordinary bit of feedback in response to my Jan. 7 editorial.

"Make Faith in Action your 2010 resolution."

Since reading my editorial at the outset of the year, she has been shopping once each month for Faith in Action. After her grocery shopping



SEAN DALTON

is done, she takes a separate basket in arm and fills it with \$25 to \$30 worth of items that FIA desperately needs to address the seemingly invisible needy families of Chelsea and Dexter.

"There was just something about the way that you wrote it," Johns

She almost used that issue to-light her firéplace before fishing it out of the kindling pile to give the column a second read, which I guess did

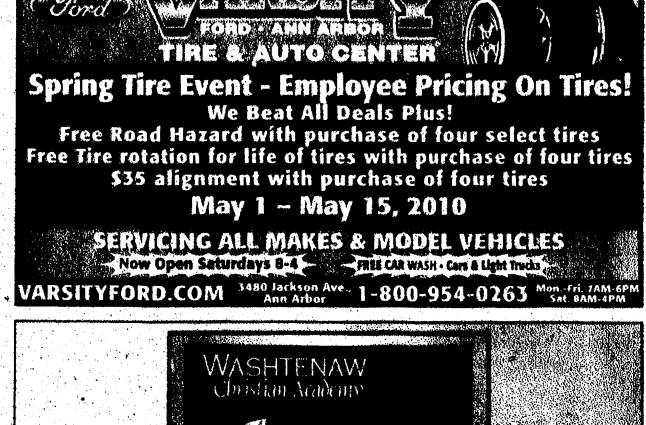
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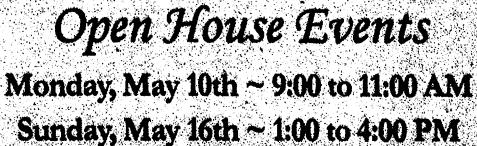




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TOPS banquet



The group Take Off Pounds Sensibly in Dexter held its singular awards and officer recognition banquet on March 31 at the Dexter Senior Center. At the banquet, outgoing officers were thanked for their service and incoming officers were installed. Additionally, other members of the club were honored for special achievements.

The new slate of officers for the 2010-2011 year are Debbie Donohue of Pinckney (leader), Sally Nimitz of Dexter (co-leader), Jodi Manny of Ann Arbor (secretary),

played three different songs

Stephanie Pyne of Dexter (treasurer), and Sherry Thackrey of Dexter (weight recorder) and Margaret Green of Ann Arbor (assistant weight recorder).

Special recognition of Most Inspirational Member, voted on by the member-ship, went to Rita Denoyer. Betty Devenport of Dexter was growned Chapter Queen for successfully losing 22.25 pounds and achieving KOPS status (Keep Off Pounds

Sensibly) within the last year.
TOPS meets every
Wedneeday evening at the

Dexter Senior Center at 7720
Dexter Ann Arbor Road in
Dexter. New members are welcome. Weigh-in is at 6:80 p.m. with the meeting following at 7 p.m. TOPS members learn health and diet tips during programs held at their weekly chapter meetings. Weekly dues are only \$1 with a yearty membership fee of \$28, which includes a magazine subscription.

For more information about joining, prospective members can attend a meeting for free or call Sherry Thackrey at 1-734-426-7072.

BAND NEWS

of the Mill Creek eighth

Twenty eight bands and pieces while being judged in four categories. The bands orchestras from Michigan performed for judges on had to qualify with a "1" at April 22 and 23 during the the district level in order to Michigan State Band and play at the state festival. Orchestra Festival hosted by The 67-member Mill Creek Dexter High School. Four seventh grade band received. three "Is" and a "2" for an overall "1". The 58 members Dexter bands performed and all did well. Each group

"Is". Martha Scharchburg directs both bands.

The DHS varsity band, with 52 students, received straight "1s". The DHS symphonic band, with 65 students, also received straight "1s" for their performance. The DHS bands are directed by Kenneth Moore.

WOMAN

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added.

"I knew I had to start, doing it ... I said, 'You have, to do this,' to myself," she

As I talked to Patti it became obvious to me that she possessed a key component within her character that capitalized on my writing.

Johns was on aid to dependent children 30 years ago, just like my own mother.

Like my own mother, she worked hard to improve her lot in life and eventually got back on her own two feet. She found herself in a situation where she and her daughter and her new husband and his two children were united as a family and thrived.

The thought had never really occurred to her until recently, but what if she hadn't had that support early on?

President Franklin
Roosevelt's New Deal program was putting food on
the table and clothes on
her daughter's back, while
friends and neighbors were
helping to fill in when she
couldn't be there, like when
her daughter needed to be
taken to or picked up from
the bus stop when she needed
to be at work.

"I've been there where I didn't have any money to put in the gas tank." Johns said. "At one point I thought my husband was paying the house payments, which he wasn't. By the third month they said they're coming to take our house away."

Despite being as "poor as poor can be," Johns said she wasn't previously aware of the need that FIA tries to meet in the county.

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Like so many residents, she had a hard time seeing through a surface of well kept lawns, a polished downtown district and strongly supported schools to the truth: no matter where you are there are people who need a hand.

Johns said she has learned a lot about FIA since extending that hand. She has gotten even more adamant about sale shopping, trying to make her \$30 stretch to \$35 or \$40 worth of canned goods, crackers and toiletries.

"It's just something now that I think I have to do every month," Johns said. "Right now a lot of people have lost their jobs and some of them are getting them back, but not everybody."

As a nurse at St. Joseph's Hospital, Johns sees another dimension to need – people who can't afford their medications.

"We see a lot of people who can't afford their medicine who go off of it," she said. "We contact a social worker because they really aren't

making it. Patients become quiet and discontinue (their medications) because they don't have the money to pay for it."

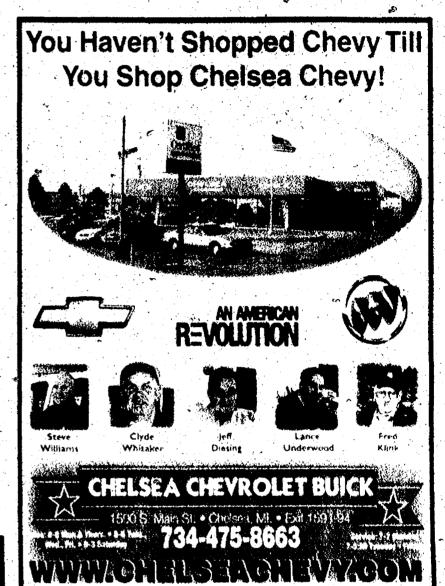
Poverty is a complicated issue that affects all areas of someone's life. I wonder how many of those patients that Johns came across were skipping their medication so they could afford to eat.

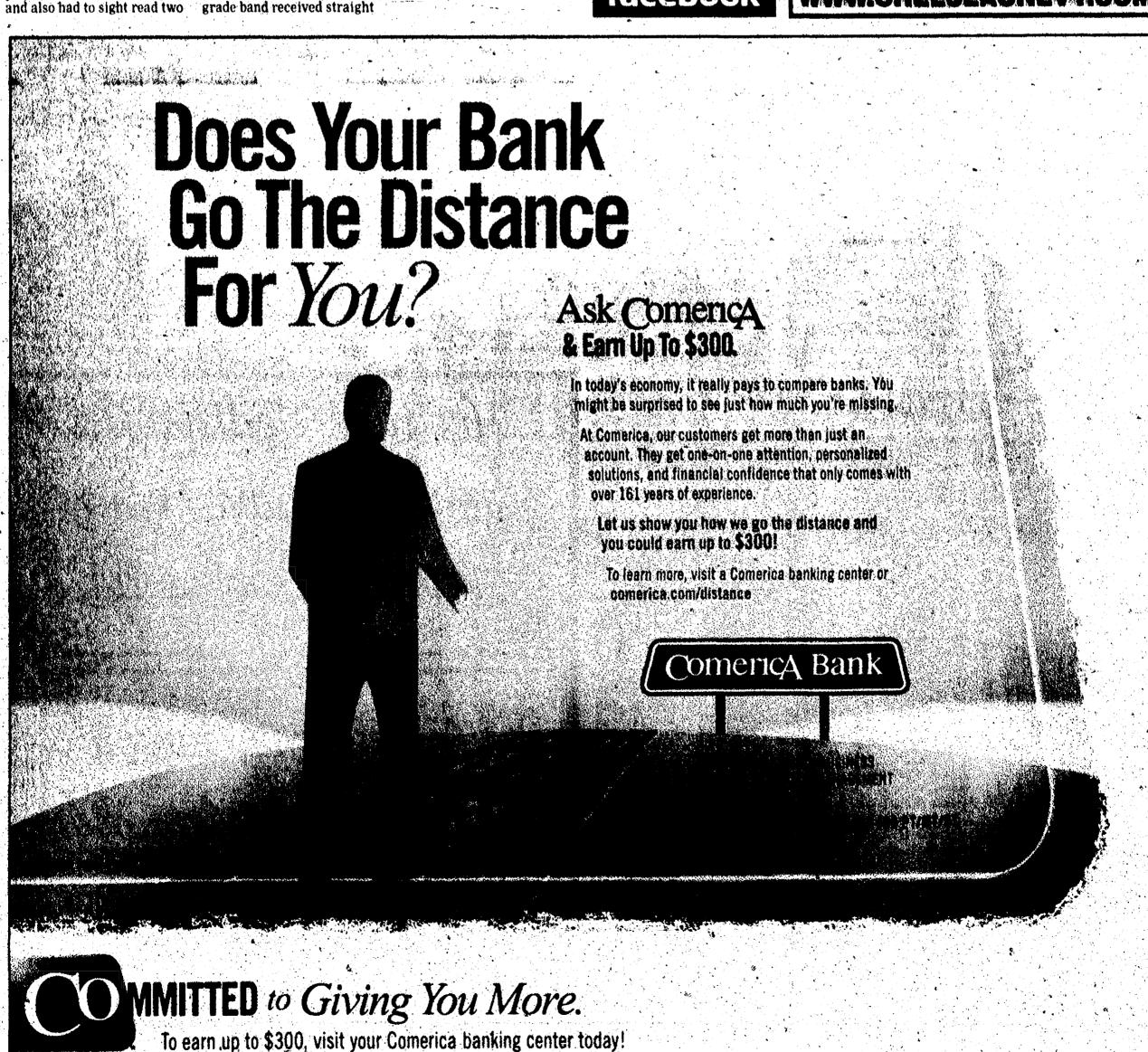
Perhaps the food she is donating each month is sparing a family somewhere in Dexter or Chelsea from having to make such difficult decisions.

Maybe Johns is providing that last nudge of support for some young mother somewhere going through the same thing that she went through.

I would like to personally congratulate Patti Johns for bolstering my faith in a number of ways.

Hopefully folks will recognize her at the grocery store and be inspired to take a basket in arm for the sake of the county's invisible needy.





E. coli spread may be linked to area food distributor

By Austen Smith lentage Newspapers

Washtenaw County health officials say they are focusing on an area food distributor in connection to a breakout of E. coli bacterial infections that have affected 10 residents and another 14 awaiting lab

A press release issued last week stated the Washtenaw County cases of E. coli (Escherichia coli non-0157) could be related to a group of cases reported in Columbus. Ohio, where five people have been infected.

Laura Bauman, an epidemiologist with Washtenaw. County Health Department, said there is a common link between both collections of reported cases in Washtenaw County and Ohio and the food distributor they are investigat-

Department of Agriculture officials are doing a 'traceback on the food products to determine the origin of the contamination," Bauman said.

When asked whether the contamination most likely occurred in the distribution or the production of the foods. Bauman said they are unable to determine that at this point. and they are leaving that aspect of the investigation to the state's agriculture department investigators.

Residents reporting illness consistent with the outbreak were likely exposed between April 7 and April 15, and became ill between April 9 and April 16, according to the press release. People typically experience symptoms three to four days after eating foods contaminated with E. coli.

Bauman said it has been a positive sign that they have not found a reported case from somebody outside of that time frame - meaning that, more than likely the infected food product or products were exposed to E. coli for only a brief period of time.

That is good news in terms of whether people should be concerned that it's still out there," Bauman said.

Health officials have not identified the restaurant or restaurants involved in the outbreak. Bauman said county health is working closely with them but have not asked owners to stop using any specific distributor.

We don't have any answers right now. We won't ask them to take action until we have some more concrete answers," she said.

Director of Washtenaw County Public Health Dr. Diana Torres-Burgos stated in the release that the investigation is progressing but "the "trace back" process is complex.

Outbreaks like these are incredibly time-consuming and difficult, and we continue to share the information we can confirm," Torres-Burgos

Symptoms of E. coli infection include abdominal cramping followed by diarrhea that progressively worsens and is often bloody. Typically, there is no fever.

Anyone with similar symptoms should seek medical. attention. Individuals are also asked to report suspected E. coli illness to Washtenaw County Public Health at 544-

E. coli bacteria are most commonly found in contaminated ground beef and leafy greens, as evidenced by the widespread spinach contamination in 2006.

The bacteria are found. in the intestines of healthy people and animals. However, there are many strains of E. coli, and some may cause serious illness.

Bauman said this is the first outbreak documented in Washtenaw County

The Washtenaw County Public Health Fact Sheet on E. coli is available at www. ewashtenaw.org/government/ departments/public_health/ phcontent/cd_fact_sheets/

ecoli.pdf. Contact Heritage Newspapers, Austen Smith at 429-7380 or e-mail asmith@heritage.com.



HERMAGIE NEWSPAPERS



HEIMERDINGER. LIAM F., of Chelsea, MI; of Whitmore Lake, MI; age 58; died Saturday, May passed away Saturday, 2010, at his home. He May 1, 2010, after a long Bill had lived in the area-He received his BSME ing, wine making, tractors souri. Rolla, his MSME the Waterloo Farm Mu-torate from the University seum. On September 8, of Missouri Rolla. Ron Bott in Ann Arbor, and she Company for 12 years. Dursurvives; also surviving are ing that time he was called two daughters, Rebeca and to serve in the U.S. Army. Tonya Heimerdinger, both His experience at Ford led of Chelsea; one grand- to his co-founding Engine daughter, Trinity Cole; one and Control Systems which sister, Elaine (Robert) De-merged to become part of belak of Chatham, MI, Roush Industries. Ron brothers-in-law and sis- served on several boards ters-in-law, John Klakulak, including the Dexter Laurance Bott. Stephen School Board, the United Bott, Marijo Kelly, Beverly Methodist Cox and Max Steffen; as Communities Board, and well as several nieces and the Garrett Evangelical nephews. He was preceded Seminary Board. He also in death by his parents served with the University and one sister. Janet of Missouri - Rolla Acade-Klakulak, and one sister my of Mechanical Engiin-law. Jenny Steffen. Fu-neers. Those who knew neral Services were him admired his intelli-11 a.m. from St. Mary humility, kindness, quick Catholic Church, Burial wit and sense of humor, followed at Mt. Olivet Ce- His love and devotion to metery. Chelsea. Expres- his family will be remem-Girls Educational Fund. friends at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home on Tuesday from 2 to 4 and 6

es at 7:30 p.m.

McCONEGHY. DANIEL LEE, SR.; of Jackson, formerly Grass Lake and Stockbridge, MI; age 58; passed away Thursday, April 29, 2010 at his home. He was born February 19, 1952 in Jackson, the son of Dean J. and Maxine (Roark) McConeghy. He graduated from Stockbridge H.S. in 1971 and served in the U.S. Army for over 14 years, being discharged in October 1989. His favorite pastimes in ... cluded flying airplanes, gardening, out-of-doors. dogs, and playing 500 Rummy Surviving are his mother of Grass Lake; his fiancee, Ivy McConeghy of Jackson; three children, Daniel, Jr. (Doris) McConeghy of New York State, Bianca (Kevin) Clow of Phoenix, AZ, and Hans McConeghy of Onondaga; his siblings, David McConeghy of the Philippines, Sharlene (Lee Stanard) McConeghy of Maple Rapids, MI, Marilyn (William) Martin of Jonesville, MI, and Dennis McConeghy and Beverly McConeghy, both of Grass Lake; and ten grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his father and an infant sister, Virginia. Funeral Services will be held Monday, May 3, 2010 at 11 a.m. from the Caskey-Mitchell Funeral Home; Stockbridge with Rev. Mark Roark officiating. Burial will follow at Oaklawn Cemetery, Stockbridge. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Great Lakes Hospice. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Saturday from 6 to 8 p.m. and

on Sunday, from 2 to 4 and



was born November 17, struggle with Parkinson 1951, in Ann Arbor, MI, the disease. He was born to son of Andrew and Coralee Artie and Annabelle Woo-(Lanning) Heimerdinger, dard, December 25, 1946. since 1987. He loved farm from the University of Mis-(Allis Chalmers) and work- from Wayne State Univering at "Pioneer Days" at sity, and an honorary doc-1984, he married Lucy F worked for Ford Motor Wednesday, May 5, 2010, at gence, quiet strength and sions of sympathy may be bered by his wife of 41 made to the Heimerdinger years. Shirley: his daughters, Kristi Hameedi and family received Karen (Chad) Corum; grandchildren, *Andrew, Nathan, Regan, and Luke Corum; his brother, Phillip Jennings Funeral Home in Retirement * Community will take place at 2:30 p.m. Heritage Foundation. The family would especially like to thank the caregivers at Towsley Village who enabled Ron to persevere with dignity and courage, With much love and many cherished memories, we celebrate his life. Please leave a message of comfort to Ron's family by calling 877-231-7900 or visit his

guestbook at . www.borekiennings.com

KENSLER, ERWIN JUN IOR": born October 8, 1925; passed away February 16, 2010, in Washington, D.C. A Memorial Service will be held on May 15, 2010, at 11 a.m. at the Emmanuel Church of Christ in Manchester, MI.

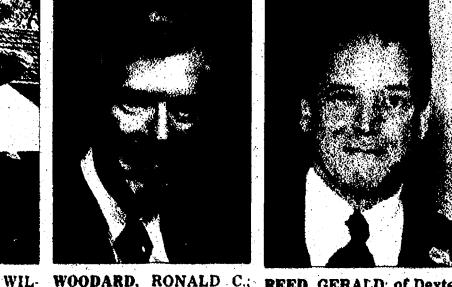
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REED, GERALD; of Dexter Township, MI; age 56; passed away suddenly on Tuesday, April 27, 2010. He. was born on April 7, 1954, in Bay City, MI, to Harold and Virginia Reed. Gerald received his degree in teaching from Eastern Michigan University. He is survived by his beloved wife, Patricia; and their two daughters, Erin (husband, Mark) and Tina (fiance, Matt); Gerald is also survived by his mother and father, Harold and Virginia; as well as brothers, Don (wife, Kathy) and Allan; and his sister, Charlene. Better known as Jerry, he loved restoring old trucks and collecting antique toys and had a great sense of humor. He worket at the University of Michigan Mott Children's Hospital for 35 years, where he devoted himself to improving the lives of young patients every day. He made a point of making others around him feel important and always made a point to wave hello. He was a wonderful husband, an awesome dad and a devoted son. He loved life and lived it to the fullest. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the U-M Mott Children's Hospital. Services were held from Hosmer Muchlig Funeral Chapel.

to 8 p.m. with Vigil Servic- (Carolyn) Woodard; cou- HEYDLAUFF, SHIRLEY J. sins, nieces, and nephews. (TURNER); the family in-Visitation will be from 2 to vites family and friends to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. on join them for a Celebra-Friday, May-7, at the Borek tion of Life Open House honoring Shirley on Satur-Hamburg. The Memorial day, May 8, from 1 to 4 ed Methodist Church in Building at the Chelsea Dexter Saturday, May 8, at Community Fairgrounds, 9 a.m. Memorial gifts may 20501 West Old U.S. Hwy be made to the Chelsea 12. A Memorial Tribute



ROSS, JAMES "JIM" E.: age man with a wry sense of Arts. He also was a member of Metro Detroit Chrisand Nathanael (Sarah) Ross of Berkley: grandchildren, Benjamin, Joseph. and Samuel Dresser, Joshua and Sadie Ross; sister, Dorothy Bussert; sister-inlaw, Carolyn Ross. Visita-Sawyer-Fuller Funeral Rd., Berkley (2 blocks W. of Woodward). In State 10:30 Ct., Farmington Hills (12 Mile Rd. and Farmington Bo Park Cemetery Memorials may be made to Metro Detroit Christian Church. Share a memory at

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will be missed.

HONE, WALTER JAMES "The Mule Skinner" of Manchester, MI; age 82; died Tuesday, April 20, 2010. He was born August 15, 1927, in Brisbane, ND. the youngest of six children, to Walter and Nora (Copeland) Hone. He married Wanda O. Maurer on February 12, 1949; she survives. After the death of his mother, Jim, aged 2. moved to Ohio to be raised by his older sisters. In his teen years, he moved to Manchester, where his brother, Bill, bought a 72: a resident of Royal Oak farm on Wingate Rd. He and formerly of Chelsea; worked at Ford Farm, now passed away May 1, 2010 at known as the Sharon Val-The University of Michi-ley Winery, until his degan Hospital in Ann Arbor. ployment to Japan, in the He was born May 9, 1937 in fall of 1945. Upon his hon-Detroit to Louis and Sadie orable discharge from the Ross. Jim graduated from Army, in 1947, he worked Redford High School and for Ford Motor Company attended Wayne State Uni- in Manchester, Brooklyn versity where he obtained Ypsilanti's Rawsonville his bachelor's degree in plant and the Saline plasaccounting. He then be- tics plant, until his 1983 recame self employed fol-tirement. His love of livelowing his schooling. His stock would next lead him family said he was a man to UPI, where he worked that "walked with God" and in the cattle barn for three was a strong and gentle years. Jim would then spend the next 20 years as humor. He loved music either a bus driver or a and the arts and was crossing guard for the known for his own paint- Manchester school system. ings. While living in Chel- For a time, Washtenaw sea he was active in the County Road Commission Chelsea Center for the had the pleasure of his truck-driving skills. Many years Jim could be found tian Church in Farmington with a team of mules, par-Hills. Survivors are his ticipating in the Mancheswife. Eunice, whom he ter Grass Lake parades, married on September 12, competing in "plowing con-1959, in Grand Rapids: tests," or providing rides -children, Rev. Elizabeth during the Manchester (Rev. Peter) Dresser of Chicken Broil During his Farmington, Linda (Brian) younger years, trail riding Shin of Chesapeake, VA, at Waterloo or snowmobiling up-north were regular pastimes, Trips to Missouri, Florida, Arkansas and Iowa provided livestock used at the Hoot ~N~ Holler Ranch Rodeo, an annual event that took place "on tion Tuesday 2 p.m. to 4 the back 40." Jim enjoyed p.m. and 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. at his farm. Hoot -N- Holler Ranch, RFD-TV, ice Home, 2125 Twelve Mile cream and Pepsi In addition to his wife, he is survived by his children, Bara.m. until 11 a.m. service at bara (Michael) Geiger, Le-Metro Detroit Christian roy (Kim) Hone and Bobby Church, 33045 Hamilton (Lauri) Hone; grandchildren, Travis Hone, Cody Hamilton, Presley Service will be at the Unit- p.m. in the Service Center Rd. area). Burial Acacia Hone and DJ Hone; and his niece, Carol Petrino. A Celebration of Jim's life will take place at a future date. His distinctive laugh

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Reinvestment money helping Kerrytown Concert House

By Isabel Francis

hris Wolff and I had the pleasure of meeting with Deanna Relyea, founder and acting director of the Kerrytown Concert House. The nonprofit concert house opened 26 years ago in Ann Arbor and has been providing a venue for performing artists, arts education and visual artists ever since.

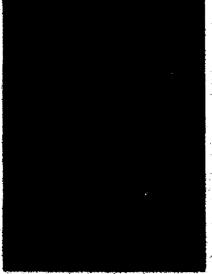
Although historically concentrating on classical music. **Kerrytown Concert House** has more recently expanded its jazz offerings partially in response to the demise of the legendary Firefly Club in Ann Arbor. That said, the concert house is perhaps best known for its internationally renowned Edgefest, an event which draws performers from all over the globe to celebrate and perform creative improvisational music.

Relyea gave us a mini-tour of her facilities - a front room

serving as coat closet, office for three and caterer's nook with a lovely view of Fourth Avenue, and the performance hall that is L-shaped and can seat approximately 115 people.

The focal point of the space is certainly a magnificent -Hamburg Steinway Grand. The walls were hung with a new exhibit of whimsical and inventive fiber art.

Kerrytown Concert House supports local artists and business in diverse ways. The concert house presents a full season of various genres of music, and offers local performers an affordable rental space for concerts and recitals. A modest rental fee includes not only the space itself, but also the promotional abilities of Relyea and her



Deanne Relyes is founder and acting director of the Kernytown Concert House.

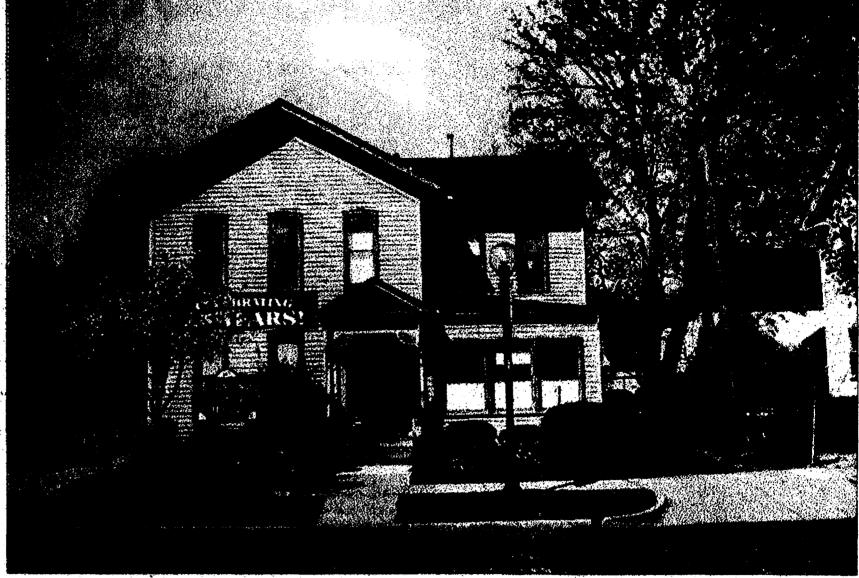
staff. Studios are available for music educators. Local visual artists have a venue to display and sell their art.

Wolff and I sought the chance to speak with Relyea in our quest to demonstrate how the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act is impacting the Ann Arbor community. She was very matter of fact about the \$25,000 grant that Kerrytown Concert House had received through the National Endowment for the Arts.

The "stimulus" money is allowing the concert house to fund a portion of her salary, the operations manager and a part-time event manager. The grant allowed the concert house to retain these positions during a serious downturn in funding from various sources affected by the economic climate.

With careful planning, that grant has enabled Kerrytown Concert House to add another near full-time marketing staff person who was able to upgrade and expand its website and social media presence, resulting in greater market penetration and utilization of the concert house.

'The Recovery Grant came at a crucial time," Relyea said. "I was retiring, a new person



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was coming on board, and the economy was at its lowest point. Corporate donations were down and the Michigan Council for the Arts essentially closed out its grant program in 2009 and only started accepting grant applications in April for the current season. We were happy to receive \$7,500, but normally receive approximately \$14,000 from MCACA.

'Without the staff that we were able to retain and add as a result of the Recovery Grant, we would not be in such a viable position today.'

She also indicated that the collapse of the auto industry

has had significant ramifications for the arts in Michigan.

"Ford and GM had to withdraw sponsorship of many organizations. So, the whole auto thing trickled down to many arts organizations. I feel that the impact of this recovery grant on KCH is hard to calculate exactly. Yes, KCH has been able to retain and, in fact, expand administrative positions. In addition, many artists earn dollars when they perform here while enhancing their career development because of the cachet that internationally famous artists have given to the house over

the years.'

In addition to that elegant and elusive cachet, the concert. house brings quantifiable economic benefits to Ann Arbor musicians, residents and businesses.

"Twenty-five years ago, there was nobody coming to Kerrytown in the evening, Relyea said. "We opened, shops started expanding their evening hours, Braun Court opened. A venue like this brings people to shop, eat, etcetera. It's a significant part of the economic scene."

Relyea's retirement was short-lived, as her replace-

ment moved out of the area after a few months due to family circumstances. Ann Arbor is fortunate to have her back at the helm of the Kerrytown Concert House, and to have this jewel of a place bringing great music to so many people.

A vibrant arts community is economically beneficial to everyone. Very few governmental grants can claim to benefit such a broad range of people, and enhance the environment.

It looks like we all win from the Recovery and Reinvestment Act's support of the Kerrytown Concert House.

Redbud Productions to put on classic at Riverside

Redbud Productions will put on a production of "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest" June 3 through 6 at the Riverside Arts Center.

Dale Wasserman's award-winning drama is based on the novel by Ken Kesey and directed by Loretta Grimes. The off-Broadway production was one of the longest running plays in off-Broadway history, with more than 1,000 performances.

The movie won multiple Oscars, including Best Picture. Best Actor and Best Actress. Additionally, The 2001 Broadway production by Steppenwolf Theater Company won the Tony Award for best revival.

Redbud Productions invites the public to come and see what makes this play a classic and to discover why it has been called "One of the finest, most meaningful and most moving plays of recent years."

Thom Johnson is Randle P. McMurphy, the rambunctious new inmate contriving to serve a sentence in a mental institution rather than undergo prison time.

Paul Bianchi, Pat Grimes, Tim Grimes, Doug Harris, Andy Hoag and Richard Sherburne are the timid group of misfit patients whom he tries to rally to question authority and raise their selfBut will they win the battle?

The powerful, vindictive Nurse Ratched (Mary Franceschi) holds the key to their freedom. Assisted by her staff (Mark Batell, Rod Casey, Joe Eadie, Charles Jackson, Jenny Pritchett and Chris Starkey), she cruelly plots to keep the patients under her tight control.

The Redbud cast includes Kyle Marie and Halla Motawi as party girls whom McMurphy sneaks into the institution and Andy Jentzen as Chief Bromden, who serves as the play's narrator and will dramatically change under McMurphy's influence.

Tickets are \$18 for adults and \$15 for students or seniors and may be reserved by calling 663-7167. Discounts are available to those who dine at Haab's Restaurant before any show (one discount

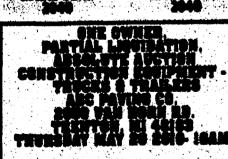
per ticket per entrée). Provide a receipt from Haab's restaurant at the Box Office and receive \$4 off the ticket price. Reduced prices are also available for 10 or more.

Showtimes are 8 p.m. June 3 through 5 with additional 2 p.m. matinees on June 5 and 6 at Riverside Arts Center, 76 North Huron Street in Ypsilanti.

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Old train gets a new lease on life

40 and 8 train gets makeover, new home

By Lisa Allmendinger Heritage Newspapers

This is the story of a little boxcar that could.

The 40 and 8 train was used in World War I to carry 40 men or eight horses. It's a boxcar that since has been made into a driving box car.

For about 10 years, it lived in Bridgewater Township and was then given to the Saline Area Historical Society.

The historical society thought it had a buyer from Indianapolis, but at the last minute the deal fell through and Jack Foley a Lodi Township resident, bought it in 2007.

Foley used the train for about three years to transport tailgaters to and from University of Michigan football games.

"It got 6 miles to the gallon." Foley says.

But in 2008, Foley was driving it back from dropping off Wolverine fans and it broke down on Wagner Road, a few miles from his home.

"The engine had burned up." Foley says, noting he was lucky because it could have broken down at Main and Stadium near the Big House.

For a time, the train found a

home near Tippins Market on Ann Arbor-Saline Road while Foley tried to find a buyer for it. He wrote letters on the train's behalf to officials at Purdue University stating. "I want to be a Boilermaker. I want to go home to West Lafavette."

Purdue wanted it, Foley says. but the university wanted him to donate it. And he wasn't willing to do that.

Enter Ken Fil, owner of Van Winkle Mattress Co. in Ann Arbor, who bought the 11,000pound train several months ago.

