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## Friends, family honor Drow

### U of M student killed in climbing accident at Grand Teton Park

By Daniel Lai  
Heritage Newspapers

Friends, colleagues and family members came together Saturday to honor resident Jillian Drow at First United Methodist Church in Chelsea.

Drow, 21, a graduate of Chelsea High School, died July 20 while hiking in Grand Teton National Park in Wyoming. She was attending a five-week geological summer class at Camp Davis with several students from the University of Michigan.

"I knew Jillian since middle

school and she was quite a spark plug; she had lots of energy," Chelsea swim coach Dave Jolly said.



Jillian Drow

and her kindness toward others always stood out."

At CHS, Drow was captain of the diving team, twice receiving All-State honors, and received a scholarship to U of M, where she was studying environmen-

tal science.

"Jillian was an outdoor girl, loved sailing, and was very competitive," her family said in a written statement.

Jolly said he admired Drow for her courage.

"Diving is a sport that is scary—at least for me to watch," he said. "But Jillian was never one to shy away from anything. She is going to be missed."

Jolly said his former athlete affected many lives in Chelsea in a positive way.

"I think that one of the measuring sticks of someone's life is how much they affected other people's lives," he said. "Even though Jillian was only here on this earth for 21 short years,

she probably affected more lives than a lot of people do in a lifetime."

"I am so fortunate to have known her for four years. I am sorry to see her go. Her family raised a beautiful young lady."

CHS dive coach Eric Burris said Drow was a role model for other students at the high school.

"She was a great diver and a hard worker," he said. "She would set her mind to something and she wouldn't give up until she accomplished it."

"She led by example, and she was a great person."

Burris said during his three years as Drow's coach, he formed a working relationship with her and was quickly

impressed with her athletic prowess.

"We had a rough first year during my transition time as coach, but the last two years we had a good bond. I believe we worked really well together," he said.

Mike Casey, owner of Aberdeen Bike & Outdoors, said Drow will be missed by both customers and staff at the store.

"She was one of the kindest people you will ever meet," he said. "She made an impression on everyone. You couldn't meet her and not feel her presence."

"She would always be worried about other people, and she's probably worried now about how her death is affecting

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## Sounds and Sights set for weekend

### Fifty Amp Fuse, Ben Daniels to headline festival

By Todd Orbring  
Guest Writer

Chelsea's Sounds and Sights Festival kicks off tonight with a big night of music. The festival continues through the weekend with daily and nightly activities including several new attractions and some old favorites. The event is sponsored by the Chelsea Downtown Development Authority with support from Chelsea State Bank and Chelsea Milling, Co.

Thursday night features a full line up of Sounds & Sights performers including Kittle Donohoe, Five Miles More and Chelsea's own Clean Beats, The Dorkestra and Coconut Radio. Under the big tent behind the Common Grill another local favorite, the Ben Daniels Band, opens for techno-pop duo Champions of Breakfast, followed by the nationally recog-

nized group, My Dear Disco.

Friday is the start of the Chelsea Teddy Bear KidZone at the clock tower complex, with activities and attractions both Saturday and Sunday, including the Chelsea Center for the Arts craft tent and bounce zone.

Kids and teens will have the opportunity to test their racing skills as the Washtenaw RC Raceway will stage remote control car racing at a track set up on the Palmer Ford parking lot. There is a \$5 fee to race.

In the evening, kids and families can enjoy an extended run of SRSLY Cinema, as free films will be shown each night at the clock tower including, "The Goonies," "October Sky" and "E.T."

Friday night, Sounds and Sights acts will be performing at stages across the downtown while two of Detroit's most popular bands will be performing at the main stage—the Howling Diablos followed by The Sun Messengers. Back

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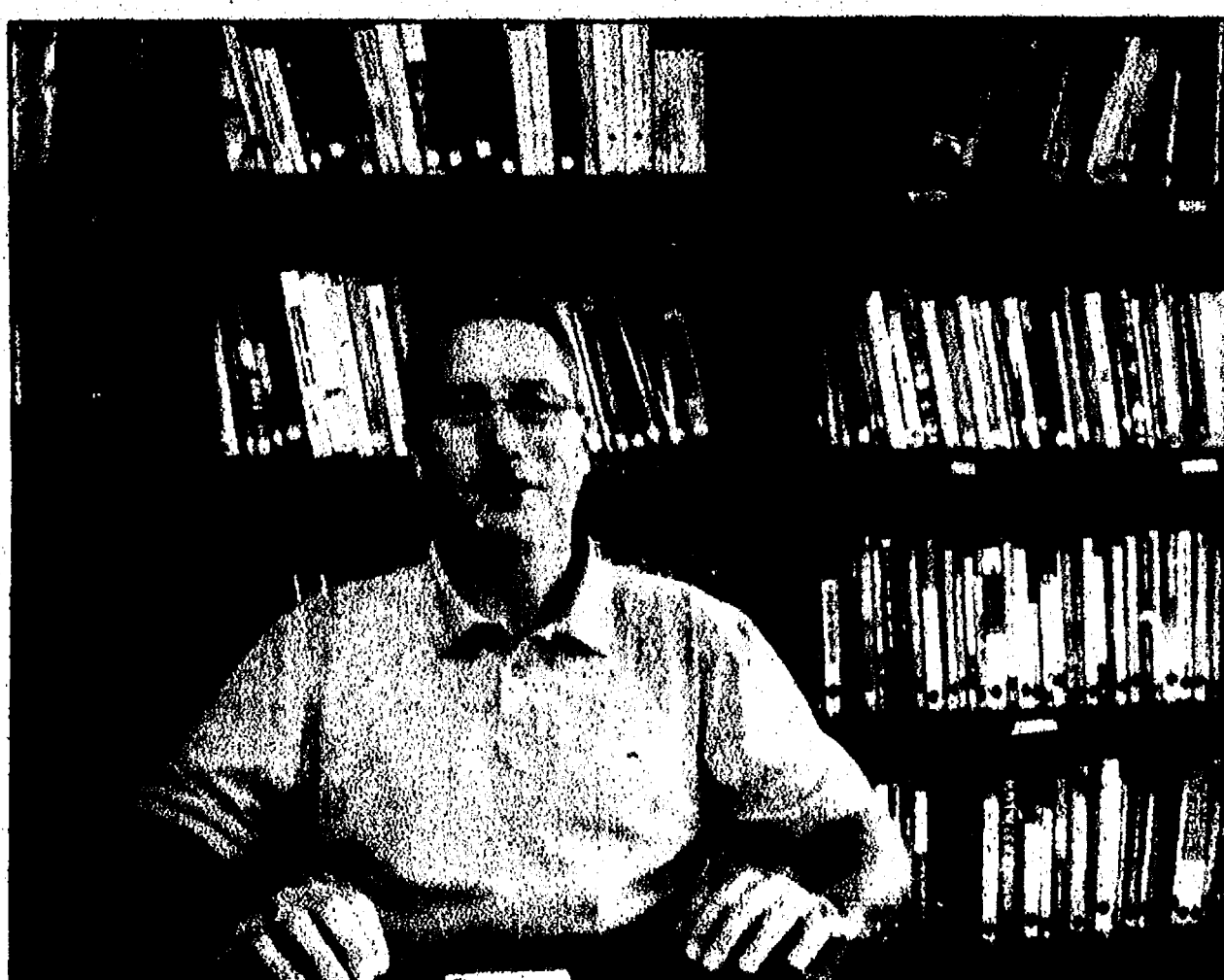


Photo by Gerald LaVaule

The Rev. Jeff Ford was re-assigned from the Milan Free Methodist Church a few weeks ago.

## Pastor finds home in Chelsea

### Former Milan leader accepts calling to serve congregation

By Gerald LaVaule  
Heritage Newspapers

When the Rev. Jeff Ford was first approached about a new assignment in the Chelsea Free Methodist parish, his reaction was, "Why now?"

Ford, 52, had been with Milan Free Methodist Church for 17 years. Major projects had been completed in that time, but

there were other plans for the parish that he was looking forward to implementing.

In addition, his daughter, Kristen, would become a senior at Milan High School in the fall.

The Free Methodist Church has what Ford describes as a modified appointment system. Unlike the Roman Catholic Church, where priests often are told where they are being reassigned, the Free Methodist Church uses a committee to make recommendations, and uses interviews to

confirm the appropriateness of the fit between the candidate and the new parish. The candidate gets some say in the matter, as well.

Ford said he prayed over it and talked with several people, including family members. He has been married for 24 years to his wife Tamara.

In the end, Ford concluded, "God is leading." And although he didn't fully understand the change, Ford said he accepted and embraced it.

PLEASE SEE PASTOR/5-A

## Volunteers sought for festival

By Justin Lockard  
Guest Writer

The Sounds and Sights Festival committee is still in need of volunteers to help out during the festival this weekend.

"We are always looking for volunteers from the community to help us with this gargantuan effort," Bob Pierce, executive director of the Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce said.

"We have openings at our information booth, entertainment tent, beverage ticket sales, and roadies. We are also interested in hearing from anyone who may want to help us coordinate the overall event for 2011."

Sandy Gaslewski, owner of Dayspring Gifts in Chelsea, said this year's festival promises to be a "great experience."

"Each year this event requires volunteers to work

around two hours setting up for the festival," she said.

This year, the festival will feature live music, entertainment, food and games throughout downtown Chelsea. Admission is free. Admission into the entertainment tent is \$5.

For more information, call the CACC at 1-734-475-1145.

Justin Lockard is an intern with Eastern Michigan University's B-Side program.



Champions of Breakfast will perform at the Sounds and Sights Festival on Thursday night in the entertainment tent.

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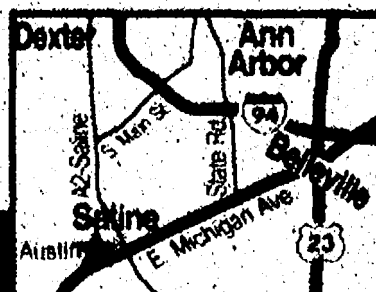
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# Bookstore adds new selections

Just Imagine, located at 108 E. Middle St. in downtown Chelsea, has the latest collection of toys and books to delight all ages.

The store's inventory now includes six varieties of shaped rubber bands for children and new designs of windup toys.

"We found some that never fall off the edge of a counter or table, and some that both flip and spin," manager Jeremy Montange said.

## CHELSEA

In August, the store will launch its first story time event featuring Cynthia Furlong Reynolds, author of many children's books. Actors from the Purple Rose Theatre will also begin holding staged readings of plays at the bookstore in the coming months.

Beginning in August, the store will offer musical supplies, such as clarinet and saxophone reeds, guitar strings, and brass mouthpieces and valve oil.

"We want to help Chelsea remain the wonderful musical place it already is," Montange said.

## DROW

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all of us." Casey said Drow loved the outdoors, so it wasn't a surprise when she enrolled in the U of M summer research class.

"If she had any free time, she would be outdoors doing something," he said. "She was such a free spirit and she would inspire you to want to do things, too."

Casey said Drow worked at Aberdeen for the last six years, and was an expert bicycle mechanic.

"She was one of my best employees and has been for several years," he said. "It's hard to understand (the circumstances surrounding her death) and none of us here have come to grip with it. We're like a small tight-knit family. It's like losing your arm or your leg, you have to figure out how to move forward."

Casey said he is blessed to have known Drow.

"I will miss her," he said. Drow is survived by her parents, sisters Anna E. Drow and Alaina M. Drow, aunts and uncles, Daniel (Sandy) Michael of Virginia, Jay (Baba) Drow of Ann Arbor, Lynn (Steve Enzer) Okenka of Brooklyn, and Leslie (Tom) Brown of Jerome. She is also survived by her grandparents John (Shirley) Michael of Chelsea and Esther Drow of Brooklyn.

Expressions of sympathy can be made to the Jillian Drow Scholarship Fund, care of First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St., Chelsea, MI 48118.

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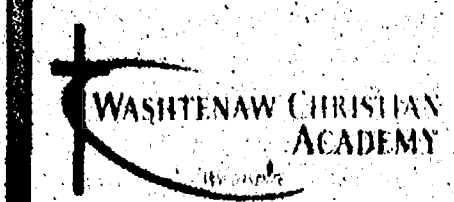
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# Two facing off for Democratic Party's vote in 53rd House

## District includes portions of Pittsfield, Scio

Heritage Newspapers asked each candidate running to represent Michigan's 53rd House of Representatives District to answer a series of questions to help voters make an informed decision at the polls for the Aug. 3 primary. Two Democrats are seeking the party's nod, while one Republican is unopposed. The 53rd District represents portions of Ann Arbor, Pittsfield and Scio Township. Ned Staebler is running as a Democrat in the 53rd District, but did not respond to our survey.

### JEFF IRVIN

**Office sought:** State House, 53rd District.  
**Political affiliation:** Democrat.  
**Place of residence:** Ann Arbor.

**Occupation:** County commissioner.

**Education:** University of Michigan, bachelor's degree in political science.

**Previous elected office:** Washtenaw County commissioner since August 1999.

**Community service:** Washtenaw County Commissioner, 11th District; co-chairman, Ann Arbor Region Success Plan; co-founder, Partners for Transit; chairman, Washtenaw County Brownfield Redevelopment Authority; member, Washtenaw County Economic Development Corp.; member, Stakeholders Committee to the Ann Arbor to Detroit Rail Project; member, SEMCOG's Transportation Advisory Council; member, Executive Committee of the Washtenaw County Democratic Party. For a complete list of community involvement and accomplishments in local government, visit <http://www.voteirwin.com/accomplishments.html>.

### Key Issues

1. Education Funding
2. Environmental Protection

### How will you address each of these issues?

1. Michigan's economic strategy starts with the best schools and universities. To attract jobs, grow native businesses and improve our communities, we must get back on track with funding education. The first step is to pass school budgets on time. To plan properly at the local level, school districts, educators and our children need to know how much money they are going to receive per pupil long before

the school year starts.

While canvassing Ann Arbor, I've met countless teachers who are in limbo, not knowing what and where they'll be teaching, compromising their summer lesson planning. This is an unacceptable failure of the current Legislature and getting it right won't cost a dime.

Also, if we hope for Michigan's economy to recover, we must increase our investment in schools and universities. Unfortunately, when school budgets are cut, we lose programs in music, arts, athletics and language that define a quality, rounded education. Top-quality education programs are essential for everybody because they attract and retain employers and buttress the desirability and value of our homes.

Also, I will fight to increase investments in college affordability by reviving the Michigan Education Trust, extending scholarship programs and fostering more collaboration between K-12 and higher education (allowing more students to earn college credits before they exit high school).

2. If there is one thing that makes Michigan absolutely unique it is the Great Lakes. Michigan boasts water resources unrivaled on the Earth and we do far too little to protect and conserve this precious advantage.

As your next representative, I will propose changes to our pollution permit fees that incentivize pollution reduction and enable more vigorous enforcement of our basic clean water and clean air protections. I will hold polluters accountable for the mercury pollution in our water and our fish, and I will introduce the strongest "right-to-know" laws in the nation. As a parent, I want full disclosure of the toxic elements in the products

we buy.

Also, I will support clean energy by strengthening the Renewable Portfolio Standard and by providing government financing for energy efficiency and conservation in our homes and businesses. The cheapest and cleanest energy is the energy we never use, and right now we're wasting billions of dollars every year.

Finally, I will propose measures to make our cities more livable by investing in mass transit and supporting biking and walking with our transportation investments. Connecting people and places with transit will be a great boost to our economy, but, our transportation dollars are focused almost completely on encouraging longer commutes and abandoning established infrastructure. The economic, cultural and environmental costs of continuing our current transportation strategy are dire.

**Website:** [www.voteirwin.com](http://www.voteirwin.com)

**Personal:** 33, married to Kathryn Loomis, with a daughter.

### CHASE INGERSOLL

**Office sought:** 53rd District Representative, state House.

**Political affiliation:** Republican.

**Place of residence:** Ann Arbor.

**Occupation:** Small business, labor and consultation.

**Previous elected office:** None.

**Community service:** None.

### Key issues

1. Washington, D.C., is bought and paid for by most governors, senators and congressmen via the two party system and quagmire of a federal bureaucracy that brutalizes local businesses. What would happen if Washington, D.C., went away like the wizard behind the curtain? Would the sun cease to shine, crops

stop their growth, or oil cease to flow from the deepest abundance of the Gulf of Mexico? No. Would God-fearing men in the Middle East return to their families on the next flight? Would every tax-paying household in Michigan not celebrate and publicly give thanks as they burned next year's federal tax return form? And would not every unit of local government and business breathe a sigh of relief that they no longer have to go to sleep at night awaiting a knock on the door and a group of thugs to take them away for their having broken unknown laws that were passed in the middle of the night in unread bills, concocted in the socialist bowels of congressional committees?