Fil is having it restored. repaired and repainted by First Step Auto, a new auto repair business in Ann Arbor.

"I can take on anything," says Jesse Hernandez, First Step Auto's owner, who moved his business from Detroit to Ann Arbor about a month ago.

Foley says the mechanic found a new engine for the train in a junk yard. He and two other mechanics. Mike Skalski and Carlos Garnica, also modified the side of the box car so the engine is easier to access.

It will be painted black and gold, the windows will be replaced, and the train will have a new life.

Its new owner plans to rent it out for high-end weddings and use it as a marketing tool for his business. Foley says.

In fact, the train could even become a coffee bar. Fil says he's still assessing all

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of the possibilities for the little box car that could.

Perhaps in its next life, the train will become Locomocha. Lisa Allmendinger can be

Skalski, two certified mechanics. who are restoring the train and ternandez the awner of First Step Auto Care which has taken on the project.

Photos by Lisa

Sitting in the

driver's sea

of the 40

and 8 train

Foley, its for-

mer owner.

From left to

right in the

Garnica and

front are

Carlos

Allmendinger

A2 SPARK to host contest

Ann Arbor SPARK, the region's economic development organization, will host a business plan competition in conjunction with the Eastside Innovation Campus from 3:30 to 6:30

The pitch competition, hosted by SPARK East, will showcase five innovation-based entrepreneurs. The competition winner, as judged by a panel of noted funding and business experts, will win prizes to support their venture, including a one year incubator lease at SPARK East and up to \$50,000 in business acceleration services.

The EIC collaboration is helping to expand the region's entrepreneurial success by delivering critical services to startups," said Michael A. Finney, Ann Arbor SPARK CEO, in a news

"The EIC pitch competition provides opportunitles for start-ups to pitch their business to investors and the community and receive feedback that can further their business develop-

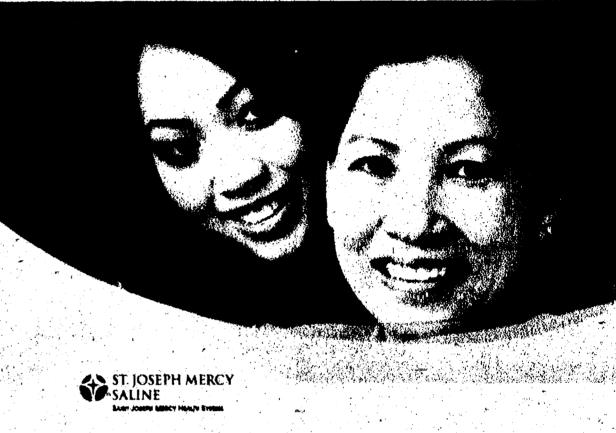
Pitch competition finalists will have three minutes to deliver a business pitch to the panel of judges. The winning pitch will be selected based on identification and articulation of market need, how the product meets the need and the business model. Companies will pitch their business idea in front of an audience at SPARK East.

To qualify for the pitch competition, entrants must be registered as a Michigan business. The winner of the competition is required to establish the SPARK East business incubator as its primary business location.

Applications to compete in the EIC pitch competition are due by close of business on May 14.

The five finalists who will compete at the pitch competition event will be notified by e-mail or phone by May 21.

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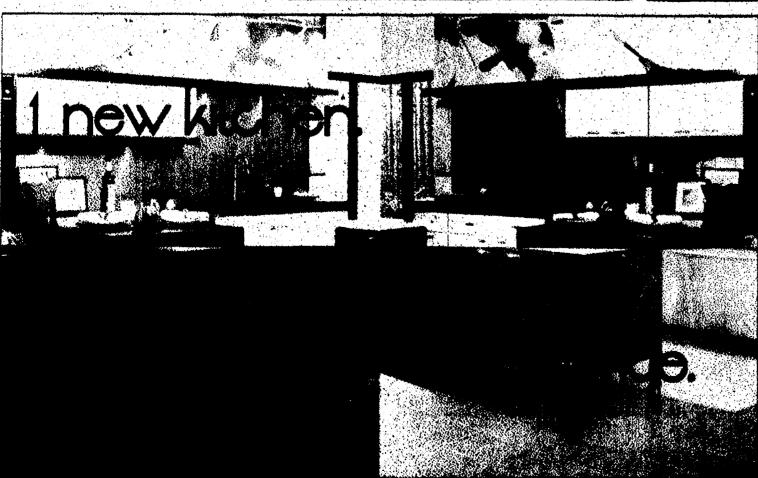
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in progress. Upon arrival it was discovered the suspect

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garage, and work van parked

outside of the residence. The

unknown suspect fled the loca-

tion on foot to a vehicle parked

Members of Chelsea Junior Girl Scout Troop 537 are hosting a drive for the Huron Valley Humane Society and are seeking donations. The scouts will be collecting donated goods at North Creek, Plarce Lake, and South Meadows elementary schools, and also at the Wags To

Whiskers Store in Chelsea. The drive will run from May I through May 15.

Pictured are (back row, left to right): Taylor Brodbeck and Julia Zocharski, (front row left to right) Molly Olk and Danielle Lobdell.

were taken.

the suspects.

The suspect parked his vehicle behind another barn on

Jerusalem Road, and broke into

a second detached garage. Tools

Police are seeking any infor-

mation leading to the arrest of

Deputies seeking information

Deputies with the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department are seeking information leading to the arrest of a suspect in an alleged indecent exposure case.

On April 26, at approximately 2:30 a.m., a deputy was dispatched to the 800 block of Bogey Court in Scio Township for an indecent exposure complaint. It was reported a 21year-old victim was in his bedroom watching TV. He heard a horn honk and looked outside. An unknown color minivan with its hazard flashers on was parked in the roadway.

The van was occupied by one white male in his 40s. The suspect proceeded to take his shirt and pants off. The driver stayed in front of the house for three minutes, pulled the van forward and then backed it up. The suspect fled in an unknown direction.

Suspects are unknown at this time.

Attempted burglary

On May 2 at approximately 1:50 a.m., Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputies were dispatched to the 200 block of Haeussier Court in Scio Township for a burglary alarm. It was discovered a rock was thrown through a north window in an attempt to gain entry. The alarm was activated and the suspect fled the area. Suspects are unknown at this

On April 30 at approximately 9:30 p.m., the Michigan State Police and Washtenaw County Sheriff's Office were dispatched to the 12900 block of M-52 near Jerusalem Road in Sylvan Township for a burglary

BRIEFLY

Friends, family and community members are invited to a reception in honor of Pierce Lake Elementary School principal Lucille Stieber's retirement from 2 to 4 p.m. May 23 in the Pierce Lake cafeteria.

Tea, coffee and pastries will be served.

She has been a wonderful leader in our schools an community for the past 18 years. Her devotion and support of our children will be missed,' the school district said in a press release.

For more information, call Betsy Elkins at 433-2204, Ext. 4002.

BRIEFLY

Dr. Ruth Barthel of Grass Lake has successfully completed all the requirements to become a board certified veterinary dentist. She can provide expert diagnosis and treatment of oral health issues such as bad breath, broken teeth. crooked teeth, oral tumors and more. She has been in practice for over 30 years and is currently seeing patients at Grass Lake Animal Hospital. She can be reached at 1-517-522-6789.

Grass Lake Animal Hospital

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Arts will offer hands on art activities for children during the art fair free of charge.

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The funded projects fit into one or more areas of the CWF vision: they help residents choose to eat better, move. more or connect with others

in healthy ways.

The CWF funded Chelsea's Heart and Sole race, scheduled for May 22. Proceeds from the Heart and Sole race will benefit the Grace Clinic, a local free clinic for the uninsured. For more information on the race visit www.chelseaheartandsole.com.

Camp Munhacke, a local Boy Scout camp, will benefit from a grant that will fund the addition of fitness stops along the nature trails. Approximately 120 local Boy Scouts and their parents will benefit by learning exercises to improve balance, agility and flexibility:

In support of eating bet-ter, the CWF is assisting in the funding of a project for the Stockbridge Community Outreach, to provide food for families who struggle to provide adequate, nutritious meal options.

This grant supplements donations by Farmers State Bank, Ingham County and the Stockbridge community.

Dester residents will benefit from a new community garden, funded in part by

the CWF. This garden will give residents access to fresh, organic produce throughout the growing season.

In an effort to influence ele-mentary school children's food choices, the CWF will sponsor a fruit and vegetable bar during Kindergarten Roundup in the spring in Manchester. Kindergartners and their families will be exposed to all the healthy options currently offered during the school year in the school cafeteria.

The CWF will also sponsor: ·The Chelsea Senior

Center's annual pilgrimage to the Mackinaw Bridge Labor Day Walk. When participants arrive at the Mackinaw Bridge they will be wearing colorful T-shirts sporting their message of senior health and the CWF logo.

·The St. Louis Center's

annual Golf and Glory Tournament. Proceeds from this tournament are used for the active "summer games"

for St. Louis Center residents.
Sounds and Sights in
downtown Chelsea. Sounds and Sights is an opportunity for Chelsea residents and visitors to connect with others in healthy ways.
The second mini-grant and

sponsorship funding cycle is underway. The deadline for applications is June 30. Major grant requests (greater than \$5,000) are being accepted through April 30 on CWF's Website, www.5healthytowns. org. The Website provides information about eligibility and the grant application

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Hospital urges organ donations

Chelsea Community Hospital is taking part in a statewide effort to add one million new names to the Michigan Organ

Donor Registry this year. Representatives from Gift of Life Michigan were on site on April 14 to encourage employees to register. In four hours, 38 new people were added as donors. In addition, CCH collaborated with Gift of Life Michigan to encourage new

donors at the local Secretary of State office. Fifty-four people registered at that location for a total of 92 new names at the two events.

"Adding these donors to the registry is a great achievement," said Pat Parr, director of staff development. "We hope it encourages more people to consider the life-saving gift of organ donation."

Nancy Fielder, director of

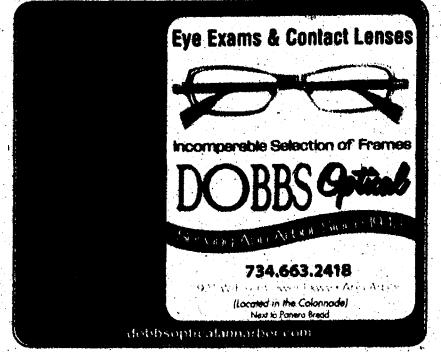
emergency services, said there can never be enough organ donations.

We appreciate the opportunity to team up with Gift of Life and other organizations to meet the important goal of adding one million new donors," she said.

Once the goal is met, Michigan will be in line with the national average of 39 percent of drivers registered. Only 24 percent of drivers have signed the registry.

Most residents aren't aware that signing the back of a Michigan driver's license or state ID isn't enough to be a donor anymore. Since 2007, residents must join the Michigan Organ Donor Registry online or by calling 1-800-482-4881 or by visiting a Secretary of State branch office.

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Tips to avoid common garden pests this season

By Kathy Kersten **Guest Writer**

It's the first week in May and the sugar peas, onions, garlic (planted in the fall). potatoes, lettuce, spinach, radish and parsley, all planted in April, are coming along nicely Strawberries are in bloom and some of the perennial herbs are starting to make an appearance. Tomato, pepper, eggplant and melon seedlings are all started and being nurtured

My fenced, organic vegetable garden is fashioned after a French kitchen garden (Potager garden). It is 30 feet by 50 feet with birdbath and circular plantings mid-line. The raised beds are 3 feet wide and dug 10 to 12 inches deep with paths 1 foot wide. Initially this was a big job to prepare the beds and the paths, but the bonus is that there is no re-tilling or re-digging. The beds dry out more quickly in the spring, letting you plant earlier. Planting can also be more intensive (much closer together), lefting you grow more in a smaller space.

I also use a trellis for the sugar peas and other climbing vegetables like cucumbers, melons and pole beans.

Manure and my own compost are the mainstay for organic fertilizing. All the kitchen scraps (no meat) are put into a compost bucket under the kitchen sink and then transferred to the large compost bin outdoors. We do this all year round.

In the spring we haul manure from our neighbor's horse farm and let this dry out over the summer to spread on the beds in the fall. The following spring

the manure is turned over into the beds before planting. Other natural fertilizers are grass clippings, leaves and wood ash. Since manure tends to be low in phosphorus, I add bone meal at the same time. Fish meal is a very good fertilizer, but I quickly found out that this attracts all kinds of critters. If you want to take the time. another good fertilizer is "tea manure." Put manure into the bottom of a five gallon bucket. Use a ratio of one part manure to three parts water. The "tea" will be ready in a few days. Dilute the finished product to a... pale tea color. Water plants first with plain water and then pour the tea on the soil around the plant. Don't pour directly on stems or leaves as foliage could be burned.

For mulching in the garden. I prefer to use straw around the plants in the beds and wood chips on the paths. The beds can be covered with mulched leaves in the winter — this protects the soil and keeps it moist, prevents weeds, and then breaks down and fertilizes the soil. Pull it away in spring to allow the soil to dry before planting.

As to pests and insects, moles can be deterred by castor oil. Mix one tablespoon castor oil and two tablespoons liquid soap in a blender until it gets stiff like shaving cream. Then mix in six tablespoons of water. Combine two ounces of this mixture with two gallons of water in a watering can, or use in a spray bottle and apply in areas where you find moles.

Deer deterrents come in many forms, but the most effective always seem to use



putrefied egg. The recipe for deer deterrent is one gallon water, two eggs, two beef bouillon cubes, cayenne and garlic granules.

Slugs love beer. Pour some (cheap) beer into an empty tuna can and settle it into the ground where the slugs are eating away. Come morning, you empty the dead slugs out of the can.

For Japanese beetles, other than using milky spore powder over your whole yard, I found the best way to deal with them is to go into the garden early in the morning when the beetles are still sluggish and flip them into a pail of soapy water. They love my soybeans as much as I do, so I often make a trip out to the garden again in the afternoon and evening.

To control cabbage worms and flea beetles, sprinkle wood ash on leaves of cabbage, brussel sprouts, eggplants and broccoli.

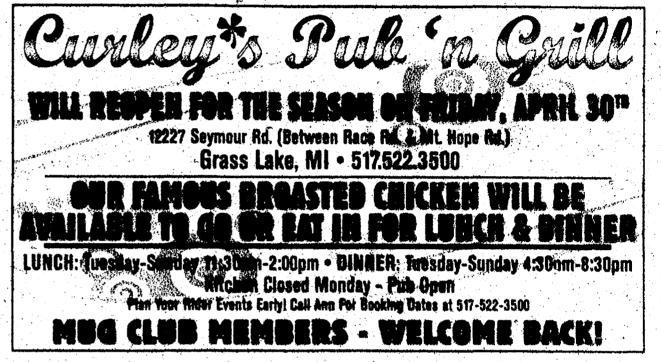
Other insects can be controlled by using a spray mixture of cayenne, garlic powder and dishwashing detergent. An interesting formula for battling fruit flies is to fill a shallow

damage, harvest time, yield, etc. It also serves as a reminder of the many rewards for all my efforts.

Kathy Kersten is an active member of the Chelsea Area Garden Club' The club's activities include monthly meetings and civic beautification projects. at the Chelsea District Library and downtown Cheisea. The CAGC also provides scholar-

ships for master gardener applicants and small grants to fund. local gardening projects. The club's activities are funded by annual member dues and revenues from the upcoming plant sale on May 15 from 8 30 a m to noon, and the Cheisea Garden Walk from 10 a m to 4 p.m. July 17 For more information, visit www.chelseagardenclub.com.





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Actors to perform dark preview of 'Corktown'

The Purple Rose Theatre's Aftistic Director Guy Sanville and a cast of talented actors will perform "Corktown," by Michael Brian Ogden at 10:30 a.m. May 15 at the Chelsea District Library.

"Corktown" tells the story of an extraordinary day in the life of a Detroit mobster. Joey Kinkannen, a hitman for Detroit's Irish mob is in the midst of a crisis of conscience when Cobb, his superior, arrives with yet another lob.

Cobb's delivery is a body wrapped in a tarp. Not long after being dropped off in Joey's apartment floor, the tarp begins to move. Joey unwraps it to discover the would be victim: a bloody

but very much alive young woman. "Corktown" is being strongly considered for the Purple Rose-Theatre Company's 2010-2011 season. Attendees are encouraged to stay after the reading and share their thoughts on the script and performance.

Ogden received his Bachelor of Arts degree in theatre from Western Michigan University and his Master of Fine Arts in acting from Wayne State University's Hilberry Theatre, where he appeared as Elyot in "Private Lives." Chance Wayne in "Sweet Bird of Youth" and Marc Antony in "Julius Caesar." He also studied with the Royal Shakespeare Company, Moscow Art Theatre

and the Society of American Fight Directors.

Sanville has been with the Purple Rose Theatre since 1995. He has directed many Purple Rose productions and in May •2003 made his Off-Broadway directing debut with the New York premiere of "Rain Dance" at the Signature Theatre in New York City. Sanville has accumulated countless Purple Rose acting credits as well as about 70 industrial films, commercials and voiceovers. For more information on Sanville and the Purple Rose staff, visit www.purplerosetheatre.org.

"Corktown" is a dark comedy for mature audiences. To register, call 475-8732 or visit www. chelsea.lib.mi.us.

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Collins honored

Chelsea resident Lynda Collins was honored at the Faith in Action 30th annual Benefit Banquet on April 24 with the Howard S. Holmes Humanitarian of the Year

'I'm sure there is hardly a person in the room who has not been touched in a charitable way by the generosity of Lynda Collins," director Nancy Paul said.

Collins is the owner of Thompson's Pizzeria and is known for her support of community events and for catering

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Currently there are 2,382 Michigan residents waiting

dinners to raise funds for families struggling with medical bills. Her large family was in attendance and she was lauded with a standing ovation from the grateful crowd.

The banquet, sponsored by Chelsea Community Hospital, featured an auction that included vacations to Italy and Florida, as well as craft items and gift certificates from businesses from Chelsea and Dexter. Funds from the dinner support Faith in Action, a faithbased community resource center serving Dexter and Chelsea.

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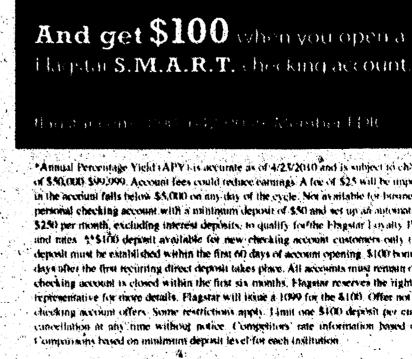
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A new interview begins every Thursday evening and runs for a week. The guests all live or work in Chelsea, and everyone connected with the show is a volunteer.

Previous shows are available to view at McKune Memorial Library

DCO Concert

The Dexter Community Orchestra will perform a free concert at 4 p.m. May 23 in the auditorium of Dexter High-School. The DCO, led by guest conductor Anthony Elliott, will perform Tchaikovsky's "Francesca da Rimini, Tchaikovsky's Violin Concerto with Jacob Joyce. and Howard Hanson's Symphony No. 2, "The

Romantic. For more information, visit www dextercommunityorchestralorg.

Plant Sale

The Dexter Garden Club's plant sale takes place from 9 am to noon May 15 at the gazebo in Monument Park. For more information, call 426-8299 Customers can bring plastic garden pots for recycling

Depression presentation

Dr Sarah Wright will flost a series of presentations focusing on depression in individuals ages 55 and older at the Chelsea Retirement Community. The event will take place from 7 to 9 p.m. May 11 and 1 to 3 p.m. May

St. Mary summer

St Mary Catholic Church in

Pinckney will hold its summer bazaar from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. July 24 sponsored by the St. Mary Rosary Alter Society Crafters and vendors are needed Call 1-734-878-3161

Antique gas engine and tractor show

Hudson Mills Old Power Club and Hudson Mills Metro Park will hold their 19th annual show June 4 through 6. The event includes face painting. horse drawn hayrides, pedal pull contests and a petting zoo for the kids. An antique tractor and old engine exhibit. tractor pulls, tractor games, a horseshoe tournament, craft show and scrapbooking

classés will also be offered. The event takes place at Hudson Mills Metro Park. North Territorial Road in Dexter There is a \$5 Metro Park gate fee. For more information, call 1-248-804-8507

Boy Scout fundraiser

Boy Scout Troop 425 will hold its annual flower sale and car wash and can and bottle return drive at Cheisea State Bank (corner of Old US-12) and M-52) on May 8

The flower sale runs from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., and the car wash runs from noon to 4 p.m. Returnable cans and bottles will be accepted all day

The flower sale features locally grown hanging baskets, flats of annuals, perennials and vegetables -

All proceeds support sending a scout to summer camp.

Dexter Farmer's

The opening day of the Dexter Farmer's Market is May 8 The hours are Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Tuesdays from 3 p.m. to 7

Under the Big Top

The Tree of Life Cultural Arts Studio will hast "Under the Big Top & Beyond" at 6 p.m. June 19 at the Washington Street Education Center .

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and \$10 at the door. For more information, call 1-734-433-0697

Cheisea Painter's Fair

The Chelsea Painters 37th annual art fair will be held June 5 and 6 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the grounds of Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main, St.

Twenty-five award-winning artists will display and sell original fine art and cards in a variety of media: watercolor, acrylic, oil, pastel, gouache, encaustic, monotype, and mixed media. The event is free and open to the

Making S'mores

Cheisea Area Historical Society will host "Making S'mores: Reading and Writing

the Cheisea Depot. Local author Cynthia Furlong Reynolds will offer insights into the art of crafting stories. whether personal or secondhand, into written works. The event is free and open to the public.

Trusting Land. **Nourishing Community**

The Michigan Friends Center will present "Trusting Land, Nourishing the Community" from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The cost is \$40. For more information, call 475-1892.

Rummage sale

Chelsea Boy Scout Troop 476 will hold a rummage sale from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. May 7 and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. May 8 at the Chelsea Fairgrounds.

Profits go toward scout activities/trips and the Senior Scout Scholarship fund. Electronics, antiques, DVDs, CDs. clothes, linens, books, furniture, sporting equipment,

games and toys, tools, household goods, craft items, etc. will be on sale

Items for the sale can be donated on May 6 from 5 to 8 p.m. at the fairgrounds.

Education rally

The Washtenaw County Area School Employees Council 3F is a hosting an. education rally from 5 to 7 p.m. May 24 in Ann Arbor to express frustration in the lack of state funding for schools The location is TBA.

Mother's Day cabaret at the Encore

The Chelsea and Dexter Lions Club will host a Mother's Day cabaret at the Encore Theatre featuring Broadway show tunes beginning at 3

ner at North Point restaurant. Dinner choices include chicken marcela grilled Atlantic salmon or Parmesan white fish To order tickets call 1: 734-268-6200.

Garden Club garage

Chelsea's Evening Primrose Garden Club is holding their annual garage sale fundraiser on May 8 at the Chelsea Train Depot, 150 Jackson St. from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. The proceeds support the maintenance and beautification of the gardens at the depot.

Community donations will be accepted from 5 to 7 p.m. at the depot

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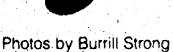
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Brian Bazydlo performs on the trumpet.



Sarah Wolpoff performs a solo at the Chelsea High School Concerto Concert.



CHS student Tristan Weber performs on the cello.



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Ann Arbor Book Festival starts May 14

Annual event includes writers' conference, poetry, meetings with authors

By Lisa Allmendinger

Visitors to the seventh Ann Arbor Book Festival will have a more intimate experience with authors

The festival's organizers say this year's event will be smaller than in previous years because of financial constraints. But there are a number of events, with something for books lovers of all genres

An evening of poetry will be held 7 p.m. May. 14 at the Neutral Zone, 310 E. Washington St. Inaddition, the festival includes its annual Leader in the Literary Arts Awards ceremony followed by Literama, a poetry slam.

Rachel McKibbens, a New York Foundation of the Arts poetry fellow and the 2009 Women's Individual World Poetry Slam champion, will be followed by high school, college and adult poets participating in an inter-generational poetry slam. The cost is \$5 at the door.

6 On May 15, there will be a breakfast with numerous authors, said Kathy Robenalt, chairwoman of the event.

The breakfast takes place from 8:30 to 9:45 a.m. in Room 100 Gallery Space in Hatcher Graduate Library on U of M's campus.

"Besides meeting your table's author, you will have a chance to hear all the authors describe their work to the whole gathering," she says.

Robenalt says the organizers don't have the funds in hand that they have in the past so, "rather than doing nothing, we want people to know we're still out there, but we're not going into debt.

The fee is \$20 and you must register online at www.aabookfestival.org.-

Included at the breakfast are NPR commentator and Michigan Public Radio host Charity Nebbe, who will be the emcee.

Jeffrey Ebbeler, author of the children's book, 'Our Walk in the Woods," is scheduled to be at the breakfast.

Other authors include Brenda Bentley author of "Riverwalks Ann Arbor," and

Vasugi Ganeshananthan, whose novel, "Love Marriage," was named by The Washington Post as one of its best books of 2008.

Also expected are Katie Mattie, a successful teen author from Ypsilanti; Keith Taylor, director of the Bear River Writers Conference and of the Undergraduate Creative Writing Program at the University of Michigan, and Ann Pearlman, author of "The Christmas Cookie Club," which is set in Ann Arbor.

The breakfast will be followed by a writers' conference from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Mason/ Haven Halls at U of M.

This marks the fourth annual Ann Arbor Book Festival Writers' Conference for authors to hone their skills in workshops led by visiting festival authors, editors, and publicists.

Presenters include Ganeshananthan, John Hilton, editor of The Ann Arbor Observer, Pearlman, Micki Maynard, author of "The-Selling of the American Economy: How Foreign Companies Are Remaking the American Dream," Jeannie Ballew, Rachel McKibbens and Aracelis Girmay.

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Gallery Space in Hatcher Graduate Library, authors Campbell and Lolita Hernandez, and author, who teaches creative writing in the U of M Residential College, will hold a free authors'

We are excited to do these things at a minimal cost." Robenalt says.

For more information, visit www.aabookfesti-

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Best-selling teen author coming to Nicola's

By Lisa Allmendinger

As many eighth-graders look forward to their last summer before high school. best-selling author Lauren Myracle has written the perfect story to ease them through that transition.

The author of more than 15 books, Myracle's newesttitle, "Thirteen Plus One." continues the story of Winnie Perry, who has a lot to do before September rolls around. So for her 14th birthday, she

makes a "To-Do-Before-High-School list. It's a list that can be modified

for every teen in the same situa-Myracle reminded me what it's like to be 14 years old again. And,

since I'm 52 years old, that was a long But her story brought me back to those

times of confusion and caring, fears and dreams — and a major step in life. Parents, your children shouldn't be the only ones reading this terrific coming-of-highschool-age story. You'll think back on more carefree days and your childhood best friends, or, in today's

terms "BBFs." You'll root for Winnie and her BFFs Dinah and Cinnamon as they enjoy their last summer before high school. They decide to attend a very cool camp that leatures hands on environmental

learning when campers assist nesting loggerhead turtles.

So in addition to splendid writing in the voices of 14-year-olds, this book offers a learning experience, as well.

Myracle is not only a best-selling . author, but also was recently named the Most Banned Author in the United States by the American Fast facts Library

Association. Yes, there are some controversial passages in

this book, but nothing that students haven't already experienced in real life. "Thirteen Plus One" is a great summer read for

teens and adults. and it's always fun to read a book before of after hearing the author speak.

So head to Nicola's and have your book autographed. Having an author's signafure on your book makes it more special and heightens the literary experience.

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THINGS TO DO: REGIONAL CALENDAR

CHELSEA

International Book Club 7 p.m. Thursday: "Dreamers of the Day," by Mary Doria Russell Chelsea District Library, 221 S. Main St. Free Pre-register at 475-8732

6-11 Club

3:30 p.m. Monday: For ages 6 through 11. Chelsea District Library 221 S. Main St. Free Pre-register at 475-8732.

Mystery Book Club

7 p.m. Monday. Breakaway Restaurant, Arctic Coliseum, 501 Coliseum Drive; Chelsea Free 475-7035

DJ Night: Arctic Collseum 15 p.m. Saturday: Arctic Coliseum, 501 Coliseum Drive Chelsea \$8 includes skate rental 433-2244

"Our Town"

Wednesday to Sunday, through May 29. Purple Rose Theatre, 137 Park St., Cheisea. Call for performances and prices: 433-7673

Pressed Flowers

1.1 a.m. Saturday: Eddy Discovery Center, Bush Road Waterloo Recreation Area Preregistration requested. Free. \$6 vehicle fee. 475-3170

Cheisea Ride

9 a.m. Mondays and 6 p.m. hursdays: Meet at Aberdeen Bike and Fitness, 1175 S. Main St., Chelsea Free (517) 285-

Mad Cow Gaming

3:30 p.m. Wednesday: For teens. Chelsea District Library 221 S Main St., Chalsea Free 475-8732

High School Student Art Exhibit "Potential" runs

through Monday Ann Arbor Art Center, 117 W Liberty St., Ann.

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11 a.m., 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Saturday Group tours 400 N Main St. Free. 433-5499

Great Books at the Senior Center

1 p.m. Friday: Chelsea Senior Center, 512 Washington St. Free Pre-registration required 475-8732.

O-Meet

Noon to 3 p.m. Saturday: Southeastern Michigan Orienteering Club. Crooked Lake, Waterloo Recreation Area Free Visit www.michiga-

Incredible Edibles Walk

1:30 p.m. Saturday and May 8: Eddy Discovery Center. Bush Road, Chelsea, \$2 (lamily, \$5) \$6 vehicle entry fee. 475-3170

Chelsea Chess Club

3 to 5 p.m. Saturdays: Wendy's, 1640 Commerce Park. Free. 475-1583.

DEXTER

5K Run and Walk 9:30 a.m. Saturday: Vision

Builders Hudson Mills Metropark Activity Center, 8801 North Territorial Road, Dexter-\$30 (under 12, \$20; family, \$50) 5 vehicle fee. Call 660-

Bluegrass Gospel Jam Session

6 p.m. Saturday: Dexter-Senior Center, 7720 Ann Arbor St. Dexter Free; but donations accepted for Dexter Senior Center 426-4231

National Active and Retired

Federal Employees meeting 11:30 a.m. Monday Classic Cup Cafe, 4389 Jackson Ave

Second Saturday Contra

662-1734

8 p.m. Saturday Webster Community Hall, 5665 Webster Church Road, Dexter \$8,996

Mother's Day Wildflower Hike

1 p.m. Sunday: 8801 North

Territorial Road, Dexter. \$2, \$5 vehicle entrance fee. Pre-register at 426-8211.

Estate Planning Workshop 7 p.m. Wednesday Legacy Law Center: Reservations at 995-2383. Weber's Inn, 3050.

Clay Target Fun Shoot

Jackson Road.

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday: Ann Arbor Moose Sportsman's Lodge, 10101 North Territorial Road, Dexter. Call 709-6972.

Somewhere in Time book

7 p.m. Monday: Dexter District Library, 3255 Alpine St., Dexter Free Pre-register at 426-4477

Super Stories Book Club

4.30 p.m. Wednesday Dexter District Library, 3255 Alpine St., Dexter, Free, Preregister at 426-4477

Book Snackers Book Club 11 a.m. Saturday: Dexter District Library, third-through fifth-graders, 3255 Alpine St

Free Pre-register at 426-4477 'History of Baseball Cards" 10 a.m. Saturday. Dexter District Library, 3255 Alpine St., Dexter Free Reservations

Spring Gardening Series 7 p.m. Thursday: Dexter District Library, 3255 Alpine St.,

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requested, 426-4477

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Mills Metropark, 8801 North Territorial Road: \$5: \$4 vehicle fee. 449-4300

Dollhouse & Miniatures 4 to 8 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday. Holiday Inn. Avenue: Free: 645-5840

3600 Plymouth Road. \$5 (ages 5-15, \$2, age 4 and under, free; two-day pass, \$8), 1-513-861-

SALINE

Saline Photography Club 7 p.m., Saline Middle School Orchestra Room, 7190 N. Maple Road, Saline. Free. 429-

Book Discussion

7 p.m. Wednesday: Saline District Library, 555 N. Maple Road, Saline, Free. 429-5450.

One Voice Gospel Choir

7 p.m. Friday and Saturday: St. Paul United Church of Christ, 122 W. Michigan, Saline. \$7 suggested donation, 845-

Crane Creek State Park

6 a.m. Saturday: Washlenaw Audubon Society. Meet at Busch's; 2020 Plymouth Road, to carpool. Free: 994-3569.

Spring Round-Up Horse

8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday: 4-H Club. Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds, 5055 Ann Arbor-Saline Road, Saline, Free. 997-1678.

Spring Park Clean Up 9 a.m. to noon Saturday: Tefft: Park, Saline Recreation Center, 1866 Woodland Free Pre-registration by calling 429-3502;

Pizza and Pages 3 p.m. Tuesday, Sixth-

ext. 2509.

through 12th-graders. Saline District Library, 555 N. Maple Road Free Pre-register at 429-5450.

8 a.m. to noon Saturdays: South Ann Arbor Street Call

Farmers' Market

429-3518. Saline Ride

6 p.m. Wednesday: Municipal parking lot, Ann Arbor-Saline Road, south of Michigan

Coffee Tasting

.11 a.m. Saturday: Zingerman's Coffee Co., 3723 Plaza Drive. Free. 929-0500.

Thursday Night Contra 7 p.m. Thursday: 4531 Concourse Drive \$7 (students,

Ballroom Dancing Night 8 p.m. Saturday: Pittsfield

Township Recreation Hall, South State at Ellsworth Road, \$5. 822-2120.

Washtenaw Toestmasters 7 p.m. Thursday: Washtenaw Community College, 4800 E Huron River Drive.

1 to 2:30 p.m. Thursdays and 6 to 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays: Liberty School, 7265 Ann Arbor-Saline

New Horizons Band

Road. Free. 429-1742. **Ballroom Dance Party** 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday:

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Game Night 6 p.m. Thursday: Borders, 3140 Lohr Road, Free, 997-

Come Dancing, 7025 E.

Plaza): \$10, 944-1888.

Line Dancing 6:30 p.m. Tuesday Legion, 320 W. Michigan, \$6, 429-4840.

Saline Woodcarvers 6 p.m. Wednesday: Senior Center, 7190 N. Maple Road. Free. 944-1918.

Bingo 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: Legion, 320 W. Michigan Ave.

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Commerce Awards Dinner 5:30 p.m. Thursday: The Polo Fields Washtenaw, 2955 Packard Road, \$50, Call

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Center, 5305 Elliott Drive, Free 1-517-750-2741

Ypsilanti Community Choir 7:30 p.m. Thursday: Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 201 N. River Drive: Donation:

Housing & Living Expo 8:15 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday Housing Bureau for Seniors. Washtenaw Community College Morris Lawrence Building, 4800

E. Huron River Drive, Free, 998-

Housing Counseling

Seminar 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: MSU Extension Office, Superior Township Hall Building, 3040 N. Prospect Road. Call 997-1678.

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Supportive Housing

657-2337.

7:30 p.m. Monday: National Alliance for the Mentally III of Washtenaw County NEW Center, 1100 N. Main St. Free. 994-6611.

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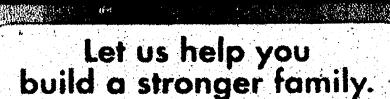


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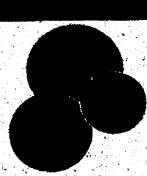
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Purple Rose inspires young actor

Chelsea resident learns ins and outs of theatre while working on play

By Daniel Lai

When Ty Mitchell talks, he sounds like any other young college graduate with a list of hopes and dreams a mile long. However, Mitchell, a resident of Chelsea, isn't like any other young person his age. At 24, Mitchell has appeared in 16 theatre productions' with no signs of slowing down.

Mitchell can currently be seen on stage at the Purple Rose Theatre Company performing alongside a veritable cast of veteran actors in director Guy Sanville's adaptation of Thornton Wilder's "Our Town."

Mitchell, who will complete his oneyear apprenticeship with the Purple Rose in September, said he was surprised to be east in the play.

"It's my first professional show," he said smiling. "It's really cool. When Guy (Sanville) told me. I didn't believe

Though the show is well into it's third week. Mitchell said the thought of being in a Purple Rose production is still sinking in.

"It's such a great cast and it blows me away to be able to sit on stage every night and watch them do their work," he said. "I feel really privi-

According to Alan Ribant, managing director, it is uncommon for apprentices to be cast in the theatre's productions.

'In our early rehearsals, Ty showed Guy that he could tickle the ivories and Guy included his piano skills into the play." Ribant said. "Ty is a Chelsea native and we are happy to have him on board.

Mitchell said he never thought "messing around" on the theatre's piano would lead to anything more than that.

However, by taking a chance, he was commissioned to score the incidental musical arrangements for the show.

Most of the music has come from spur of the moment stuff," he said. "We would be in rehearsal and Guy would tell me to just go with my gut feeling.

Mitchell said a lot of the inspiration came from watching rehearsals.

"I would just sit at the piano bench and watch. I had a lot more music written but it got cut at the last week of rehearsal," he said. "That's probably for the better. The music that remains is great."

Mitchell has been playing the piano since he was 8 years old.

"It's not really stressful," he said of playing live music on stage. "The only part that really makes me nervous is the wedding march. If you screw that up, then everyone knows. It's less stressful to play the incidental music because you can have fun with that and change it up to support the actors

With a resume that boasts production on a Saturday Night Live episode as well as numerous appearances on the Chelsea Area Players' stage. Mitchell said he feels humbled to be able to work with veteran actors of stage and screen at the Purple Rose.

'It's neat. I try to pin them down and ask advice. I want to be like them too," he said. "It's a lot more comfortable than I thought it would be to approach them. They are all so helpful and eager to share their stories. It's like being part of a larger family."

While he's not on stage, Mitchell, along with eight other apprentices. help make sure behind-the-scenes production at the Purple Rose runs

Apprentices are hired mostly right out of college and work one year at the theatre assisting with concessions. ticket sales, theatre tours, and all aspects of the performance.

"It's a neat trade off," Mitchell said. "Yes we have to help out the operations of the theatre, but the trade off is being able to work with some really neat people.

"I think I've learned more here than I did in college.'

Mitchell recalled his first day on

Jeff Daniels, you know, who founded the Purple Rose, isn't usually around when the new class of apprentices are given their tour of the theatre," he said. "It so happens he was in town when we started. When they led us into the Green Room, Jeff was standing right there. It was kind of awkward at first because they lined



us all up in a row

"After a minute, Jeff opened his arms and said, 'so there are worse places, right?'

Mitchell said from then on his fear of working with famous actors was quelled.

'He's just a regular guy," he said. "It's amazing what he's done here in Chelsea."

Mitchell will continue his performances with "Our Town" until the production's final show at the end of

"Our apprenticeships end after the next show 'Boeing Boeing' ends," he said. "I am definitely going to miss it, but hopefully I will be back in some fashion.'

Mitchell said he would like to stay around the Chelsea area and perform in more shows to build up "equity

points" with the actors Equity Union. "I would love to end up working at a place like this," he said. "I am very grateful to Guy, Jeff and Alan for providing such an educational experi-

"Alan and Guy love to teach, and I will gladly let them do it so I can suck

Working with Sanville on stage has also given Mitchell a better appreciation of what directors go through.

"Guy Sanville is really inspiring to work with. You think that a guy like that would be a lot more rigid with how he runs rehearsals. I think he likes to foster an environment to allow ideas to flow around," Mitchell said. "But when it comes down to it, he is the boss and he is a brilliant guy to work with. He harbors a nice atmosphere for the community to work together. You can tell that he cares a lot about what he does."

"It truly is one big family here."

Daniel Lai is editor of The Chelsea Standard. He can be reached at 429s 7380 or dlai@heritage.com.

'Our Town' cast brings characters to life

By Amy Gray Special Writer

Winner of the Pulitzer Prize in 1938. Thornton Wilder's "Our Town" is considered by many to be the great- est American stage play. Spanning 13 years in the fictional town of Grover's Corners, "Our Town" celebrates the everyday moments throughout our lives.

Director Guy Sanville pulls together a moving. night of theatre as well as great performances from his actors, most notably Will David Young, Rhiannon Ragiand, and Michelle Mountain.

Young as the narrator and

stage manager provides a solid anchor to the cast. His fluid line delivery and wonderful subtlety keep the audience interested and involved through the play.

Ragland as Mrs. Gibbs and Mountain as Mrs. Webb provide moments of humor, especially in the wedding day scene. They both add a strong female presence that was enjoyable to watch.

Michael Brian Ogden as George Gibbs and Stacie Hadgikosti as Emily Webb were a slightly odd romantic pairing. While they both effectively played the emotional scenes, Hadgikosti seemed to play her character

The technical aspects of the production are wonderfully executed. The thrust style stage, with the seating on three sides, makes you feel like you are in the scene with the actors. Vincent Mountain's set design is beautiful in it's simplicity. and Quintessa Gallinat's sound design sets the mood of the theatre nicely.

Daniel C. Walker's lighting design is a real highlight. The warm amber gels gives the feel of sitting in a

sepia-style picture. Sally L. Converse-Doucette's costume design for the most part is spot on. The design did have a few glaringly modern pieces mixed in, such as leg warmers and leggings.

Overail, the Purple Rose's production of Wilder's "Our Town" is definitely one that should not be missed.

On opening night, as the lights faded on the cast of "Our Town," light sobbing could be heard coming from a woman in the audience. This was a testimony to

the quality and caliber of actors under the guidance of Sanville.

"Our Town" runs at The Purple Rose Theatre Company through May 29. Performances are Wednesday through Saturday at 8 p.m., Saturday matinees at 3 p.m., and Sunday mati-

nees at 2 p.m. Reservations can be made by calling the box office at 1-734-433-7673 Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., or visit www.purplerosetheatre.org.

Army Gray is a theater freelance writer for The Chelsea Standard. She can be reached. at gray amy@vahoo.com.



Photo courtesy of the Purple Rose Theatre Company

The cast of Thornton Wilder's "Our Town" rehearses and scene during dress rehearsal at the Purple Rose Theatre in Chelses.



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Band member Paul King describes his style as a "mixture of Mel Torme, Joe Williams and Frank Sinatra - with a dash of Cab Calloway thrown in."

The group was recentlyfeatured in the independent Michigan film, "Forever in Time" by Chuck Grady.

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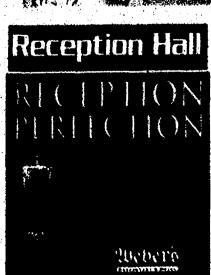


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Heart & Sole Race The Chelsea Community Hospital's 21st annual Heart

& Sole Race will take place May 15. Proceeds benefit the Chelsea Grace Clinic, a local non-profit that provides free health care to the uninsured. For more information, visit www.chelseaheartandsole.org.

Free breakfast First United Methodist Church in Chelsea is offering a free breakfast the second Saturday of every month from 8 to 11 a.m. The meal is open to anyone in the community. For more information call 1-734 475-8119.

Company C performance Chelsea High School's Company C will perform the musical, "Shoes" on May 14 and 15 at CHS. The event will take place at 7:30 p.m. in the CHS auditorium. Tickets are \$10 and \$7 for seniors and students.

Cheisea District Library

For more information, call 475-8732.

Today International Book Club (7 to 8:30 p.m.): Join us as we feature books that take place in cultures around the globe. The book for May is "Dreamers of the Day" by Mary Doria Russell. Reserved copies of books are available at the adult reference desk. Call 1-734-475-8732, Ext. 219 to register. Refreshments provided by Mission Marketplace.

May 7 Great Books & CSC (1 to 2 p.m.): Join discussions of books led by the library and Chelsea Senior Center staff. The book for May is "Three Cups of Tea" by Greg Mortenson, Reserved copies of the book are available at the adult reference desk and the Chelsea Senior Center.

MADLAB Advisory Board (3:30 to 4:30 p.m.): Share your ideas on how the library should work. Create programs, select books, video games and DVDs, and discuss how the teen area should really look. Sign up today, and make a difference in library teen and young adult services.

May 8 Friends book sale (10 a.m. to 3 p.m.): Thousands of books, CDs, DVDs, audio books and other items are available for purchase. Proceeds from the sales are used to support the library.

May 10 Friends Mystery Book Club (7 p.m.): May author is David Rosenfelt, Andy Carpenter Series.

May 11 Introduction to HeritageQuest (7 to 8:30 p.m.): Participate in this hands on workshop to gain a basic understanding of HeritageQuest's useful fea-tures. You'll also learn about the other helpful Web resources to further your genealogy research.

May 12 Mad Cow gaming (3:30 to 5 p.m.): Mad Cow Productions presents gaming every Wednesday in McKune with gamer guru Liz. Each week there will be a different set of games to choose from.

Café McKune (7 to 8:30 p.m.): Share your art, music and poetry on stage in the spacious McKune Room. Teens who register to perform will receive a reduction in library fines, and possible special credit from their teachers. Coffee and drinks provided by Zou Zou's Café. All ages are invited to listen.

May 13 Interurban Railraods (7 to 8:30 p.m.): Join historian George Sparrow to learn more about the interurban railroad system in Washtenaw County and the role Chelsea played.

Cheisea Senior Center

Located at 512 Washington St. Call 475-9242 for program registration and advance lunch reservation. Chelsea School District, through the Washtenaw County Senior Nutrition Program, serves a delicious lunch five days a week. Entrée listed, lunch includes salad bar and dessert.

Tomorrow: Bingo, 9 a.m.; Enhance Fitness, 10:30 a.m.: Spring Training, 10:30 a.m.: Fish and Chips lunch at noon: Euchre, 12:30 p.m.; Wii Fun, 1 p.m.; Book discussion "Three Cups of Tea," 1 p.m.; Gentle Yoga and Stretch, 1:30 p.m.

May 10: Bingo, 9 a.m.; Massage by Dawne, 10 a.m.: Enhance Fitness, 10:30 a.m.; Vision Mapping, 11 a.m.; Chicken pot pie lunch at noon; Hand & Foot, 12:30 p.m.;

-May 11: Foot care by appointment; Swimming at Comfort Inn. 9 a.m.; Mah Jongg, 9:30 a.m.; Crafts, 10 a.m.; Wood Carving, 10 a.m.; Taco salad lunch at noon: Wii Fit & Balance, I p.m.; Quilting for Charity, 1 p.m.; Supper Club at Chelsea Community Hospital, 1 p.m.; Euchre, 6:30 p.m.

May 12: Chelsea Unlimited, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Lunch available for \$5

May 13: Board of Directors meeting, 8:30 a.m.; Swimming at Comfort Inn. 9 a.m.; Bridge Class, 10 a.m.; Computer Club, 10 a.m.; Chess, 10 a.m.; Goulash lunch at noon; Chelsea Area Bridge, 12:15 p.m.; Practice Bridge, 12:30 p.m.; Knit & Crochet, 12:30 p.m.

Dexter **Dexter Senior Conter**

7720 Ann Arbor St. Call 426-7737. Luncheons are complete - main dish listed, \$2.50 minimum donation. Reservations should be made the day ahead by noon, call 426-5397.

Swimming is cancelled until further notice due to pool repair.

May 10: Walking, 9:15 a.m.; Exercise, 10:30 a.m.; Lunch · Crispy baked chicken, 11:30

May 11: Lifestyle Fitness 10 a.m.; Rug hookers; Tai Chf, 11 a.m.: Lunch-Roast beef, 11:30 a.m.; French, noon; Floral arranging, 1 p.m.

May 12: Exercise Ball Class, 9 a.m.: Medicare assistance: Exercise, 10:30 a.m.; Quiche-Lorraine lunch, 11:30 a.m.; German, Watercolor/Yoga, 1 p.m.

May 13: Spanish, 9 a.m.; Euchre, 9:30 a.m.; Lifestyle Fitness, 10 a.m.; Sip and Stitch or Bridge, 11 a.m.; Stuffed steak with gravy, 11:30 a.m.; 12:30 p.m., Scrabble; 1 p.m., Mah Jongg.

May 14: 9:30 a.m., coffee hour; 10:30 a.m., exercise; 11:30 a.m., luncheon, chicken Caesar salad and pizza; 1 p.m., Ladies Spa Day Fundraiser.

May 15: Slow Cooker Event. 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

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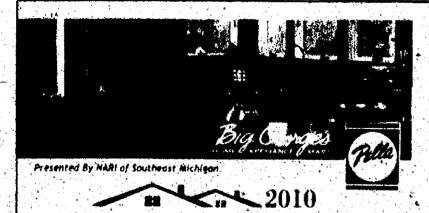
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May 6

7 to 8:30 p.m. Gardening series continues with composting. Registration is required.

May 8 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. The history of baseball cards and collecting. Get your baseball cards appraised. Registration is required.

ll a.m. Book Snackers Book Club. grades third through fifth. Special Mother's Day Mother-Daughter Book Discussion Group. Registration is required.

May 10 7 p.m.

Somewhere in Time Book Club, "Sovereign Ladies" by Maureen Waller, Registration is required.

May 12 4:30 p.m. Super Stories for Kindergarten to 2nd grade. "If You Give a Pig a Pancake." Registration is required.

6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Decorating on a Budget. Registration is required.

May 13 7 p.m.

Gardening series continues with basic design. Registration is required.

May 14 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.-**Drop-In Pizza and Pages** Teen Book Club. Hear about the newest and hottest titles in young adult literature. Enjoy the pizza and take home a book to keep.

6:30 p.m. Friday Night Movies for Adults, "Memphis Bell"

May 15 Il-a.m. Margaret Schmidt "The Farm Lady." Come celebrate summer on the farm. Live ducks and chickens.

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May 8

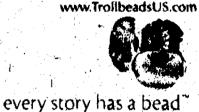
Incredible Edibles (1:30 to 3 p.m.): Come for a walk with wild edibles expert Tom Jameson and get acquainted with samples from Mother Nature's kitchen. Cost is \$2 per person or \$5 per family plus State Motor Vehicle Permit, Advance registration is requested by calling 1.734. 475-3170.

Hudson Mills Metropark 8901 N. Territorial Road. Dexter. For additional information or to register for programs, call 1-800-477-3191.

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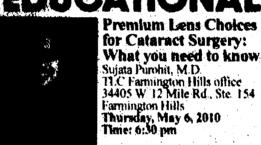


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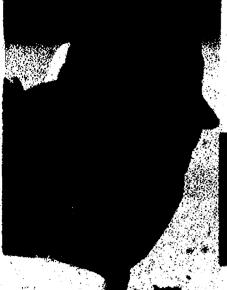
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INSIDE: CHELSEA BASEBALL TEAM DIVING HEAD FIRST INTO TOUGH COMPETITION; PAGE 5C

Fast Track Bulldogs win Mason Invite

By Terry Jacoby Hernage Newspapers

The Chelsea girls' track team raced to the top of the Mason Invitational on Friday, winning the eight-team event with 162.5 points, 36.5 points more than second-place Grandville.

"We had a real good meet and all the girls performed well, Chelsea coach Pat Clarke said. "All three sprint relays won with real good times.'

Olivia DeTroyer won the 100 in 12.7 seconds and the 400 with a season best time of 56.76. She

Grandville Mason Dexter Hanover Horton 73 Saginaw Heritage 63 St. Johns Stockbridge

also ran on two winning relay teams to pick up four firsts in four events.

Marissa Elwart and Zoe Sing

both had personal-best throws in the discus. Elwart took first (102 feet, 7 inches) while Sing was fourth (99-4). Sing also took sixth in the shot put and Aimee Mesko had a personal-best in the shot put (27-10).

Sophomore Elaine Johnson had a personal-best in the polevault (9-0) to place fifth.

All of the Chelsea long jumpers recorded personal-bests and placed in the meet. Senior Christina Coffman led the way with a first place and new

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Kelly Fournier, Anna Rode and the Chelsea soccer team has reason to celebrate

Softball **Bulldogs** officially on a roll

By Terry Jacoby

Did you hear that? What the heck was that noise coming from the Chelsea softball diamond? We are just getting a report now on what that was,

The noise was the Chelsea softball team switching gears. The Bulldogs confirmed the report on Monday with a 7-1 victory over visiting Saline.

We played a very good, solid game," Chelsea coach Bob Moffett ... said, "We got really good pitching, played good defense and hit the ball well. They have a good, freshman pitcher who throws the ball

hard but our girls were patient and swung the bats well."

The Bulldogs showed their mettle early in this one. After giving up an unearned run in the top of the first, Chelsea answered with two runs in the bottom of the inning and never looked back.

Kaley Dixon was solid on the mound for the Bulldogs. The senior allowed just four hits and one walk while striking out eight.

The offense was led by Allie Smith (two hits including a triple and RBI), Marie Zill (two hits, two runs scored and two stolen bases), and Shelby Platt (2-for-4 with a double and an RBI).

Last Thursday the Bulldogs earned perhaps their biggest win of the season with a 93 victory over Tecumseh in the second game of a doubleheader. It was the first time Chelsea had beaten the softball power in six years.

"It was a really good win and should give us a lot of confi-dence." Moffett said.

Chelsea scored three runs in the second and four in the sixth. Ellie Stoffer was 2-for 3 with a triple and two RBI while Taylor Hansen was 3 for 3 with an RBI.

The Bulldogs lost the opener 4-2 on four unearned runs. Dixon had six strikeouts and allowed four hits in the loss. Stoffer was 2 for 3 with two doubles white Zill and Platt each had a hit for Chelsea.

Catch 'em Saturday

The Buildogs (9-5 overall) host a four-team tournament on Saturday Lyndon, Romulus and Milan will be making the trip to Chelsen. All the teams will play one another begin-ning at 10 a.m.



Chelsea's Bach putting finishing touches on amazing high school

By Terry Jacoby

helsea's Diana Bach works the baseline. She is gliding across the back of the court, showing perfect form as she returns shot after shot. Her swing seems to come natural, and while it doesn't it look as if the No. 1 singles player is putting all that much comph behind

each shot, there is power in that stroke.

That comph most likely comes from her balance and form. There is the old line that says there aren't enough o's in smooth to describe how Bach moves on the tennis court. But there is a new line that Bach uses to achieve this winning form – and that line might have been formed on the dance floor.

Bach has done two things for quite a long time. One of them is obviously tennis. Now in her senior year at Chelsea High School, the 17-yearold is playing against the opponent's best player in every match. And she's more then stepped up to the challenge.

But what a lot of people don't know is that Bach also has been dancing for as long as she has been playing tennis. There just has to be a connection between how smooth she is on the tennis court to the grace she's developed as a dancer Right?

"I think the agility part of dancing helps me in tennis," says Bach, just moments after beat ing Lincoln's Gretchen Guck last Wednesday in

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VIDEO ONLINE:

See video of an interview with CHS's Diana Bach at www.heritage.com

Having a ball

Photo by Burnii Strong

Diana Bach is playing No.



Chelsea youngsters take to the field to begin a summer of fun and games. See Burrill Strong's photostory, Page 7C

Chelsea swings into fifth place at Invite

The Chelsea varsity golf team hosted the Chelsea invitational on April 23. The Chelsea "Gold" team finished fifth out of 15 teams with a score of 338.

"A pretty respectable finish, and our best 18 hole score of the year," said Chelsea coach Joe

The event was won by Tecumseh with a score of 317, beating out Grand Ledge on a

fifth-man tiebreaker. Scoring for Chelsea were Mason Wagner (78), Jason Doyle (86), Cooper Nickels (87) and Dylan Laidiaw (89).

Golf

Medalist was Joe Forest of Tecumseh with a 74. Wagner finished in a tie for third with his 76. The Chelsea "Blue" team finished 14th in the tournament led by Kyle Whipple with an 83. Last Monday the Buildogs

played in the windy Tecumseh Invitational and finished ninth with a 345. Bedford won the tournament with a score of 306.

Wagner finished sixth overall with a 77. Laidlaw shot an 88. Bourke Lodewyk fired an 89 and Whipple a 91.

The Bulldogs hosted Pioneer & Saline at Reddeman Farms last Wednesday

Pioneer finished first with a 164, one shot better than Saline. Chelsea shot 171. Wagner led the way with a 39. Laidlaw shot a 43. Lodewyk a 44 and Taylor Redmond a 45.

"Pioneer and Saline are traditionally very good teams," Ewald said. "If we would have been able to limit some big numbers on just a couple of holes, we would have been right there in both of those matches."

The Buildogs play tomorrow. at the Manchester Invitational.

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Athletes of the Week



ING CALDWELL: DEXTER

Nyki Caldwell tied her school record in the high jump, placing first by clearing 5 feet. 8 inches in Dexter's 81-36 girls' track and field win over Adrian last Tuesday. The junior, who also was a member of the varsity basketball team, took first in the high jump at last Friday's Mason Invitational. She cleared 5-6 to win the event for the Dreads, who placed fourth overall.



The runfor midfielder scored all three goals in the Chelsea Bulldogs 3-2 soccer victory Friday over host Jackson Parma. After scoring two goals in the first half to give Chelsea a 2·1 lead. Rode scored the eventual game-winner on an unassisted goal at 17:52. She also had two assists in Chelsea's 3-1 win earlier in the week over Bedford.



SCOTT POWELL: BELLEVILLE

Scott Powell recorded his third pitching victory of the season for the Belleville varsity baseball team April 28 against Romulus. The sophomore had 13 strikeouts and scattered five hits in the Tigers' 7-1 victory over the Eagles.



PPANY KITCHEN: MEAN

Milan's Tiffany Kitchen had a fine, all around performance at last Saturday's Whitmore Lake Invitational. The talented senior finished second in the 100 meter hurdles in 18.0, fourth in the 300 meter hurdles in 52.1 and eighth in the long jump with a length of 13-feet, 4 inches.

Local reports from our 'Starting Five'

SOFTBALL

I've been watching a lot of softball now that the weather has gotten warmer, and I must say, the girls on the Saline and Milan teams are downright amazing. Let's start with Hornet freshman phenom pitcher Kristina Zalewski, First off, there's no way she's a freshman. She can't be, can she? What a talent. Gosh, when I was her age I was still struggling putting on my shoulder pads for football, let alone playing for the varsity squad. And second, how does she throw so fast? She looks like your typical teenager in her uniform and then once she enters the circle, she turns into a powerpitching, strikeout whiz.

And over in Milan, I'm amazed with two things at the moment - the ease with which Lani Ernst fields her position and also how in the heck left-handed lead-off hitter Kat Hoffman makes contact with the ball. Ernst is so silky smooth at shortstop, it looks like her glove has some sort of softball magnet in it, attracting balls hit her way right into her mitt. I covered Chelsea All-State shortstop Stephanie Crews (three-year starter at CMU) back in 2002-2003 and Ernst reminds me a lot of the former Buildog standout. While Hoffman, also an oustanding pitcher. amazes me with her bat, Well, her bat and the way she uses it as she bails out of the batter's box on her way to first base and

Local sports biog

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another single. It appears as if Hoffman is halfway down the first base line before she makes contact with the ball. It must be frustrating for an opposing infielder to know even if you field the ball cleanly, if it's hit your way, there's practically no way you're throwing out the speedy Hoffman.

By Don Richter

LACROSSE

After watching the Chelsea lacrosse team battle always tough Ann Arbor Huron a few weeks back I figured the Bulldogs were worth keeping an eye on. I mean look at what the hockey team did with very little fanfare early on in the season.

Then I watched the Saline lacrosse team completely dominate Ypsilanti and figured there is another team with plenty of potential.

So when the two teams met on the field on Wednesday, I figured I better go check it out - this could be a real barn-burner. I figured wrong.

I was all ready for a close, back-and-forth struggle between two first-rate schools

with tough lacrosse teams. And when Chelsea scored to tie the game at 1-1. I thought, here we go. It was worth breaking all the speed limits to get here on time.

Then Saline scored three goals over the next minute and then Saline scored every time they touched the ball and then Saline put on a clinic as the Bulldogs stood around and watched. Next thing you know. Saline led 18-2. And it was only halftime.

It just goes to show you that I still don't know very much about lacrosse. But I am willing to learn and it looks like Saline might be a very good teacher. They certainly are very good. Even I could figure that out.

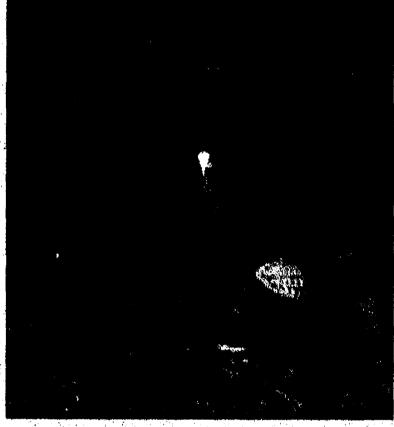
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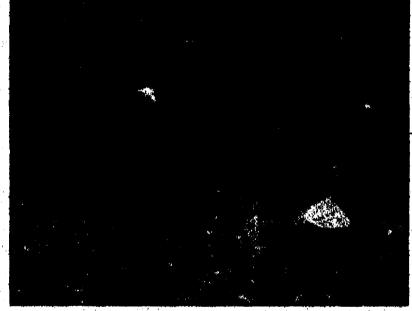
EMES

While watching the Chelsea-Lincoln tennis match on Wednesday, I was told that it's disrespectful to cheer when an opposing player messes up. For example, if your player hits a winner, it's OK to cheer. But if the other player hits a shot that goes out, it's not OK. Sounds like something other sports should think about doing. Although it would be hard in football not to cheer if the other team fumbled at the goal line or the opposing shortstop let one go through his or her legs.

- By Terry Jacoby

No trophy, no problem





LEFT: This long beard (meture male turkey) is in "Full Strut" showing off his plumage and dominance to an admiring her just seconds before Rick Taylor takes a shot with his bow and arrow. ABOVE: You can actually see the dust fly behind the mature tom surkey as Rick Taylor's arrow barely missed the long beard. See how both turkeys are running for cover.

Thrill of hunting doesn't depend on bringing one home

here are times when I feel like Mike Rowe, TV host of "Dirty Jobs" which airs on the Discovery Channel. Mike frequently spends his time beg-ging the TV audience for story ideas so he can keep the show

I feel that way too when it comes to my column.

It's hard to believe that I've been writing stories for a year and a half for the Heritage newspapers. It's been a learning experience in writing my column due to the fact that I don't have journalism or writing experience.

However, I'm so grateful for the feedback from the audience. I've reached. My greatest joy from writing to you is that I'm able to share my passion for the outdoors. My second greatest achievement is the feedback I've received from people who enjoy my column but don't hunt.

I bring up these points because I'm always concerned about the quality of column content. After all, my name is attached to this column and I want to make sure the stories are worth reading.

Sometimes I feel as though I must get that deer, or in this case a wild turkey in order for

my column to have validity. But, the reality is that the hunting experience doesn't

guarantee you'll get that animal. We even talk about the meaning of a successful hunting experience. Does success mean that you must harvest an animal or ean it mean you had a wonderful time simply enjoying the process?

You might be able to see where I'm going with this. So, without wasting any more of your time I must confess that I didn't get that big gobbier this spring. But my hunting experience was successful on many fronts.

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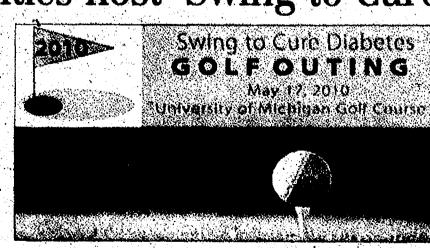
TAYLOR

U-M celebrities host 'Swing to Cure Diabetes'

Former University of Michigan football quarterback Rich Hewlett is the father of two boys: one with type I (juvenile) diabetes and one. without. Jeffrey Hewlett was just 4 years old when he had to start. taking insulin shots daily, which he needs to survive. His parents: made a promise to him that they would do everything they could to find a cure for - and even a reversal of his disease.

To aid the research efforttowards a cure for type 1 diabetes, Rich and his wife, Chris, are hosting their second golf tournament fundraiser. Some of Rich's former Wolverine football teammates will be there to play. Anyone who enjoys golf, would like to meet U-M football celebrities and wishes to support the cause of type I diabetes research is invited to sign up.