2. Could not Washtenaw County and associated townships more wisely and efficiently govern the public resources and welfare contained within their respective borders? Or do we in Washtenaw County and Ann Arbor Township for some reason require the wise council of the best representatives, senators, and governors that Detroit and Wayne County can elect to school our representatives of Washtenaw County in the high art of personal and political chicanery?

### How will you address each of these issues?

1. If I want to drive a car, I have to do a little reading and take a test. Why? Because we all know what can happen if people who don't know the rules of the road get behind a wheel. If I want to rent a place to live, I have to be able to fill out a form, pass a credit or financial responsibility test and then, every month, I am given a test where I am supposed to come up with the amount of rent that is due.

If I am in a legitimate school or a job, part of a sports team,

there are all sorts of expectations that take place on a monthly, weekly or daily basis if I am going to be a part of things, have any influence on what is going on and ultimately receive any benefit from.

But, far too many who vote could not pass the simplest test on the basic constitutional rights that we all share, accept no responsibility for any of the result of their voting choices, but simply hold out their hand on an annual basis, and show up to pull a lever for the pandarer that promises them the most at the least cost.

Those who have partaken of the socialist orgy of the last 50 years must now drink of the golden cup and shall not enter the promise land. That promise land would be a rite to suffrage, universal to those who work to sustain the nation. Those who will not work to sustain the nation shall not sit at the table of suffrage.

2. Do not allow the name of a political party or candidate to appear on the ballot. To cast a vote for that particular office, the voter should be required to write in, or select from an alphabetized list, the name of their selection and at least one other candidate, and list the party affiliation of both candidates that they identify, along with correctly identifying any public office that the candidates have most previously held. If the voter does not know that information, they are probably not familiar enough with the candidates to be voting on that particular office.

I fervently support pro-life and home-schooling. I am one that readily points out that we are winning the war of conservative vs. liberal demographics. The best evidence of this is that the liberals are in a desperate cause of increasing their voting block by fraud.

**Website:** <http://cga.org>

**Personal:** Declined to answer

# Two Republicans, three Dems want 18th Senate

## Seat covers northern, eastern Washtenaw

Five candidates are running for the state 18th District Senate seat, which covers northern and eastern Washtenaw County, along with Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, Chelsea, Dexter, Freedom and Sharon townships. Candidates, John Hochstetler and Gary Wellings are running on the Republican ticket, while Pam Byrnes, Thomas Partridge and Rebekah Warren are running as Democrats. Warren, Wellings and Partridge did not respond to our survey.

### JOHN HOCHSTETLER

**Office sought:** 18th District, state Senate.

**Political affiliation:** Republican.

**Residence sought:** Manchester.

**Occupation:** Sales.

**Education:** None listed.

**Previous elected office:** School board.

**Community service:** None listed.

### Key issues

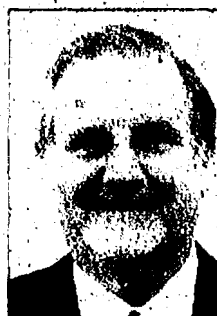
1. Food security
2. Lower state taxes and regulation

### How will you address each of these issues?

1. We need to produce locally grown delicious, nutritious and healthy food. If we would grow 10 percent of the food used in Washtenaw County, it would generate \$100 million per year. That is a lot of jobs for a lot of people in this county.

2. Higher taxes mean less freedom for people. We need to help people out.

**Website:** [www.hochstetler2010.com](http://www.hochstetler2010.com) and on Facebook at Elect John Hochstetler for State Senate.



Hochstetler

**Personal:** 59, married to Lois for 32 years with four children.

### PAM BYRNES

**Office sought:** 18th District, state Senate.

**Political affiliation:** Democrat.

**Place of residence:** Lyndon Township.

**Occupation:** State Representative, 52nd District.

**Education:** Associate's degree in liberal arts, Stephens College, Columbia, MO; bachelor's degree in Far Eastern studies, University of Michigan; J.D. doctor, University of Maryland, Baltimore, Md.; admitted to State Bar of Michigan and Federal Bar May 6, 1976.

**Previous elected office:** Previously, I served as the first woman Washtenaw County Road commissioner, and I served on the Michigan Board of Pharmacy.

**Community service:** I am currently the State Representative for the 52nd

District.

### Key issues

1. Public education and infrastructure funding should be top priorities for the state of Michigan. We cannot continue to disinvest in these key services if we expect to keep businesses and young families here in Michigan. A properly funded public education system, pre-school through college, is key to our economic recovery and vitality. And no business is going to locate in a state where our bridges are crumbling and our roads are falling apart. I support extending the sales tax to services to properly fund education and increasing the gas tax and vehicle registration fees to maintain our roads.

2. I cannot stress enough the importance of marketing Michigan to the global economy. By enacting several policies that I have spearheaded that focus on logistics and just in time shipping, we can put southeast Michigan back on the global map as an intermo-

dal trade hub.

We also need to increase access to higher education, especially to non-traditional students. We can do this by increasing financial aid to low-income students and by partnering with our community colleges and universities to equip workers with the skills that are in demand in today's economy.

### How will you address each of these issues?

1. Provide a source of stable funding for both our school aid fund, as well as our transportation fund.

2. Establish a commission that is tasked with developing a statewide strategy for economic development—a commission that includes business, marketing, local government, labor and education representatives.

**Website:** [www.pambyrnes.com](http://www.pambyrnes.com)

**Personal:** 63 years old, married to Kent Brown, with two adult children.

# Former Saline athlete Chris King fatally shot

By Jeremy Allen

Heritage Newspapers

Less than 24 hours after being apprehended, the suspect in connection with a fatal shooting, which occurred in mid-afternoon on Sunday at the Washtenaw Avenue Kmart store, was arraigned for open murder along with three other charges, including carrying a concealed weapon, possession of a firearm during the commission of a felony and assault with the intent to rob while armed.

Twenty-year-old Michael Deshawn Crockett was taken into custody early Monday afternoon after police made contact with him during a traffic stop, said Derrick Jackson, Washtenaw County Sheriff's director of community engage-

ment. Jackson said that deputies were given a tip that led to the arrest of Crockett and that the suspect was taken into custody without a fight or a struggle.

According to Jackson, the shooting occurred following an altercation between Crockett and the victim, who has been identified as 20-year-old Ypsilanti Township resident and former Saline High School football and track standout Chris King.

"The two apparently got into an argument and it's believed that Crockett then pulled out a gun and shot him," Jackson said. "It's sad because now there are two young men who will probably lose their lives; obviously the victim, and now another young man who committed the crime. But

we're very thankful that the people responded and helped to apprehend the suspect. It's the kind of support we need from the community and from the citizens."

Washtenaw County Medical Examiner Bader Cassin said King died of a single gunshot wound. The bullet went through the right side of King's back and a portion of his heart before becoming lodged into his chest. Cassin reported that there were no other injuries to King, which rules out most other possible causes of death, but a toxicology report will be available in a couple weeks before a final determination is made.

According to Jackson, the suspect and the victim were acquaintances, but he is unsure as to what degree.

"We're still trying to figure that out," Jackson said. "It doesn't appear that this was random, but (Crockett) hasn't said anything at this point because it's obviously a pending legal matter."

After being shot, King went nearly 200 yards north from where the shooting occurred on the sidewalk southwest of the Kmart before collapsing. He was rushed to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital before being pronounced dead.

"This occurred on a very busy intersection right there in Ypsilanti Township at Washtenaw and Golfside," Jackson said. "There were quite a few 9-1-1 calls made immediately following the incident and a lot of witnesses because that is a high traffic area and it happened at around

4 p.m. in the afternoon."

Customer service representatives at Kmart said they were instructed not to comment about the fatal shooting, but one employee said that it was scary to know that this happened so close to where she works.

"It's scary to hear gunshots while you're working," she said. "I'm glad they caught the guy, but it's still a scary situation, especially the fact that it happened in broad daylight. Anybody could have got shot."

Police say that one man is still wanted for questioning in relation to the fatal shooting, but no description of that man has been released.

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# Contestants sought for fair queen pageant

By Daniel Lai  
Heritage Newspapers

The Chelsea Community Fair-Queen Pageant, a popular attraction for fairgoers, is looking for a few talented young women to compete in this year's contest.

The pageant is open to any female student in the ninth through 12th grade at Dexter or Chelsea high schools.

According to event organizer Danielle Hale, no students have expressed interest in participating in the pageant this year.

## FESTIVAL

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this year is the classic car show, with over 200 vehicles expected including some special Thunderbird classics. Elvis will make his annual appearance with the help of a surprise guest this year.

On Saturday morning, WXYZ Channel 7 will be broadcasting early from the festival showcasing the day's activities. The KidZone will be in full swing starting at 10 a.m., with afternoon entertainment highlighted by Colors the Clown, Gemini and the second annual Rotary Club duck race. The race has a new twist this year, with the

## PASTOR

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He had better. The parish in Chelsea, with 425 regular worshippers, is almost twice the size of the congregation in Milan.

Unlike the parish in Milan, however, the Chelsea congregation outgrew its building about 10 years ago, and meets each Sunday for worship services at the Washington Street Education Center. So now the parish is planning an expansion, on 80 acres of land on Jackson Road, just east of Fletcher Road.

A lot of the work will fall to Ford, who will lean on the

"We are getting down to the wire and there has been zero interest from the girls," she said.

The pageant is a scholarship program, where contestants will compete for a \$1,000 scholarship that can be used toward any college or university of the winner's choice. There is also a \$500 scholarship for the runner-up as well as other prizes for contestants.

addition of a mascot tug-o-war over Lett's Creek.

Saturday afternoon has another full schedule of Sounds and Sights acts from 4 to 6 p.m., and just added, local bands Moon Roots, Dr. Dwayne and the Bad Boys from Spain, Chelsea House Orchestra and the Chelsea Center for the Arts guitar group will be performing in the main tent from 2 to 6 p.m.

The entertainment tent closes with the return of NoteWorthy and festival favorite, Fifty Amp Fuse.

"In over 30 years that this event has been going, this is without a doubt the best entertainment schedule we have ever had," event founder Craig Common said.

experience of having helped to move and expand the church in Milan.

For Ford, his career in the ministry started at 17. He had been a youth group leader at his parish, with an interest in music, which he explored in a vocal music major in college. Although he said he had some type of ministry in mind, he couldn't imagine being a lead pastor someday at his own parish.

Ford became a youth pastor at a parish for five years, and entered the seminary, eventually earning a master's degree. By the time he graduated, Ford said that he had decided on pastoral ministry as his calling.

The Free Methodist Church was founded in 1861, partly as

All contestants will be required to build a float, ride in the fair parade and perform a talent before a panel of judges. The girls will also be ranked

based on a private one-on-one interview with judges along with several other criteria.

"We try to make it fun for the girls," Hale said. "It's almost like a pre-interview that will

Tickets for each night are only \$5 and all ages are welcome. There will be select VIP Lounge seating available for \$25 per night, or \$50 for all three nights.

The festival food court featuring six restaurants will be located on South Street this year next to the social and entertainment tents. Other new attractions include an open-air art market throughout downtown, featuring various artists demonstrating their crafts at merchant locations around downtown. The Chelsea Historical Society will be hosting a free walking home tour starting at 11 a.m. Friday and Saturday.

The popular Pet Parade takes place Saturday morning start-

a reaction to Methodist clergy who also were slave owners, Ford said. There are 42 Free Methodist churches in southern Michigan, who are led by a conference superintendent.

The Chelsea Free Methodist Church is relatively new at 30 years old, compared with the Milan Free Methodist Church, founded 140 years ago.

Ford says he has walked into this new position with his eyes wide open.

"I'm in a learning mode right now," he said.

Ford is interviewing people associated with the parish, including staff, and various parishioners selected either by him or by chance.

The parish has purchased 80 acres on Jackson Road, he said.

give them experience for jobs in the future.

"We also want to use the pageant as a way to build self-confidence in the girls."

The winner of the pageant will keep her title for the entire year but is not obligated to make special appearances at community events, she said.

"We're hoping to continue this wonderful community event that so many people look forward to every year at the fair," she said.

To sign up for the pageant, contact Hale at 1-734-475-2270 or

ing at 10 a.m. Chelsea District Library is having a hands-on circus experience with "Cirque Amongus" Saturday at 4 p.m.

Downtown merchants will be hosting in-store demos and activities all weekend, and the River Gallery will have a "pop up exhibition" featuring several artists doing water color demonstrations each day.

"This should be quite an event," said Bob Pierce, executive director of the Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce. "The music line-up is truly amazing and there are so many things for kids and families to do. We have more food, more music, more kids stuff and the return of the arts."

For a list of activities visit [www.chelseafestivals.com](http://www.chelseafestivals.com).

and the plan is to build a new church, a larger structure that will become a parish home to Ford, his family and the much larger family for which he's recently become responsible.

As for his daughter, Ford isn't absolutely certain yet whether she will finish up at Milan or attend Chelsea High School. The family is exploring both options and will make a decision together in the future.

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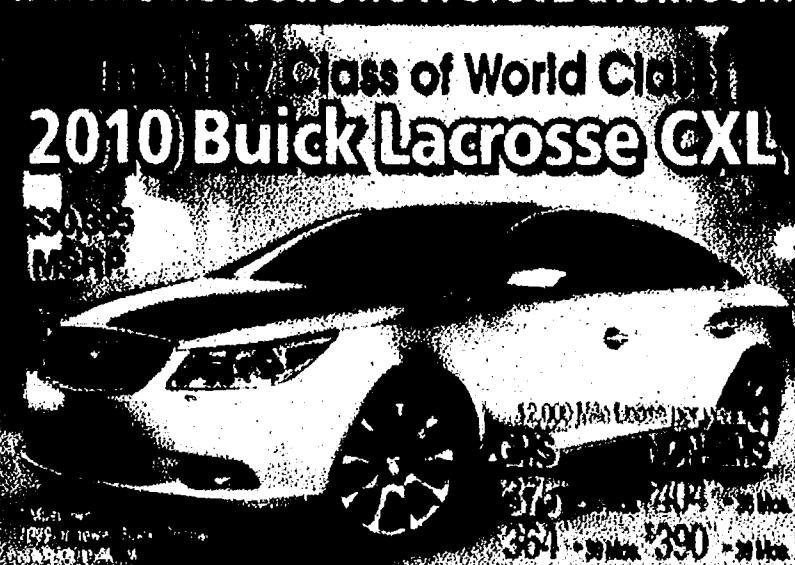
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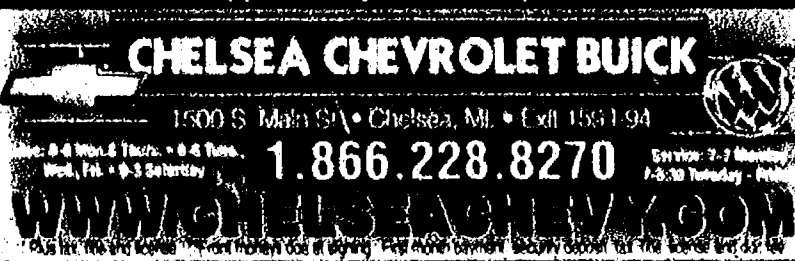


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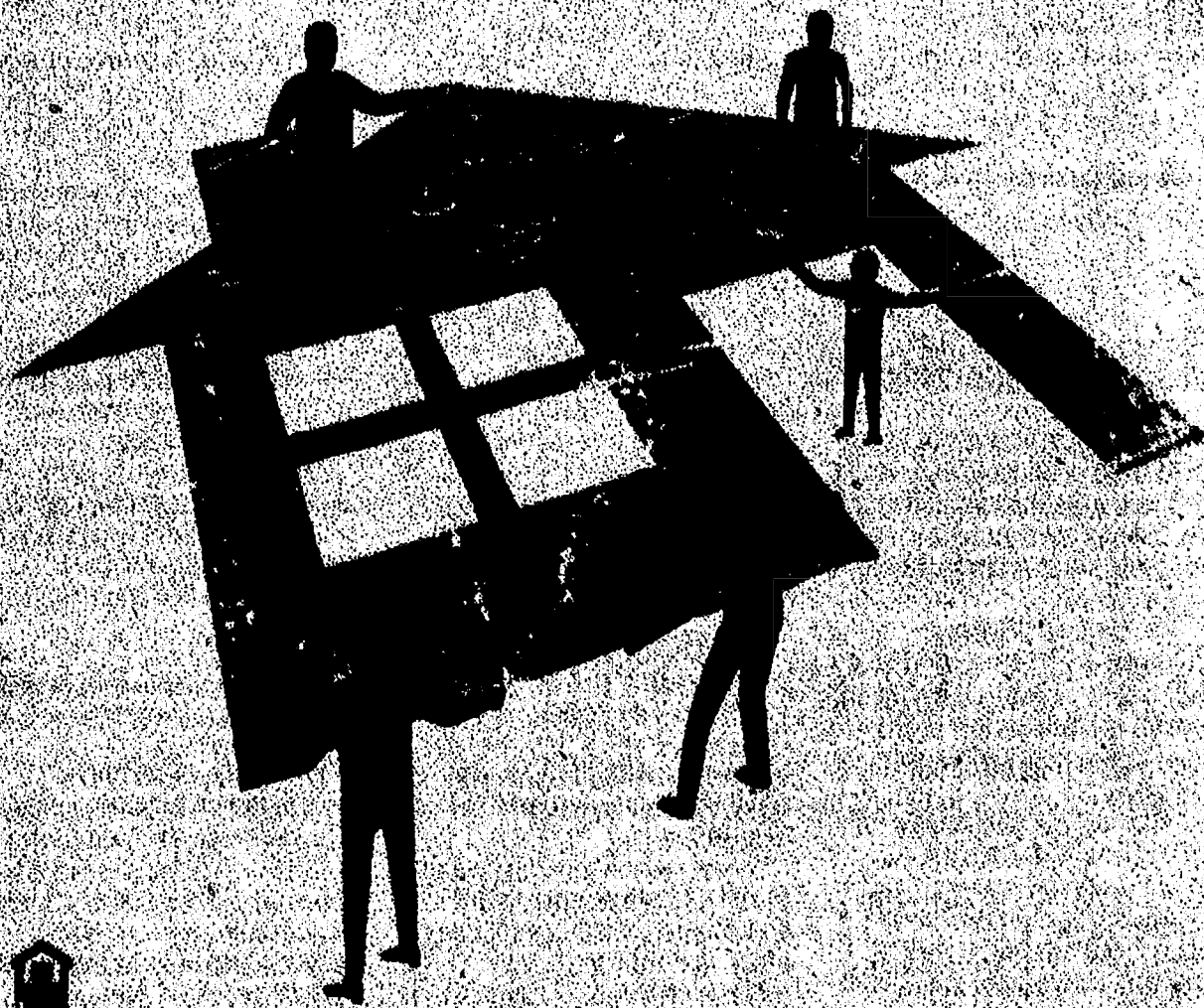
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This week's question

How do you see the unemployment rate trending in Michigan over the next year?