The 2010 "Swing to Cure" Golf



Outing will be held on Monday.
May 17 at the University of Michigan Golf Course, 500 E. Stadium Blvd. in Ann Arbon The all-day event begins with an 11 a.m. shotgun start. Activities for the day will

include a silent and live auction. competitions, prizes and more. Golfer gift bags, a boxed lunch.

beverages and a buffet style dinner courtesy of Outback

Steakhouse also will be provided. Proceeds will jointly benefit the University of Michigan Comprehensive Diabetes Center and the Juvenile Diabetes

Research Foundation. Individuals, departments and companies are still being sought to donate auction items or become sponsors of the event. There are still openings for golfers, but space is limited to 140 players.

Lloyd Carr and Cathy Schembechler will attend the event, as well as former Michigan football players and other surprise guests.

Hewlett was a backup quarter back on the 1980 team that won the Big Ten Championship and the 1981 Rose Bowl game, which was Bo's first Rose Bowl victory. However, Rich is probably best remembered for being the starting quarterback in the 1979 Michigan-Ohio State game when

he was just a freshman. To register, become a sponsor, or to make a donation, visit the Swing to Cure Diabetes Web site at www.swingtocurediabetes.com or contact Rich Hewlett at 248-

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Ypsilanti at Monroe, 4 p.m.

Dexter at Bedford, 4:30 p.m.

Saline at Ann Arbor Skyline.

Saline at Williamston, 7 p.m.

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Finding balance in JOY

By Crystal Hayduk

amily members and close friends agree on one fact about the way I live my life. It's almost always off-kilter; sometimes nearly capsizing. The occasional personal health crisis has forced a return to equilibrium; but in due time, I've found myself sinking again.

This past winter, it felt like I was foundering in high seas. During the last six years, our family has dealt with the deaths of three of our parents and a few other beloved family members and friends, the loss of two unborn babies, a high risk pregnancy, income reduction, and several other traumatic events.

Despite the circumstances, I went overboard to maintain life as usual. It was my own brand of workaholism, society's acceptable addiction. Add one dose of perfectionist tendencies and it equaled disaster. .

Surviving for months at a time on five hours of sleep a night and sugar-laden snacks for energy while working four part-time jobs, several volunteer positions, and caring for my family took a physical and emotional toll, Mayday!

Two doctors gave me the news flash. Keep up these behaviors. and forget about being around for the long haul. One weekend of sleep every two months is not enough. Quit juggling so many balls. Find a healthy way to deal with stress. And please make it permanent this time!

Since my crisis reached



Fellow Crystal

Special Writer Crystal Hayduk (above) is writing a series of columns as she prepares to participate for the first time in the popular Heart and Sole 5K. The event is Saturday, May 15 in Chelsea. This is the 21st year that Chelsea Community Hospital has operated the Heart and Sole race and this year marks the first 13.4-mile bike race. For more inf on ormation or to register, log onto www.chelseaheartandsole.org.

disaster status at the end of February when I was first considering training for the Heart and Sole, Tasked my doctors for permission to train for the 5K. They said it would do me a world of good.

Although it's probably impossible to make drastic changes in one's lifestyle overnight, training has helpedmotivate me to begin to make positive changes that I hope will last for the rest of my life.

A few days ago, I was read-

ing the Bible in Mark 12:28-31, where Jesus says that the greatest commandments are to love God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength; and to love your neighbor as yourself. Suddenly, I realized that one word summarized it all - JOY.

In my mind's eye, I was four years old, and my teenaged babysitter Arlene was teaching me a song, "Jesus and Others and You; what a wonderful way to spell joy."

If I practice JOY - putting Jesus first, considering the needs of others, but not forgetting to love myself, too - then I will have balance in my life. But if I change the order of the letters or leave one out, then I will lose balance, and joy.

Participating in the Heart and Sole's Race for Grace is a JOY thing. Jesus wants us to care for others and the exercise is one way we care for ourselves.

Join Team JOY

If you are learning to deal with the negative effects of stress or want more balance in your life; if you would like to do something to help others and yourself at the same time: or if reading about my experiences has struck a chord with you, please join my team. Go to www.chelseaheartandsole. org, and click on "registration." Register for the team by choosing "JOY" from the drop-down menu. Team members may participate at any level of their choice - so if you're new to exercising, feel free to register for the 2 mile walk. The first 19 people to register by May 13 will be part of the team.

REGIONAL SCHEDULE

Saturday

BASEBALL Belleville at Ypsflanti Lincoln Tournament, 10 a.m. Dexter at St. John's Invitational, 9 a.m.

Manchester at Britton-Deerfield Invitational, 9 a.m. Toledo (Ohio) St. Francis at Saline, 11 a.m.

Ypsilanti at Chelsea quad. 10 a.m. SOFTBALL

Ann Arbor Skyline at Saline Belleville at Canton Tournament, 9:30 a.m. Chelsea Round Robin, 10 a.m. Dexter at Plymouth Salem: Manchester at Britton-

Deerfield Invitational, 9 a.m. Ypsilanti Lincoln at Whiteford Tournament, ABA **GIRLS TENNIS** Belleville at Dearborn Heights Crestwood Invitational,

Ypsilanti Lincoln at Dexter Invitational, 9 a.m. GIRLS WATER POLO Saline at West Ottawa Invitational, TBA

BOYS LACROSSE Ann Arbor Skyline at Ypsilanti Lincoln, noon Saline at Tecumseh, 2 p.m.

Monday

BASEBALL Belleville at Dearborn Edsel Ford, 4 p.m. Chelsea at Ann Arbor Pioneer (DH), 4 p.m. Dexter at Saline (DH), 4 p.m.

Manchester at Hanover-Horton (DH), 4 p.m. Ypsilanti at Ann Arbor Huron (DH), 4 p.m.

Ypsilanti Lincoln at Ann Arbor Skyline (DH), 4 p.m. SOFTBALL Belleville at Dearborn Edsel

Ford, 4 p.m. Chelsea at Ann Arbor Pioneer (DH), 4 p.m., Dexter at Saline (DH), 4 p.m. Manchester at Hanover-Horton (DH), 4 p.m.

Ypsilanti at Ann Arbor Huron (DH), 4 p.m. Ypsilanti Lincoln at Ann Arbor Skyline (DH), 4 p.m.

BOYS GOLF Belleville at Dearborn Heights Crestwood, 3 p.m. Monroe quad, 3 p.m.

East Jackson, Napoleon at Manchester, 3 p.m. Milan at Riverview, 3 p.m. Saline, Adrian, Tecumseh at Ann Arbor Pioneer, 3 p.m. Ypsilanti at Huron League Jamboree, 3 p.m. GIRLS SOCCER Dearborn at Saline, 6 p.m. GIRLS TENNIS

Belleville at Dearborn Edsel Ford, 4 p.m. Chelsea at Dexter. 4:30 p.m. Saline at Ann Arbor Skyline, 4:30 p.m.

Ypsilanti at Ypsilanti Lincoln, 4:30 p.m. **BOYS LACROSSE** Ann Arbor Greenhills at a

Dexter, 4 p.m. Belleville at Ypsilanti, 6:30

Tuesday

Chelsea at Dexter, 4:30 p.m. Manchester, Vandercook Lake at Hanover-Horton, 5 p.m. Milan at Carleton Airport.

Saline at Ann Arbor Pioneer. 4:30 p.m.

Ypsilanti Lincoln at Ypsilanti, 4:30 p.m. GIRLS SOCCER Chelsea at Adrian, 5:30 p.m. Dexter at Ypsilanti, 4 p.m. **GIRLS TENNIS** Jackson at Chelsea, 4 p.m. NB Huron at Milan, 4 p.m. Troy at Saline, 4 p.m. Williamston at Dexter, 4:30 BOYS LACROSSE Romulus at Saline, 7 p.m.

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Ann Arbor Pioneer at

Monroe at Dexter, 4:30 p.m.

Chelsea, 4:30 p.m.

The rising cost of success

Area high school students are finding a new obstacle. that is arising when a new sports season starts.

They are finding that if they want to play a particular sport, it's going to take more than just heart, will and desire to win. It's going to take a little extra cash too.

Schools all over the county, as well as the state, are finding that they no longer have the money that will allow them to fund fully functional athletic departments.

"It's tough," Ann Arbor Pioneer football coach Jeremy Gold said. "When we were kids and even when our parents were coming up, sports were free. This wasn't something that people had to worry about. If you wanted to play football or basketball, you just had to go out for the team.

However, things are different these days.

Massive budget cuts are affecting many of the school districts around the state, and even though athletics are a

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high priority almost everywhere, money is still being cut from sports programs.

So what are athletes and coaches to do?

Is it conceivable that school sponsored sports are being slowly phased out? It it possible that sometime in the near future, public schools will just drop athletics completely in order to save money?

Gold doesn't think so. However, these new challenges force schools and dooster cluds to lin**a** new and creative ways of raising

Pioneer recently had a spaghetti dinner to help raise funds.

"It's a new era," Gold said. "It's important for us as coaches to make sure that every one who wants to play a sport can. So we have to work harder to make that happen." Money problems are noth-

ing new. Schools like Saline, Dexter, Chelsea and Milan are all having to make cuts; this isn't something exclusive to Ann

Arbor However, in order to keep sports around and keep young athletes playing for their schools, coaches like Gold and members of the community are going to have to try a little hard than they

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used to.

Arctic Collseum hosts Fantasy on Ice on May 15

The Arctic Coliseum Figure Skating Club and Learn to Skate present their annual spring fce show, Fantasy on Ice, May 15. The show features all skaters from beginners through national level and a fairly new synchronized beginner and pre-Juvenile teams, the Coliseum Comets. This year's show theme is "Movin and Groovin."

Skaters will be performing to music from the 40's thru the 90's, all skaters are excited to show off what they have learned.

The show will be held at the Arctic Coliseum, 501 Coliseum Dr. in Chelsea. There will be two shows on May 15: 2 and 7 p.m. The cost is \$6 for advanced tickets which can be purchased at the arena and \$10 for tickets sold at the door.

OUTDOORS

FROM PAGE 2-C

I helped a friend achieve his goal of harvesting his first turkey this spring. Oh, what an experience to be a part of. 1 also spent time with another friend on Opening Morning who shall remain anonymoushe likes it that way. But, we had an amazing morning as the turkeys beliewed their calls high from the tree tops. We were surrounded by numer. ous turkeys and even had deer. walking within 20 yards of us. It was arguably the most exciting Opening morning I've ever had and I spent'it with a great friend-who could ask for more.

But, taking other people out turkey hunting comes at a price. Turkeys get wise to people shooting at them and they just don't come in the way they used to. So, the toms hung back and I could see them in the distance on hunts this spring

and it was so frustrating. But, I'd do it all over again given the opportunity.

Oh yeah, did I forget to mention the fact that I had a shot opportunity later in the week on video? I had 9 hens in front of me; some were as close as, six feet away. I had a nice long beard (mature male turkey) at 60 yards but he wouldn't come in. I knew if I remained patient then he might come in: He stood there for almost an hour going into full strut showing off his plumage and puffed out tail feathers; I have it all on video. He finally crept his way in ever so slowly and finally presented a shot at 25 yards. An easy shot for anyone with a shotgun but I had my bow and arrow with me. I pulled my string back and went into full draw and that's when I got bust

away from me. And, as fast as you can snap your fingers the tom got ner-

ed by a hen. She caught my

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started clucking and moving

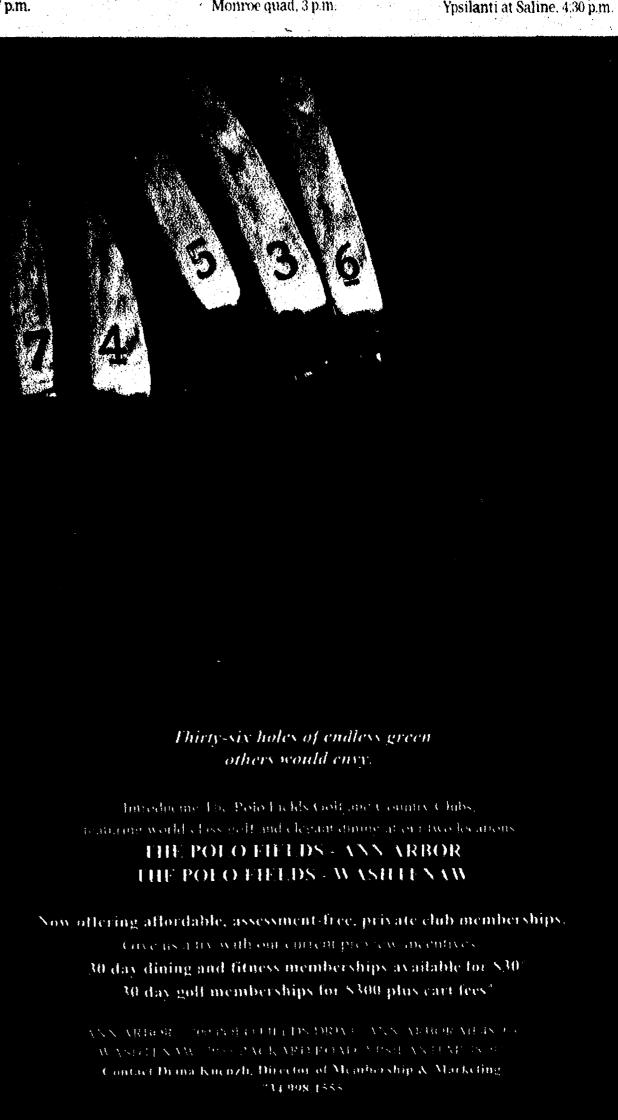
yous and I began to panic. That panic let to me punching the ti lgger and missing the large tom by mere millimeters or so it looked on video. Just like: that my season was over and I hung my head in shame while muttering some unflattering words at myself.

But, what a ride when I look back. It was a great spring season and just when I thought I'd go a year without a turkey something hit me.

All unsuccessful spring turkey hunters can try again in the fall. Whoohoo, I haven't done a fall turkey hunt story; are you up for it?

Success. I may not have harvested my turkey but I did have a great time.

Oh yeah, like Mike Rowe I need your story idea's to , keep this column alive and well: Please send in your story ideas and comments. They are truly warmly welcomed. I can be reached at: rtaylor@reinhartrealtors.com or by cell (734)223-5656.





Chelses's junior midfielder Helley Dixon bettles for the ball vs. Skyline.

Mid-season blues?

For the first time this year, Bulldogs struggle in win, tie

By Terry Jacoby rentagel Newspapers

The Chelsea girls soccer team bounced back from their 1-1 tie earlier in the week with a 3-2 victory Friday over host Jackson Parma. It wasn't pretty, but it was a win. And the Bulldogs will take it.

'We played a little sloppy," Chelsea coach Kirsten Smart said. "We had a little letdown when we got up 2-0 and I think the girls thought they didn't have to play hard the rest of the game. Parma played hard and it was a very aggressive game.

We're fending to just kick the ball instead of controlling it and possessing it. We have to get back to how we were playing just last week.'

Smart did see some fine performances from several Bulldogs.

standing job on defense for us. she said, "Jessica Ruikka also played well on defense and was one of the reasons we won this game. And Michelle Wellman played another strong game in goal. She stopped a couple of possible breakaways by coming out of the net.'

Chelsea improved to 7-



Photos by Burrill Strong

Chelses sophomore Victoria Heumann runs down an Ann Arbor Skyline player during the Buildogs' 1-1 tie on Thursday.

0-3 overall and 2-0-0 in the Southeastern Conference.

Anna Rode scored at 28:09 with an assist from Cara Johnson to give the Bulldogs a 1-0 lead. Rode scored again at 27:28 with an assist from Hailey Dixon to make it 20.

But Parma scored at 15:02 and the Bulldogs took a 2-1 lead into halftime.

Parma tied the score at 2-2 at 37:02 of the second half. But Rode scored the eventual gamewinner on an unassisted goal at 17:52.

On Thursday, Chelsea tied Skyline 1-1. Johnson scored the lone Chelsea goal with an assist from Rode.

Last Tuesday, the Bulldogs jumped out to a 3-0 lead and defeated Bedford 3-1.

Tess Schuessler got the Bulldogs on the board first. The sopnomore scored at 1231 with an assist from Rode for the only goal in the first half.

Senior Kelly Fournier made it 2-0 at 27:04 of the second half with an assist Dixon.

Fournier scored again to make it 3-0 at 18:16 with an assist from Rode.

Bedford scored at 11:37 of the second half.

Bulldogs knock off Lincoln, 7-1

, The Chelata varsity tennis team defeated visiting Lincoln 7-1 on Wednesday.

The Buildogs won all the matches except for at No. 3 singles. It was the first time ever that Lincoln had won a match against Chelsen, And it wasn't easy for the Railspitters.

Crystal Wesnoski defeated Chelsen's Elspeth Pennell in three hard fought sets, 26.

Diana Bach won at No. 1 singles for Chelsea. She defeated Gretchen Guck, 6-3, 6-4. Hannah Boshoven continued her strong play, winning 7-5, 7-5 at No. 2 singles. The

Bolldogs' Katherine Lange won her match at No. 4 singles, winning 60, 76. Chelsea swept the

oubles as the No. I team of Samantha Dualt and Alisa Oremer won 6-2, 6-4; the No. 2 doubles team of Amanda Preston and Abbi Crowder won 6-2, 6-0; the No. 3 team of Amanda Robertson and Brandy Alexander Bui won 6-1, 6-1; and the No. 4 doubles team of Ellen Christie and Lauren Barbour won

Terry Jacoby

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straight sets at No. 1 singles. "I think it helps me move better and be quicker on the court.

Bach said she started Irish Dancing when she was about 10 years old. And is still dancing, although not as much as she would like.

"I go to class twice a week in Plymouth and then there are different competitions and performances you can enter," she said. "You can join as many as you want. It's a lot of fun, but I haven't entered many lately because of my schedule.

And that schedule certainly includes tennis.

"I started playing tennis with my family when I was really young," she said. "I started getting serious with tennis and taking classes when I-was in ninth grade."

Bach says she never took private, one-on-one instructional classes, but has been in group sessions, including twice a week in the fall to help prepare her for her final year on the Chelsea tennis team.

Playing No. 1 singles isn't easy, but as Bach has discovered, it's not always a great challenge.

"It varies a lot," she said. "There are people who can beat me pretty easily. But there also are people I can

beat just as easily."

She said it doesn't take long to find out which side of the equation her opponent lands

"I can usually tell how good they are during warm-ups or in the first few games," she

Bach didn't have to wait until warm-ups to know how good Grosse lie's Melissa Cloutier was. She knew all about her. Cloutier is considered one of the top players in the state and beat a very good Bach 6-0, 6-0.

"It was pretty rough," Bach said with a smile.

Cloutier will be in Chelsea's regional this year, but **Bulldogs coach Matt Pedlow** believes that Bach can dance her way all the way to the states if she continues to improve and play well. The top two No. 1 singles players in each regional advance to the state meet.

'No one is going to beat (Cloutier), but Diana could get that second spot," he said. She hit a lot this winter and has better power than she had last year. That extra work in the off-season is paying off."

Bach played No. 1 doubles last year with Hannah Boshoven, who this year is providing the Bulldogs with a solid No. 2 singles player. In fact, the entire Chelsea team is playing well and getting better each time out.

Pedlow says Bach's strengths are her ground

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stroke and serves.

She has what we call a trophy serve," he says. And that means exactly what it sounds. like - you can put that serve on the top of a trophy.

"Playing No. 1 singles is tough," he said. "You face good competition in almost every match. But she's doing great."

She's also doing great in the classroom - and that's nothing new. Bach has been carrying a 4.0 grade-point average since she was a freshman and recently scored a 36 on the ACT.

"That's the best score you can get and we only average one or two of those a year at Chelsea High School," Pedlow said. When asked if she took any

ACT preparation courses or did extra studying to prepare, she shrugged her shoulders and said, "No. I just took the test.'

She will be attending the University of Michigan in the

"I want to do something with my life that is purposeful and that I enjoy doing," said Diana, who is the daughter of Carl and Janice Bach of Chelsea. She has an older sister, Katie, 26, and an older brother, Trevor, 23.

Bach says her strengths are her quickness and her form, which "helps me hit the different strokes.

It all comes back to the form. And it all started on the dance floor.

Parma 2, Chelsea

Highlights: Katie Kingsley was solid in goal and Rachel Marks played well and had some nice

balls and shots on goal for the Bulldogs.

Overview: "We didn't play our best soccer against Parma Western, who came to play and found our weaknesses and took advantage of them," said coach Kristin Hendricks. "Overall, we had bad touches on the ball and didn't come to play. I'm confident that we still have a lot of room for improvement.'

Boyce also had some nice passes and almost scored a goal. Katie Kingsley did a great job in goal. Overview: "This was definitely another game we let slip away," Hendricks said. "We looked sharp in the first half and played very well as a team. In the second half we lost our edge and eventually Bedford made us pay for it. We still have a lot of work to do, but we have made great

Chelsea soccer junior varsity report

Bodford 1. Choises 8 Highlights: Gabrielle Lantis had a lot of nice balls and played very aggressive soccer while Liz.

strides since our first game.'

Poor starts prove costly for Bulldogs

The Chelsea JV baseball team lost 7-5 at Bedford on April 22. Chris Boyd pitched great in relief and added two hits and a walk at the plate to lead Chelsea.

"We trailed 7-0 after two innings and I told the guys I had never had a team keep competing the way they did," said coach Jason Morris. "We actually had the tying runs in and had a chance in the seventh inning." In game 2 the Buildogs struggled and fell 15-0.

On April 27, the Buildogs lost 12-8 to Skyline. Kevin Watkins led Chelsea with three hits including a double. Tyler Geiger and Chris Boyd each had two hits. In game 2, Chelsea lost 9-6. Joe Cox tripled and drove in two runs. "In both games we had a chance to win," Morris said.
"Unfortunately, we need to quit falling behind and spending all of our energy trying to come from behind.

Last Thursday, the Bulldogs defeated Tecumseh 11-10 in nine innings in the opener. Boyd picked up the win and pitched a complete game. Brad Hepler led Chelsea with three hits including a double. Daniel Bertoni's sacrifice bunt and subsequent Tecumseh throw-

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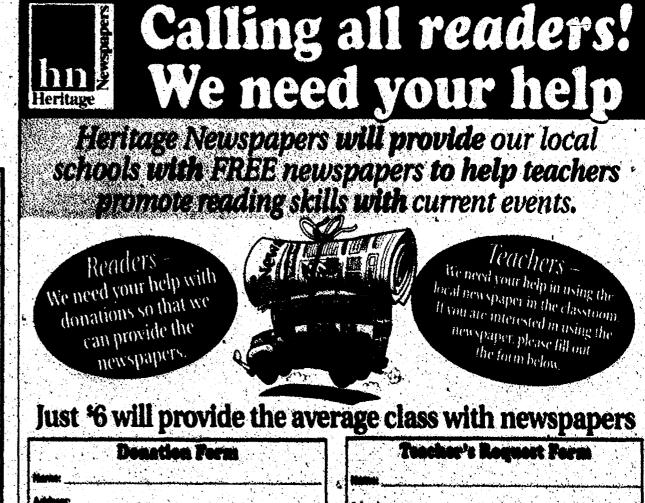
ing error led to the winning runs to score. "It was great to see Bertoni execute the bunt in the bottom of the

ninth after they had taken the lead in the top of the ninth." Morris said.

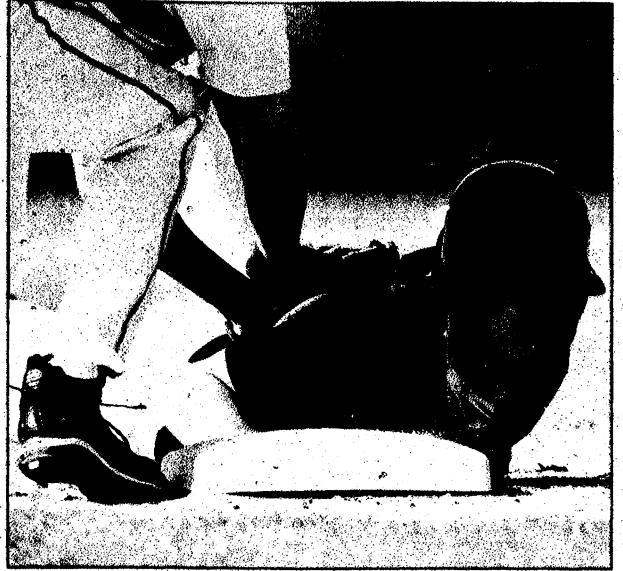
In game 2. Tecumseh won 17-5 in four innings. Sean O'Quinn, Max Giller and Cody Ray picked up hits for a

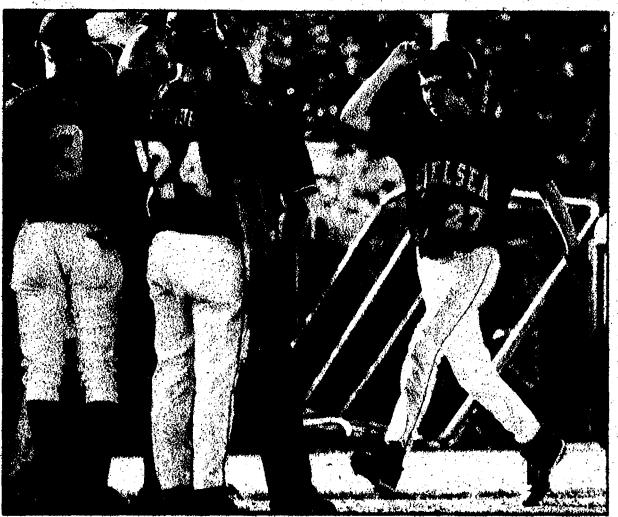


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TOP: Nate Udell sides into third base. ABOVE: Udell is welcomed home by his teammeter.

Head First

Bulldogs diving into the meat of their tough conference schedule

By Terry Jacoby

The Chelsea baseball team doesn't have to look far to see the difference between what they could be and what they sometimes have been so far this season. All they have to do is walk over to the mirror and they will see the potential. And they saw what that potential can be during last Thursday against a very good Tecumseh team.

The Bulldogs played perhaps their best all around game of the season in the opener. defeating their hosts 3-2.

'It was a well played, great baseball game," said Chelsea coach Wayne Welton, who has seen his share of great ballgames over the years. "We pitched really well and also hit the

Sophomore Jarred Scheese started and went five innings to pick up the win. Nate Udell pitched the final two innings to earn the save. The two combined for eight strikeouts.

After falling behind 20 in the second inning, the Bulldogs struck for all three of their runs in the fifth inning. Senior Nigel Schuh tied the game with a two-run homer. Then after Alex Maloney singled and reached third on an error, Pat Roberts delivered the eventual winning run with a two-out single.

Roberts, Maloney and Schuh each had two hits in the win. Scheese also had a hit to account for Chelsea's seven hits in the game.

If the first game was proof how good Chelsea can be, the second game was an indication of how much more work they need to do to reach the "good" on a consistent basis.

Tecumseh won the nightcap 13-0 as the Buildogs gave up nine walks, six hits and hit two batters in jus four innings. Maloney, Schuh, Roberts and Tyler Geiger all had one hit in the loss.

On Friday, the Bulldogs must have stopped off at Chelsea Lumber before facing Jackson County Western. Chelsea pounded out 15 hits in three innings and crushed Jackson 15-0 in a three-inning game.

We swung the bats really well in that one," Welton said.

Yeah, you could say that. The Bulldogs scored five runs in the first inning, four in the second and three in the sixth. Udell had a huge day for Chelsea. He had



Photos by Burrik Strong

IT TAKES TWO: Junior infielder Brian Paulsen turns the double play in a recent Chelses varsity baseball game.

two-run double in the first and a three-run homer in the sixth. The junior had six RBI in the game.

Junior Brian Paulsen went 3-for-3 at the plate. Maloney, Schuh and Brett Caid all had two hits for the winners. Roberts, Jake Fox, Jake Steinhauer and Charlie Hess all had one

On Monday, the Bulldogs fell to visiting Saline 15-0 in a four-inning game. The second game was postponed because of bad weather. The Hornets scored six in the first and five

in the third as they pounded out 10 hits in the first three innings.

Maloney and Geiger each had a hit for the

Chelsea (3-10 overall, 1-5 league) hosts a three-

team event on Saturday. The Bulldogs will play Hudson at 10 a.m. and Ypsilanti at 3 p.m. Those two schools will play each other in between.

Saline too strong for Chelsea

Hornets explode after Bulldogs tie game at 1-1

By Terry Jacoby Heritage Newspapers

Saline's Kyle Harris was asked last Wednesday night just how good the Hornets can be. "This team can be the best."

And while the best is hopefully still to come for the Saline lacrosse team, Wednesday night's performance against Chelsea was certainly good enough to beat the still inexperienced Bulldogs. In fact, it was probably good enough to beat most teams.

We had good passing (tonight), we were connected and had good passing and good vision. We had good chemistry on the field," said Harris, who scored early and often against the Bulldogs in Saline's 20-2 victory.

Sam Berry gave the Hornets a 1-0 lead against visiting Chelsea at the 10 minute mark of the first period. A few minutes later, Chelsea's Matt Gillespie scored from an almost impossible angle to tie the game at 1-1 with 7:42 left to play in the opening quarter.

It looked like this could turn into an exciting backand forth game. But the Hornets quickly put the stinger to any of those ideas. Just 33 seconds later, Saline answered Chelsea's goal when Cam Frotten scored to give the hosts a 2-1 lead. TJ Braun would score just 20 seconds after that to make it 3-1 on a

Lacrosse

point-blank shot that Chelsea goalie Brandon Loy had no chance of stopping - which would be the case for most of the evening.

A little more than a minute later, Harris scored to give Saline a 41 lead. The Bulldogs called time out to try and cool off the Hornets and refocus the Bulldogs. But at this point, nothing could slow down Saline.

Cam, coming from behind the Chelsea goal, walked right out in front with no one picking him and fired a shot past a helpless Loy to make it 5-1. After Frotten made it 6-1, Braun scored again with 3 minutes left in the quarter to give Saline a 7-1 lead.

With 2:39 left, Harris made it 8-1 and the Bulldogs called another time out. Again, it made little difference. Although the Hornets didn't score for the rest of the quarter. But they scored 10 unanswered goals in the second period to take an 18-1 lead into halftime.

Ryan Mickevicius and Brad Harris each scored twice and Berry, Frotten, Braun, James Nichols, James Gentile and Kyle Harris all scored one apiece in the second period.

Mickevicius and Kyle Harris scored third quarter goals for Saline.

Dan Hudson scored

"We are moving with the ball well and we're moving without the ball really well." Saline coach Matt Ceo said. "What's been nice to see in the score book is that we have eight or nine guys scoring each game which shows that we are spreading the ball

- "We're dangerous from all areas on the field which makes us really tough to

around a lot.

On the defensive end of the field. Ceo has been pleased with the performances from all of his players, especially senior Alex Smith.

'He's been a shutdown defender for us," Ceo said. "His name doesn't show up in the statistics, but when we played Canton, they had a tall, athletic kid and all of the offense went through him and

Alex just shut him down." ZORBACK 8830 Jackson Rd. • Dexter

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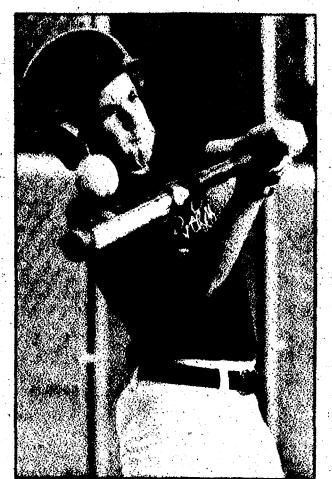
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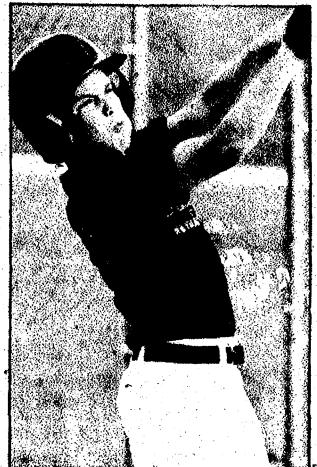
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Reed Aidrich shows off the power stroke.



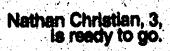
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Chelsea U-12 Competitive team ready to go



Reed Aldrich with coach Andrew Ingail

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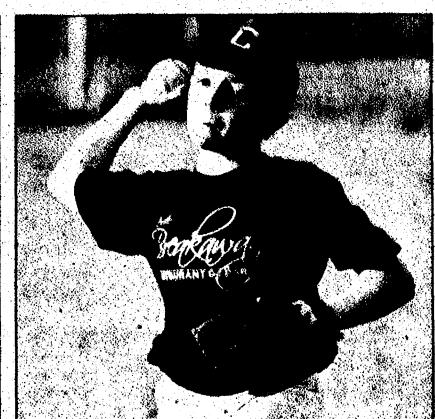




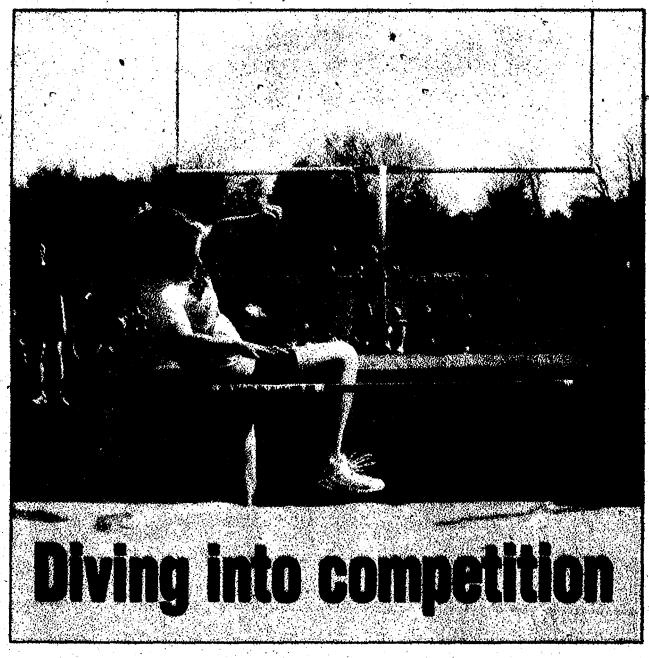
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Chelses recently ran at Dexter in a middle school track and field meet



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Washtenaw County Legal Notice:

Washtenaw County Purchasing Division is issuing a Request for Proposal for Audio Visual Equipment and Installation for MANDATORY Pre-Bid meeting at the Sheriff's Office Building scheduled for 10:00 AM. Wednesday May 12, 2010 at 2510 Hogback Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48105. Detailed specifications may be obtained at the Washtenaw County Finance/ Purchasing Department located at 220 North Main Street, Room B-35. Lower Level, Ann Arbor. MI 48104 REP 6538 Due Phursday, May 20, 2010 at 3 00 PM local time For more nformation, please call (734) 222 6760 or logon to our website at http://bids.ewashtenaw.org

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OPINION

The rising cost of success

Area high school students are finding a new obstacle that is arising when a new sports season starts.

They are finding that if they want to play a particular sport, it's going to take more than just heart, will and desire to win. It's going to. take a little extra cash too.

Schools all over the county, as well as the state, are finding that they no longer have the money that will allow them to fund fully functional athletic departments.

"It's tough," Ann Arbor Pioneer football coach Jeremy Gold said. "When we were kids and even when our parents were coming up, sports were free. This wasn't something that people had to worry about. If you wanted to play football or basketball, you just had to go out for the team."

However, things are different these days.

Massive budget cuts are affecting many of the school districts around the state, and even though athletics are a

GENERAL ADMISSION



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high priority almost everywhere, money is still being cut from sports programs.

So what are athletes and coaches to do?

Is it conceivable that school sponsored sports are being slowly phased out? It it possible that sometime in the near future, public schools. will just drop athletics completely in order to save money?

Gold doesn't think so. However, these new challenges force schools and booster clubs to find new and creative ways of raising

Pioneer recently had a spaghetti dinner to help raise funds.

"It's a new era," Gold said. "It's important for us as coaches to make sure that every one who wants to play a sport can. So we have to work harder to make that happen.

Money problems are nothing new.

Schools like Saline, Dexter, Chelsea and Milan are all having to make cuts; this isn't something exclusive to Ann Arbor.

However, in order to keep sports around and keep young athletes playing for their schools, coaches like Gold and members of the community are going to have to try a little hard than they used to.

Mike Larson can be reached at mlarson@heritage.com.

NOTICE

DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION EETING NOTICE

Tuesday, May 11, 2010

AT 7:00 P.M. AT DEXTER TOWNSHIP HALL 6880 DEXTER-PINCKNEY RD. **DEXTER, MI. 48130**

AGENDA

1) Meeting Canceled

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SCIO TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES SYNOPSIS APRIL 27, 2010

The meeting was called to order at-00 pm by Supr Clark at 827 N. Zeeb

resent, Clark, Hodberg, Palmer Approved a West High Pumping Approved Appointments to Land reservation Commission/28% Approved a Erreworks permit request

Approved a Rezoning request by TSC Practor Supply Company Ordinance

Approved a Planning Commission projects budget Approved a LPC request to purchase

Approved a Local Roads Committee recommendation for use of WCRC matching funds

Approved a Scio Hills Subdivision AD resolution Approved April invoices to be paid as presented Adjourned at 7.45 pm

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REGULAR (BUDGET) MERTING OF THE DEXTER TOWNSHIP BOARD TUESDAY, MARCH 30, 2010, 4:00 PM

location Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter Pinckney Rd . Dexter. MI

Meeting called to order by Supervisor Kelly at 408 PM with the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag

ROLL CALL: Present Kelly Kooyers. Rider Brushaber, Knight, Lesser, Maciejewski

Absent None

Also Present, Patrick Sloan, Director of Planning & Zoning

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

APPROVAL of the AGENDA: Motion y Brushaber, second by Konyers to approve the Agenda, as amended

A Multi Lakes Sewer Phase I Bond Reissue No new information "

Public Safety Committee (Attachment 7-B) Supervisor Kelly requested feedback on the proposed committee charter prior to the next.

meeting. Discussion also on

compensation and other items in

Portage Lake Dam Project Committee (Attachment ? Cl. Update by Supervisor Kelly Motion by Kooyers, second by Brashaber to appoint Supervisor Kelly as the Board's delegate to the Portage Lake

Dam Project Committee Carried 70.

Washtenaw County Road Commission 2010 Construction Projects (Reference Annual Report) Supervisor Kelly will get updated prices from WCRC prior to the April

B 2009 2010 Fixeal Year Budget Amendments (Attachment 8 B)

Motion by Rooyers, second by Lesser to consider closing the Township office on Fridays and extend the open hours by one half hour, giving office staff a one half hour unpaid lunch

Amendment by Rider to pay employees for their lunch break. provided they are in the building during the break Motion died for tack

Vote on original motion Roll Call Vote: Year Relly, Mactejewaki, Brusliaber, Lesser, Konyers, Nays Rider Knight: Abstaln None: Absent Name: Carried 5-2 Motion by Kooyers, second by Rider

to maintain the status quo in the office regarding days and personnel hours, with the exception of changing office hours to 8:00. AM to 5:00 PM Motion amended as below:

Amendment by Mactejewski, second by Rider to make office hours 8:30AM to 5,00 PM and provide for Office Manager - Bolyard 24 hours per week. and Co-Office Manger Jordan also at 24 hours per week Roll Call Votes Yeas Muclejewski, Rider, Brusliaber. Roovers: Navs | Relly Knight, Louser:

Abstatu / None: Absent Amendment carried 4-3

Vote on motion as amended-Carried 4-3

1: General Fund Budget

to approve Resolution 10-284 a resolution to amend the Dexter Township Fiscal Year 2009/2010 Fund Budget with General \$835.326.84 in revenue. \$574.347.00_ in expenses a fiscal yea balance of \$260.97984 and adjeash balance of, \$1.907.665.74 Roll Call Vote: Yeas -Rider, Maciejewski; Brushaber, Kelly, Knight, Kooyers; Nays None: Abstain None; Absent None. Carried 7-0

Motion by Knight, second by Rider

ii) Fire Fund Budget

Motion by Lesser, second by Rider to approve Resolution to 285, a resolution to amend the Dexter Township Fiscal Year 200912010 Fire Fund Budget with \$502.681.94 in revenue. \$322,128.33 in expenses. a fiscal year balance of \$180,553 81 and a fund cash balance of \$638.198.30 Roll Call Vote: Yeas Brushaber. Knight. Mariejewski, Koovers, Kelly, Lesser: Nays - None: Abstalt - None: Absent None. Carried 7-0

iiii Police Fund Budget

Motion by Rider, second by Maciejewski to approve Resolution 10 286, a resolution to amend the Dexter Township Fiscal Year 200912010 Police Fund Budget with \$487.254.30 in revenue, \$418.140.25 in expenses, and a fund cash balance of \$834,827.74 Roll Call Vote: Yess Rider Maclejewski, Knight, Bruslinber, Kelly, Lesser, Kooyers: Nays None: Abstain None: Absent None: Carried 7-9

C. 2010 201 1 Fiscal Year General Appropriation : (Attachment 8 (*)

ii) General Fund Budgets

in Fire Fund Budget

iii) PolicePand Budget

Motion by Brushaber, second by Roovers to approve Resolution 10-287. a resolution to establish a General Appropriations Act for Dexter ownship, to define the powers and duties of the Dexter Township officers and committees in relation to the administration of the various budgets; and to provide remedies for: refusal or neglect to comply with the requirements of this resolution. including a FY 20101201 1 General Fund budget with \$744,937 in revenue and \$628,072 in expenditures, a Fire Fund budget with \$439.811 in revenue and \$439.133 in expenditures; and a Police Fund budget with revenue and expenditures of \$491,964, including a transfer in from fund halance of \$50.185 Roll Cult Vote Year Brusliaber, Maciejewski, Rider, Kelly, Knight, Konyers, Lenser; Nays None; Abstain None: Absent None Carried

Trustee Brashaber left at 8:20 PM

b. Approval of the Minutes of the Public Budget Hearing 03/18/2010 and the 03/18/2010 Board Meeting

Motion by Kooyers, second by Maciejewski to approve the minutes of the 03/36/2010 Public Budget Hearing Carried 60

Motion by Knight, second by Konyers to approve the minutes ofthe 03/16/ 2010 Regular Board Meeting Carried

E Technical error in resolution 10

Motion by Kooyers: second by Maciejebyski to approve resolution 10.282, 288 a Resolution to set the FY 2010/201 I salaries, hourly wages, mileage reimbursement and other compensation for Township employees who are paid by salary, at an hourly rate andlor per diem rate ins amended isopersedes resolution 10 282 Roll Call Vote: Yeas - Kelly, Maciejewski, Lesser, Rider, Konyers, Knight: Nays None: Abstain None: Absent Brusliaher Carried 6-0

AUTHORIZATION OF PAYMENTS

Motion by Rider, second by Lesser to pay bills in the amount of \$29,344.40 from the General Fund and \$38,471.25 from the Police Fund. Carried 6-0

TRANSFER OF FUNDS

PUBLIC COMMENT

for their assistance

There was no additional public

OTHER ISSUES, COMMENTS and CONCERNS of BOARD MEMBERS

Treasurer Kooyers informed the Board that she has settled with the County Treasurer to complete the 2009 tax year She also thanked staff

Clork Rider informed the Board that absent voter ballots will be mailed on

Supervisor Kelly informed the Board that the appraisal for the N Terriforial/Dexter A. . . . Town Half property came in at \$175,000, which is. very close to the current assessed.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:30

Respectfully Submitted,

Harley B. Rider, Clerk **Dexter Township**

1. the undersigned Harley B Rider. the duly qualified. Clerk for the Township of Dexter, Washtenaw County. Michigan, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the forgoing is a true and complete copy of certain proveedings taken by the liexter Township Board of Trustees at a regular (budget) meeting held on the 30th day of March, 2010 and that the forgoing milnistes have been approved by a majority vote of the Huard at a regular meeting held on the 20th day of

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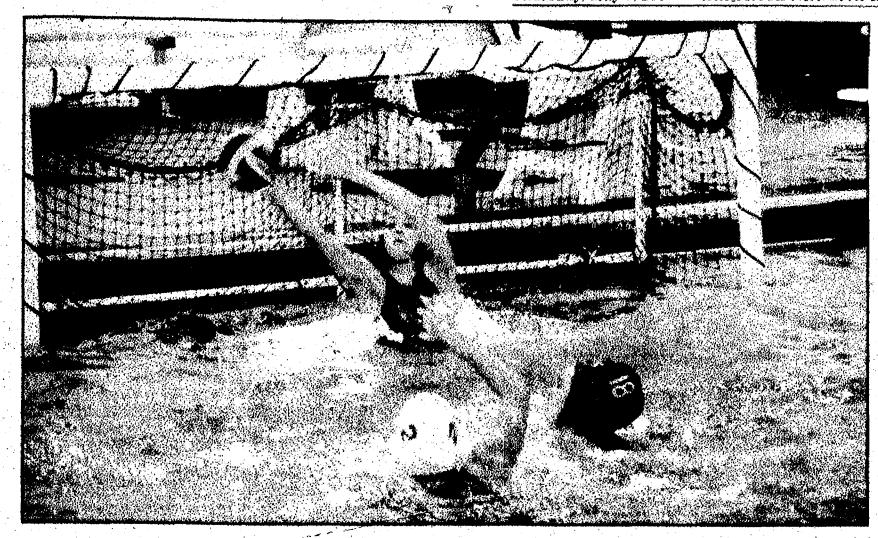
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Water Polo

Bulldogs score pair of big wins

The Chelsea water polo team is coming off a great weekend in Grand Haven which has continued its winning ways with crucial district wins over Grand Ledge and Holt/East Lansing.

"I couldn't be prouder of the girls; they have really turned a corner in the season and seem to be playing with a lot of confidence," Chelsea coach Brian Thomas said, "We have been on a scoring frenzy lately on both varsity and JV.

The varsity Bulldogs are riding a two-game winning streak and have outscored their past two opponents 17-9. The JV-team has outscored its opponents 51-12 in the last four

"The numbers don't lie, everyone has been playing with confidence and not scared of taking a shot on goal when the opportunity presents itself; the girls have been playing both ends of the pool well." Thomas

Grand Ledge

Last Tuesday the Bulldogs hosted the Grand Ledge Comets. The varsity Bulldogs jumped out to a 2-0 lead in the first quarter and never looked back, winning 7-2.

Goal scorers for the Bulldogs were senior co-captain Donna Prieskorn and junior Jaclyn Murphy each netting a goal, senior co-captain Michelle Kellogg had two goals and sophomore Katie Eisley had her first hat trick of the year. Junior goaltender Katlin Connin defended the net well blanking Grand Ledge in three of the four quarters. "This was a big win for the girls, Grand Ledge has always been a great opponent, and it was a great win against a great program,' Thomas said.

The JV Bulldogs also had a tremendous night lighting the Cameron Pool scoreboard 11 times for an 11-2 win over the Comets. Goal scorers for the JV Bulldogs were sophomore Dani Hilts, Sarah Daniel, Lauren Jolly Katlin Connin and Kaila Croskey each netting one goal apiece. Rookie hole set junior Claudia Bravo had a banner night with six goals. Rookie junior goal tender Sarah Valek allowing the Comets only goals in the four quarters of polo:

"The JV team is really coming along and playing well, they have been competitive with

STATE OF MICHIGAN JUDICIAL CIRCUIT-FAMILY DIVISION COUNTY OF WAYNE Publication of Hearing

SASE NO 10493894 PETITION 1000347 in the matter of ANGEL LAMPLEY DOB-01/27/2008, CHARNELL SMITH HOB-03/24/2007, KAYCHAWN SMITH DOR 12/17/2009

hearing on CHILD PROTECTIVE will be conducted by the court on MONDAY, JUNE 14, 2010. AT 10:00 AM, in Countrioom I is lincoln 1025 E FOREST

before Referee DAVID PERKINS 38750

it is therepore oudered that RONALD LAMPLEY or the Hiological Father for ANGEL - LAMPLEY "the Biological Pather of CHARNELAIA CHARNELL. personally appear before the court at the time and place stated above Notice to parent. This hearing may result in the termination of your parental rights, placement of the childrens in the permanent custods of the court for the outpose of adoption

every team we've played and the future of Chelsea Water Polo . looks very bright," Thomas said.

Holt/East Lansing

A short 48 hours later the **Bulldogs hosted visiting district** rival Holt/East Lansing.

"In the four years Coach Jolly and I have been coached this team, Holt/EL has been a very tough opponent for us to com-pete with," Thomas said. "Aside from last year's win in OT in: East Lansing, I don't think we have beaten this team?

The varsity Bulldogs started the evening off outscoring the visiting Holt/EL 4-2 in the first quarter. Little did the Bulldogsknow that those four first-quarter goals would be key to a victory that night. Holt/EL's defense was really stingy in the second and third quarters holding the Bulldogs to two goals and cutting the Buildog lead to one goal going into the fourth.

The Bulldog offense reappeared in the fourth quarter netting four goals and allowing two goals to win the match 10.7.

"This was a great win; Holt/ EL has always been a very tough team to play against, the girls did a great job, won the match and go into next week with a lot of confidence,". Thomas said.

Goal scorers for the Bulldogs were Donna Prieskorn, Jaclyn Murphy, Sarah Valek, Katie



Eisley, Hannah Olsen and Jessica Hinderer with one apiece. Junior Jaclyn Murphy scored her third hat trick of the season. Junior goaltender Katlin Connin played a great* game keeping the Bulldogs in the game and stopping the potent Holt/EL offense.

The JV Bulldogs won 14-4. The entire team played well, almost everyone left the game-with a goal," Thomas said.

Goal scorers for the JV were Sarah Daniel, Shelby Collins, **Emily Simons and Kaila** Croskey all scoring one goal

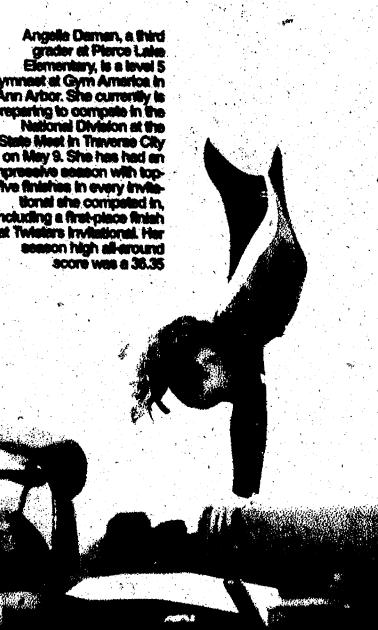
each. Freshman Lauren Jolly netted two goals along with freshman Michaela LeVanseler. Freshman Talia Dyerly and junior Claudia Bravo each scored a hat trick in the match.

"I'm really proud of the effort the girls have put into this weeks matches, Coach Jolly and I have seen their confidence in the pool grow and their ability to play with all teams has been remarkable," Thomas said?

The Bulldogs host Dexter today with the varsity at 6 p.m. and the JV at 7 p.m.

Chelsea gymnast

grader at Plerce Lake gymnest at Gym America in Ann Arbor. She currently to preparing to compute in the National Division at the State Most in Traverse City on May 9. She has had an five finishes in every trivia tional she competed in including a first-place finish at Twisters invitational, Her on high all-around



NOTICE to the residents of THE VILLAGE OF

Special Spring Limited Refuse Clean Up will take place on FRIDAY, MAY 7, 2010 Place Items At the Curb Prior to 6:00 A.M.

ltems must be in Containers. Bagged. Bundled or Boxed for Collection (when possible) Weighing Less than 50 Pounds

No Loose Items Please Bundle Carpet with Tape in 4 Foot Rolls, Weighing Less than 50 Pounds Each

SPECIAL SPRING CURBSIDE COLLECTION CLEAN-UP **GUIDELINES**

Residential Pick-up for Village Residents ONLY!

Items generated by Village Residents that can be carried to the curb will be hauled away, except for the following exclusions:

Items not properly prepared for pickup will NOT be picked up.

ITEMS WE WILL NOT COLLECT

• Ties, large car parts or batteries

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material or railroad ties Brush or limbs over 3" in diameter or 4 in length. stumps

· Sod. rocks, bricks, dirt or

concrete

• Porsons Any liquids

• Paint or paint solvents -

 Flammables Anti-freeze

 Pesticides Herbicides

Explosives

· Appliances containing freon can be scheduled for pick-up for an additional charge of \$35 00 per appliance by calling 1-800-796-9696 the week prior to the clean up

Items not properly stacked into 4 lengths, bundled and or bagged

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CALL **DEXTER D.P.W. AT 426-8530**

The Village DPW crews will continue to collect stacked brush Waste Management, the Village's contracted refuse hauler will collect all other refuse, debris and bagged yard

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NOTICE OF FIRST HEARING

Board of Road Commissioners of Washtenaw County Proposed Scie Hills Subdivision Improvements

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

TAKE NOTICE that this Board is in receipt of a petition and application for improvements of Coventry Square Drive. Bradford Square Drive. Scio Court, Ramsgate Court Pemberly Court, and Edmonton Court in the Township of Scio Washtenaw County: Michigan which pelltion and application complies with Act 248 of Public Acts of 1931 as amended.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that a survey has been made, plans have been prepared, specifications of the the purpose have been made, an estimate of the cost of said paving improvements has been prepared. improvement and of the lands that may be benefited thereby has been

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that said survey, plans specifications and estiniates of costs are now on file in the office of this Board and open to persons examination

PAKE FURTHER NOTICE that this Board has tentatively determined hat said proposed improvement is necessary for the benefit of the public and for the benefit of the subte welfare and convenience

ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

The assessment district which may he liable for assessment for the hencins on account of the proposed mprovements are as follows

Seto Hills Subdivision No. 1 4, being part of Section 14, Scio Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, Lats 1 14, 13 35, 388, 36N, 378, 37N, 38 65, 70

NOW THEREFORE, TAKE NOTICE hat in accordance with the provisions of Act 248 of the Public Acts of 1931, as amonded, and other applicable statutes of the State of Michigan, a hearing will be belif on Phuraday, May 13, 2010 at 7 00 p.m. Enstern Standard Time at Scio fownship Hall, 827 N Zeeb Road, Ann Arhor, MI 48103 for the purpose if hearing objections, if any to the

Tublish April 29 and May 6, 2010

DEXTER VILLAGE COUNCIL SYNOPSIS OF ACTION TAKEN AT THE REQULAR MEETING

MONDAY, APRIL 12, 2010 CALL-TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF

allegiance The meeting was called to order at 7:30 by President Keough in the Senior Center located at 1720 Dexter Ann Arbor Rd in

ROLL CALL: President Keough. Inrson, Cousins, Fisher, Semifero.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES Motion Smith: support Carson to approve the minutes of the Regular Jouncil Meeting of March 22, 2010 Unanimous voice vote for approval APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Motion Smith: support Fisher to approve the agenda with the following changes: Add additional information under 14. Village Manager's Report, Add additional information under J-4. Consent Agenda: Dexten Community Schools Drama Department, Add additional item J.S. Consent Agenda, St. Andrew's Church Blood Drives Add additional information K.3. (lld. Business Mill Creek Park Next Steps, Move item 1.5 Consideration of Scope of Services from Orchard, Hilts & McCliment to complete Baker Road Crosswalk Grant, Application to the next item after Approval of the Agenda and Postpone item K.4. Discussion of Village Office Next Steps until the April 26 Merting

Unanimous voice vote for approval Motion Carson, support Fisher to approve the Scope of Services from Orchard, Hiltz & McCliment to complete the grant application for the Baker Road Pedestrian Crossing Project not to exceed

Semifero, Tell. Fisher. Carson, Cousins, Smith and Keough Nays. None. Motion carries

CONSENT AGENDA Consideration of Bills and Payroll in the amount of \$509,359,14 Consideration of Request from the Dexter Area Historical Society and Museum to place four (4) signs in the Village right of way from April

18 through May 2 to advertise their onsideration of Request to place signage in the Village right of way advertising the Dexter Farmers Market on Tuckdays and Saturdays from May 8 to October 30 Consideration of Hequest from Dexter Community Schools to place

gleven (11) signs in the Village right of way from April 13 to April 25 advertising a play Consideration of: Request from St.

to place (2) signs in the Village right of way from April 19 to April 26 and September 20 to September Motion Fisher, support Smith to approve items 1, 2, 3 and 5 of the

Andrew's United Church of Christ

consent agenda and move item J.4 to item L-10 ûnder New Business : Unanimous voice vote for approval OLD BUSINESS-Consideration and Discussion of: Motion Tell: support Carson to

the Village Manager to proposals from other Incorporation Attorneys
by the Michigan by the Municipal League Tell, Carson, Cousins, Smith, Fisher, Semifero and Keough

Motion carries Motion Semifero: support Carson to instruct staff to work with Orchard, Hiltz & McCliment to establish a new boundary for the Village as presented within the two modified

areas Ayes Carson, Cousins, Fisher, Semifero, Tell and Keough Nays Smith

Motion carries 6 to 1. Motion Cousins: support Carson to table item K-3 until after item O. Cousins, Fisher, Smith, Semiforo, Tell, Carson and Reough Nays None Motion carries

NEW BUSINESS Consideration of and Discussion of

Motion Carson, support Cousins to hire Creative Lawn and Landscape. LLC for a one year trial period with three year renewal upon satisfactory performance. Smith: Semifero, Tell.

Aves Fisher Coustns and Carson. Nays. None Keough Motion carries Motion Tell, support Carson to approve the proposal from Soil and

Material Engineers (SME); for testing services for the Ann Arbor Street Project not to exceed \$5300100 Semifero. Tell. Fisher. Cousins, Smith and Keough Carson.

Nays None Motion garries Motion Cousins, support Carson to approve the resolution that the Village of Dexter will start and support in 2010 a Community larden to be located at 7651 Dan Hory Road and employ Melissa

Resterson as its coordinator with

Village Manager us her

Motion Carson, support Semifero to amend the motion to add to the resolution under the auspices fol-

the Farmers Market Committee after the Village of Dexter and change employ to contract with Ayes Tell, Carson, Cousins, Smith. Fisher, Semifero and Keough Nays None

Motion carries Amended Motion

Motion Cousins, support Carson to approve the resolution that the Village of Dexter under the auspices of the Farmers Market Committee will start and support in 2010 a Community Garden to be located at 7651 Dan Hoey Road and contract with Melissa Kesterson as its coordinator with the Village Manager as her supervisor Carson. Cousins, Fisher.

Smith, Semifero, Tell and Keough Nays None. Motion carries

Motion Carson, support Semifero to approve the scope of services from Orchard, Hiltz & McCliment to identify and evaluate the Village crosswalks at a cost not to exceed

Cousins, Fisher. Smith Semifero, Tell, Carson and Keough Motion carries

Motion Tell, support Semifero per 23 06. Criteria Ordinance Text and the Planning Commission recommendation, the Village Council approves that the proposed amendments to Afficle 17. Research and Development District, Section 17.02K to include Hetail/Showroom as a permitted use and changing special land use Recreation Center to Personal Fitness Center in order to correct problems and create consistency within the ordinance and to help promote implementation of the goals and objectives of the Muster.

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

Motion carries Motion: Cousins, support Semifero based on the information provided. by the applicant and the Planning Commission recommendation the Village Conneil approves the special land use application submitted by Gary Quillette for the Absolute Fun, inc., an indoor recreation facility located at 3219 **Broad Street** Semifero, Tell, Fisher. Ares

Carson, Cousins, Smith and Keough

Mution cairies. support Carson to approve the bid from Ann Arbor andscape for Spring 2010 Tree Planting not to exceed \$10,000,00 Aves Tell, Carson, Cousins, Smith Fisher, Semifero and Roough Nays None

Motion carries Motion Smith support Fisher to postpone discussion on the use of communication tool

Aves Carson, Fisher, Smith and

N a y s

Cousins, Tell and Keough Motion carries 4 to 3 Motion Fisher, support Smith to approve the placement of five (5) signs plus the large Copeland from the Community Schools from April 13

to April 25 to advertise a play Ayes Cousins Fisher. Smith. Semifero, Tell, Carson and Keough Nays None

Motion carries
CLOSED SESSION FOR THE
PURPOSE OF DISCUSSING
PURCHASE OF PROPERTY IN ACCORDANCE WITH MCL 15.26 Sec. 8(d) Motion Smith support Fisher to go

into closed session at 11 08 pm to discuss potential purchase of Smith, Semifero, Tell, Cousins and Fisher.

Nays None : Motion Smith support Tell to leave the closed session at 12 02 am Aves Semifero, Tell, Fisher, arson. Cousins Smith and Keough

Motion carries, K-3 Discussion of Mill Creek Park Next Steps (postponed earlier in

Motion Tell: support Cousins to authorize staff to contact the consultants to get a quote to modify the permit application for work on the east side of the Mill Creek

Ayes Tell, Carson, Cousins, Smith, Fisher, Semifero and Keough Navs None Motion carries

Motion Tell, support Cousins to authorize the negotiations to proceed as directed in closed Aves Carson, Cousins, Semifero,

Tell and Reough Nays Fisher and Smith Motion carries 5 to 2

ADJOURNMENT Motton Smith support Fisher to adjourn at 1204 am Unantmous voice vote for approval Respectfully submitted. Carol J

Jones, Clerk, Village of Dexter

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Lacrosse: One of the best kept secrets in sports

Springtime is always a great time for sports.

The sun is out, the grass is green, it's just the perfect time to get outside and take in some games.

So what's the first thing you think of when someone men-

tions spring sports? More than likely you think baseball. or maybe softball. Soccer and track

are pretty big ones Golf and tennis are still kind of getting used to their new roles as spring

sports for boys' and girls respectively. but what about lacrosse? In my opinion,

lacrosse is easily the most exciting sport that high school athletes can play in the spring.

Sure, baseball is an American institution. I do enjoy watching it and I loved playing it. But let's be honest. Baseball is boring.

I don't know how many times I've seen this scenario: Guy steps up to the plate, adjusts his batting glove 16 times, Garciaparra-style, then finally digs in.

The pitcher, who only has two good pitches, shakes off the catcher four times before finally getting a sign that he likes.

By this time, the batter is tired of waiting, so he steps out of the batter's box just to let the pitcher know he isn't going to wait around all day.

Then he'll step back in, and the pitcher will finally throw a ball that bounces on the plate. and if the umpire isn't asleep yet, he'll say it was a ball. And we all get to watch this

three more times until it's another batter's turn. See what I mean? It can be

really riveting stuff. Don't get me wrong, baseball is a great game, and its little nuances are what make it such

a rich part of our country's tradition, but it's not always exciting to watch.

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tremendously exciting.

And if you have two teams that are of equal talent levels, it can be one of the best spectator sports you will ever watch.

Heck, sometimes. even when you have two teams who aren't equal talent-wise it can be exciting. Just ask the Greenhills Gryphons about that.

Last week the Gryphons, a Class C school, defeated Class A Huron in an 11-10 decision. To add to the

drama, Greenhills Jack Schueller scored the game-winning goal with just 35 seconds

left in the game. How about that? A little more exciting than watching a 1-0

baseball game, right? And an 11-10 score isn't out of the ordinary for a lacrosse

Double-digit scores are commonplace in the game, which is great because the plethora of scoring keeps the game moving, making it fun to watch.

Lacrosse is still relatively new to Michigan, and is just starting to become more popular in public high schools. And I can only see it getting bigger.

I love watching the sport, but seriously who wouldn't want to play this game?

It's fast-paced, involves supreme athletic ability and (in the boys' game) offers incredible amount of physical contact.