- A. Unemployment will get worse C. About the same  
B. Unemployment will get better D. More people will start their own businesses

## Even with new Ann Arbor ordinance, look both ways before crossing the street

When I was a student at the University of Michigan many years ago, pedestrians ruled the road-way roost in the Central Campus area.

It was an unwritten rule that pedestrians had the right of way when crossing State Street or any of the other streets in Central Campus while en route to classes or to wherever they were headed.

That look-twice-before-you-cross-the-street thing — well, as students, usually in large packs, we knew we could stop traffic, so to speak. However, once you got out of the Central Campus area, you knew the same "rules" did not apply.

In fact, back then, there was "Central Campus" that had most everything I needed, and then there was "Town," a place into which I seldom ventured.

My late father said the same thing when I asked him about how often he left the campus area.

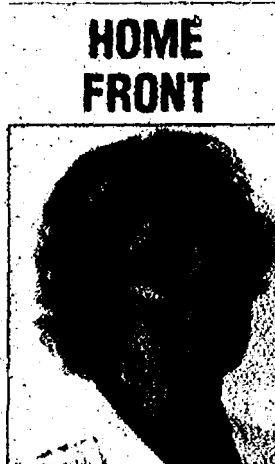
Then again, in the 1940s, things were a lot different and it was a rarity for students to have cars on campus.

In the late '70s, when I was a student, if I needed a few groceries, I headed to one of the many local mom-and-pop stores on State Street. At that time, everything I needed stopped pretty much at that road.

Did I mention that I walked to everything because back then you just didn't bring a

car to college?

There were some buses back then, but I never rode them, except maybe to Briarwood, and you didn't really need to ride a bus because for most part you could walk to everything.



LISA  
ALLMENDINGER

By my junior year, I had two show horses stabled in the area, so I did have a car. But I only used it to get back and forth from the barn to the sorority house.

Fast forward to about 10 years ago, when my younger brother attended the University of Michigan. By his sophomore year, he was living in rental housing, not in a dorm or in a frat house.

There were plenty of transportation options available, but he had a car on campus. Plus, he drove it around a lot.

He also ventured way past State Street and all the way to Main Street, and he thought nothing of it.

Oh, how times have changed for U of M students.

But have they?

Last week, the Ann Arbor City Council adopted a new ordinance that protects both pedestrians and bicyclists through the city.

In part it reads, "When traffic-control signals are not in place or are not in operation, the driver of a vehicle shall stop and yield the right-of-way to every pedestrian approaching or within a crosswalk."

In other words, in Ann Arbor, pedestrians will once again rule the crosswalks.

However, "a pedestrian shall not suddenly leave a curb or other place of safety and walk or run into a path of a vehicle that is so close that it is impossible for the driver to yield," the new ordinance states.

And, "when traffic-control signals are not in place or are not in operation, the driver of a vehicle shall yield the right-of-way, slowing down or stopping, if need be, to so yield, to a pedestrian crossing the roadway within a crosswalk when the pedestrian is on the half of the roadway on which the vehicle is traveling or when the pedestrian is approaching so closely from the opposite half of the roadway as to be in danger, but a pedestrian shall not suddenly leave a curb or other place of safety and walk or run into a path of a vehicle that is so close that it is impossible for the driver to yield."

Isn't that a mouthful? However, if a pedestrian leaves the confines of a crosswalk, all bets are off.

"Every pedestrian crossing a roadway at any point other than within a marked crosswalk or within an unmarked crosswalk at an intersection shall yield the right-of-way to all vehicles upon the roadway."

OK, so you know this and I know this, but what we need to do is figure out how to make motorists know this.

So, I'd still say to be safe: Look both ways before you cross the street.

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## OUR TAKE: Editorial

### Use common sense on lakes

It's mind-boggling why common sense so often seems to be thrown out of the window for the sake of a little excitement and entertainment.

So, we can't urge people enough to take some very simple precautions when they head out on the lakes.

The tips are useful and prudent anytime during the warm-weather season, so don't be too proud, cocky or lackadaisical to take some simple safety steps if you venture out onto our lakes.

You don't have to look far for proof that taking precautions is wise.

Over the Memorial Day holiday, at least seven people were killed in water accidents in Michigan. Last year, there were five water-related deaths and four injuries from boating accidents.

That number was down from 2008, when seven died and 12 were injured in boating mishaps.

We hope the decline in deaths and accidents continues despite the fact county marine division patrols have impacted by budget constraints.

This is a shame because statistics indicate that with more marine patrols on the lakes, the number of drownings decreases.

Some general tips worth repeating include always having at least one life preserver for each passenger on the boat.

Other common-sense tips include bring extra gear you may need; tell someone where you're going, who is with you, and how long you'll be away; ventilate after fueling; stay dry and warm; anchor from bow, not stern; take a safe boating course; be ready for trouble when a powerboat passes you in a narrow channel; when changing seats, stay low and near center line of a small boat; and always carry distress signals on board your boat.

On your to-do list should be some general safety checks before you even start your engine.

Check all gear and equipment to make sure the fuel lines are attached and that their drain plugs are in.

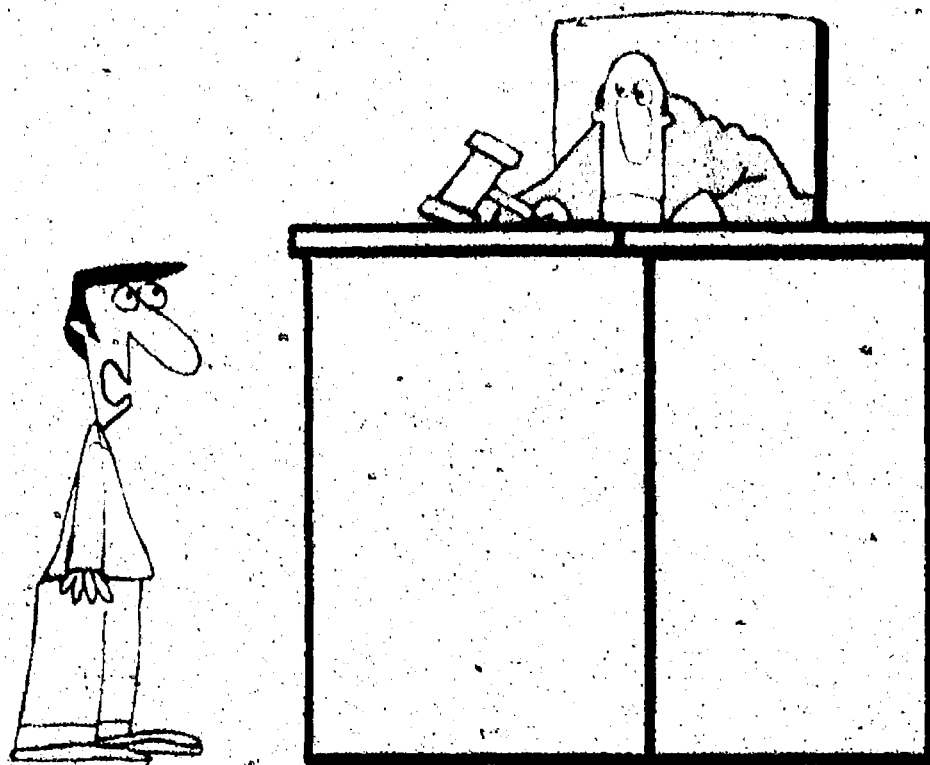
Check all of the different systems on your vessel to make sure everything is in order. Then, begin an inventory of safety equipment aboard the craft from fire extinguishers to making sure the horn and safety lights work.

As on land, the biggest warning is to not drink alcohol and drive a boat. Always designate non-drinking boaters to operate the vessel and to act as an observer if your group plans to consume alcohol. Do not allow your skipper to continue to operate if he or she is drinking.

Basically always be cautious and always take the time to be safe when out on or in the water.

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"I DIDN'T KNOW IGNORANCE OF THE LAW IS NO EXCUSE..."

## GUEST COLUMN: By Kevin Z. Smith

### Protecting sources means protecting the public

During the course of its investigation into the current Gulf of Mexico oil spill, The Associated Press was given information from the then-office of Mineral Management Services that was not making a lot of sense.

As millions of gallons of crude spilled into the gulf waters and the oversight by MMS officials on BP's well was being called into question, an anonymous source in that office told reporters far different stories than what they had been initially told.

This anonymous source set the record straight by coming forward and speaking out, and suddenly the world knew that this was more than a mechanical failure. It was a full system failure. The people hired to keep these events from occurring were ignoring their responsibilities.

At times, anonymous sources provide crucial information to the press. Stories of oil disasters may be the latest, but without citizens coming forward and sharing vital information, Americans would not know

about steroids in sports, excessive military spending, or food and drug hazards. We would never have been told about Watergate.

A bill currently in the U.S. Senate will help assure such stories continue to reach the public. S. 448, The Free Flow of Information Act, will protect the sources on whom journalists rely from having their identities exposed in all but a few circumstances, including where national security concerns are raised. Five years in the making, the current version of this bill is supported by more than 50 journalism organizations, the White House, the Justice Department and most of your Congressional delegation.

Most states have laws that can protect a source's identity from overzealous prosecutors and judges, but there is no such protection yet at the federal level. S. 448 would change that and extend the same protections offered through statute or common law in 49 states to the national government. Without it, stories focusing on the federal government will not be told

because reporters are faced with threats of jail time and fines if they do not turn on their sources.

Subpoenas against the press numbered more than 3,000 nationwide in 2006 with 335 issued by federal prosecutors seeking the identities of news sources, according to a survey conducted by a Brigham Young University law professor. More than a few journalists have spent time in jail, and some have been forced out of the profession all together by heavy fines that crippled them financially. These are all heavy-handed tactics to illicit the names of people who then can be identified and retaliated against. Media companies large and small faced with the enormous expenses of fighting such legal battles to protect sources are turning their backs on compelling stories.

As S. 448 awaits permission from key Senate leadership to come to the floor for a full vote, all senators, representing the interests of American citizens, need to hear from their constituents. Citizens who value the importance of transparency

in governance and think the American press needs to continue to serve as the watchdog on the federal government should tell their senators to support this measure.

The clock is ticking as Congress will recess in August. Tell your senator to have the bill moved to a full Senate vote as soon as possible and support its passage.

Without this bill, stories that affect lives, like the oil spill in the Gulf, will never get the detailed attention they need to bring about change. Without this bill, your government has a better chance of operating in darkness or lying its way out of trouble. Help bring this to an end by voicing support for S. 448.

Only when there is a free flow of information from the government to its people can we truly appreciate the beauty and power of a democracy.

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## GUEST COLUMN: By Tim Skubick

### Momentum remains on the side of the GOP

Take yourself back to election night 2008. The scene is a huge park underneath the picturesque skyline of Chicago with hundreds of thousands of citizens making a little history.

President-elect Barack Obama and family walk onto the stage amid shouts, tears of joy and a change you can believe.

If you were a Democrat, you savored the moment.

Good thing you did, because those days are long gone.

The only thing Democrats are savoring now is the fear that in November a political tidal wave will engulf the party and its candidates.

Even the White House press secretary conceded the other day that the U.S. House of Representatives could go Republican.

Closer to home, if the election was held today, President Obama would be a major factor in the outcome and he's not even on the ballot.

The similarities between the new president and Michigan's outgoing governor are striking. Both came into office hoping to fashion a new culture where bipartisan cooperation would reign.

It rained all right — right on their parade.

With Republicans in Washington enforcing party discipline under fear of who knows what, you saw zero GOP votes for health care.

The president didn't help his bipartisan standing by indirectly whacking a GOP congressman the other day while in Holland. The congressman failed to support one of the president's policies, yet the president noted that "didn't stop them from being at ribbon cuttings" the president was attending.

"Cheap shot" and "unpresidential," Pete Hoekstra said.

In Lansing, Gov. Jennifer Granholm did score some bipartisan wins on high school graduation standards and a smoke-free Michigan, and others, but she will leave office with her hope of more inter-party cooperation being just that, a faded dream.

And note that neither of the two Democrats who want her job

Lansing Mayor Virgil Bernero and Speaker of the House Andy Dillon — has asked for her endorsement.

Against that backdrop, Democrats are running for governor, the Michigan House and Senate and if they aren't, they should be in a bit of a funk.

Lansing pollster Bernie Ponn reports that Republican voters are geeked and ready to vote. Stirred on by the Tea Party movement, you could write a scenario resulting in a major GOP comeback, including taking back the Michigan House.

Ponn says staunch Democrats are still hanging tough with the president, but his policies are viewed with some disdain by independent and soft Democrats. That means they could flip to GOP candidates if their current malaise is not cured and there is no elixir within sight.

A couple of months ago, the Democrats were holding fast to some signs, ever so faint, that the economy was coming back.

"Hey, if we're on a roll by September and October, we can salvage this thing," was the thinking on the Democratic side. And the polls reflected an up tick of optimism.

Not any more.

The consumer confidence numbers are again heading south with the economy close behind.

Labor leaders confess that once folks lose hope, they figure their vote doesn't count so they stay home on Election Day. That results in a de facto vote for the Republicans.

Having constructed this gloomy picture, remember that four months until November is forever. Who knows what might happen?

Back in the early 1990s, President George Bush had a whopping public approval rating just after the first Gulf War, and one year later, he was turning the Lincoln bedroom over to Mr. and Mrs. Clinton.

It's not over until the fat lady sings, and even though she is not on stage at the moment, she appears to be riding an elephant in that direction and the president is feeding it along the way.

Tim Skubick is the host of the TV show "Off the Record."



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# Former Detroit mayor in Milan prison

By Steven Howard  
Heritage Newspapers

Former Detroit Mayor Kwame Kilpatrick is now a local resident, according to the Federal Bureau of Prisons' inmate locator website, listed as being incarcerated at the Federal Correction Institution in Milan.

The site lists Kilpatrick's

prison registration number and indicates his release date is unknown.

Kilpatrick was serving time for a probation violation in the northern part of the state at the Oaks Correctional Facility close to Manistee.

As The Detroit Free Press reported, James Thomas, Kilpatrick's lawyer, said

access to research facilities and a computer will better allow his client to prepare a defense against federal fraud and tax charges.

A press release issued by the Federal Bureau of Investigation's Eastern District of Michigan indicates Kilpatrick soon will have to defend himself against mul-

tiple felony counts in relation to alleged criminal activities, said to have been perpetrated while he was mayor of Detroit.