A lot of guys go out for lacrosse just for the opportunity to hit somebody. While football and hockey hits are usually more vicious, they are fleeting. In other words, you hit a guy and he gets up, or you hit a guy and he skates away.

In lacrosse, the contact is

constant. Guys are hitting each other all the time in order to get possession of the ball, so with Lacrosse on the other hand is withe steady threat of being hit always looming, lacrosse players have to think two to three moves ahead when they take the field, which makes for some great improvisational moves and some fine viewing.

Lacrosse is also a great sport for conditioning for other

sports. The constant running helps build strong lungs and legs. The possibility of getting knocked on your butt every time you touch the ball helps build agility and focus. The offense itself is not that different from offenses run by some basketball and hockey teams.

It's not uncommon to find some of the best athletes from the football team or the hockey team coming out to participate in lacrosse.

In the girls' game, go to any lacrosse game and I bet you will find some of the best field hockey players in the area suited up for lacrosse.

So if you want to come see

some of the best athletes in your respective schools playing a different sport, they might not be on the baseball or softball field. They might be out playing lacrosse.

Go check it out. If nothing else, it will at least be exciting.

Webster Township Regular

The Webster Township Regular Board Meeting was called to order at 7:30 pm. by Supervisor Kingsley on April 20, 2010 at the township hall, 5665 Webster hurch Road Dexter, MI 48130.

Supervisor Clerk: Heller, Treaspror Whitney: Trustees, Westman, Koch Kleinschmidt, Engineer/ Estieman. Zoning Administrator Recording Secretary, Zuccaro and ten

Meeting opened with the Pledge of

Approve Minates Motion Koch second Kleinschmidt to approve the minutes of the Regular Board Meeting held on March 16, 2010 and the Public Hearing minutes of March 16, 2010, All ayes and carried

Supervisor Remarks

Motion Westman second Estleman to approve the April 20, 2010 agenda with in addition under New Business: Item New Attorney to Handle Conservation Easements, All aves and

resentation: WAVE

Public Rearing: Industrial Facilities Tax Exemption Certificate Thompson Shore

ee attached

Regular Meeting reconvened at 8:12 pm

Call to Public Reports

1. Treasurer's Report Hotion Kleinschmidt second Westman o accept Treasurer's report and pay bills as presented as well as those antreipated bills received before the

Roll call vote, all ayes and carmed

Parks and Recreation Committee:

5. Planning Commission:

D. Zoning inspectors Report:

Report received. Four permits issued and ten toning inspections

Coning Board of Appeals:

E. Sheriff's Report:

Report received

PDR Committee Report received

II. Fire Department Report: Report Received

New Business

Motion Estleman second Heller to have Nebster Tuwnship contribute \$5000.00 to WAVE to service Webster Township residents Roll call, ail ayes, motion

B. Industrial Facilities Tax Exemption Certificate for Thomson Shore Inc. Motion Westman second Roch to accept Resolution for an Industrial Facilities Exemption Thomson Shore, Inc. Exemption Certificate Development District, as written

Roll call, all aves, motion carried

. Portage Base Lake Home Owners Ad Hoc Committee Member Supervisor Kingsley will serve on the

D. Health Insurance Motion Westman second Koeli to accept the Resolution to Authorize the Deduction of Health Insurance Costs of Webster Township Employees Pay as

Roll call, all ayes, motion carried . Storybook Lane Project Close Out Motion Kleinschmidt second Westman o return approximately \$12.00 in

escrow funds to Mr Xuereb Roll call. all ayes, motion carried

F. New Attorney to Handle Conservation Easements. Motion Westman second Koch to

eplace departing WTFOSPB attorney lim Govert with Joe Fazio, real estate attorney from Miller Canfield, effective May 1, 2010 All ayes, motion carried.

Correspondence forrespondences received

Call to Public

Adjourn

Motion Rieinschmidt second Heiler to adjourn the meeting. The meeting adjourned at 9.24 pm. All ayes and

Respectfully submitted.

Mary Dee Heller, Clerk

Webster Township Sourd of Trustees Public Hearing April 20, 2010

> Industrial Facilities Yex Exemption Certificate for Thompson Shores

A Public Hearing was called to order at 7:35pm-by Supervisor Kingsley

Ringsley, Clerk, Heller, Treasures. Whitney, Trustees Westman, Roch, Estleman, · Kleinschmidt Engineer/ Administrator Prodeia Recording Secretary Zuccaro and ten

Facilities Tax Exemption Certificate for Thomison'Shore, The

Kevin Spall, Thomson Shore Rep. Essentially what we are asking you for is an investment in our company Thomson Shores has been a specessful printing supplier to the book market and we freused on a very specials area of fraditionally guarage printing of short run printing, by that I mean two hundred to two thousand book counts. per order. We remain very strong in that area, however there are a number of competitors now that are in that piece of the industry, along with us, as run counts have come down in the industry. Many of the larger printers. that in the past have not played in that arena, have come down to those quantities, however we still remain successful in this area today and have a good position

What's transpired over the last five of six years is new technology for the production of very small counts, from one to four or five hundred. That's an area that in the past has not had practical technology or equipment. What's exacerbated the push to that type of printing is in the last few years with the economic recession, publishers have been strained to earn money, they've looked to conserve their own cash flow and reduce their own inventory. The competition in that area of the industry has become fierce some from the traditional printers, but maints from new up-starts. The internet boom, a competitor we never had before, can produce as few as one book and is creating a whole new brand of competition

So with this, a couple of years ago we nut together a road man to convest in the company

Our tradition platform of offset analog printing of books, which is still a very healthy part of the husiness, 95-98% of products still produced, is not going away anytime soon. This seven million dollars that we are looking to spend really is a reinvestment in this new area of the industry which is really focused in digital technology and the equipment to produce the books. A large part of this is also the technology of moving product through the facility using what is referred to as Computer Integrated Manufacturing, computers talking to computers to move produc more efficiently, reducing our costs and remaining competitive

So that area of printing printing a single copy efficiently and quickly up to a few hundred copies along with our tradition offset equipment combine for a platform that is fairly unique in the There are very few companies that compete with us in the industry that can print one copy up to a few thousand in one facility so it is unique proposition

have already started the investment and we've already made purchases

Ringsley. There are a couple of factors involved in your request, one the equipment and second improvement to the building because of 40th onvironment this new equipment requires. That all adds up to about seven million dollars. In terms of employees, this does not mean an increase in the number of employees. maintaining the same number o responsibility to the needs of the equipment is that correct?

Kevin Spall, Thomson Shore Rep That's correct. The expectation is that as the volume moves in production from the traditional offset approach and over to the digital approach we i take employees from the traditional area and train them and move them into the digital area, I do believe there will be some incremental staff additions as a result. An example, we just move two employees from the traditional business into the digital business and we're busy enough thankfully, that we need to here to replace those people. In the short term, defined as nine to twelve months. I see incremental hires, the expectation is that the allin one business platform attracts more busigess

Kingsley But what you're really asking for is a tax abatement of up to seven million dollars over 12 years with 200 employees. Is that correct?

Keyin Spall, Thomson Shore Rep. That's correct

Kingley OK, questions from the board

Westman Exactly what impact does

that have on Webster Township?

Kevin Spall, Thomson Shore Rep. The impact short term is the development of unique technology that will attract publishers to Thomson Shore publishing industry today is kind of in a state of wild west for a follor reasons, but in large part due to the economy and also in large part to e Publishers are trying to discover a new business model. We are developing technology and methodology we think will attract publishers to us. We also believe that in order to support them in this new business we are going to have to add additional services like distribution So I think for Webster Township it creates a greater draw to Thomson Shore I believe it will add to the longevity of the company-

directed towards Mr. Kingstey in revenue generation as opposed to Kingstey: OK, in terms of real dollar

My question was more

and cents, this proposal is not going to cost Webster Township anything After twelve years, assuming you grant them twelve years, you don't have to grant them the full twelve years, basically it a revenue neutral at this point in time because the equipment is not there so we don't get the personal property tax on it anyway. After twelve years we will be receiving personal property tax on the depreciated value of the seven million dollars at that time. It's not going to mean very much in dellar and cents to the township in terms of the schools the barks system, and the rounty it's soing to help them after the twelve year period of time Keep in mind though, we are trying to assist Thomson Share in being a viable company now and in the future We don't need another vacant building any place in this area not even in this region. Overall, it's going to help the ferion do they ampley two handred people from Webster Township, no most of those people drive to get to work every day and they live someplace else in terms of the region. think it's a good think for the region

12pm Ringsley opens up, the Public ហ៊ុំនិវាទេពរ

Any other questions?

Kingstey Seeing no other comments ! will close the Public Hearing portion of this meeting

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"We did very well as a team," Swager said. "The second place trophy was nice for the guys. A lot of events improved in their

quality and depth. Hall may be the only person in school history to have run a sub-5 minute mile (as a freshman) and throw more than 45 feet in the shot put.

Pappas won two very close races, and is now in the top five milers and top five two milers

all time at Chelsea. "Borders and Edwards had very solid performances, and the half milers (Spencer Cone and Zach Rabbitt) continue to show improvement," Swager said. "This is the signature of our men's track team over the past few years - improve throughout the season and be competitive at the end.'

SYNOPSIS OF THE CITY OF CHELSEA reqular council MEETING

Tuesday, April 13, 2010

Washington Street Education Conto

Call to Order

Present Council Members Present Mayor Lindauer Feeney. Martinez-Kratz, Albertson, Anderson, Hammer, Holmberg, City Manager Hanifan and Clerk Royal

Absent

Mayor Lindauer called the meeting to order at 7.00 pm

Pleage of Allegiance

The official record of this evening's proceedings will show that the Chelsea City Council joins a grateful community in remembering the lives of Police Chief Riley Scott Summer and Fire Captain Matt Tuttle. In the four years since their tragic loss, they have been missed, remembered and their legacy has inspired those who follow in their footsteps

Presentations Check from City Employees . litigation All Ayes Motion to Faith in Action

Benefit Presentation

Approval Of Consent Agenda MOVED Hammer, SECONDED Holmberg to approve minutes and bills as presented. All Ayes. Motion Carried

Approval of Regular Agenda: MOVED Albertson SECONDED Feeney to approve the regular. agenda as presented. All Ayes Motion Carried 🦙

Conncil Business OPEB Update

MOVED Hammer SECONDED Holmberg to transfer \$325,000 to the Retirement fund as hudgeted for eligible employee and retiree health insurance henefits All Ayes. Motton.

2 Resolution to adopt Zoning Ordinance No 188 MOVED Albertson SECONDED Hammer to adopt Ordinance #166 as presented All Ayes. Motion Carried

Chelsea Industrial Substation Maintenance. MOVED Holmberg SECONDED Martinez Kratz to approve the work at the Chelsea Industrial Substation as required to replace the lightning arresters by consumers Energy per the Demand Maintenance Contract at a cost not to exceed \$9,300.00/

4 Land Division at 413 Taylor

All Ayes Motion Carried

MOVED Feeney SECONDED Holmberg to approve the division of tax id parcel 06-06 12:105-037, that being Lot 8 of Isaac Taylor's First Addition as proposed on the attached survey dated 4/27/92 and then revised on 4/5/10 All Ayes. Motion Carried

CLOSED SESSION MOVED Hammer SECONDED Anderson to go into closed session at 8.07 p.m. for the gurpose of discussing pending

Carried -Other Post Employment Came out of closed session at

> ADJOURNMENT MOVED Albertson SECONDED Hammer to adjourn at 8:45 pm All-Aves Motion Carried

APPROYED: April 27, 2010

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Respectfully submitted.

Teresa Royal, City Clerk

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conditional reganing shall expire two (2) years following the effective date of this ordinance and the property shall revert back to the A.I. Agricultural clasiofication

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE SECTION LAVAILABILITY

Chelsea's Bobby Benetsau makes a move with the ball earlier

the season. Lacrosee is quickly becoming one of the more

popular sports of the spring season.

TOWNSHIP OF SCIO

WASHTENAW COUNTY.

MICHIGAN

ORDINANCE NO. 2010-02

CODIFIED SCIO TOWNSHIP ZONING

Whereas a proposed conditional

ezoning amendment from A 1. General

ommercial has been submitted by the

Township pursuant to Article XV.

Section 38 460 of the Codified

Whereas, this proposal has been

Commission and recommends approval

to the Township Board of Trustees.

Whereas the proposed zoning clas-

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fication amendment has been duly

advertised and presented at a public

of Public Act 110 of 2008 as amended

Owner on Tax Roll PP & S.LLC

Whereas, the conditions of this

Resoning of approximately 42 acres of

ommercial) pursuant to section 36

shall be limited to the uses per mitted within the C4 district.

but shall exclude the following

New and used vehicle sates and

inrge recreational vehicles. Note that the proposed use is a

Tractor Supply Company Store.

so the right to sell smaller rec

B. Outdoor commercial recreation

Be it therefore ordained that: the

- Adopt's (C 44: Composite

lownship Board of Scin Township does

amendment to the official Zoning Map.

Be it further ordained othat: this

mendment, shall be made to the

Ifficial Township Zoning Map

SECTION 2 EXPIRATION.

entirely in this amendment, and

and golf driving ranges .

vehicles/fractors

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would be allowed.

400 and the following conditions:

1D numbers.

Property Code

Township Zoning Ordinance, and,

ADOPTION OF

COMPOSITÉ COMMERCIAL

of Scio hereby ordains

The Official Zoning Map is available AN AMENDMENT TO THE OFFICIAL for inspection at the Township Hall Supporting documentation for each CERTAIN LAND AREA IN SECTION 26 roning district designation is available OF SCIO TOWNSHIP FROM A.L. GENERAL AGRICULTURAL TO C.4. in the Office of the Township Clerk at the Township Hall Copies of the Zoning Map or the Zoning Ordinance text, as amended, are available for pur The Board of Trustees of the Township chase at Scio Township Hall. The Scio Township Hall is located at 827 N. Zeel: Road, Ann Arbor, Ml. 48103 Normal husiness hours are 900 am to 500 pm AMENDMENT TO OFFICIAL ZONING Monday through Friday

> SECTION 4 INCONSISTENCIES REPEALED.

Any and all other ordinances or reso lutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed

SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY:

eviewed by the Township Planning Should any section, clause or para graph of this Ordinance be declared by court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid the same will not affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or part hereof other than the part declared to be invalid.

hearing held by the Township Planning SECTION 6. SAVING CLAUSE.

Commission pursuant to requirements That nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to affect any suit or proceed Whereas, said proposal affects a ing impending in any court or any and area with the current tax parcel rights acquired, or liability incurred or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any act of ordinance hereby repealed, nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any ommonly known as 7485 Jackson Road character be lost impaired or affected by this Ordinance

SECTION 7. REFECTIVE DATE.

The provisions of this Ordinance are roning are as follows Conditional hereby ordered to take effect seven (7) 32 66 neres from AA (General Agricultural) to CA (Composité days following its publication in a within the Township. This Ordinance is tereby declared to have been adopted by the Township Board of Trustees of The list of uses on the property the Township of Scio in a meeting duly called and held on 27 day of April

> TOWNSHIP OF SCIO. WASHTENAW COUNTY, STICHIGAN

E. Spaulding Clark Supervisor

Hancy C. Hedberg, Clerk ADOPTED April 27: 2010 PUBLISHED: May 6: 2010 EFFECTIVE May 13: 2010

facility such as miniature golf. CERTIFICATION:

Nancy C Hedberg Clerk of the Township of Scio. County of Washienaw, Michigan, do horeby cer A minimum of 25 forg green area will be provided along the east still that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of the Ordinance that is limits of the property to be resoned. The existing vegetation an amendment to the Scio Township row within this area will not be Zoning Ordinance, adopting an updated Official Zoning Map of the Township, and approved by the Seio Township Board of Trustees on the 27 day of April, 2010, and given publica. tion in the Dexter Leader, a newspaper 'ommercial, as described above, as an of general circulation, on the 6 day of

incorporating the plan, all conditions, Read, Palmer, Knowles, and requirements stated herein and in Article XV. Section 38 463 of the Hodberg, Green, Dellong, Clark Sudified Township Zoning Ordinance: as if they were reproduced in their Absent None.

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Nancy C. Hadberg, Clerk Township of Scio Jublish May 8, 2010

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Plaintiff: Michael Robert Ploti 15 E. Downington Rd Sundusky, NJ 48471

Maintiff's efformer: Shelly R. Smith P54927 18 S. Elk St. Sandusky, Mr 48471 816-448-0800

Denielle Linn Dickerson 47011 Bell Ridge St. #1014 Belleville, M448111-1545

TO: Dunielle Lynn Dickerson

t. You are being sweet by plaintiff within this court to file your ensure or take other action permitted by low in this court at the court address above on a before May 28, 2010. If you feel to do so, a default judgment may be en-tered against you for the re-ted demanded in the complaint filed in this rese.

2. A copy of this order shall be published once each week.

for three consecutive weeks in the Bolleville Herr and proof of publication shall be filed in 3. Michael Robert Piets shall gost a copy of this order in the courthouse for three con-tinuous weeks, and shall file

proof of posting in this court.

4. A copy of this order shall be sent to Danielle Lynn Dickion at the last known address by registered mad, return receipt requested, before the date of the lest publica-tion, and the affident meiling shall be flied with this court.

Deted: 4-7-10.

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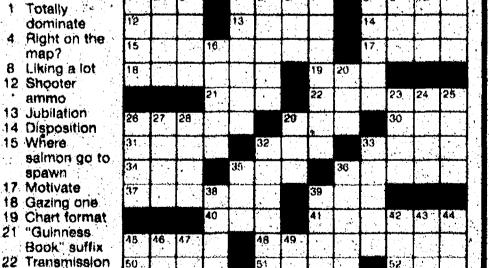
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(www.mshda.info/counseling_search/), tele-phone (866) 946-7432, TTY# 1-800-382-4568. If you request a meeting with the ser vicer's designate within 14 days after the Notice required under MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not start until 90 days after the date the Notice was mailed to you. If you and the servicer's Designate reach an agreement to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be fore-closed if you abide by the ferms of the agree ment. You have the right to contact an attor ney. You may contact attorney of your choice. If you do not have an attorney, the telephone number for the Michigan State Bar Association's Lawyer Referral Service is 1 800-968-0738. Dated: May 6, 2010 Orlans Associates P.C. Attorneys for Service P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File Number: 310-7663 ASAP# 3552242 05/06/2010

FEDERAL LAW REQUIRES US TO ADVISE YOU THAT COMMUNICATION WITH OUR OFFICE COULD BE INTERPRETED AS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT AND THAT ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY SERVICE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE, AS YOU ARE ENTITLED TO SPECIAL PROTECTIONS. THIS IS AN OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE YOUR HOME To George E. David-son Jr. and Crystal Davidson 7331 Essex rpsilanti, Mt. 48197 County: Washtenaw tate law requires that you receive the following notice: You have the right to request a neeting with your mortgage holder or mortage servicer. The person to contact and that has the authority to make agreements for a loan modification with you is: Orlans Associates, P.C Loss Milipation Department P.O. Box 5041, Troy, MI. 48007-5041 (248) 502-1331. You may contact a housing counselor by visiting the Michigan State Housing Development Authority ("MSHDA") website or by calling MSHDA. The website address and telephone number of MSHDA is: (www.mshda.info/counseling_search/) telephone (866) 946-7432, TTY# T-800-382 4568. If you request a meeting with the servicer's designate within 14 days after the Notice required under MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not start until 90 days after the date the Notice was mailed to you. If you and the servicer's Designate reach an agreement to modify the mortgage loan, the mortgage will not be fore-closed if you abide by the terms of the agreement. You have the right to contact an attorney. You may contact attorney of your choice. If you do not have an attorney, the telephone number for the Michigan State Bar Association's Lawyer Referral Service is 1-800-968-0738. Dated: May 6, 2010. Orians Associates P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, Mi 48007-5041 File Number: 285.6642 ASAP# 3554964 05/06/2010

ORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED OR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF OU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Martin Powers, a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated July 31, 2007 and recorded August 9, 2007 in Liber 4639, Page 211, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by Chase Home Finance LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the data hereof the sum of One Hundred Twee. date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twen ty-Nine Thousand Three Hundred Sixty and 2/100 Dollars (\$129,360.02) including interest at 7.5% per ennum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the stat-ute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michi gan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 13, 2010. Sald premises are located in the City of Milan Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are de-scribed as: Unit 25, Yorkshire Square Condominium, according to the Master Deed re-corded in Liber 2307, Pages 912 through 966, both inclusive, as amended by First Amendment to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 3187; Pages 451 and 452, Washtenaw County Records, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 111, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements, as set forth in the above Master Deed and as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended. The redemption period shall be 8 months from the date of such sale. unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgages can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest it you are a tenant in the property, please contact our of-fice as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 15, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Altorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, Mi 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 310,7047 ASAP# 3530008 04/15/2010, 04/22/2010, 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010

DEARBORN HTS. 26930 Cherry Hill, huge sale, 3 famihousehold. 188. wedding accesso-ries, video games, canoe, much more. Wed.-Fri. 9-5

DEARBORN 3912 Kingston, May 6 & 7, 9-4pm. Good stuff, great prices. ITSA SURE SALE

DEARBORN HTS. 3154 moving sale 215 N. Campbell, Fri.-Sat. May 7-8, 9-4. Gulley, 8:30-5:30, 5/5-8. house-Household items. hold, tools, antiques collectibles, piano,

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Service is 1-800-968-0738. Dated: May

2010 Orlans Associates P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, M) 48007-5041 File Number: 238.8130- ASAP# 3549088

05/06/2010 SCHNEIDERMAN & SHERMAN, P.C., ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT, ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT (248)539-7400 IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by LA-TOYA HINTON, A SINGLE WOMAN and BRENDA LEWIS, A SINGLE WOMAN AS JOINT TENANTS, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. ("MERS"), solely as nominee for lender and lender's successors and assigns. Mortgagee, dated February 22, 2006, and recorded on March 3, 2006, in Liber 4542, on Page 50, and as-ENTURE TRUSTEE UNDER NOVASTA MORTGAGE FUNDING TRUST, SERIES 2006-1, as assigned Washlenaw County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Forty-One Thousand Two Hundred Twenty-Three Dollars and Fifty-Five Cents (\$141,223.55), including inter est at 3:375% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, inside the Main Lobby of the Washte-naw County Courthouse, Huron Street en-trance, Ann Arbor, Michigan at 10:00 AM o'clock, on May 13, 2010 Said premises are located in Washtenaw County, Michigan and are described as: LOT 151, DEAUVILLE PARISH, AS RECORDED IN LIBER 22 OF LATS, PAGES 92 THROUGH 94, INCLU SIVE, WASHTENAW COUNTY RECORDS The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948Cl 600.3241a, in which case the redemption pe riod shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. Dated: April 13, 2010 THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON AS SUCCESSOR IN-MORTGAGE FUNDING TRUST, SERIES 2006-1 Mortgagee/Assignee Schneiderman & Sherman, P.C. 23938 Research Drive, Suite 300 Farmington Hills, Mi 48335 ASAP# 353023 04/15/2010, 04/22/2010, 04/22/2010 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010

FORECLOSURE NOTICE RANDALL S MILLER & ASSOCIATES, P.C. IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OB A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OB-TAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PUR-POSE. Mortgage Sale - Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Charles D. Eatman and Lorraine Eatman, husband and wife to Mortgage Elec-tronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Paltiway Financial, L.C. Mortgagee, dat-ed January 28, 2006, and recorded on Feb-ruary 23, 2006, in Liber 4540, Page 254, Washtenaw County Records, said mortgage was assigned to Deutsche Bank National vas assigned to Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for the registered folders of Saxon Asset Securities Trust 2006-2 Mortgage Loan Asset Backed Certifi-cates, Series 2006-2 by an Assignment of Mortgage which has been submitted to the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred For -Six Thousand Fifty-Two and 11/100 \$148,052.11) including interest at the rate of 7.62000% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged prem-ises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the Circuit Court in said Washtenaw County, where the premise to be sold or some part of them are situated at 10:00 AM on May 20, 2010 Said premise are situated in the City of Ann Arbor, Wash tenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: The South 60 Feet of Lot 85, and the South 80 Feet of the West 1/2 of Lot 84 Wuerth Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 8 of Plats: Page 38, Washtenaw County Records. Commonly known as: 1431 Kirtland Drive The redemption period shall be 8 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MC 600.3241a, in which case the redemption pe riod shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, which-ever is later. Dated: April 22, 2010 Randali S. Miller & Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for the registered holders of Saxon Asset Securities Trust 2006-2 Mortgage Loan Asset Backed Certificates, Series 2006-2 43252 Woodward Avenue, Suite 180 Bloomileid Hills, MI 48302 248-335-9200 Case No. 100Mi00447-1 ASAP# 3537894 04/22/2010. 04/29/2010 05/08/2010

05/13/2010

PUBLIC MOTICE
The Yeshouti City Council will hold a Public Hearing on Tess-day, June 1, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers, located at 1 S. Hurse St., Yeshouti, MI 48197 to consider an Ordinance settined "2010-2011 Test Lavy Ordinance" which DEARBORN HUGE

Rummage Sale 905 Mason St. (Garrison & Mason). Sat. May 8; 9-4pm. Proceeds support_Team Conterence Trip. 313-274-1120 A general operating ratings rate of 19.0211; mile (1.90211 costs per SI) of the females Value, according to the accessment rail of the lest proceding your is approved and authorized, and

NEED VACATION CASH? Sell your unwented items with a classified ad in HERITAGE CLASSIFIEDS. You get your cosh fast. 1-877-868-3208

The City Clark is authorized to cartify to the City Treasures and City Assessor the total amount to be levied and restriction for the City of Updicati is: DEXTER: 7551 Forest St., Fri. & Sat. 9-5. 3 family sale, glassware, too collectibles, misc. tools.

GENERAL OPERATING 19.0211

2010-2011 TAX LEVY ORDINANCE

THE CITY OF YPSHANTI ORDANIS THAT:

POLICE & FIRE PERSION 5.3356 SANITATION 2.7814

STREET HAPROVEMENT < 2.1824.

(VOTED DEBT 200) Bonds)

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The City of Ypsilanti encourages persons with disabilities to the City of Typeant encourages persons were accounted participate and will provide necessary reasonable mention wide and services, such as signers and audit topes of printer meterials being considered at the meeting to individuals will disabilities at the meeting upon two (2) days notice to the City. Individuals requiring accelling the following:

City Clark's Office One S. Huron St. Yashanti, MJ 48197-5400 734) 483-1100

All persons are welcome to attend. Additional information may be obtained at the City Clerk's Office or or wave.chyofyp-staciti.com under Mayor and City Council. Written comments may be sent to the City Clerk's Office at the above editors.

Frances McMullon, City Clark Publish May 6, 2010

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DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OB TAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PUR-POSE. Mortgage Sale Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Sherman L Beach, an unmarried man to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Novastai Home mortgage, Inc. Mortgagee, dated September 25, 2004, and recorded on June 17 tember 25, 2004, and recorded on June 17, 2005, in Liber 4488, Page 355. Washtenaw County Records, said mortgage was assigned to The Bank of New York Mellon, successor in interest to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association as trustee for the registered holders of NovaStar Mortgage Funding Trust, Series 2004-4 NovaStar Home Equity Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2004-4 by an Assignment of Mortgage which has been submitted to the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Ten Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-Five and 85/100 (\$110,355.85) including interest at the rate of 7.8000% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue, at the place of holding the Circuit Court in said Washtenaw County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are elected. said Washtenaw County, where the premises to be sold or some part of them are situated, at 10:00 AM on May 27, 2010 Said premises are situated in the Township of York, Wash tenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at the Southwest corner o ot 38, Milan Acres; therice South 89° 55 East 5.49 feet in the south line of Lot 38 to place of Beginning; thence South 89 ° 55 East 654.48 feet in the south line of Lots 38 39, and 40 to the Southeast corner of Lot 40 thence North 632.95 feet in the East line of ot 40; thence South 89° 58; West 651.6 feet; thence South 0°15'20" West 631.65 feet to the Place of Beginning, being a part of lots 38, 39, and 40. Milan Acres Subdivision, York Township, Washtenaw County, Michi gan, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 7 of plats, page 36, Washtenaw County Records, Excepting the following: Commencing at the Southeast corner of Lo 40 of Milan Acres, a recorded Plat; thence in the East line of Lot 40, 220 feet; thence South 89 56. West 220 feet; thence South 69 56. West 220 feet; thence South 69 56. East 220 feet; thence South 89 56. East 220 feet to the place of Beginning, being a part of Lot 40 said Milan Acres Subdivision. Commonly known as: 1401 Milan Dakville Road The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such asia. be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance less determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. Dated: April 29, 2010 Randall S. Miller & Associates, P.C. Attorneys for The Bank of New York Mellon, successor in interest to JPMorgan Chase Bank National Association as trustae for the successor in interest to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association as trustee for the registered holders of NovaStar Mortgage Funding Trust, Series 2004-4 NovaStar Home Equity Loan Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2004-4 43252 Woodward Avenue, Suite 180 Bioomfield Hills, Mit 48302 248-335-9200 Case No. 100Mit00344-1 ASAPN 3541635 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010, 05/20/2010

MANCHESTER DISTRICT LIBRARY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COUNTY OF WASHTENAW

ON THE ADOPTION OF THE BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2010-2011

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS IN THE LIBRARY DISTRICT OF THE MANCHES TER DISTRICT LIBRARY

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Board of Trustees of the Manchester District Library, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, with hold a public hearing on Thursday, the 20th of May, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in the Village Council Room at the Manchester Community Center (912 City Rd.), to consider approva and adoption of the operation budget of the Manchester District Library for the fiscal year 2010-2011.

Copies of the proposed budget are on file at the circulation desk of the Manchester Dis-trict Library, 912 City Rd. (M-52), Manchester. Michigan for inspection during regular t brary hours. At the public hearing, all citizens, taxpayers and property owners of the Manchester District Library district, comprised of the Village of Manchester, the fownship of Bridgewater, the Township of Freedom, and the Township of Manchester shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard in regard to the approval of the budget.

THE PROPERTY TAX MIL LAGE RATE PROPOSED TO BE LEVIED TO SUPPORT THE PROPOSED BUDGET WILL BE A SUBJECT OF THIS HEARING.

This notice is given by order of the Board of Trustees of the Manchester District Library County of Washtenaw, Michigan.

Gary Seguin, President Board of Trustees Manchester District Library County of Washlenaw State of Michigan

Any citizen requesting accommodation to at tend this meeting, please contact Heathe Sturm, Library Director, at 734-428-8045.

To obtain this notice in alternate formats please contact Heather Sturm, Library Director, at 734-428-8045.

Publish: May 6, 2010 and May 13, 2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW I YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUT MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Oli ver Galvez, a single man, to Option One Mortgage Corporation, a California Corpora Mortgagee, dated October 29, 2004 and recorded November 4, 2004 in Liber 4436 Page 865, Washtenaw County Records Michigan Said mortgage is now held by Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as Trustee for Op tion One Mortgage Loan Trust 2005-1. As set-Backed Certificates. Series 2005-1 by as signment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Ninety eight Thousand Fifty Two and 33/100 Dollars (\$198,052,33) including interest at 6.5% pe annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in mich case made and provided, notice is heleby given hat said mortgage will be foreclosed by a part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Court nouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arboi MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 20, 2010. Said premises are lo cated in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenay County, Michigan, and are described as: Lo 56, Assessor's Plat Number 48, as recorder in Liber 16 of Plats, Pages 55, 56, and 57 Washtenaw County Records Together with and subject to an easement for common drive, approximately 28 feet wide, the center line of which is approximately 7 feet South of the North line of Lot 56, Assessor's Plat Number 48, extending from the West line of the Lot Easterly approximately 100 feet. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited sole-ly to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest if you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 22, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 356.3536 ASAP# 3538091 04/22/2010, 04/29/2010 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY IN FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU, ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE: Default has been made in the conditions of a mfortgage made by Aneta T. Terlecka, a single woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lenders successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated October 27, 2008 and recorded November 17, 2006 in Liber 4593, Page 31, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by Bac Home Loans Servicing. LP now held by Bac Home Loans Servicing, LF Ika Countrywide Home Loans Servicing LF by assignment. There is claimed to be due a the date hereof the sum of One Hundred For light Thousand Six Hundred Ten and 25/100 Dollars (\$148,610.25) including inter est at 6.625% per annum. Under the powe of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, no ice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at publi vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Wash tenaw County Courthouse Huron Street en Irance in Ann Arbor, MI in Washtenay County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 13 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Pittsfield, Washtenaw County flichigan, and are described as: Unit. 164 Woodside Meadows Condominium, a condo minium according to the master deed thereo recorded in Liber 4339, Page 629 of Washte-new County Records, and designated as Washlenaw County Condominium Subdivi-sion Plan Number 437, and any amendments thereto, together with an undivided interest in the common elements of said condominium as sat forth in-said Master Deed, and an amendments thereto, last amended b amendment recorded in Liber 4432, Page 84 and as described in Act 59 of Public Acts of Michigan of 1978, as amended. The redamption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale: TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 15, 2010 Otlans. Certain rights. Dated: April 15, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy. MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617.2751 ASAP# 3530041 04/15/2010, 04/22/2010, 04/29/2010,

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT-TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN-FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Robert Dancer, a married man and Susan M Dancer, his wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee to lender and lender's successors and/or as signs, Mortgagee, dated December 14, 2005 and recorded December 23, 2005 in Liber 4529, Page 27. Washtenaw County Records Michigan Said mortgage is now held by The Bank of New York Mellon fka The Bank of New York as Trustee for the holders of the Certificates, First Horizon Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates Series FHAMS 2006-AA1 by First Horizon Home Loans, a divi-sion of First Tennessee Bank National Association. Master Servicer, in its capacity as agent for the Trustee under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Seventeen Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-Seven and 17/100 Dol-lars (\$217,467.17) including interest at 7.5% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises or some part of them, at public vendue at the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courtnouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor Mt in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 20, 2010. Said premises are to cated in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw Cated in the City of Ann Arbor, washtenaw. County, Michigan, and are described as: Property situated in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, State of Michigan: Lot 46. Packard Home Sites Addition, as recorded in Liber 4, Page(s) 34 of Plats, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period that he a months from the date of such sale. shall be 6 months from the date of such sale. unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our of fice as you may have certain rights. Dated: April-22, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, Mi 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 238.8125 ASAP# 3537723 04/22/2010. 04/29/2010. 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN ORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Brian Murphy, a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated August 22 008 and recorded August 29, 2008 in Liber 1697, Page 46. Washtenaw County Records Michigan Said mortgage is now held by Citi-Mortgage, Inc. by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Ninety and 87/100 Dollars (\$199,690.87) including interest at 6.75% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Court-MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 27, 2010. Sald premises are located in the Township of Superior, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as Unit Number 35, Woodside Village Condominium, a condominium according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 4558, Page 829, as amended, last amended in First Amendment to the Daveloped Agreement re-corded in Liber 4633, Page 755 and desig-nated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 521, together with ghts in the general common elements and e limited common elements as shown on the Master Deed and as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The torsclosng mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that eyent, your damages, if any, are limited sole-ly to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest: If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 29. 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 241,5234 ASAP# 3544423 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010, 05/20/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN ORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED OR THAT PURPOSE, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE: Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by William A. Lynn and Oralisa Y. Lynn, husband and wife, to Option One Mortgage Corporation, a California Corporation, Mortgagee, dated March 10, 2005 and recorded April 15, 2005 in Liber 4472, Page 6, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan Sald mortgage is now held by Deutsche Bank National Trust low held by Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Citigroup Mortgage Loan Trust, Series 2005-OPT3, Asset Backed pass through certificates by assign ment. There is claimed to be due at the date tereof the sum of Two Hundred Sixty-Seven housand Fifty-Four and 92/100 Dollars \$267,054.92) including interest at 8,95% per innum. Under the power of sale contained in sald mortgage and the statute in such case nade and provided, notice is hereby given hat said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue in the Main cobby of Washlenaw County Courthouse Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 20, 2010. Said premises are located the Township of Ypsilanti, Washlenaw county, Michigan, and are described as: Unit Number 111, Amberly Grove Condominium condominium project according to the Maser Deed thereof as recorded in Liber 3843 at Pages 394 through 483, inclusive together with any and all amendments thereto, Ypsilanti Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Plan Number 314 together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements, as set forth in the above Master Deed as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined aban-doned in accordance with MCLA 800.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have риевзе солнот онго ав уой may have certain rights. Dated: April 22, 2010 Oriens Associates, P.C. Afterneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041. Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400, File No. 356-1316. ASAP# 3536619 04/22/2010, 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN ORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW I OU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made n the conditions of a mortgage made by Thomas J. Rasmussen, a married man, join by Mary Z. Rasmussen his wife as to her dower interest, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lenders successors and/or assigns Mortgagee, dated April 29, 2006 and record ed May 23, 2006 in Liber 4559, Page 523 Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, Salo nortgage is now held by The Bank of New fork Mellon f/k/a The Bank of New York, as Trustee for the holders of the Certificates, First Horizon Mortgage Pass-Through Certifi-cates Series FH06-FA4, by First Horizon Home Loans, a division of First Tennessee Bank National Association, Master Servicer n its capacity as agent for the Trustee under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eighty-Eight Thou sand Fifteen and 6/100 Dollars (\$88,015.06 including interest at 7% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mort gage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mort laged premises, or some part of them, a public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 3 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County Michigan, and are described as: Lot 459 o South Devonshire Subdivision Number 2, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 8 of Plats on Page 18. Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale, in that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a enant in the property, please contact our of fice as you may have certain rights. Dated May 6, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Tray, M 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 238.8184 ASAP# 3556747 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010 05/20/2010, 05/27/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USEE THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made n the conditions of a mortgage made by Maie Brady, a single woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or as signs, Mortgagee, dated April 10, 2006 and recorded April 12, 2006 in Liber 4550, Page 974, Washterlaw County Records, Michigan Said mortgage is now held by US Bank Na Association, as Trustee for SG Mort gage Securities Asset Backed Certificates Series 2006-FRE2 by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Ninety-Eight Thousand Six Hundred Ninety-Eight and 15/100 Dollars (\$198,698.15) including of the series of the sum of the series of the ser annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, a.m. on MAY 27, 2010. Said premises are lo-cated in the Township of Superior, Washte naw County, Michigan, and are described as Lot 39, of Bromely Park Subdivision Number 1. according to the Plat thereof recorded in Liber 34. Pages 20 through 33 of Plats. Washtenaw County Records. The redemp-tion period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PUR CHASERS: The foreclosing mortgages can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bld amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 29; 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502 1400 File No. 306.3418 ASAP# 3545578 04/29/2010. 05/06/2010. 05/13/2010 05/20/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED OR THAT PURPOSE, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Randal J. Budd, single, to Wells Fargo Financial America, Inc., Mortgagee, dated April 11, 2008 and recorded May 2, 2008 in Liber 4679, Page 973, Washteraw County Records, Michigan There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Seventy-One Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty-Nine and 94/100 Dollars (\$171,939.94) including interest at 9.88% per annum. Under including interest at 9.88% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and pro-vided, notice is hereby given that sald mort-gage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI in Washtenaw county Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 27 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County. Michigan, and are described as: Parcel A: Parcel of land located in the Southwest 1/4 of Section 38 Town 3 South, Range 7 East Ypsilanti Township, Washtenaw County Michigan being further described as follows Commencing at the South 1/4 corner of said Section 38 distant South 88 degrees 28 min utes 26 West (Assessed as South 36 de grees 26 minutes 28 seconds West) 168.82 eet along the South line of said Section 36 said line also being the centerline of Bemis Road 68 feet wide to the true point of begin ning; thence South 88 degrees 28 minutes 28 seconds West a distance of 168.82 feet thence North 01 degree 44 minutes 02 sec onds West a distance of 1,315.74 feet hence North 88 degrees 24 minutes 08 sec onds East a distance of 334.04 feet; thence South 01 degree 53 minutes 26 seconds East a distance of 279.00 feet, thence South 88 degrees 28 minutes 28 seconds West a distance of 167.40 feet; thence South 01 degree 48 minutes 44 seconds East a distance of 1,037.17 feet to the true point of begin-ning. Containing 6.143 Acres more or less. Subject to the rights of the public over the South 33 feet taken for the road and subject to easements and rights of way of record any. The redemption period shall be months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemp tion period shall be 30 days from the date of tion period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS. The fore-closing mortgages can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 29, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041, 248-502-1400. File: No. 514,0160. ASAP# 3544458 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010, 05/20/2010.

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT. COLLECTOR AT-TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN-ORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED OR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made the conditions of a mortgage made by ran Nguyen, a married woman, to Mortgage ectronic Registration Systems, Inc., as ominee for lender and lender's successors ind/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated June 15. 1006 and recorded June 20, 2006 in Liber 565. Page 9. Washtenaw County Records Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Bac Home Loans Servicing. LP fka Countrywide Home Loans Servicing LP by assignment. here is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Forty-Five Thousand One Hundred Twenty and 33/100 Dollars (\$145,120.33) including interest at 6.75% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises. or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Ar bor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 3, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are de-scribed as: Lot 608, Streamwood Subdivision Number 8, according to the Plat thereof, as ecorded in Liber 30 of Plats, Pages 10 through 15, Washtenaw County Records. he redemption period shall be 6 months rom the date of such sale, unless deternined abandoned in accordance with MCL 500.3241a. In which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosng mortgagee can rescind the sale in that event, your damages, if any, are limited sole-ty to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: May 6, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617.0358 ASAP# 3556571 5/06/2010. 05/13/2010. 05/20/2010. 05/27/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN ORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED OR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF OU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Richard K. Sullivan and Andrea L. Sullivan husband and wife, as joint tenants, to New Century Mortgage Corporation, Mortgages, dated November 3, 2005 and recorded January 23, 2007 in Liber 4603, Page 732, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mort-gage is now held by US Bank National Asso-ciation as Trustee by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Forty-Five Thousand Two fundred Twenty-Nine and 36/100 Dollars (\$245,229.36) including interest at 7.25% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 20, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Saline, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit 16 of Maplewood Farms, a Condominium, according to the Master Deed thereof recorded in Liber 2314. Pages 850 through 913, Washtenaw County Records, and designated a Washtenaw County Condominium Plan Number 117, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above Master Deed and as described in Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978, as amended. The redemption period shall be efficiently abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgages can rescind the The foreclosing mortgages can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. It you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office, as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 22, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 280.7611 ASAP# 3538085 04/22/2010, 04/29/2010, 05/13/2010 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF OU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Robert D. Herrst and Sandra Herrst, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lander and lender's successors and/or assigns. Mortgagee, dated November 21, 2005 and recorded December 7, 2005 in Liber 4525, Page 361, Washtenaw County Records: Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by Bac Home Loans Servicing, LP tha Countrywide Home Loans Servicing LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereby There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Eleven Thousand ighty-Seven 11/100 and (\$211,087.11) including interest at 6.25% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be toreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, Mit.in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 Mt in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 27, 2010. Said premises are tocated in the Township of Lima, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: A 10.01 acre parcel of land in the Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 8, Town 2 South, Range 4 East, Lima Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, described as seginning at a point located by the following course from the Southwest corner of said section 8, 1 North 89 degrees 35 minutes 44 seconds East 948.88 feet along the South line of said Section 8 and the center line of Trinkle Road: thence North 00 degrées 38 minutes 19 seconds East 1331.67 feet: thence North 89 degrees 45 minutes 08 sec-onds East 327.59 feet along the North line of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of said Section 8; thence South 00 degrees 38 ninutes 19 seconds West 1330.77 feet along the North and South 1/4 line of said South west 1/4; thence South 89 degrees 35 min-utes 44 seconds West 327.60 feet along the South line of said Section 8 and the center line of Trinkle Road to the point of beginning. being subject to the rights of the public over the Southerty 33.00 feet thereof for Trinkle Road. The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sale, unless letermined abandoned in accordance with CLA 600:3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS. The toreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a ten ant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 29, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617 4252 ASAP# 3541085 04/29/2010; 05/06/2010, 05/19/2010,

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT, ANY IN-FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF OU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by James Kirchoff, a married man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated May 11, 2007 and recorded June 5, 2007 in Liber 4628. Page 333. Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by Nationstar Mortgage LLC by assignment Thare is clamed to be due at the date. ment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Ninety-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Ninety-Three and 22/100 Dollars (\$299.693.22) including interest at 6.625% per annum. Under the powe of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street en-trance in Ann Arbor, Mi in Washtenaw County Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 20. 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County. Michigan, and are described as Lot 129 Whispering Meadows Subdivision Number 2, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Liber 34 of Plats, Pages 69 through 75, inclusive, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined aban-doned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS. The foreclosing mortgages can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 22, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI-48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 426.0231 ASAP# 3538083 04/22/2010. 04/29/2010. 05/06/2010. 05/13/2010 -

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, PLEASE CONTACT YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Scott Crosby, a married man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns. Mortgagee, dated June 13 and/or assigns. Mortgagee, dated June 13, 2007 and recorded June 28, 2007 in Liber 4632. Page 165, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, Sald mortgage is now held by Wells Fargo Bank, National Association as Trustee for the Certificateholders of Structured Asset Mortgage Investments (Inc. Trust 2007-AR4, Mortgage Passinth Certificates, Series 2007-AR4, by assignment There is claimed to be due at assignment. There is claimed to be due a the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Four Thousand One Hundred Sixty One and 1/100 Dollars (\$124,161,01) including interest at 4.807% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and pro vided, notice is hereby given that said mort gage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mort gaged premises, or some part of them, a public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby o Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, Mt in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 13 Township of Ypsilanti. Washtenaw County Michigan, and are described as: Lot 120 Ford Lake Village Number 2, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Liber 29 of Plats. Pages 38 through 42. Washlenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be months from the date of such sale, unless months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest if you are a tendered at sale, plus interest if you are a tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 15, 2010. Orlans. Associates, PC. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041. Troy. MI 48007-5041. 248-502-1400. File. No. 199.5382 ASAP# 3527335 04/15/2010, 04/22/2010 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010

HIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT EMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY IN ORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW I OU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made In the conditions of a mortgage made by Mt chael Johnson AKA Michael A. Johnson, a married man and Gail Johnson AKA Gail M Johnson, a married woman, husband and Johnson, a married woman, nusband and wife as joint tenants with right of survivorship, to Fairway of America, Inc., a Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee, dated April 18, 2000 and recorded April 28, 2000 in Liber 3942, Page 191, Washenaw County Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. successor by merger to Walls Fargo Bank, N.A. successor by merger to Wells Fargo Bank Minnesota, National Association, solely in its capacity as Trustee under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated June 1, 2009, Home Equity Loan Associations set Backed Certificates; Series 2000-2 by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Sixty. Six Thousand Seven Hundred Eighty-Four and 80/100 Dollars (\$168,784.80) including and 80/100 Dollars (\$168,784.80) including interest at 7% per annum; Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided; notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in: Ann. Arbor, Mi in Washtenaw County Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 13, County Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 13. County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 13. 2010. Said premises are lecated in the Township of Dexter. Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as Parcel B. Commencing at the Southwest corner, Section 16, Town 1 South, Range 2 East, Dexter Township, Washtenaw County. Michigan: thence North 00 degrees 12 minutes 54 sections East 1514.74 feet along the West line of said section and the centerline of Madden of said section and the centerline of Madden Road for a place of beginning, thence con-tinuing along said section line and said centerline North 90 degrees 12 minutes 52 sec onds East 160,00 feet; thence South 89 de grees 47 minutes 06 seconds East 332 48 feet; thence South 00 degrees, 12 minutes 54 seconds West 160.00 feet; thence North degrees 47 minutes 06 seconds West 332.48 feet to the place of beginning, being part of the Southwest one quarter of sak Section 18. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600 3241a, in which case the redemp ion period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgages can rescind the sale. I that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest, if you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 15, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer PO Box 5041 Tray, MI 48007 5041 248-502-1400 File No. 213.2691 ASAP# 3528603 04/15/2010. 04/22/2010 04/29/2010, 05/08/2010

TAYLOR

misc. items.

Wick Rd. Thur. -

Sat., 8-5pm. An-

tiques, guns, furni-

ture, baby stuff &

TAYLOR: 6555

Holland off Beverly.

5/6-7 9-5. Tovs.

movies/books, tools,

household, train table

TAYLOR, 7951 Dud-

ley, May 7-8th, 9-6. Misc. items. Pro-

ceeds go to Ameri-

can Cancer Society

TAYLOR: 8540 Rob-

ert, 5/6-9, 9-5. Fur-

niture, appl., wheel

chair, tons of crafts

Relay for Life.

Collectibles & more! Fn-Sat 9-5, Sun 10-4 TLC Antiques & Estate Sales ww.tk-estatesales.com

Christmas decorations

DUNDEE; BARN SALE 2620 Plank Rd., 5/7-9, 9-5. Boys, grils, maturity clothes, baby items, crib, loys. crafts, tools, hunting, household.

Pf FLAT ROCK ELKS Rummage Sale May 5th 7th. 10-4pm.

GROSSE ILE: 25169 Old Depot Ct., Apr. 30-May 1: 8-4pm Last one to college. Tays, quilters, card collectors, teachers, crafters, household. American Girl, etc.

GROSSE ILE: 8951 Marquette Dr. 5/7 8-6, 5/8 9-noon household items: garden, books. American Girl, much more, very nice stuff

MANCHESTER: multi family garage sale May 7-8, 9am-4pm on Woodland Way. Glenwood Cr., Wildwood in Manchester Woods Sub. 48158-

MELVINDALE: 17336 17323 Harman. May-6-8; 9am-? FAMILY SALE

MILAN - 238 Spink St. Sat. May 8th. 9 a.m. 12pm TOY sale!! All proceeds go to Haiti

MILAN - 266 Hurd St. May-8th, 9-4pm. Estate Sale lift large assorted household Everything ofter re75 W. Miller, Sat. 5/8 8-12, variety of items, books, clothes, all must go!

MILAN - Craft show. rummage sale, bake sale. May 8.9-3 in the Milan Free Methodist parking lot 950 Arkona Rd 734-439-2414. Proceeds for Relay for Life

MILAN . Huge Gar age Sale 431 North St., May 8 pm. Trailer scooter. mobility scooter. tools. household stuff.

RIVERVIEW: 17756 Smith, May 8: 9am-ONE DAY ONLY Household, mower & many more items.

Fast Cash Sell Classified RIVERVIEW: 19491 Coachwood Sat. 5/8 8am-3pm, garage sale fishing, toots, jewelry. Fire cookbooks. King. antiques. lectibles, size 3 mo. to 8/10 clothes, toys, lots of junk!

RIVERVIEW 19716 Coachwood, betw. Sibley & King, 5/6-7 9-4, wicker fürniture. nice household, misc

RIVERVIEW Church Mom To Mom 15633 Pennsylva nia, May 9-1pm 40 plus tables, table rental call..734-284-8517

ROCKWOOD. 21830 McKinley. 7-9th, 10-4, Freezer, furniture.baby items

SALINE - 4520 Textile Rd. May 7th 8

Family garage. SALINE: EAST HO RIZONS SUB WIDE SALE (off Textile betw. Lohr & Ma-ple), May 7-8, 9-3

8th 8-3pm Multi

books, collectibles, SALINE RIDGE Subdivision Garage Sale! Willis & War-.ner May 7-8, 9-3pm. Lots of kids toys. clothes, etc. (48176)

Add't homes Sat.

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY IN ORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW! YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Mei dia Ruth Ware and LaHomma Lynne Saun ders AKA L. Saunders, as joint tenants with full rights of survivorship, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated June 18, 2007 and recorded June 25, 2007 in Liber 4631, Page 376. Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by MetLife Home Loans, a division of MetLife Bank, N.A. by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Sixty-Six Thou sand Seven Hundred Eighty and 33/100 Dol ars (\$66,780,33) including interest at 6.875% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, Millin Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a miton JUNE 3, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washlenaw County Michigan, and are de-scribed as: Lot 121. Lapham and Howe's Ypsi-Manor Subdivision as recorded in Liber Page 54 of Plets. Washlensw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tehderect at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office you may have certain rights. Dated: May 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys Servicer PO Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007 5041 248 502 1400 File No. 238.8179 ASAP# 3547374 05/08/2010 05/13/2010. 05/20/2010 05/27/2010

SOUTHGATE: 12262 Churchill, May 6-9, 9-5pm. Huge Mov-Sale! Appls. tools, clothing, kitchen, turniture, house-

hold decor & misc. SOUTHGATE: 13645 Phelps, May 6-7; 8-4. No Early Birds. Huge Yard Sale. Lots of toys/clothes

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SOUTHGATE - YARD & BAKE SALE 14799 Dix-Toledo. 9:00-4:30 Various items; clothes (adultand child)? houseitems, toys, hold electronics. more. All proceeds from sale go to

supplies & misc. TAYLOR . 9939 Lincoln. Fri. & Sat. 9.4pm. Kids clothing and toys, housecamp-mak-a-dream. hold.

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY IN-FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Ta-pan K. Paul, an unmarried person, to Cen-dant Mortgage Corporation, Mortgagee, dat-ed October 26, 2000 and recorded Novem-ber 1, 2000 in Liber 3976, Page 777, Wash-tenaw County Records, Michigan, Said mort-cage is now held by Chass Home Finance gage is now held by Chase Home Finance LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Sixty-Four Thousand Four Hundred Six /-Nine and 61/100 Dollars (\$164,469.61) including interest at 7.75% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mort gage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mort gaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, Mt in Washtenaw county. Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 3. 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Pittsfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 51, Hidden Creek, as recorded in Liber 28 of Plats Pages 77 through 81, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless détermined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600,3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale: TO ALL PURCHASERS; The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, it any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a ten ant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: May 2010 Orlans Associates. P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041, 248-502-1400 File No. 310.6894 ASAP# 3549974 05/06/2010 05/13/2010 05/20/2010. 05/27/2010

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT ANY IN FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Douglas S. Frye. a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems. Inc. as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated Januar 30, 2007 and recorded February 12, 2007 in Liber 4607: Page 134, Washtenaw Count Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is nov held by CitiMortgage, Inc. by assignment There is claimed to be due at the date hereo the sum of One Hundred Forty-Three Thou sand Five Hundred Sixty-Nine and 40/100 Collars (\$143.569.40) including interest at 5.375% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be fore-closed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washlenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Ar bor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 27, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as The North 80 feet of Lots 221 and 222; Lay Garden Subdivision, as recorded in Liber: 6; Page 31; of Plats, Washlenaw county Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600:3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS he foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, it any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are lenant in the property, please contact our of fice as you may have certain rights. Dated April 29, 2010 Otlans Associates, P.C. Attor neys for Servicer PO Box 5041 Troy, Mi 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 241.8481 ASAP# 3546508 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010. 05/13/2010, 05/20/2010.

26490 TAYLOR WILLIS - 10640 Judd ESTATE Rd., between Rawsale May 7-8. 9am-? 6581 Troy. Fishing sonville & McKeen. boat pop up camp Fri. & Sat., 9-5pm. Garage and Barn Sale er, tools, turn, etc.

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In the Classified WYANDOTTE: 1710 Elm, May 7-8 9-5. Something for everyone. Must see.

12' Aluminum boat

and trailer, antiques.

tools & misc.

WYANDOTTE, 1159 21st. May 6-9th, 9-6pm. Multi family,

kids clothes, misc.

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SURE SALE

household

items.

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rempting to collect a debt. Any in-ORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY. MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Andrew Phelka, an unmarried man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated June 16, 2005 and recorded July 15, 2005 in Liber 4492, Page 455, Washteriaw County Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by Bac Home Loans Servicing, LP fka Countrywide, Home Loans Servicing LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred For-/-Nine Thousand Six Hundred Nineteen and 37/100 Dollars (\$149,619.87) including interest at 6.375% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Wash-tenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, Mi in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 27, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Pittsfield. Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 20, Brookside, as recorded in Liber 11 of Plats. Page 25. Washtenaw County Records The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited sole-ly to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 29 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617.4234 ASAP# 3541140 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010 05/13/2010; 05/20/2010

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT. COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USE OR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTAC DUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW I OU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUT MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Elizabeth A Airey and Kurt Ringquist, wife and husband, to Mortgage Electronic Regis-tration Systems, Inc., as nomines for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns Mortgages, dated April 18, 2006 and record ed April 27, 2006 in Liber 4553, Page 92 Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by GMAC Mortgage, LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundied Eighteen Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-Two and 5/100 Dollars (\$118,382.05) including interest at 6.375% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in sald mortgage and the statute in such case made and gage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 s.m. on MAY. 13, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 190, Vernon Downs Number 2, as recorded in Liber 14 of Downs Number 2, as recorded in Liber 14 of Plats, Page 3, Washienaw County Records The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale; unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption pe ried shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS. The foreclos ing mortgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your demages, it any, are limited sola-ly to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus, interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as yo lay have certain rights. Dated: April 2010 Oriens Associates, P.C. Attorneys Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007 5041 248-502-1400 File No. 618-169 ASAP# 3530019 04/15/2010 04/22/2010 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN-FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Jetferson Kearney, having taking title as Jeffer-son D. Kearney, single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated October 10, 2007 and recorded October 31, 2007 in Liber 4652, Page 287, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan Said mortgage is now held by CitiMortgage, Inc by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Fifty-Six Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty-Six and 89/100 Dollars (\$156,736.89) including interest at 6.5% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in asa mada hereby given that said mortgage will be fore closed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann_Arbor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 27, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: And known as being Lot 85. Northwood Subdivision, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 11 of Plats. Pages 38 and 39. corded in Liber 11 of Plats, Pages 38 and 39, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PUR-CHASERS: The foreclosing mortgages can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus inter est. If you are a tenant in the property, contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 29, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502 1400 File No. 241.8487 ASAP# 3546451 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010 05/20/2010

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN-FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE : Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Steven H. Somers, a married man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgages, dated February 12, 2004 and recorded February 23, 2004 in Liber 4363, Page 877, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by Chase Home Finance LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Thousand Five Hundred Seventy-Eight and 24/100 Dollars (\$100,578.24) including interest at 5.875% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, no tice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Wash tenaw County Courthouse Huron Street en trance in Ann Arbor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 13. 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County. Michigan, and are described as: Lot 43, Wi low Heights Subdivision, according to the re-corded plat thereof, as recorded in Liber 18 of Plats, Page: 45 through 47, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600 3241a, in which case the re demption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The foreclosing martgagee can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are tenant in the property, please contact our of fice as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 15, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer PO, Box 5041 Troy, Mi 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 310.4018 ASAP# 3530110 04/15/2010. 04/22/2010. 04/29/2010. 05/06/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN ORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED OR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Fred Mills, à married man and Patricia Mills, his wife and Leah Mills, unmarried woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems Inc., as nominee for tender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated March 30, 2005 and recorded April 13, 2005 in Liber 4471, Page 348, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by Bank of America, National Association as successor by merger to LaSalle Bank National Association, as Trustee for certifi cateholders of Bear Stearns Asset Backed Securities Trust 2005-3, Asset-Backed Corfificates. Series 2005-3 by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Sixty-Four Thousand One Hundred Eighty-Eight, and 40/100 Dol-lars (\$264,188.40) including interest at 8.875% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County bor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 27, 2010. Said premises 10:00 a.m. on MAY 27, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilantr, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 241, Partridge Creek Subdivision Number 3, as recorded in Liber 31, Pages 7 through 15, inclusive of Plats. Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600 3241a, in which case the rewith MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS The toreclosing mortgagee can rescrid the sale: In that event; your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property; please contact our of fice as you may have certain rights. Dated: April 29, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attor neys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, Mi 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 199.3488 ASAP# 3543071 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010 05/13/2010, 05/20/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT TEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY IN ORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE · Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made th Dorothy M Slay, an unmarried woman, I First Horizon Home Loan Corporation, Mort gagee, dated May 4, 2006 and recorded May 6, 2006 in Liber 4558, Page 258, Washte naw County Records, Michigan, Sald mort gage is now held by Bank of America, Na onal Association as successor by merger to LaSalle Bank National Association, as trustee under the Pooling and Servicing Agree ment dated as of August 1, 2006, GSAMP Trust 2006-ME5 by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Four Thousand Four Hundred Sixty-Three and 98/100 Dollars (\$124,463.96) including interest at 9.425% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is thereby given that said mortgage will be forecored by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the core the Main Lobby of Washingare County. or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, Mi in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 27, 2010, Said premises are located in the City of Ann Arbor, Washte naw County, Michigan, and are described as Commencing on the corner formed by the intersection of the West line of North Fourth Avenue with the Southerly line of Pontiac (now Beakes) Street in the city of Arin Arbor running, thence South on the West line of Fourth Avenue 63 feet, thence West 59 feet thence Northwesterly to a point on the South erly line of Beakes Street 74 feet Southwest erly from the place of beginning; thence Northeasterly along the Southerly line of Breakes Street 74 feet to the place of begining; being a part of Lots 15 and 18 in Block 4 North of Huron Street, Range 4 East, ac cording to the recorded plat of the Village (now City) of Ann Arbor, County of Washtelaw and State of Michigan. Now known as Lot 43 Assessor's Plat Number 29, according o the plat thereof recorded in Liber 9 c tats. Page 20 of Washtenaw Count Records. The redemption period shall be months, from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemp tion period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgages can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, it any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: Apri 29. 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 213.4542 ASAP# 3546866 04/29/2010, 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010, 05/20/2010

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FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORIGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Beverlee Perry, a single woman and Susan D. Church, a married woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated July 6, 2007 and re-corded August 9, 2007 in Liber 4639, Page 199, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by CitiMortgage, Inc. by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Thirty-Three Thousand Two Hundred Thirty-Two and 78/100 Dollars (\$133,232.78). including interest at 5.875% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, Mi in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 3, 2010. Said premises are located in he Township of Northfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 141, 142 and 143. Whitmore Lake Summer Homes Subdivision, as recorded in Liber 4, Page 6 of Plats. Washtensw County Records. The redemption period shall be months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgages can rescind the sale: that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office you may have certain rights. Dated: May 6, 2010 Orlana Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 241.8269 ASAP# 3556546 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010, 05/20/2010, 05/27/2010

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FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Toni Lucas and Terry R Lucas, wife and husband, to Fifth Third Mortgage - Mi, LLC, Mortgag-ee, dated November 30, 2006 and recorded December 29, 2006 in Liber 4600, Page 5 Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by Fifth Third Mort gage Company by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Five Hundred Sixty-One Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty and 58/100 (\$561.850.58) including interest at 6.625% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be fore-closed by a sale of the mortgaged prémises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 3, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Lyndon, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at the West 1/4 corner of Section 36, Town 1 South, Range 3 East, Lyndon Township, Washtenaw County Michigan; thence North 84 degrees 37 min-utes 50 seconds East 840.18 feet along the East and West line of said Section and the centerline of Waterloo Road, thence North 02 degrees 08 minutes 10 seconds West 937.97 test; thence North 88 degrees 08 minutes 30 seconds East 236.13 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing North 88 degrees 08 minutes 30 seconds East 236.12 feet; thence South 02 degrees 08 minutes 10 sec-onds East 454.50 feet along the East line of the West of the Northwest 1/4 line of said Section: thence South 88 degrees 23 min-utes 05 seconds West 236.20 feet; thence North 02 degrees 08 minutes 10 seconds west 461.74 feet to the point of beginning being a part of the west 1/2 of the Northwest section 38, Town 1 South, Range 3 East, Lydon Township, Washtenaw, County Michigan and containing 2.48 acres of Lanc more of less, being subject to easements and restrictions of record, if any also being subject to a 66 foot wide easement for the purpose of ingress and egress and installa-tion and maintenance of utilities over a strip of land having a centerline described as follows: commencing at the West 1/4 corner of said section 38; thence North 84 degrees 37 minutes 50 seconds East 1073.55 feet along the East and West V4 line of said section and the centerline of Waterloo road to the point of beginning; thence North 02 degrees 08 minutes 10 seconds West 378.54 feet thence North 23 degrees 18 minutes 20 seconda 93.39 lest to point of termination. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 800.324 fs, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclossale: TO ALL: PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgages can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, if any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: May 8, 2010 Orlans. Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer. P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 200.6270 ASAPs 3549886 05/06/2010.