If convicted, the charges could add significant jail time to his current sentence for the probation violation.

The June 23 press release states Kilpatrick was indicted

by a federal grand jury with 10 counts of mail fraud, three counts of wire fraud, five counts of filing a false tax return and one count of tax evasion, and that each fraud count carries a maximum sentence of 20 years in prison and a fine of \$250,000, and each tax count carries a maximum sentence of three or five

years and a fine of \$250,000. Milan is approximately 50 miles from Detroit, where Kilpatrick's attorney, Thomas, is based.

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## WASHTENAW COUNTY COURT BRIEFS

### Man jailed in knife attack on mother

An Ann Arbor man has been charged with stabbing his mother during a violent attack inside their home last week.

Anthony Pocrnich, 25, was arraigned on one count of assault with intent to murder the day after the July 14 incident in the 1400 block of Hatcher Crescent on the city's west side, court records show. He remains at the Washtenaw County Jail on \$100,000 bond pending a preliminary hearing July 28.

Pocrnich's mother, 49, was stabbed in the torso with a knife at about 6 a.m. and was able to call police. She was hospitalized and remained in critical condition late last week, officials said.

Police said Pocrnich has had a history of mental illness and has assaulted his mother before. Court records indicate he was convicted of assault with intent to commit great bodily harm less than murder in 2005. He was sentenced to two years probation under the Holmes Youthful Trainee Act, which allows some offenders between the ages of 17 and 20 who plead guilty to have their felony convictions expunged.

### New trial, same result for Saline man

A Saline man was again convicted of attempted murder for savagely stabbing a friend during an alcohol-fueled confrontation outside an apartment in 2008.

Timothy Becktel awaits sentencing on Aug. 12 after jurors found him guilty of assault with intent to murder Feb. 26, 2008, in an alleyway outside the Drowsy Parrot in the 100 block of North Ann Arbor Street. They deliberated for roughly two hours after a full day of testimony from witnesses in Washtenaw County Circuit Court, officials said.

Prosecutors argued that

Becktel attacked 25-year-old Stephen Kozmiuk with a very large knife during an altercation that started indoors, but spread to the alleyway. Kozmiuk suffered more than 40 wounds to his torso, hands and arms and nearly bled to death at the scene, according to testimony. The two were drinking heavily together when the fight started.

Becktel, 36, was already convicted of the crime by a jury in 2008 and was ordered to serve 15 to 40 years in prison. However, the Michigan Court of Appeals overturned the verdict in March because Washtenaw County Circuit Judge David Swartz did not administer the jury oath required by law.

Washtenaw County prosecutors did not appeal the ruling. "I saw this as a technicality, a minor mistake that didn't change the view of that jury or a different one," said Saline Detective Don Lupi, who investigated the case. "We all make mistakes and have to work through them."

Unlike his first trial, Becktel testified that he could not remember details of the attack, but that he did not intend to kill Kozmiuk, who was described as a drinking buddy.

He remains in custody and will likely face the same sentence next month, officials said.

### Man enters plea deal for vehicle arson

A Monroe man has pleaded guilty to setting fire to a pickup truck outside an urgent care facility in Ann Arbor.

Court records show Fred Brooks, 30, pleaded guilty to one count of arson of personal property between \$200 and \$1,000 for the June 11 fire outside a building on East Stadium Boulevard on the city's south side.

The misdemeanor charge is punishable by up to 93 days in

the Washtenaw County Jail. Prosecutors agreed to drop a felony count of arson of personal property exceeding \$1,000 at sentencing, scheduled for Aug. 27. Brooks also agreed to pay more than \$1,700 in restitution, records indicate.

Police said Brooks set the fire as a distraction while he tried to commit another crime that afternoon. He was arrested near the scene and was immediately taken to the University of Michigan Medical Center for a psychiatric evaluation.

He remains free after posting a \$500 bond.

### Armed robbery suspects get prison time

The men who robbed two Ann Arbor teenagers at gunpoint downtown late last year were sentenced to prison.

Ronald King Jr. and Daniel James Pitchford, both 20, were ordered to serve nine to 20 years in prison for armed robbery, and then an additional mandatory two years for committing a felony crime with a firearm, court records show.

They pleaded guilty to the charges last month. They were arrested shortly after using a shotgun to rob a 17-year-old boy and 15-year-old boy of cash and other miscellaneous items while sitting in a parked vehicle in the 400 block of South First Street at about 7 p.m. Dec. 27, 2009. No one was injured.

Officers responding to the scene followed fresh snow tracks to a nearby apartment, where they found King, Pitchford and the stolen property.

Prison records show King was on probation at the time of the crime for a conviction in Genesee County for conspiracy to commit armed robbery.

### Former Wolverine enters another plea deal

A former University of Michigan football player has pleaded guilty to a second rob-

bery charge involving a cab driver, court records show.

Boubacar Cissoko, 22, recently pleaded guilty as charged to larceny from a person for a March 13 robbery of a cab driver in Ypsilanti. Authorities later learned that a few hours after the robbery, Cissoko held up two different food deliverymen not far from his residence along Packard Street.

He pleaded guilty to mul-

tiple robbery charges for those crimes, as well as reduced charges of assault with intent to rob for pointing a pellet gun at an Ann Arbor cab driver and demanding his money on April 18, court records show. He faces up to 15 years in prison at sentencing in Washtenaw County Circuit Judge Archie Brown on Aug. 4.

The standout cornerback played in all 12 games as a freshman in 2008 and started

the first two games of his sophomore season until he was suspended for a violation of team rules. He was reinstated after missing two games and then was dismissed from the team entirely after violating unspecified team rules for the second time in October 2009.

Cissoko remains in custody pending sentencing, records show.

—Compiled by freelance journalist Art Aisner

## Death Notices

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**ABATE, ESTHER**, age 91, died on July 23, 2010. In the loving embrace of family and friends, Esther was born June 17, 1919, to Earl and Edna Church, in Washington, D.C. Esther was the beloved wife of Vito Abate (deceased), the beloved mother of Bruce Whitman (Marlene), grandmother of Bentley (Kristy), Austin (Theresa), and Jason; and great grandmother of Abigail, Conrad, Lily, and Taylor. She is survived by her brother, David Church (Winona), and her sister, Alma Jean Thornley (Philip), and was preceded by her brother, Gerald Church (Joanne), and sister, Verna Zecoff (Roger). She is also survived by many nieces, nephews, grand nieces, and grand nephews. Esther's vocation and avocation were centered on art. Esther taught art for 35 years in Wyandotte, Michigan. After retirement, she continued teaching at the Friends School in Detroit and in other informal settings. Besides having a passion for teaching art, Esther was a prolific painter, whose paintings grace the homes of family members and locations that were significant to her. Esther had a remarkable ability to be curious and learn painting new pictures, learning computer techniques, trying new health methods, and gaining spiritual insights until the end of her life. She will be dearly missed. A Memorial Service for Esther will be held on Saturday, August 21, 2010, 3 p.m., at the Friends Meeting House, 1420 Hill St., Ann Arbor, Michigan. A Memorial Celebration will be held on Sunday, August 22, 2010, 3 p.m., at the Chelsea Retirement Community Chapel. Memorial gifts may be made to the Friends School in Detroit, c/o Ann Arbor Friends Meeting at the above address. Arrangements by **Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home**, Chelsea.

**ELSASSER, NORWIN**

**FREDERICK (NORM)**, 91, died Wednesday, July 21, 2010, surrounded by his family, at Arbor Hospice Center. He was a life-long resident of Dexter. He was born on January 7, 1919, to Herman Elsassser and Catherine Lutzer Elsassser in Dexter. He graduated from Dexter High School. In 1940, he married Virginia Lee Fish of Ann Arbor and she preceded him in death. He is survived by three sisters, Virgilene Doolin of Loma Linda, California; Jean Eberhard of Detroit; Michigan; and Katherine Lemon of Harrisville, Michigan; two sons, Richard Lee (Gayle) of Georgetown, Texas; and Norwin H. of Drain, Oregon; one daughter, Barbara J. Savery (Jim) of Chelsea, Michigan; seven grandchildren and eight great grandchildren and one great great grandchild. "Norm" was a long-time member of St. Andrews United Church of Christ in Dexter and served on the Board as President. He was also Past Master of the Masonic Lodge in Dexter. He joined the Navy during WW II and served in New Guinea as part of the Pacific campaign. Upon his return home, Norm re-joined Hoover Ball and Bearing Company in Ann Arbor where he worked as a supervisor for over 18 years. In 1958, he purchased Pinkston's Gulf Service Station in Dexter and operated it as Norm's Gulf Service for over 20 years. In his retirement, he worked for the Busch grocery store in Dexter for 8 years. Norm enjoyed fishing and was an avid gardener in retirement. After cremation, a Memorial Service will be held at St. Andrews United Church of Christ on Saturday, July 31, 2010 at 11 a.m. in Dexter. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to St. Andrews United Church of Christ Memorial Fund. Arrangements by **Hosmer Muehlberg Funeral Chapel**.

**MURPHY, JOANNE E.**, age 45, of Roselle, IL. Services for Joanne Murphy (nee, Stierle) will be held at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Trinity Lutheran Church, 405 S. Rush, Roselle, IL. Please meet at the Church. Cremation is private. Visitation will be from 3 to 9 p.m. Sunday, at **Salerno's Rosedale Chapels**, 450 W. Lake St. (3/4 mile W. of Bloomingdale/Roselle Rd.) Roselle. She was the beloved wife of Joseph, devoted mother of Sean and the late Jack Murphy; loving daughter of Neil and Christine Stierle; daughter-in-law of June E. and the late James Murphy; and dear sister of Mary (Bill) Rebstock. Please omit flowers. For information, call 630-889-1700.



**HOLTZ, JANE MUMFORD**, of Jackson, passed away June 22, 2010, at Vista Grande Villa. She was 92. She was preceded in death by her husband of 67 years, Richard D., and brother, Eldred Mumford. She is survived by her son, Richard D. Holtz Jr., daughter, Joanne (Fred) Swope; granddaughter, Jennifer L. (Daniel) Hunderer; grand son, Matthew F. (Kayla) Swope; sister, Ruth Fox; and nieces, Melody (Joseph) Stevens, Nancy Delinger and Sharon Mumford. Jane was born June 12, 1918, in Carney's Point, NJ. A graduate of Philadelphia's Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing, she served as a Red Cross nurse until she was recruited into the Army Nurse Corps prior to World War II. While stationed at Fort Belvoir, VA, she met Army Major Richard Holtz, and they were married November 25, 1941. Mrs. Holtz was a preschool teacher, a school nurse, and an industrial nurse. She served in many volunteer capacities, including leadership in Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, St. Paul Women's Association, and United Methodist Women. She was a member of Quakers and PEO. Thoughtful and kind, she was a supportive wife, a wonderful mom, and a great friend and companion. She will be remembered as a warm and gracious lady with a good sense of humor. A Memorial Service was held on Monday, July 26, 2010 at 11 a.m., at the First United Methodist Church in Jackson. Memorial Contributions may be directed to the First United Methodist Church. Friends may send condolences or share a memory with the family at **Wetherby Funeral Home** 517.787.7511. [WetherbyFuneralHome.com](http://WetherbyFuneralHome.com).

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## How personality traits affect financial planning

The ancient Greek expression "know thyself" carries a lot of weight when it comes to investing. Indeed, investors' personalities can speak volumes to their ability to spot opportunities and avoid risk.

If more people truly "knew themselves" when it came to money over the last decade, it's arguable we would not have seen many of the individual excesses and mistakes that marked the recent economic slowdown.

Many companies and experts have attempted to label various money personalities over the years. And while there is no definitive set of definitions, taking a look at these efforts can at least get you thinking about where you are on the spectrum and how that's affected your decision-making.

One of the most recent high-profile efforts came from financial services firm TransAmerica in 2008, with its study revealing four basic investing personalities, including:

Venturers take a "nothing ventured, nothing gained" attitude with their money, but their potential pitfall is that they're overconfident in their level of preparedness.

Anchored individuals always "stay on the safe side," but extreme risk aversion might leave them unprepared.

Pursuers will "try anything once" but their continual efforts to grab at new directions might leave them without a clear plan.

Adapters take investment situations "as they come," but may not be realizing their full potential as investors.

Now even if you have a handle on your money personality, what do you do with that information? It might make sense to seek advice from a trained financial professional to review the plans you've made and take you in a direction that not only suits your comfort level but also your future financial success.

If you've never worked with a financial planner before, one of the first steps in the process should be reviewing or filling out a risk analysis questionnaire.

Risk tolerance is an important part of investing - everyone knows that. But the real value of answering a lot of questions about your risk tolerance is to tell you what you don't know. Your view of money has been shaped by the sources of that money, the way you made your money and how you're handling it now. Those factors will all inform every decision you make about your money in the future.

Here are some of the questions you might be asked:

• What's important about money?

• What do you do with your money?

• If money was absolutely not an issue, what would you do with your life?

• Has the way I've made my money, through work, marriage or inheritance, affected the way I think about it in a particular way?

• How much debt do I have and how do I feel about it?

• Am I more concerned about maintaining the value of my initial investment or making a profit from it?

• Am I willing to give up that

stability for the chance at long-term growth?

• What am I most likely to enjoy spending money on?

• How would I feel if the value of my investment dropped for several months?

• How would I feel if the value of my investment dropped for several years?

• How's my health and my health insurance coverage?

• What kind of physical and financial shape are my parents in?

One of the toughest aspects of getting a financial plan going is recognizing how your personal style, mindset and life situation might affect your investment decisions.

A financial professional will understand this challenge and can help you think through your choices. Your resulting portfolio should feel like a perfect fit for you.

However, a planner can help you do much more than control risk on the investment side. You can also work to develop an emergency fund that will support you in case you lose a job or experience a protracted leave of absence due to health or care giving issues.

A planner can also make sure you have a disaster plan in place in case you're disabled or your home is hit by a natural disaster.

Financial risk can take many forms, and a planner can help you work through those issues key to your lifestyle.

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# Kids shine at 4-H Youth Show

By Lisa Allmendinger  
Heritage Newspapers

**W**hen this year's 4-H Youth Show ends Friday night, Patti Vaassen of Ann Arbor and Krickett Luckhardt of Dexter will pack up and leave the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds as participants for the last time.

Both have exhibited each summer for as long as they can remember.

There are about 9,000 projects entered, says Lynn Rich, the 4-H Youth Fair coordinator and assistant manager at the Farm Council Grounds, located in Lodi Township.

"It's about the same as last year," he says, adding that the beef cow entry is down a bit, but the feeder calf entry is up.

There are also fewer sheep and goats, but all of the entered animals are taking up the same amount of space as last year.

He says that there are about 170 horses entered and about 640 kids signed up to show in the many different divisions and classes at the annual show case.

Rich estimates that about 15,000 people will attend the event throughout its run.

"This is all about the kids," he says, adding that the hogs are usually the most popular animals.

"Some of these kids have never seen a live hog," he says, "especially the preschool children that are bused to the show during the week."

Luckhardt says she has shown almost every species of animal, except llama and horses.

Her long history at the show includes just about every still exhibit project, as well.

On Monday, she was explaining the history of a flower arrangement entry, which she had placed in a lamp. The judges awarded her a blue ribbon

and held onto it for further consideration for additional honors.

"The lamp was my grand-ma's," she says.

Luckhardt decided to repurpose it as the base of a flower arrangement after her grandmother's death.

"The bottom lights up," she says, adding that finding a bulb to fit it was the hardest part of the project.

Luckhardt says she has a large plastic tub filled with ribbons at home, "and those are just the ones I remembered to take home," she says.

All of her still projects go "in my house or in my room," she says of her handiwork.

"Photography is my favorite," she says, adding that she'll show two ducks, two rabbits and two chickens at this year's youth show. That's in addition to all of her other still projects.

Vaassen, 18, a member of Saline 4-H Farmers 4-H Club, says she used to show sheep, but switched to steers.

In looking back at her youth show years, Vaassen says her family has shown cattle for many generations.

"My older sister, my parents and my grandparents have shown cattle," she says.

In addition to meeting new people and renewing friendships with other 4-H members at the annual event, she says caring for animals teaches responsibility both at home and at the event.

The show runs through Friday night. Thursday includes an activity tent from 9 a.m. to noon of hands-on activities.

Friday features the Ag Olympics at 3:30 p.m., a barbecue, the horse Grand Entry and Sweepstakes showmanship.

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Josh Bunn, 9, of Manchester, a member of On Target 4-H Club, takes Casper to get a bath before he shows in the mentor program with a feeder calf at the annual 4-H Youth Show at the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds in Lodi Township.



Patti Vaassen, 18, of Ann Arbor, a member of Saline 4-H Farmers 4-H Club, waters her beef cattle Monday at the 4-H Youth Show at the Washtenaw County Farm Council Grounds.



Krickett Luckhardt of Dexter shows off her winning flower arrangement. This is Luckhardt's last year showing at the 4-H Youth Show.



Garrett Fischer of Dexter, a member of Backwoods Farms 4-H Club, takes his bottle baby calf outside to get a bath Monday at the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds in Lodi Township.

Photos  
By Lisa Allmendinger

## Dance Xplosion takes home national honors

**D**ancers from Milan ended up the national champions, earning more than \$500 in cash award at a recent Kids Artistic Review National Dance Competition in Toledo.

The award-winning piece was staged and directed by Heidi Wuerthele, owner and director of Dance Xplosion in Milan.

Professional tap choreographer Anthony LoCascio of San Jose, Calif., created choreography for the piece.

Wuerthele said the dancers worked for months to perfect the sound quality and overall performance of the piece.

"There's a lot of sweat that goes into bringing a large group of tappers together, but we love it," Wuerthele said.

Dance Xplosion entered more than 20 routines in the competition. Several Dance Explosion students placed in the overall high point category for the competition, which had more than 700 entries.

"It's a great feeling to watch so many of your students stand tall and proud of their achievements," Wuerthele said.

Dance Xplosion will soon be back in full swing preparing new routines for the upcoming 2010-11 dance season.

Registration for fall classes will be from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Aug. 20 and 21.

For more information on Dance Xplosion or registration for fall classes, visit [www.dancexplosion.net](http://www.dancexplosion.net).



Pictured are, in back, Dance Xplosion's Nicole Gonzalez (left), Christine Garcia, Nicole Nangle and Olivia Wonsay; center, Alyssa Lipowski (left), Olivia Wasienski, Lexi Fuller and Abby Wittkopp; and, in front, Lauren Smith and Annika Mawby.

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# Mostly Music Camp to open

By Daniel Lai  
Heritage Newspapers

**C**hildren who love to dance, sing and perform are invited to attend the Ann Arbor Piano Teachers Guild's 16th annual Mostly Music Camp Aug. 16 through 20 at Grace Bible Church in Ann Arbor.

"Our camp is different than most traditional summer camps," Camp Director Merilee Magnuson said. "We have workshops that are tailored toward specific age groups so that everyone can enjoy music and music-related activities."

The camp is open to all youth in preschool through seventh grade.

Magnuson said the camp's name emphasizes its goal to focus on several aspects of the performing arts.

"The camp isn't just about music. Anyone who wants their children to experience the arts is welcome," she said.

Workshops at the camp are taught by trained members of the Ann Arbor Piano Teachers Guild and include "Adventures in Music" for 4- and 5-year-olds; "Fun with Music" for first- and second-graders; "Movin' and Groovin'" for first- through sixth-graders; "Get Ready, Get Set, Go!" for second- and third-graders; "Creative Music Exploration" for third- through sixth-graders; "Puppets Alive!" for fourth- through sixth-graders; and "Discovery at the Piano" for fourth- through seventh-graders.

"Our camp is structured a little different than most summer camps," Magnuson said in a previous interview. "Attendees choose one class they want to attend and they are in that class for the entire week. At the end of each day, we have a special presentation."

Some of the special presentations include a concert by Fiddlers ReStrung, based in Saline, and Laszlo Slomovits of the band Gemini.

The camp costs \$155 and runs a half-day from 9 a.m. to noon. Proceeds from the camp benefit the AAAPG Foundation Awards Fund. The camp is offering a \$15 discount for tuition through an online coupon promotion. Participations can download and print the coupon at [www.arborlist.com](http://www.arborlist.com) and attach it to their registration form.

Magnuson said registration has been lower this year and some classes are in danger of closing. If a class is not offered, students who are already registered for the class will be offered another choice.

Since it's founding in 1994, Magnuson said interest in the camp has grown every year.

"When we started the camp, there was nothing like it in the area," she said. "After a few years, word started to spread and we have had pretty good attendance every year."

For more information, or to register for the camp, visit [www.aaapgtf.org](http://www.aaapgtf.org) or call 426-8337.

Daniel Lai can be reached at 429-7380 or [dla@heritage.com](mailto:dla@heritage.com). Listen to our audio interview with Magnuson about the Mostly Music Camp at <http://ipad.io.M90>.

## Concert to help homeless animals

Two Metro Detroit bands will perform a benefit concert to help homeless pets in Washtenaw County in September.

The Sugar People and Killer Night Out will be in concert at 9 p.m. Sept. 18 at Savoy in Ypsilanti. Tickets are \$10, and all proceeds benefit the Humane Society of Huron Valley.

The Sugar People's sound has been described as a blend of rhythm and blues, soul and guitar-driven rock, and the band is known for its hooky pop sensibility and epic rock orchestrations.

The Sugar People take the stage fronted by the trio of Lulu Dahl, Jacobe Stamper and guitar man Jeff Wenzel.

Killer Night Out, formerly known as The Mea Culpa, is the brainchild of brother and sister duo Charm Rock and Mara. The sound produced by Killer Night Out has been compared to Led Zeppelin, Green Day and Janis Joplin.

Killer Night Out has played from their home state of Michigan to California and shared the stage with acts like Marcy Playground, Cold and Taproot. The band's debut album is in the works.

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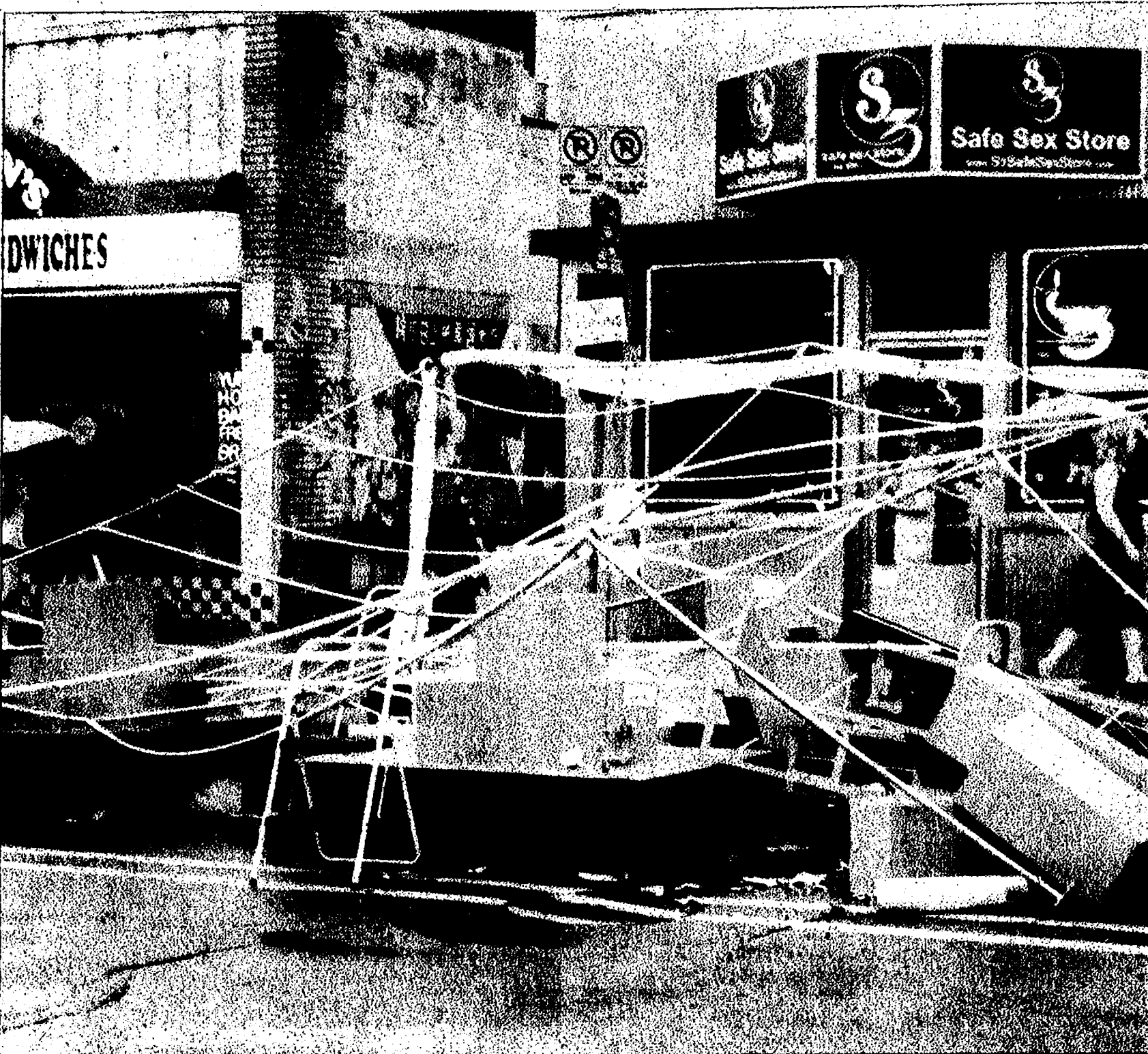


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Artists from Ann Arbor's Yourist Studio Gallery left their booth at the art fair only minutes before it collapsed under the pressure of collected rain water during severe storms Friday night. The 10 artists represented at the booth lost approximately 20 pots collectively.

## Storm rips through art fairs

### Art studio's booth collapses; many pieces destroyed

By Steven Howard  
Heritage Newspapers

**T**he artists from Ann Arbor's Yourist Studio Gallery could only watch Friday night as heavy rain and winds ripped apart their art fair booth on South University Avenue, destroying many pieces of their cherished handmade pottery.

Catherine Fillmore said she and her fellow artists were forced to take refuge inside Starbucks at about 6:30 p.m., when it became clear the torrential rains were getting worse.

"At first, people were coming in out of the rain and buying stuff," she said, but said when the lightning started they asked customers to leave.

Many of the artists themselves, however, stayed on, attempting to push out the water that was rapidly accumulating on the top of their tent, Fillmore said.

That is when Rosie Gomez said neighboring artist Chris Jackson ran out of Starbucks and told them all that they needed to get inside because there was a tornado warning.

"He was like, 'Get in here now,'" she said.

Moments later, Yourist Studios' entire steel-framed booth collapsed under the weight of the collecting rain, falling on top of its pottery collection.

collection.

"They were trying to be troopers," Jackson said, "but two minutes later, the whole thing came down. It's scary stuff because (with the storm) you don't know what is coming next."

In all, Fillmore said the studio lost about 20 pots out of about 100 it had on display.

The damage could have been much worse, Fillmore said, if it were not for the efforts of a large group of spur-of-the-moment volunteers.

"We probably had 25 people come in and help us," she said, "just strangers."

As for the salvaged art work, it had a dry home for the evening, Fillmore said.

"Middle Earth is storing our pots for us," she said.

Fillmore said she and other artists intended to resume sales when the art fair opened again Saturday morning.

"We just need to get the steel frame out of here and we'll be open air tomorrow," she said.

The rain began at about 6 p.m. at the fairs and many other booths were visibly damaged from the winds and rain, some collapsing and others flipping over.

All three art fairs were closed for the evening in the wake of the storms.

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# Malfunction dumps sewage into Sugarloaf Lake

## DEQ officials to investigate cause of incident

By Crystal Hayduk  
Special Writer

The sewage lift station on Guinan Road in Chelsea failed on July 11, discharging an estimated 4,000 gallons of raw sewage into Sugarloaf Lake. Although the exact amount of sewage that spilled into the lake is unknown, residents who live near the lake are distressed.

Several property owners on the lake who refused to be identified did not hear about the accident until July 13, as news of the spill spread via word of mouth among neighbors.

Bob Halliwell, superintendent of the Sylvan Township Water and Sewer Authority Board and local liaison for the sewer system, which is operated by the Leoni Regional Sewer Authority, had not returned phone calls as of press time.

According to Jeff Surfus, analyst at the state Department of Environmental Quality, the department is trying to determine why the system has had several failures and is working to solve communication problems.

"There's a sensor at the lift station that is programmed to detect problems and to automatically notify Leoni," he said. "Something isn't working because this particular spill was noticed by a person passing by the area. On the flip side, we've seen this system cry wolf where it says there's a problem and it turns out that there isn't one."

Additionally, when a sewage problem exists, the owner of the system or a designated representative is required to contact the health department, the DEQ, and the local newspaper.

Daniel Lai, editor of the Chelsea Standard, said he had not been formally notified as of July 16.

The Washtenaw County Public Health Department was

not notified of the sewage discharge until July 13, according to Leon Moore, environmental health supervisor. A sanitation "immediately went to the lake and collected samples," Moore said.

"The amount of discharge that got into the lake is undetermined, since some also ran off to the other side of the road," she said.

Moore said that the sample results were available on July 15 and showed that the residential side of Sugarloaf Lake was safe for swimming. He explained that high bacterial counts dissipate naturally due to dilution and wind direction.

"There will be ongoing discussions and we'll be following up with Bob Halliwell. We're hopeful to get some changes implemented to prevent this from recurring," he said.

Moore also expressed concern for local residents.

"We need to improve the notification process, especially during the peak recreation time," he said. "If there is sig-

nificant risk to the residents, the health officer would issue a public health advisory."

The health department maintains a public bathing beach sampling program, in which public beaches are tested at least once a week throughout the summer. The beach at Sugarloaf Lake Campground, opposite from the residential

area, was closed on July 12 due to results obtained from scheduled samples taken on July 9. This closure is unrelated to the sewage discharge.

Campground spokesman Gary Jones said that it is important to note that the campground beach closure is an isolated event due to the population of geese who are

drawn to the beach in search of scraps.

"They (the health department) will sample every couple of days and hopefully we'll be open again soon," he said.

The DEQ maintains a web listing of public beaches with closures or advisories, and can be accessed at [www.deq.state.mi.us/beach](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/beach).

## Car show set for Aug. 14

On Aug. 14, the fourth annual Kidney Car Show will take place at the Dexter A&W during Dexter Daze. Classic cars from around the area will gather at the A&W, 8220 Dexter-Chelsea Road. Registration for car entries begins at 11 a.m. and the festivities run from noon to 3 p.m.

Early bird registration for the Kidney Car Show is \$15 and includes a free event T-shirt as well as an entry into the competition. The registration form is available at [www.nkfm.org](http://www.nkfm.org). The event is free to the public.

The Kidney Car Show, and the Ann Arbor/Brighton Kidney Walk on Sept. 12, support the National Kidney Foundation of Michigan's Peer Mentoring Program. The program teaches kidney patient volunteers to counsel new patients as they go through the day-to-day struggles of living with chronic kidney disease.

Patrons at the Kidney Car Show will be able to vote on their favorite cars by giving a \$1 donation for each vote. The contestant with the most votes receives an event trophy and a

year's worth of free root beer from Dexter A&W. All money raised from the car show as well as 10 percent of all A&W sales from noon to 3 p.m. will go to the NKFM.

The Kidney Car Show will feature oldies music, door prizes, and a silent auction with items such as restaurant gift cards, oil changes, and local massages.

For more information or to register, contact the NKFM at 1-800-482-1455 or visit [www.nkfm.org](http://www.nkfm.org).

## Mission Marketplace to host fair trade show Saturday

As part of the Sounds and Sights Festival weekend, the Mission Marketplace in downtown Chelsea will host a fair trade trunk show from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the former Chelsea Gallery location on Friday and Saturday.

"We have invited some of our very best fair trade suppliers from China, Ecuador, South Africa, Uganda and Zimbabwe. We are also honored to have representatives from Mindo Chocolate in Dexter, who will demonstrate how chocolate is changed from raw cocoa nibs into the most delectable treat as well as a chocolate and a fair trade coffee sampling," Kevin Frahm, executive director of The Mission Marketplace said. "We're fortunate to showcase some local artistry in tie dyed apparel, henna art, chair massages and a botanical jeweler fresh from the Ann Arbor Art Fairs."

As customers wander around the Mission Marketplace, they will discover handmade crafts and clothing made by artisans in 50 lesser developed countries. The Mission Marketplace stocks handmade artwork, jewelry, drums, pots and clothes along with a selection of fair

trade coffee and chocolate, crafts and several other fair-trade products all produced by village farmers and artisans in countries such as Ghana, Mexico, Peru and Indonesia.

The Mission Marketplace works with fair trade groups in Central and South America, Africa, Asia and the United States. These groups pay the artisans a fair wage for their goods as well as helping

with product development, enabling artisans to earn a fair and stable income for their families while maintaining cultural traditions.

"As part of the growing international fair-trade movement, The Mission Marketplace operates on the premise that consumer habits in affluent countries need not be supported at the expense of the poor in developing countries," Frahm said. "It is a different economic model — we don't have to be a race to the bottom. We can pay a decent price for these products while the artisans on the other end can live a decent life."