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FOR THAT PURPOSE. PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF YOU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Walter S. Black, a married man and Heather Black, a married woman, joint tenants with J. Black, a married woman, joint tenants with rights of survivorship, to Genesis Mortgage Corporation, Mortgagee, dated July 1, 2005 and recorded July 20, 2005 in Liber 4493, Page 746, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, Said mortgage is now held by Chase Home Finance LLC by addenderent. There is claimed to be due at the date hereo the sum of One Hundred Ninety-Two Thou-sand Nine Hundred Ninety-Three and 31/100 Dollars (\$192,993.31) including interest at 5.5% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Wathtenian County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Ar-bor, Mr. in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on JUNE 3, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Manchester, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Land situated in the Township of Manchesfer, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, more particularly described as Commencing at the center of Section 14 Town 4 South, Range 3 East, Manchester Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan thence South 00 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds East 682.75 feet along the North and South 1/4 line of said Section and the center ine of Schleweis Road to the point of begin ning; thence North 89 degrees 38 minutes 15 seconds East 911.24 feet; thence North 0 degrees 19 minutes 20 seconds West 134.0 leet; thence South 89 degrees 34 minutes 25 seconds East 438.08 feet to a point on the East line of the Northwest 1/4 of the South east 1/4 of said Section; thence South 00 de grees 38 minutes 05 seconds East 455.00 eet along said East line; thence South 89 degrees 33 minutes 20 seconds West 1346.32 feet; thence North 00 degrees 30 1346.32 feet; thence North 00 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds West 325.00 feet along the North and South 1/4 line of said Section and the centerline of Schleweis Road to the point of beginning, being a part of the North west 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4 of section 14 Town 4 South, Range 3 East, Marichester Township, Washlenaw County, Michigan The redemption period shall be 12 months from the date of such sales unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600:3241a; in which case the redemption pe riod shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgages can rescind the sale. In that event, your damages, it any, are limited sole-by to the return of the bid amount tendered at sale, plus interest. If you are a tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated, May 6, 2010 Orlans Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 310.8014 ASAP# 3552377 05/06/2010, 05/13/2010, 05/20/2010,

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR AT FORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, PLEASE CONTACT OUR OFFICE AT THE NUMBER BELOW IF OU ARE IN ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY MORTGAGE SALE - Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Ele-na Malofeeva aka Elena V. Malofeeva a married woman, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lenders successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated August 26, 2005 and re-corded October 5, 2005 in Liber 4512, Page 341; Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by CitiMortgage, inc. by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Ninety-Two Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty-Five and 60/100 Dollars (\$92,725.60) including interest at 5.75% per annum. Under the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public vendue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI in Washtenaw County, Michigan at 10:00 a.m. on MAY 27, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Superior, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit 106, Building 15 akeview Estates Condominium, according o the Master Deed recorded in Liber 1438. Pages 25 through 100 inclusive. Washtenaw County Records, and amended by First Amendment recorded in Liber 1451, Pages 972 through 979, inclusive. Second Amendment recorded in Liber 1457, Pages 160 through 189, inclusive, Third Amendment recorded in Liber 1463, Pages 54 through 67 Inclusive; Fourth Amendment recorded in Li ber 1463, Pages 559 through 563, inclusive Fifth Amendment recorded in Liber 1463, Pages 564 through 570, inclusive; Sixth Amendment recorded in Liber 1486. Pages 184 through 231, inclusive; Seventh Amend-ment recorded in Liber 1557, Pages 724 through 728, inclusive; and Eighth Amendment recorded in Liber 1575, Pages 244 hrough 246, inclusive, Washtensw County Records and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 21, together with rights in general com mon elements and limited common elements as set forth in the above described Master Deed and Amendments thereto and as dis closed by Act 59 of the Public Acts of 1978 as amended. The redemption period shall be 6 months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemp tion period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale. TO ALL PURCHASERS: The foreclosing mortgagee can rescind the sale in that event, your damages, it any, are limited solely to the return of the bid amount ten dered at sale, plus interest. If you are a ten ant in the property please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated. April 29, 2010. Orlans. Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007 5041 248-502-1400 File No. 241.8547 ASAP# 3548518 04/29/2010: 05/08/2010. 05/13/2010, 05/20/2010

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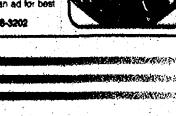
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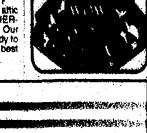
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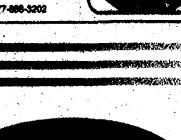
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Outdoor rooms from top to bottom

Outdoor rooms continue to be rated as essential by homeowners, given they are extensions of interiors and add real estate value. Yet, designing outdoor living areas comes with its share of challenges. Understanding the basics from the ground up simplifies the process.

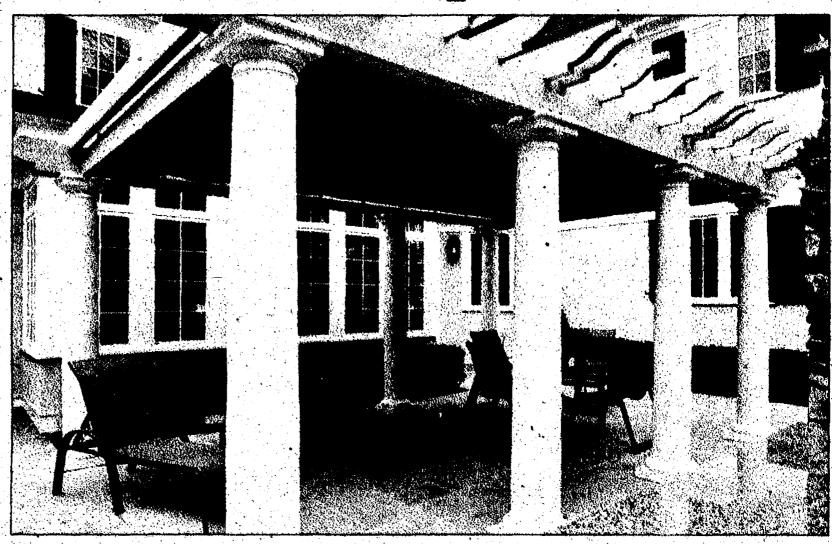
The patio is more than a hard surface. It can serve as the outdoor room's focal point around which other materials and features are styled. The textures and shapes of stone flooring can lend a dimensional feel, while a deck's color allows it to contrast or blend with

the environment.

When planning the floor, spacing is the most important component. Determining upfront if a dining area or outdoor kitchen is desired, and how many people the space will accom-

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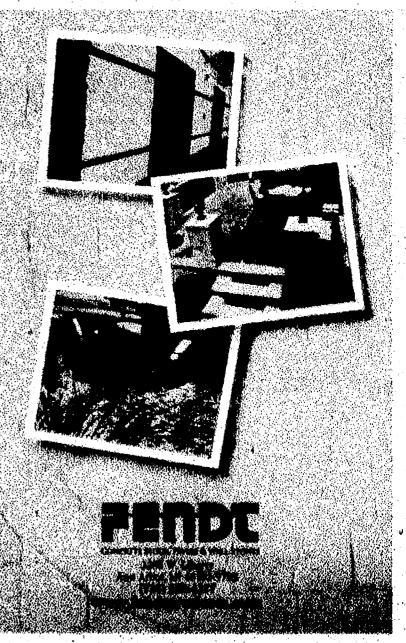
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modate are key considerations. The patio should be planned to house these installations.

Patios, along with outdoor structures, provide exterior spaces with foundational dimensions and protected placements for furniture and accessories. "Foundations delineate the room and establish the space that belongs to the room, and that which does not," says Sarah Kinbar, editor of Garden Design magazine, a leading outdoor design publication. "Edges and boundaries created by foundations are the outdoor's answer to walls."

Outdoor product manufacturers offer exterior structures, furnishings, fabrics and designs to provide permanent enhancements that increase property values. Through a recent partnership, the outdoor room innovators at Walpole Woodworkers and ShadeFX Canopies unveiled versatility and quality as top priorities for outdoor spaces. As a result, the two companies

Outdoor rooms have always existed; they are becoming more defined as new products arrive on the market that make these spaces as livable as indoor rooms.

launched a line of shade pergolas that combine cellular vinyl pergolas with retractable and integrated canopy systems.

"As a design element, shade pergolas moderate the transition from indoors to outdoors," explains Steve Ostrowski, president of ShadeFX Canopies. "The structure defines the space and provides a sense of privacy that makes dining tables and cushioned furniture feel more appropriate in outdoor areas."

Shade pergolas offer homeowners the ability to create sanctuaries that are covered from rain, protected from sun, impervious against wind, and immune from the stresses of daily life. Since the canopies are retractable, homeowners can switch from sun to shade at their leisure.

The cellular vinyl pergolas are a low-to no-maintenance realistic wood alternative and last more than 25 years. The durable canopies offer 10 to 15 years of use.

"With their height, depth, and width, using shade pergolas adds dimension and substance to outdoor rooms," says Lou Maglio, president of Walpole Woodworkers. "Outdoor structures such as these can reflect and enhance the integrity of a home's architectural style."

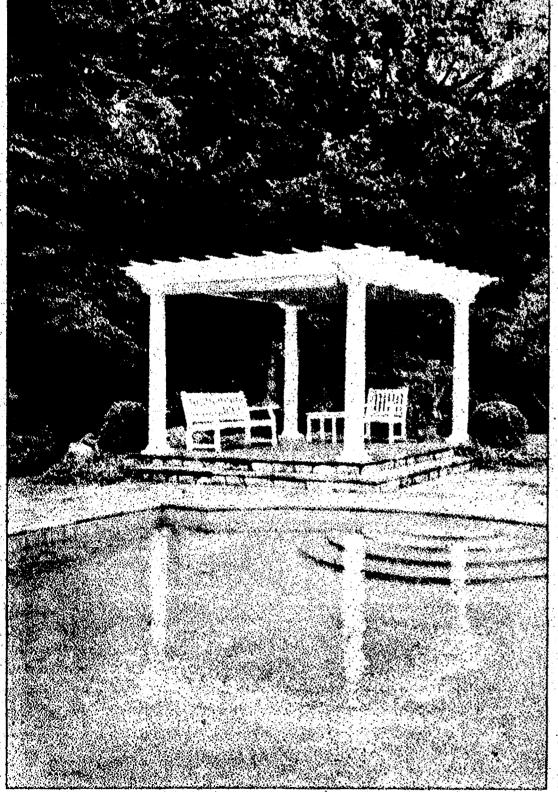
When adding an outdoor structure, a homeowner should first decide where in the landscape to place it, keeping in mind views from interior windows, sunlight, and proximity to the home. "Typical retractable awnings extend less than 16 feet, and a shade pergola can be used to cover a large area up to 600 square-feet," says Ostrowski. "A design decision is whether it should be affixed to or separate from the house."

The remaining outdoor living area should be designed like any interior, implementing function and cohesive style. Outdoor fabrics and accessories should reveal personality while adopting juxtaposed colors, textures and lines that translate easily, as if the interior naturally extends outdoors.

According to Kinbar, outdoor rooms have always existed; they are becoming more defined as new products arrive on the market that make these spaces as livable as indoor rooms. To learn more, visit www.shadepergolas.com and www.gardendesign.com.

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Laundry room redo

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Can anything be done to give laundry a lift? Giving your laundry room a quick and easy makeover can clean up this chore and make it more efficient.

Tidy Up. The first step is to declutter and clean up the laundry room. Get rid of broken hampers, recycle used containers and give everything a thorough cleaning. Sweep and mop the floor and don't forget to clean up the washer and dryer, too. When dust, trash and grime are gone, you'll feel more efficient already.

Sort it Out. Set up a three bin sorter one bin each for lights, darks and hand washables. If you don't have room for a permanent one, look into one that folds flat when not in use. Make sure you have a place for clothes that can't go in the dryer, such as a rod for hanging or a collapsible drying rack.

Storage Solutions. Keep everything you need near the washer. An eye-level shelf works well. If there's no room for one, try a rolling caddy that can fit between the washer and dryer. Arrange products in the order that you use them. Boxes or baskets make good containers for smaller items such as clothes pins, sponges and scrubbers.

Consolidate. How many laundry products you really need? To save time and space, look for products that do double duty, such as Arm & Hammer Power Gel Laundry Detergents. Their unique multienzyme formulas stick to stains, removing even tough stains the first time. The formula helps to eliminate a variety of stains, including grass, blood, soil, clay, grease, oil and food. Find out more at armandhammer.com.

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you'll have a place to put all the miscellaneous items you find as you empty pockets. When you're done with the laundry, take the dish with you and return the items to their rightful places. And all those single socks? Keep them in a basket, or even pinned to bulletin board. Let them stay there until their mates show up.

Finishing Well. For post-laundry
tasks, such as ironing or folding, set up a
workstation right in the laundry room. A
simple table lets you fold clothes right out
of the dryer. If you have room, get a wallmounted ironing board rack, it keeps
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Getting spotless!

Tips and secrets for a cleaner home

When it comes to the routine of cleaning, homeowners tend to be more concerned with stacks of dirty dishes (66 percent), piles of laundry (58 percent) and dust balls on their carpet (57 percent), according to a survey commissioned by 3M, maker of Filtrete air cleaning filters.

But they often forget about other areas of the home such as bedding, shower doors and even stuffed animals that can be breeding grounds for bacteria, mildew, dust mites and foul odors. Healthy Housekeeper Laura Dellutri offers these tips for cleaning your home from top to bottom and making it healthier in the process:

Start at the Top: Ceiling fans, tall mantles and bookshelves, and the tops of door frames tend to fall under the "out of sight, out of mind" motto. These areas often harbor dust, so it's important to wipe them down regularly to help remove dust buildup. Start at the top and work your way down, collecting all of the dust and dirt that falls to the floor while you're cleaning.

Wipe Down-Windows and Walls: Don't clean windows the old fashioned way - newspaper can cause ink residue and paper towels leave lint behind.

Your best bet is to use microfiber cleaning cloths and a professional window squeegee to get a streak-free, spotless shine.

To prevent streaks on shower doors and walls, apply lemon oil to the door twice a month. This will help repel soap scum and shampoo, while also adding a nice shine.

Think Horizontally: Dust mites are nearly everywhere. In fact, the American Lung Association estimates that roughly four out of five homes in the United States have detectable levels of dust mite allergens in at least

one bed. Reduce dust mites by encasing your mattress and pillows, and wash your bedding in hot water about once a week.

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> Also, since dust mites are microscopic, place strips of duct tape on the mattress case to prevent the dust mites from sneaking through.

Clean the In-between: While cleaning what you can see, don't forget to clean what you can't see the air you breathe. Use a high performance air filter in the home, such as the Filtrete 1-inch Ultimate Allergen Reduction filter from 3M, to help capture particles such as pollen, smoke, dust mite debris and pet dander from the air that passes through the filter. Be sure to change your filter at the start of every season, or every three months.

Freeze the Fur: Stuffed animals can harbor dust mites, so it's important to pay special attention to them. Place stuffed animals in a large plastic bag and freeze them for four to five hours. Remove them from the freezer and plastic bag, and use a vacuum with a HEPA filter to remove any leftover dust particles.

Finish With Floors: To keep floors in tip-top shape, vacuum and clean them weekly. You can easily make your own floor cleaner by adding a few drops of mild liquid dish detergent to a gallon of water. Hot water can break down floor finishes after time so use water that is barely warm. Finally, don't forget to clean the floor under large pieces of furniture, which may require you to temporarily move them elsewhere. Corners of rooms and the back of closets often are overlooked, so be sure to clean these areas as well.

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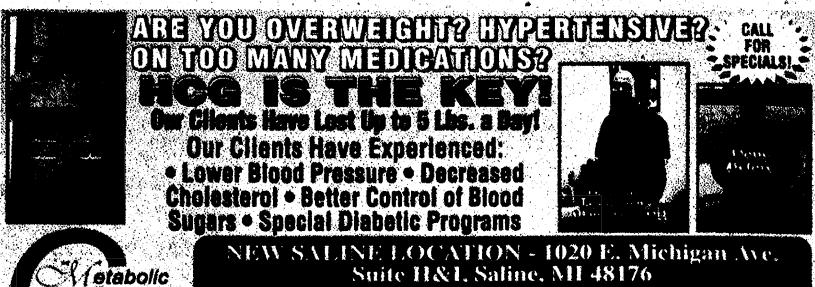
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Three tips for a greener garage

You may be one of the millions of people making eco-friendly changes around your home, but have you thought about going green in the garage?

Garages store more than just cars. They store paint and cleaning supplies, tools and lawn care equipment - all of which can pose environmental hazards. These tips from the experts at Black & Decker will help you green your garage.

Go Gas-Free

This spring, millions of Americans will be working hard to improve their backyards, but what does that mean for the environment?

According to the EPA, did you know that:

· Gas-powered lawn equipment produces as much as one-tenth of the smog-forming pollutants from all mobile sources?

· It is estimated that the few ounces spilled during refueling lawn and garden equipment alone total about 17 million gallons of gasoline, most of which evaporates into the air to contribute to the air pollution problem?

 The average gas mower produces as much air pollution in one year as 43 new cars driving 12,000 miles each?

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Make Recycling Easier

The garage is the perfect place to set up your own home recycling center. It's also a high-traffic location, reminding your family to make recycling a habit. Avoid clutter by investing in stackable recycling bins, and reach out to your local recycling

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ed. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) says that sealing and insulating garage walls and ceilings can be a cost effective way to improve energy efficiency and save money on your utility bills. This can include weather stripping, installing

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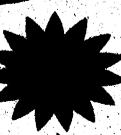
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- · Pressure treated wood posts or galvanized steel
 - Wood braces and nails (if needed)
- Deck or fencing hardware (if needed)

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1. The diameter of the posthole should be 3 times the post diameter. Hole depth should be 1/3 the overall post length, plus 6 inches (150mm) for the gravel base.

When the post is to be used for structural support, such as for decking, the hole must extend at least 6 inches (150mm) below the frost line. Deck hardware, if applicable, should also be kept away from water as a

safeguard versus rust and other corrosives.

When installing basketball goal poles or other equipment that requires a solid footing for safe use, follow the manufacturer's recommendations concerning mounting hole depth and size.

2. Tamp the sides and bottom of the hole until firm



Even a small fence needs the proper posts.

and place 6 inches (150mm) of gravel or crushed stone in the hole to aid in drainage. Tamp it down with the post, a 2 x 4 or tamping tool.

3. Position the post, checking that it is level and 4. Pour the concrete mix dry from the bag into the

hole until it reaches 3 to 4 inches (100mm) from the top. Recheck the post for plumb and brace as needed, 5. Pour water onto the dry mix and allow it to soak in. Depending on soil conditions, you will need about 1 gallon of water for each 50 pound bag of concrete mix placed in the hole. Dig larger, dish-shaped holes for posts set in loose or sandy soil.

6. Fill the remainder of the hote with soil dug from the hole.

7. The concrete sets in 20 to 40 minutes. Wait 4 hours before applying heavy loads to the post, such as a basketball backboard. (If the temperature is below 72 degrees, additional time for curing will be required.)

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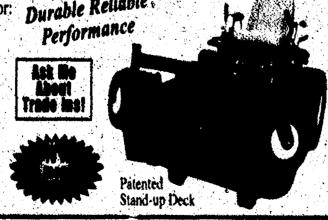
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Getting the 'green light' at home

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For your next task, consider updating the "lightscape" of your home it's as easy as changing a light bulb, literally Lighting is approximately 20 percent of the average household's energy bill and replacing standard lighting sources for more environmentally friendly options can cut electric bills dramatically.

Bulb Basics

When it comes to lighting in the home, many still gravitate toward the standard incandescent bulb.

However, incandescents are a major culprit for high home energy bills which is why, in an effort to go green in the United States, the Federal Government enacted the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007 (EISA), which will, in effect, phase out traditional incandescent bulbs in favor of more efficient lighting products inthe near future.

In plain terms, consumers will no longer be able to purchase the traditional incandescent in a few years.

While consumers want to be more environmentally conscious when it comes to lighting, there is hesitation to let go of the popular features of incandescent bulbs such as its recognizable shape, light quality, ability to dim and affordable price point.

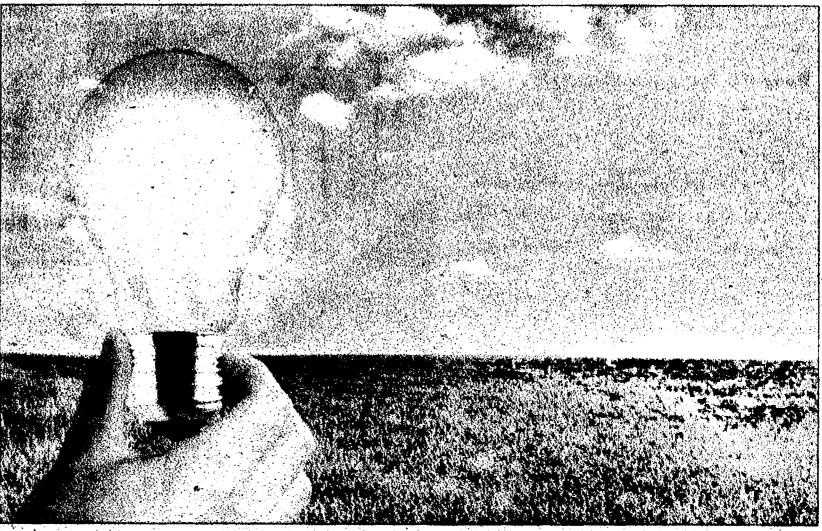
What some may not know is that there are light sources currently available that are designed for those looking to save energy in their homes without sacrificing any of the benefits.

One such product is the halogen light bulb. This product features many of the qualities consumers look for in light, making it the perfect transitional light source for the home.

Halogen bulbs, such as SYLVANIA SUPERSAVER(r) light bulbs, are easy to find and are designed especially for those who want energy efficient light in their homes, but are unwilling to sacrifice quality.

The SUPERSAVER(r) light bulb looks like a traditional incandescent bulb, is dimmable and provides instant-on, bright white light.

Additionally, halogen technology is environmentally preferable; the SYLVANIA SUPERSAVER(r) light bulb, for instance, has no mercury and uses up to 33 percent less energy versus standard incandescent bulbs. Halogen bulbs can be used in a variety of ways inside the home, such as accent lighting for home decor, directional lighting for track and recessed fixtures, as well as functional lighting.



Beyond the Bulb

Making the switch to energy efficient lighting is only the first step in "greening" the lighting in your home. Other ways to help save and conserve are by teaching your family simple, energy-saving habits such as:

• Turning off all lighting when leaving a room, especially during the day.

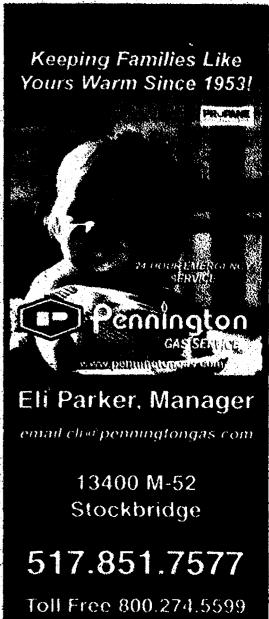
*Utilizing task lighting versus turning on all overhead lighting when only focused lighting is needed, such as reading in bed.

Installing timers on outdoor lighting so lights are on only when needed.

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Choosing the right cordless drill

No home improvement project is too big or too small for a cordless power drill. With so many options available, choosing the right cordless drill for your specific needs will maximize your time and investment.

Beyond a variety of specifications, like torque, clutch settings, and revolutions per minute, understanding value, technology and service can help you make the best decision. Use the following three tips when you buy your first drill or plan to upgrade.

Do the Research

With various brands and models on the market, it's a good idea to understand what you may expect in terms of performance over time. Choose brands or models that have been tested and boast proven reliability.

It's also important to look to independent sources such as Consumer Reports (www.consumerreports.org) to research reliable brands and models to ensure that you find a drill that will best suit you.

While it is easy to become overwhelmed with different price points and features, consider how much you're willing to spend and start to narrow your selection that way. You may be surprised to find a combo kit that includes a cordless drill, multiple other tools, and a battery pack and charger all within your budget.

Choose the Right Features

When shopping for a cordless drill, think about your needs as well as your type of applications. Battery selection is important, and with both Lithium-ion and Nickel Cadmium (NiCd) options available, which do you choose?

Choosing the right battery platform to fit your budget and project aspirations is an important decision.

Some tools work only with NiCd batteries and others work only with Lithium-Ion batteries. While NiCd batteries are the best choice for those seeking the lowest cost option, Lithium-Ion batteries can offer more power in a smaller size.

There are different options for each type of battery Porter Cable, for example, offers two types of Lithium ion batteries.

Their compact LX Lithium Ion battery is 50 percent of the size and weight of a NiCd battery, so it's ideal for those looking for lightweight and compact tools. The extended run-time EX Lithium Ion



Beyond a variety of specifications, like torque, clutch settings, and revolutions per minute, understanding value, technology and service can help you make the best decision. Use the following three tips when you buy your first drill or plan to upgrade.

battery is recommended for tools like circular and reciprocating saws, where maximum power and runtime are required.

For more flexibility, consider interchangeable battery packs, such as the Porter-Cable 18-volt Lithium-Ion and NiCd batteries, which offer more choices for the user who wants professional quality at a good value.

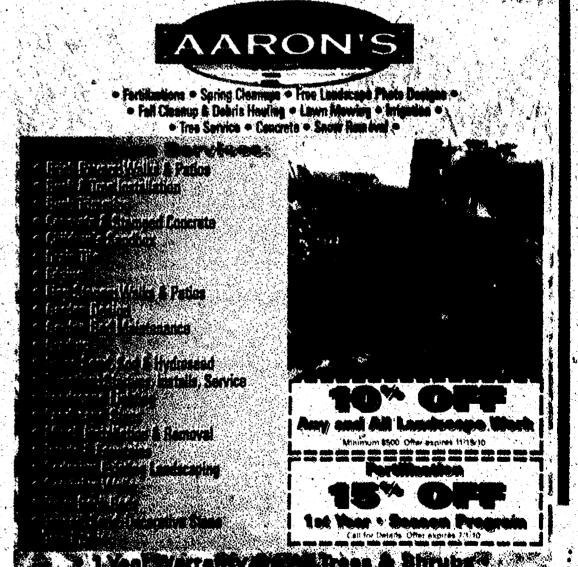
"Comfort and ergonomics are also key considerations in order to increase efficiency and control."

A compact drill will fit into tight spaces and lighter weight will decrease user fatigue. Some cordless drills offer an integrated LED work light for added illumination in dark areas, and an overmolded, contoured grip improves comfort during heavy use.

Consider Service and Support

After-sale support is available from most manufacturers to guarantee quick repair or maintenance. Look for warranty information and added value like one year of free service and/or a money-back guarantee.

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Healthy

From a family celebration to an impromptu game of flag football, America's personal green spaces serve as a favorite spot to gather with family and friends. Passion for our lawns can extend to how we responsibly care for our cherished green.

Ten tips for a greener lawn:

Tip 1: Plant the right type of grass for your lawn to ensure a green, healthy turf. Where your grass has difficulty growing. plant shade adapted ground covers for landscape appeal.

Tip 2: Periodically test your soil for pH and basic nutrient content. Adjust your fer-

tilizer needs accordingly to maximize your lawn's health and use of added nutrients and to allow new grass shoots to develop. Tip 3: Ditch the lawn mower bag and

recycle grass clippings back to the soil for added lawn nutrients.

Tip 4: Keep your lawn mower tuned, sharpen the mower blades twice a summer, and mow your lawn regularly, keeping the grass higher to prevent scalping and to save

Tip 5: Keep fertilizer applications on lawn target and off pavement. Sweep granules that fall onto pavement back onto the lawn.

Tip 6: Give your lawn a slow, steady watering only once a week, if water restrictions permit, using an empty one inch food can to measure the amount of water applied to the lawn.

Tip 7: Water your lawn early in the day and avoid windy days to prevent moisture loss from wind and evaporation.

Tip 8: Prevent grass clippings from entering storm drains by blowing clippings back onto your yard for added lawn nutrients.

Tip 9: Apply three inches of organic muich to base of shrubs and trees to lessen need for string trimming, to conserve soil moisture, and to reduce weeds.

Tip 10: Read and follow all lawn care product instructions for proper usage.

When to Water

Watering is an important part of developing a healthy lawn. Rain should be the primary source of water. Here's how to know when you should turn on the sprinkler:

· Grass slowly loses its bright green color and starts to fade to yellow. Additional stress will cause it to turn tan, indicating drought dormancy You may also notice wilting, which causes grass blades to roll or fold:

· If you walk across your lawn and your footprints remain in the grass, or lawn mower tracks remain visible, your lawn needs water.

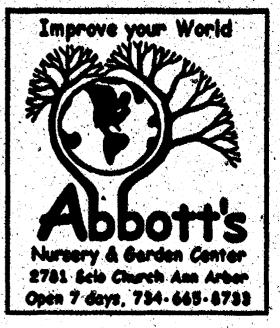
. The experts at TruGreen say that the most accurate way to determine whether your lawn needs water is to use a screwdriver to probe the soil (through the turf) about four inches deep and feel the soil. ideally it should be moist, not powder dry. nor soggy and wet.

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A plush lewn is something the entire family can enjoy.







it's essential to tend to your plants with just the right amount of water without going under or over their needs. Watering just the right amount will help your garden flourish, while conserving as much water as possible.

Tips to properly maintain your garden

As you're prepping for your gardens this spring and gathering your much needed supplies and tools, keep in mind that 40 percent of water used during the spring and summer is actually used outdoors.

In fact, as we enter into the summer months, the increase in water use comes during a time of year when there is actually less water available naturally due to increased temperatures and plant demand. For this reason, it's important to ensure that all gardeners expert or novice have an understanding of garden watering best practices.

Whether you're gardening plants that are rooted in the ground, in a garden bed, or scattered throughout your back porch or patio in decorative planters, it's essential to tend to your plants with just the right amount of water without going under or over their needs. Watering just the right amount will help your garden flourish, while conserving as much water as possible.

As you care for your plants this gardening season, here are a few tips to consider from Ames True Temper:

Tip #1: Follow plant instructions. Read and follow the care instructions and needs of each plant you purchase closely.

Tip #2: Weather is a factor. Check the weather in your area on a regular basis and take note when it's going to rain or if the temperature rises dramatically, and remember to water your plants accordingly.

Tip #3: Remain consistent. Incorporate watering into your daily routine so that you're watering the garden on a regular basis. If you miss a day don't overwater the next to compensate, as this will simply flood the roots.

Tip #4: Steer clear of midday watering. The best time to water is in the early morning or evening - not the middle of the day when the sun is at its highest.

Tip #5: Water deep. Make sure you're watering enough so that the excess runs down into the roots and does not just sit

on the surface. Dig deeper into the soil and feel with your hand to check if the water is reaching the roots.

Tip #6: Water gently. To protect the integrity of more delicate plants, be sure to water with a gentler stream as opposed to a targeted force.

Tip #7: Make watering easy. It's best to have watering tools that are versatile enough to water your different types of plants and garden beds. For example, the Ames Water Genie, the Bottomless Watering Can, includes a gentle watering option and works for potted and hanging plants alike. Plus, this easy watering solution fully integrates the hose, hose reel and spray nozzle into a simple all-in-one watering can design.

Once you're equipped with the right tools and watering know how, you'll be able to create and maintain a beautiful garden, lawn or patio from spring through summer, and well into the fall while conserving water.

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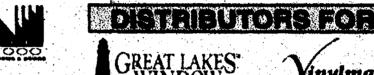
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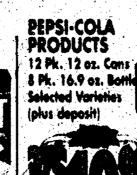
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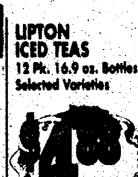














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