"As a customer looks over the selection of products offered for sale at The Mission Marketplace, they are reminded

of the human experiences that unite us all — love for our families, a desire for dignity and respect and hopes for the future."

To be considered fair trade, people who make the product must receive a sharing wage, have safe working conditions and utilize ecologically sustainable practices, Frahm said.

"We're raising awareness about fair trade issues and helping artisans and other workers around the world," he said.

The Mission Marketplace is located at 117 S. Main St. in Chelsea. For more information, call 1-734-475-7604 or visit [www.themissionmarketplace.com](http://www.themissionmarketplace.com).

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# 'Builder's Apprentice' a delightful story of pursuing a dream

Author Andy Hoffman custom built his career.

In "Builder's Apprentice," he takes readers through his decision to quit an engineering job, turn down acceptances to graduate school at Harvard and Berkeley, buy the best hammer and pick-up truck he could afford, and take a job as a carpenter.

I never thought I'd find the world of homebuilding and the real-life characters that inhabit it so fascinating.

But Hoffman makes a convincing case for both in his memoir published by Huron River Press.

He leads readers into the sawdust, bolts and the nails of building a high-end custom home — one board, one electrical outlet, one concrete pour at a time.

"When I was 26, I fell in love," the forward begins.

"The object of my affection was not a woman, but a house, an extraordinary house that sits atop a gently sloping hill along a rural highway in southwestern Connecticut," it reads.

Hoffman had me at page one and held me captive through all 325 pages.

I loved this book, and the story of a five-year journey the author took more than 20 years ago.

He built several homes during this time, after which he penned a book that will inspire people to follow their personal passion regardless of its popularity with family and friends.

Perhaps one of the reasons I enjoyed Hoffman's decision to chuck it all and follow his dreams is because that's what I did.

And what I'm still doing 30 years later.

Hoffman described it as "completely immers-

ing (him) self in a new culture and adopting its rules and beliefs as (his) own."

After helping a friend build a deck, he answered a newspaper ad for carpenters, left a job for which he had a college degree, and headed off to Nantucket and an hourly carpentry job for which he had zero qualifications.

Under the tutelage of builder Jack Schneider, Hoffman went from a desk job to a laborer's and then a supervisor's job, and loved almost every minute of it.

This book was crafted with as much loving care for the English



Andy Hoffman

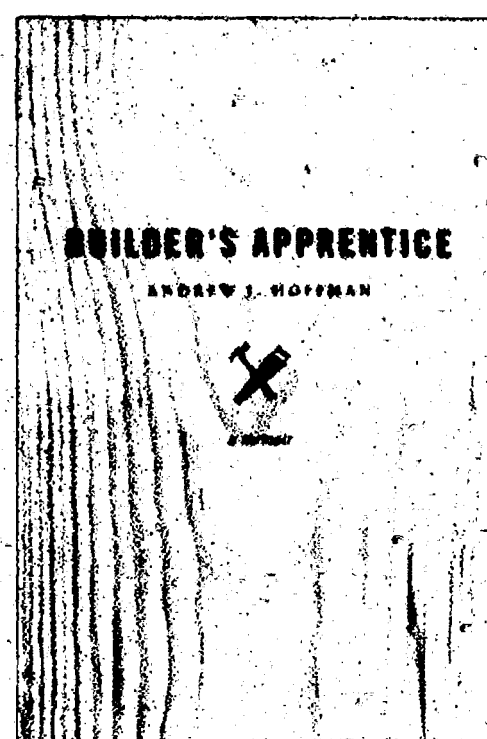
language as the nuts and bolts of the homes that Hoffman helped to build.

"As I stood in the halls, I was alone and yet felt completely connected. The house was a part of me and I was a part of it," he wrote.

The intricacies of the building process are explained with such passion that I wanted to pick up a hammer and build something.

The message it offers to anyone who ever wanted to follow a dream is one worth heeding, even if it has nothing to do with carpentry.

This book is a beautifully written depiction of the personalities and intricate dance that takes place



"When I was 26, I fell in love. The object of my affection was not a woman, but a house, an extraordinary house that sits atop a gently sloping hill along a rural highway in southwestern Connecticut."

home.

Currently, Hoffman is a University of Michigan professor. "I build young minds with books and lectures where I once built homes with wood and nails," he writes.

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## Fundraiser to aid Girl Scouts

Shoppers at Girl Scouts' Sidewalk Sale, which started July 26 and runs through Friday, can now enjoy "down home Alabama-style barbecue" and help send girls to Girl Scout Camp.

The Barbecue Spot will serve ribs, pulled pork, chicken, Italian sausage, hot dogs and beverages on the grounds of the Summer Sidewalk Sale from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan, Ann Arbor Regional Center, 1900 Manchester Road, near the split between Washtenaw Avenue and Stadium Boulevard.

The Barbecue Spot will donate 20 percent of all sales to the Girl Scouts' campaign to provide camp scholarships.

"When it comes to Girl Scout camp, the question shouldn't be 'if' a girl goes to camp, it should be 'where' she will go," said Jan Barker, CEO of Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan, in a news release.

Last year, Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan provided financial assistance for 571 girls to attend Girl Scout camp.

## Saline firm creates trade show display

Saline-based DesignHub Inc. has created a new trade show display and brochure for McCreadie Group Inc. of Ann Arbor.

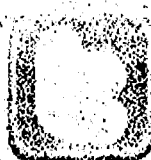
The display and brochure promote McCreadie Group's PharmAcademic software, a Web-based set of integrated tools used by schools and colleges to coordinate the management of their pharmacy education programs.

The new display and brochure was to help McCreadie Group promote PharmAcademic at the annual meeting of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy July 10-14 in Seattle.

DesignHub consulted with Lindsay Exhibit Group of Whitmore Lake on the choice of the display system.

DesignHub then designed the display's graphics, and wrote, designed, and produced the brochure, which is specifically intended to complement the display. McCreadie Group has purchased the display system from Lindsay Exhibit Group.

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This year, girls are still waiting to learn if they will be able to attend camp. The goal of the Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan camp campaign is to make sure that every girl who wants to attend camp will have the chance to do so through a camp scholarship.

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Gift items for girls and boys, books, toys, stationery and Girl Scout gear will all be on sale at the sidewalk sale. All Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan apparel will be discounted.

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Michigan polo shirts will be 15 percent off. Items from Girl Scouts of the USA will also be on sale. All purchases made through GSHOM support programs for girls.

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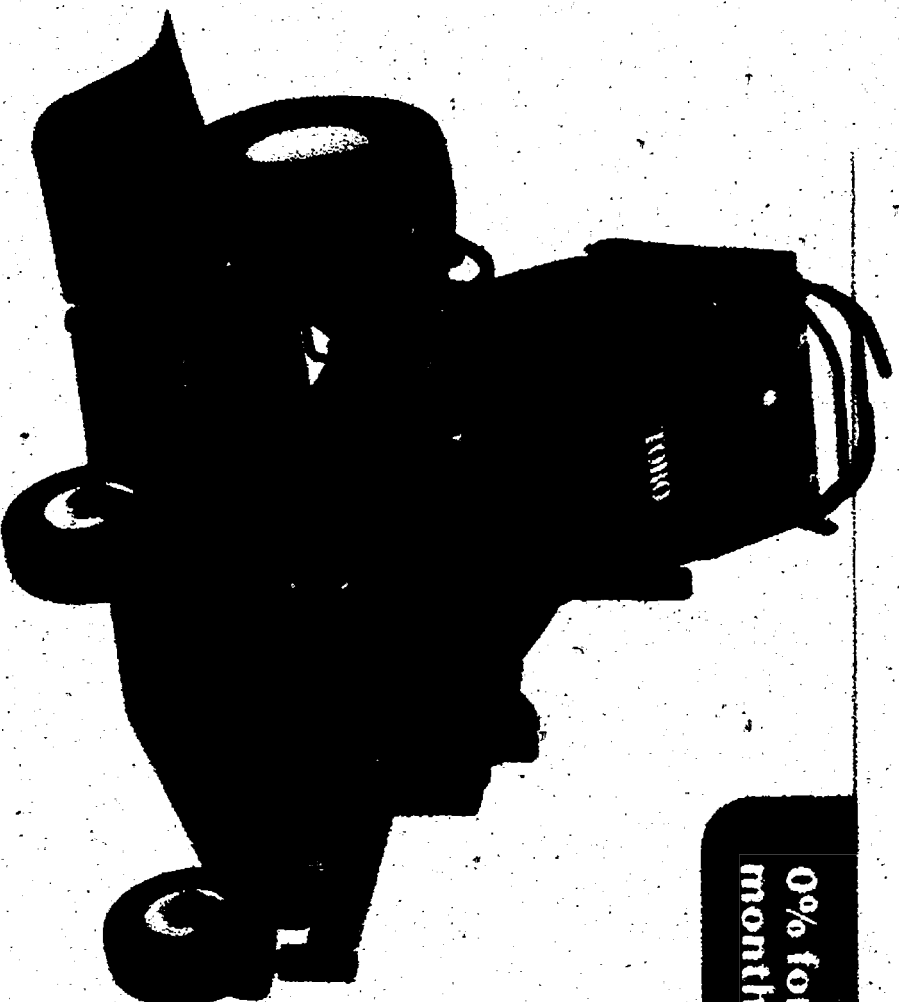
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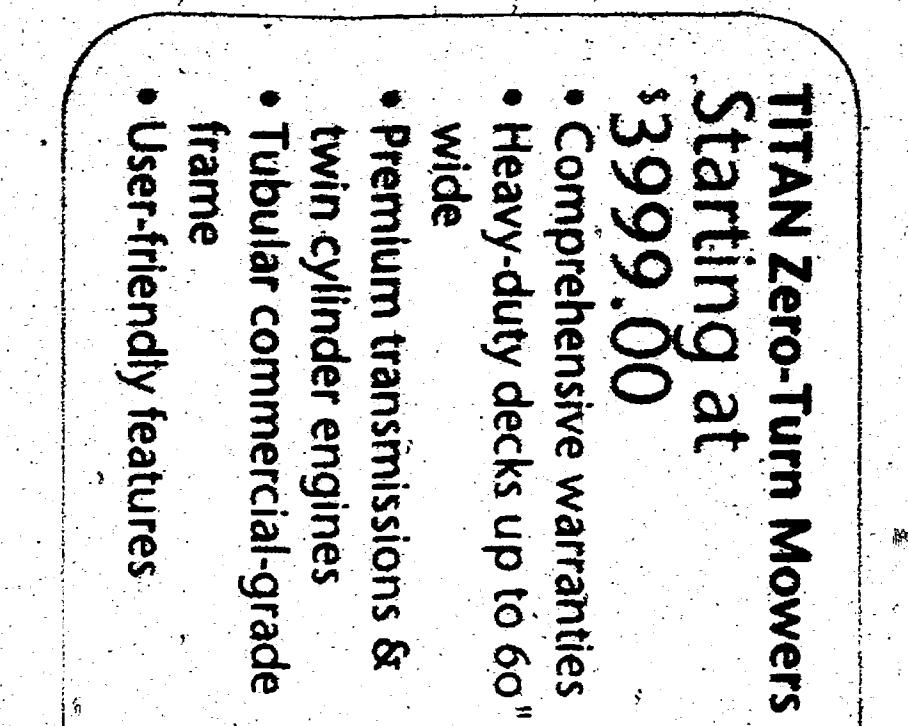
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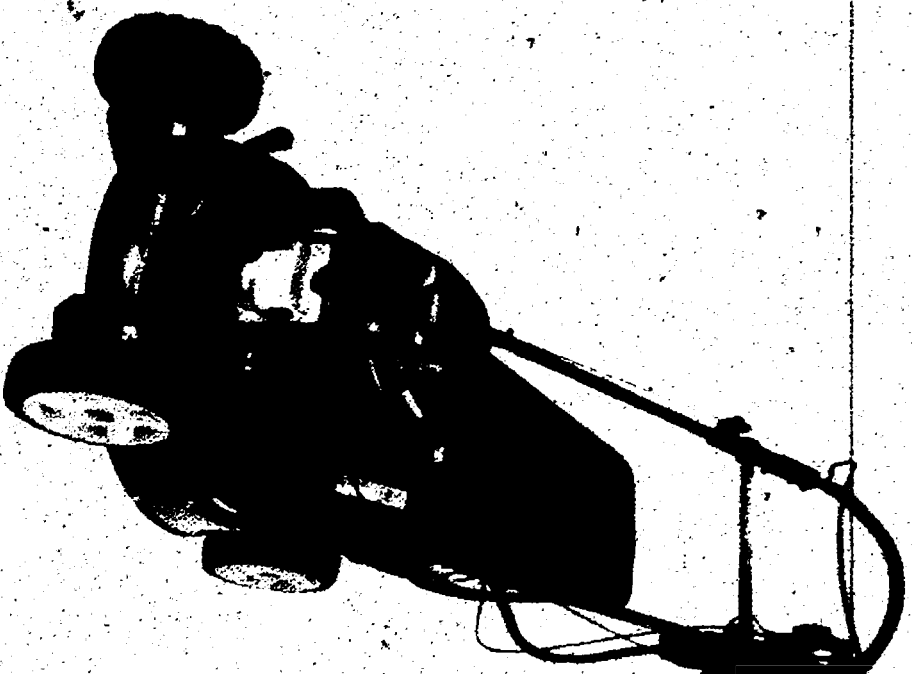
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# Local artist needs T-shirts for ArtPrize creation

*Piece to be called a democracy experiment*

By Sheila Pursglove  
Special Writer

There are people who would give you the shirt off their back. Artist Margaret Parker hopes to find them.

Parker, owner of Margaret Parker Studio in downtown Ann Arbor, has organized a community effort to make a participatory art project. She needs donations of about 200 T-shirts — short sleeved with no collars or special cuts — for her latest creation, "C'ood: a democracy experiment," that she will enter in ArtPrize in Grand Rapids in September.

Parker will host a "T-shirt Party" 6 to 8 p.m. Saturday at Downtown Home & Garden, 210 S. Ashley St. in Ann Arbor. Partygoers can donate a T-shirt sporting "Michigan" or the name of a city or town in Michigan, or \$5, and enjoy food, music, donor gifts and more.

Parker's massive new project grew out of her ArtPrize creation last year, "Escape/Return Escape/Regresso," a tunnel woven out of T-shirts collected from Latin American countries.

"This worked well and became the structural basis for C'ood," Parker said. "ArtPrize generated so much interaction I thought an art project could take advantage of the public's interest in participating."

The placement of her ArtPrize project in Calder Plaza, near City Hall in Grand Rapids, is a big honor, she said.

"The work for that site was selected by the curators at Frederik Meijer Gardens, which is another honor. So, I feel this year will be a big step up for me."

Her creation is a circular tunnel of steel-arches attached to a wooden floor covered with fencing that is woven with cut-up T-shirts from around Michigan, protected and stiffened with acrylic. Texts from the shirts are recorded on the floor. Each of the five entrances is woven with shirts of one color. As the weaving merges around and over the tunnel, colors intermingle; the central opening is surrounded by multicolor weaving.

Visitors can walk around inside the tunnel or go into the central open space.

"By navigating this unfamiliar



Margaret Parker seeks T-shirts from Michigan cities and towns for an art project. She will weave them around a form and enter the piece in an art contest.

space, moving among other viewers, people become part of the experiment in how to find the common good," Parker said. "This becomes a transformational space where people can re-imagine themselves within our communal culture."

Parker, who would like to involve the entire state of Michigan, said T-shirts are an easy way for people to become involved in a project.

"Michigan has gone through so much in the last few years, we really need to pull together and see ourselves in a new light," she said. "Seeing the beauty in the effort of searching

for the common good, acting out that search, is what this piece is all about."

Last year's ArtPrize project gave Parker — whose work has been shown nationally and internationally for three decades — even more visibility. Her work is regularly featured at the WSG Gallery in Ann Arbor, and she has shown in Los Angeles and Chicago.

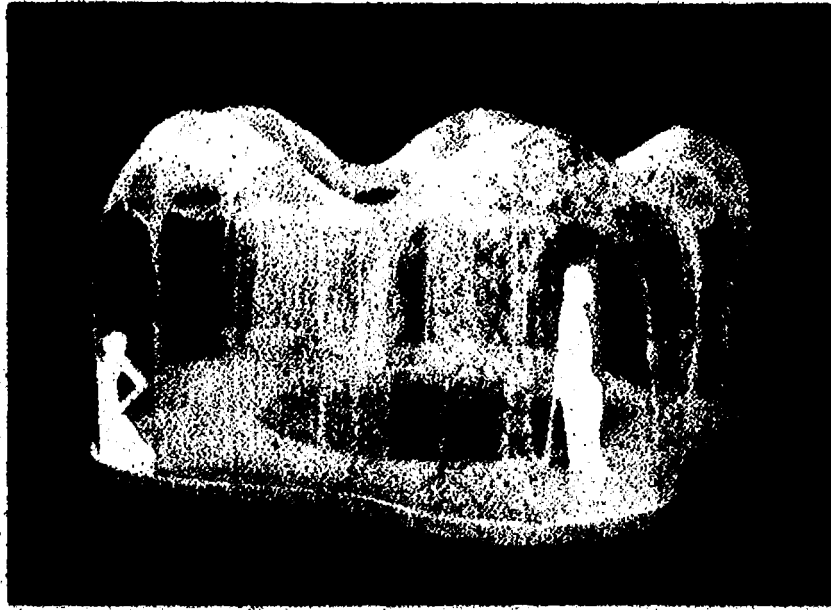
"Fates, an installation" is showing at the River Gallery in Chelsea through the end of August. Her work is included in "Balance," a show touring four sites in Michigan through the end of the year, sponsored

by the Women's Caucus for Art Michigan Chapter.

"ArtPrize pushed me to put more effort into publicizing my work, so I've built a new website at margaretparkerstudio.com and there's a Margaret Parker Studio Facebook page that will follow the progress of 'C'ood,'" she said.

Her biggest challenge for this year's piece is raising funds. The budget is \$15,000 for building materials, building space, an assistant, and the cost of shipping the piece to and from Grand Rapids.

"I hope to use the online fundraising site Kickstarter,



This is the form that Parker will use as she weaves T-shirts for an art project.

com, which connects small and medium projects with a vast Internet audience ready to help support projects that are adventurous and fun," she said.

"The unique thing about this project is that anyone who donates funds, however small, is a participant in the project and the search for the common good."

The second challenge is the amount of work this piece requires to complete.

Volunteers are needed to cut up shirts, help build the structure, do the weaving, organize fundraising, and install the piece in Grand Rapids.

Parker already has collected 90 of 300 shirts needed to finish, and volunteers are cutting up shirts to prepare them to be woven. The installation date is Sept. 14. Volunteers can call 663-1276.

Parker, the daughter of artists in Illinois, has been an artistic force in Washtenaw County since arriving in Ann Arbor in 1967 to attend the University of Michigan School of Art, where she earned a bachelor's degree in fine arts. After college, she lived in a loft in downtown Ann Arbor for several years, learning how to paint.

After 15 years away in New York City and Maine, she and her husband, Mark Hodesh, moved back to Ann Arbor in 1997, and started Downtown Home and Garden, where she has an upstairs studio.

The nonprofit Art Pro Tem, founded by Parker in 1999, showed experimental work in nontraditional spaces. Public art as part of city infrastructure is another way to bring art and people together, and Parker

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has worked on the Ann Arbor Public Art Commission for eight years. She is a member of the Arts Alliance in Washtenaw County, and is involved in Art Walk, a consortium of galleries, exhibition spaces and artists and craftspeople in Ann Arbor. Dexter, Saline, and Ypsilanti. ArtPrize, the branch of Amway heir Rick DeVos will fill the center of downtown Grand Rapids Sept. 22 through Oct. 10, with art from all over the world and offers prizes of up to \$250,000. Last year, 400,000 people came to the three-week event. For more information, visit [www.artprize.org](http://www.artprize.org).

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## Saline man represents HVA in D.C.

Tim Gallagher of Saline, who has worked in emergency medical services for 30 years, represented Huron Valley Ambulance in May at the American Ambulance Association's annual "Stars of Life" event in Washington, D.C.

Gallagher has worked in HVA's 9-1-1 Call Center for 11 years as a dispatcher and a training officer for new dispatchers. He lives with his family in Saline.

"Tim's willingness to always go above and beyond is what makes him an outstanding dispatcher," said HVA COO Jerry Zapolnik in a news release.

Gallagher also received a Certificate of Merit in October 2009 for his assistance at HVA's drive-through flu shot clinic.

Gallagher was awarded a Professional Achievement

Award at HVA's Annual EMS Recognition Awards on May 19.

The AAA Stars of Life celebration recognizes and honors dedicated ambulance service personnel. While in Washington, Gallagher will meet with legislators to discuss issues important to the emergency medical services profession.

The program seeks to raise visibility for ambulance industry issues and remind

legislators of the importance of pre-hospital care.

Four additional full-time employees at Huron Valley Ambulance have been chosen from several company divisions as this year's 'Stars of Life' and will receive recognition during the May 19 awards.

The 'Stars' are operations support technician Paula Abbott from administrative headquarters, paramedic Erik Arlen from eastern

operations, paramedic Steve Champagne from central operations and paramedic Kevin VanDaele from western operations.

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## FARMERS' MARKET PROFILE

# Mystical Rose Acres

Stockton shares love of fiber art with customers

By Krystle Dunham

For Ramona Stockton, being able to provide customers with unique colors and styles of her handcrafted items makes her job well worth it.

"I enjoy knowing all of the hard work that I put into making my products my customers will appreciate," she said.

Stockton and her business, Mystical Rose Acres, can be found at the Chelsea Farmers' Market. She is one of the many vendors lined up in downtown Chelsea every Saturday morning.

This is her first summer at the market.

Stockton, a fiber artist and a full-time nurse at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ypsilanti, said she started her part-time business five years ago. She makes raw fleeces, does quality roving and makes handcrafted items.

She has a farm made up of eight acres of land located between Chelsea and Grass Lake, where she and her family raise animals including goats and Border Leicester sheep.

For her business, Stockton does her own shearing of her animals, washes the material, dyes the fleece and spins the material.

The amount of work Stockton does varies by week, and admitted sometimes she has to spread things out with her work schedule.

"It takes time to build a good product for people who want something unique," she said.

Stockton said her love for being crafty started when she was 12 years old, when her grandmother taught her how to crochet. She said she decided to start spinning about six or 11 years ago, when she had visited some festivals and saw some



Photo by Krystle Dunham  
Ramona Stockton demonstrates fiber art at the Chelsea Farmers' Market on Saturday morning.

spinners at work.

"I found it to be interesting," she said. "Spinning is a lost art."

Customers that stop by Stockton's booth will find her spinning fleece and may even get a quick lesson of how to spin.

From hand hook rugs and scarves, felted purses to knit hats and mittens, Stockton has a variety of items that could meet anyone's needs.

She said the most popular item she sells is her crocheted purses.

"I pride myself on the uniqueness of my product,"

Stockton said. "I have unique colors and styles that other retail stores do not offer."

Stockton said she found the Chelsea market to be a nice close location to bring her business to, where she thought she might gather some interest.

"I'm sure there are enough people out there that knit or do crafts that might be interested in my products," she said.

For more information, call 1-734-260-4350 or e-mail c.p.stockton@att.net.

Krystle Dunham is a freelance writer for the Chelsea Standard. She can be reached at krystleadunham@gmail.com

## Chelsea grad participates in research program

From exploring stress on honeybees to the relationship between math and music to the stories of stillbirth, 18 Goshen College students are spending the summer doing intense study and research during the college's eight-week Maple Scholars program during the month of July.

The program gives students the opportunity to participate in independent research projects alongside Goshen College

faculty of various disciplines. Each scholar is paired with a faculty member who serves as both colleague and supervisor.

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Liz Gunden of Chelsea, an art major, is working on a mural painting project in the Goshen College Roman Gingerich Recreation-Fitness Center with Associate Professor Randy Horst. Gunden, daughter of Burdette and Charlotte Gunden, is a 2007 graduate of Chelsea High School and

attends Shalom Community Church.

The college's Maple Scholars program began in 1998. Students in Maple Scholars work with professors who can answer their questions and guide them in their research and learning. Students also get the chance to share their work together in a colloquium each Friday, and there they share their project and engage other students across disciplines.

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The study measures overall investor satisfaction with full service investment firms based on seven factors: investment advisor, portfolio performance, account information, account offerings, commissions and fees, website and problem resolution. The J.D. Power and Associates study found that Edward Jones "performed particularly well across the two highest-weighted factors: investment advisor and investment performance."

Edward Jones' overall score climbed 10 points over last year, when it also was ranked highest among the 12 largest firms

rated.

The 2010 Full Service Investor Satisfaction Study is based on responses from 4,460 investors who primarily invest with one of the 12 firms included in the study. The study was fielded in May 2010.

Edward Jones ranked highest in investor satisfaction by J.D. Power and Associates in 2009, from 2005 through 2007, and in a tie in 2002, when the study began. Edward Jones in Canada twice ranked highest in the J.D. Power and Associates Canadian Full Service Investor Satisfaction Study.

Edward Jones provides financial services for individual investors in the United States and, through its affiliate, in Canada. Every aspect of the firm's business, from the types of investment options offered to the location of branch offices, is designed to cater

to individual investors in the communities in which they live and work. The firm's 12,000-plus financial advisors work directly with nearly 7 million clients to understand their personal goals - from college savings to retirement - and create long-term investment solutions that emphasize a well-balanced portfolio and a buy-and-hold strategy.

Edward Jones embraces the importance of building long-term, face-to-face relationships with clients, helping them to understand and make sense of the investment options available today.

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# Jackson Street Jam promotes historic buildings

**Event scheduled for Aug. 6 along Jackson corridor**

By Kathy Clark  
Guest Writer

Pick your mantra — "This Place Matters," "Save These Buildings," "Keeping Our Past Present" — all speak to the hopes of many national and state preservation leaders, local citizens and organizations to preserve the historic character of Chelsea in the Jackson Street Corridor, by saving the three Longworth buildings on Jackson Street and adaptively reusing them.

A celebration and free concert from 6 to 7 p.m. on Aug. 6 will take place just west of the Chelsea Train Depot, sponsored by Preservation Chelsea. Two Chelsea youth bands will perform at the "Jackson Street Jam." Dr. Dwayne and the Bad Boys from Spain and The Poor House bands will be performing jazz and classic rock with a fusion of modern pop music.

Jackson Street will be blocked off west of the depot for the evening. A few local leaders and citizens will speak between songs about why these buildings matter.

Remarkably, an entire complex of buildings representing the history of the Chelsea community is still present today on Jackson Street. Along with the 1880 train depot, the Chelsea House Livery, a brick factory building known as the "Mack Building," and the "Daniels Showroom," which fronts on Main Street, remain. These three "Longworth buildings," as they became known, were purchased by the Downtown Development Authority in December 2008. These buildings represent the hub of the economic beginnings of Chelsea and are interconnected in history.

Chelsea residents in the 19th century grew up around this intersection of a major north-south wagon road (currently M-52) and a new Detroit-Chicago railroad line. It became a major shipping point for agriculture and milling products with its freight depot, passenger depot, hotel and livery. Manufacturing was advantageously located here in 1891 with the Glazier-Strong Stove Co. Another factory was built in early 1900 to make bicycles, gadgets and the first Welch automobile prototypes.

Jackson and Main streets remained the economic center of town until better paved roads and expressways facilitated other transportation networks.

Rapid change over the years altered the look and function of the buildings. Chelsea House Hotel replaced their wooden livery with concrete in 1906. The factory, now known as the "Mack Building," saw many owners and adaptive re-use of space — first retooling for stoves, then auto parts followed by newspaper publishing, hatcheries, warehousing and more. In 1917 it became an

auto dealership. The "Daniels Showroom" was added in the 1940s.

In 1952, the Longworth family purchased the livery, and some years later purchased the auto dealership buildings. The

buildings were eventually connected and served as home of the family's metal plating business for 50 years.

These buildings are a significant and unique part of Chelsea's rich heritage.

"Such auxiliary buildings tell the story of a (railroad) station and vastly increase its historical and educational significance. Few places retain them. Chelsea is extraordinary and, in my view, liter-

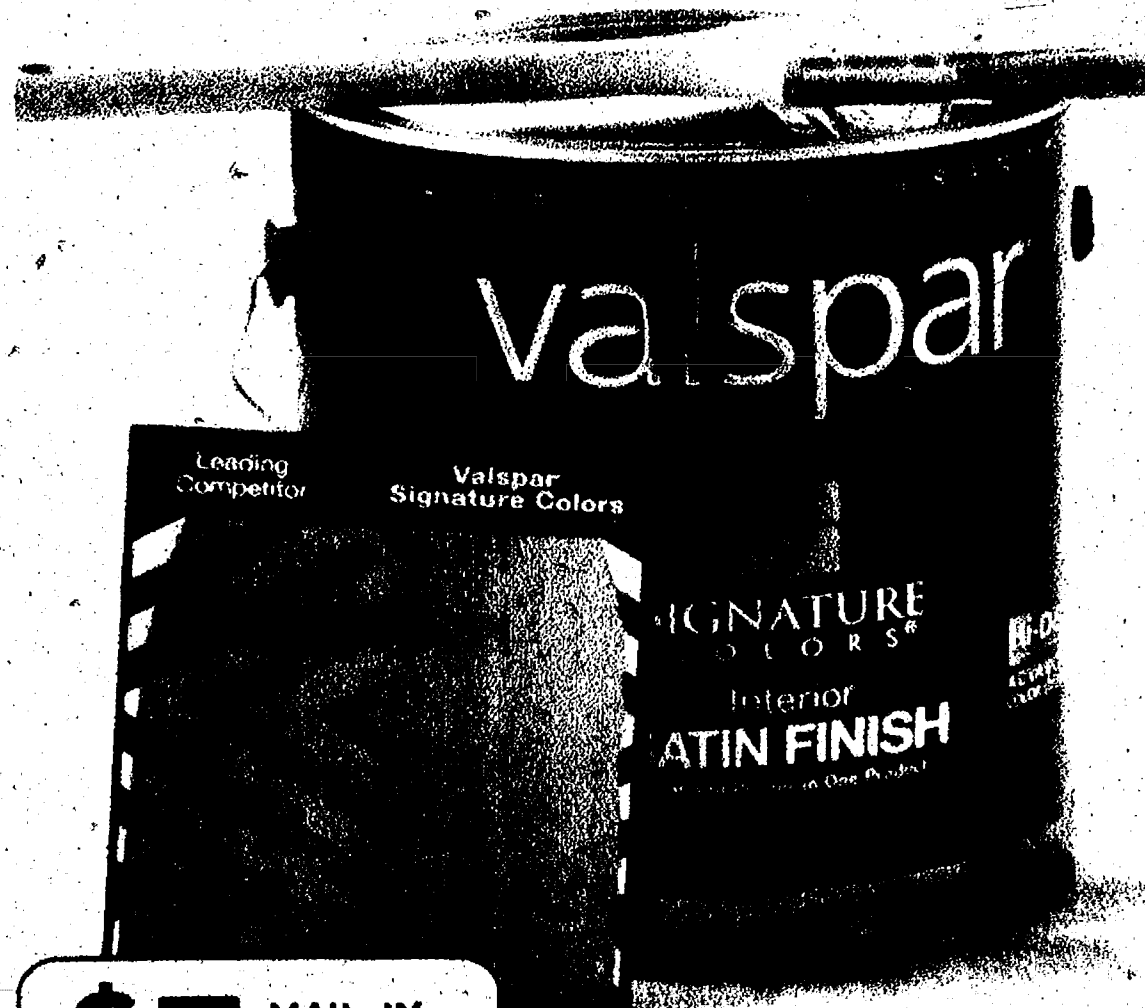
ally unique in retaining not only the first hotel but also the livery. In my research, I uncovered no equivalent situation," Janet G. Potter, author of "Great American Railway Stations," wrote in a letter to

Preservation Chelsea.

The Jackson Street Jam will take place from 7 to 10 p.m. Aug. 6. Food and beverages will be sold by vendors. The event is open to the public.

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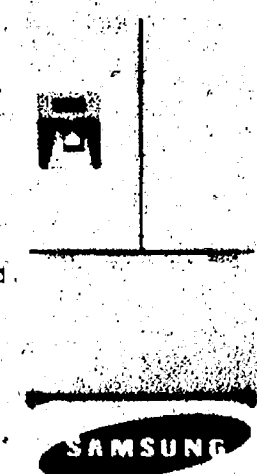
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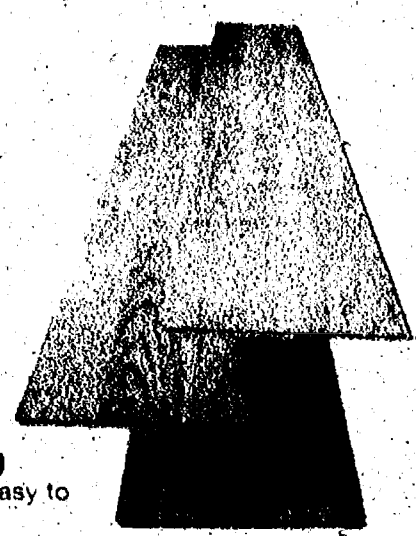
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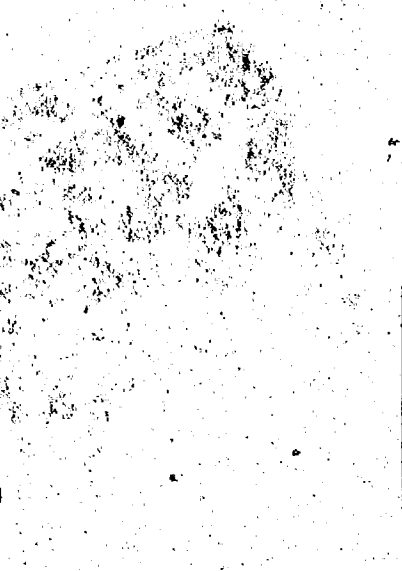


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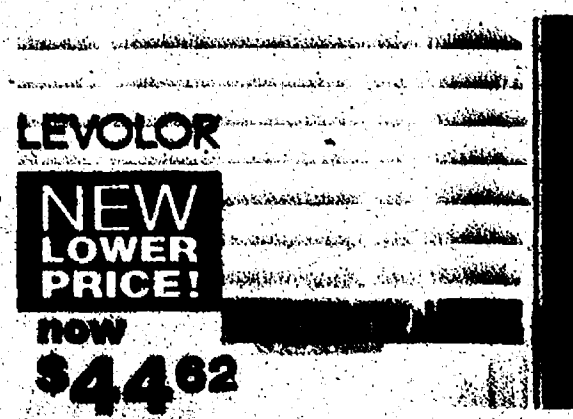
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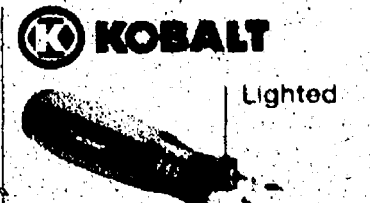


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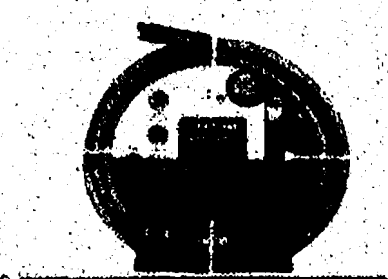
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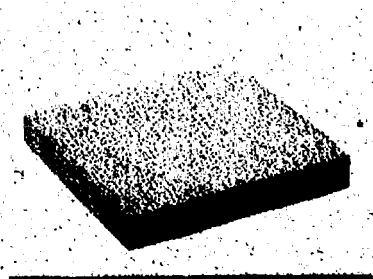
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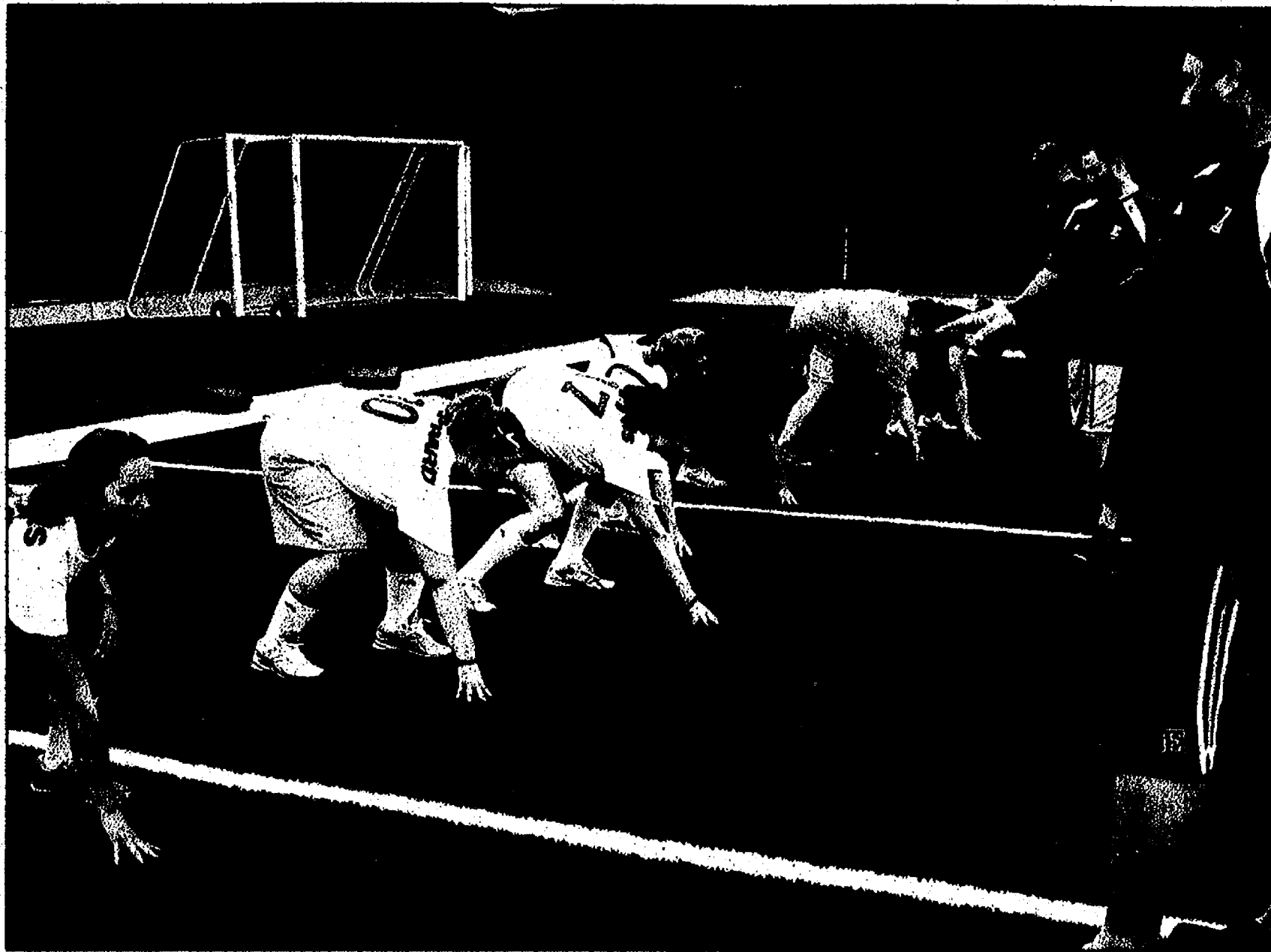
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# SPORTS

SECTION B

July 29, 2010



Photos by Jonathan Knight

Participants line up in three-point stances during last Saturday's second annual Eastern Michigan University Women's Football 101 Clinic.

## Football 101

### EMU hosts women's gridiron clinic

By Dave Merchant

Heritage Newspapers

The weather outside on Saturday didn't put a damper on Eastern Michigan University's Women's Football 101 Clinic. In fact, the weather caused the coaches to run this year's second annual event from the cozy, yet humid, confines of EMU's new, state-of-the-art, indoor practice facility. The bright white, bubble-like dome is located behind Rynearson Stadium.

Last season, 100 women participated in EMU's inaugural all female gridiron camp. Besides teaching women about the game of football, the clinic also helps raise money for breast cancer research. Mainly because of inclement weather last weekend, this year's overall numbers were down, with just over 60 women participating in the camp. Though the numbers were down, the enthusiasm and energy put forth by the lady campers and the EMU football coaching staff and players was high all day during the five-hour event.

Saddled with the task of organizing this year's camp was Tyler Jones, currently a graduate student in the sports marketing field. A former two-sport standout for the Eagles, Jones, a Belleville High School graduate, played both football and basketball for EMU.

"We have 61 ladies registered for this event," Jones said.

"The numbers are down a little I think because of the weather and partially because of the economy in the area."

Jones said the football skills clinic was a good way to show off the Eagles' new indoor practice facility and to get women familiar with the EMU football program and its coaches.

"Some of the players' girlfriends came out today," he said. "We also had some of their moms here, as well."

The women on the field ranged in age from teenagers



Eastern Michigan University head football coach Ron English is the center of attention during last Saturday's women's football camp.



to senior citizens. As one can imagine, each camper entered the day with a different football skill level. Some women were able to quickly pick up the nuances of the game, while for others it took a bit longer. The EMU coaches and players, however, were diligent in their efforts to guide and instruct the women on the basic principles and fundamentals of the game.

EMU head football coach Ron English, entering his second season on the Eagle sideline, was on hand teach-

ing, encouraging and making sure each woman camper was enjoying herself during the camp. Saturday's laid back, easy-going clinic allowed the normally intense English to show a softer, lighter side to his personality.

The highly disciplined and focused head coach was everywhere last Saturday, laughing and joking and shouting words of encouragement to the women as they went through the day.

"Every lady is going to play different positions," English

told the group prior to beginning the clinic. "So you have to learn all the coaches' names and where they will be coaching you."

The main point of the camp was to have fun and show the women what the Eagle players endure every day during the season in practice. Raising money for a good cause is also one of the major aspects of the program.

English's wife, Sophia, spoke at the event, as well. She said she really enjoys events like last Saturday's camp and that the breast cancer research cause is a good one to support. Not only was Sophia speaking at the clinic, but for the second straight year, she participated in the drills, as well.

"I haven't had anyone in my family effected by breast cancer," Sophia said. "But several men in our family have been effected by prostate cancer."

Several of the participants at last Saturday's camp were either current or past EMU students.

Caifin Jones, a senior at

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Eastern Michigan University held its second annual women's camp last Saturday.

## EMU camp a 'Glee'-ful time

If I may, let me preface this column a bit before proceeding.

I consider myself a regular guy. I drink milk out of the carton, never ask for directions when driving and consider "Animal House" the single greatest cinematic production ever brought to life on the Silver Screen.

At 44, I've lost a step or two here or there, but can still bench press 225 pounds at least five times, run four miles at the drop of a hat and can

fit into my 34-inch waist jeans -- though, I must admit, I've been told my face turns a freakish, purple-ish-type color after hours of sucking in my gut and holding my breath.

Anyhow, as for the ladies, I still do alright. I'm currently dating two women on e-harmony (yeah, I roll like that). Though at my age, I now have less hair than most newborn babies, and this summer, I've suddenly found myself wearing what I call the "Middle-Aged Man" look of choice, which ends up being bright, white tennis shoes and socks, jean shorts and some sort of short-sleeved, Garanimals-type, pastel-colored, Izod-looking, golf shirt. At least I haven't resorted to wearing black socks with my tennis shoes yet -- the key word being, "yet." It's truly shocking how close I have come to actually going out in public, like my dad used to, in black socks and white tennis shoes. When did I become so uncool? Was I ever really cool to begin with? I guess that's a whole other column.

What's even more disturbing than me possibly wearing black socks with my tennis shoes, is the fact that, for the past

three weeks I have been watching "Glee" and enjoying it. There, I

said it. Did you get that? I tried saying it fast so maybe you wouldn't notice. Okay, I'll slow it down. They say admitting your problem is halfway to solving it, right? Here goes: For the past three weeks I have been watching "Glee" and enjoying it. I know, I know, I'm hopeless. I am turning in my man card as we speak. I can't help it. I stumbled upon the show earlier this month

when my usual Thursday night TV viewing line-up of "30 Rock" and "The Office" wasn't available for some reason. In my boredom, I happened upon "Glee" and have sadly been hooked ever since.

And I don't know about you, but actress Lea Michele's character on the show, Rachel Berry, is arguably the most annoying person on TV and at the same time, the most watchable. I'm sure we all knew someone like her in high school growing up. I'm one of the nicest guys you'll ever meet, but even I want to throw a "Slushie" in her face. (Column edit: You have to watch the show to understand that last line.) And finally, Jane Lynch's character of Sue Sylvester is hilarious. And to think there are real, everyday people just like that character breathing the same air and sharing the same roads as you and me on a daily basis. I shudder at the thought.

Okay, sorry for the long-winded preface, but getting back on task, last Saturday I helped cover the Football 101 Skills Clinic for Women at Eastern Michigan University's brand

new indoor practice facility.

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# THE KENDALL PROJECT: ROUND 3

## Putting for dough: Get a grip on the putter

By Terry Jacoby  
Heritage Newspapers

There is a popular saying in golf: "Drive for show, putt for dough."

The meaning is quite simple. Those who can putt usually win the match and the winner gets the bigger paycheck. There are a lot of people who can hit a golf ball a long way, but what keeps them in their day job instead of on a professional tour is putting.

There are different aspects to putting that PGA teaching pro Jim Yuhas goes over with his new students. Putting, more than any other part of golf, is individualistic — meaning different strokes for different folks. There are things everyone should be doing when putting, but there really is no wrong way, especially if you're a good putter to begin with.

This was not the case with the student Yuhas was working with on Wednesday.

"There are different grips to putting, the same way there are different grips to swinging a golf club," Yuhas says. "The first thing I do with a new student is look at the grip. The most popular grip is the reverse overlap grip (see photo). The advantage of this grip is it helps prevent the wrists from breaking."

The "left-hand low" or the "cross-handed" grip also is popular.

After getting a grip on things, Yuhas moves on to the stance.

"Stance and setup are very important," Yuhas says. "You must square to the target with your hips and shoulders. You want your eyes pretty much directly over the ball."

Once you are properly set up, it's time to talk about your stroke.

"You want to create a pendulum with your putter," Yuhas says. "Bring the club straight back and straight through the ball on a straight line."

Having the right putter to fit your particular style will go a long way in reducing those frustrating three-putts.

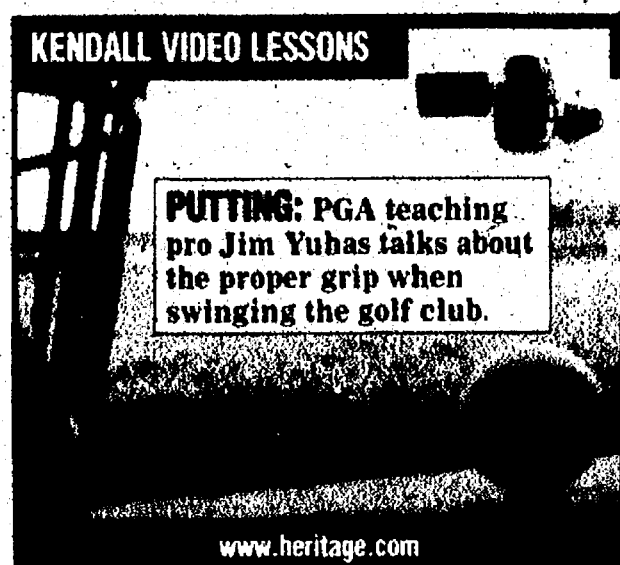
"People will spend a thousand dollars on a new set of clubs and then go get a putter for \$9.99," Yuhas says. "And you use the putter more than any other club in the bag."

Yuhas says you don't pick a putter because Tiger Woods uses that particular putter. The putter Woods uses fits his type of stroke, not yours.

"I was a terrible putter until I came here to Miles of Golf," Yuhas says. "They have an outstanding putting-fitting lab here and it showed me I was using the wrong kind of putter for my stroke. It changed my putting overnight."



PGA teaching pro Jim Yuhas shows a student a golf putting drill on a green.



### Putting drill

Here is a great drill to practice when you're on the putting green. Take four golf balls and put them in a straight line at varying distances. Hit the closest ball first with just one hand. Then continue down the line moving further away from the hole — hitting each putt with just one hand. Do this three or four times when you first start practicing. This drill will help you establish the speed of the green. "Putting is all about speed," says PGA teaching pro Jim Yuhas. "More three-putts occur because a putt is way too long or too short."

### Practice can be fun

Practice doesn't make perfect — especially in golf. Golf and perfect just don't go together. But practicing is essential to becoming a good golfer.

"You don't want to make going to the driving range feel like a chore," Yuhas says. "There are ways to not only make it fun but make it more game-like conditions. I like to go with a friend and play horse or match-play where you have to inside the other person's ball."

"Another great way to practice is to actually approach it like you're playing your favorite course. You are on the first tee and you hit your driver about 200 yards. You know that leaves you 180 to the green so you grab whatever iron you use. You hit that shot about 10 yards short so you grab your wedge. Then move on to the next hole."

Yuhas says by doing things like that you are creating game conditions.

"Practice with a purpose and have fun while practicing," he says.

## Grip & Stance on the dance floor



The first thing PGA teaching pro Jim Yuhas does on the greens with a new student is look at the grip. The most popular grip is the reverse overlap grip (left, above). The advantage of this grip is it helps prevent the wrists from breaking.



Photo by Jonathan Knight  
Local golfer Adam White participates in the Ann Arbor Mens' Championship Golf Tournament last week at Leelanau Park Golf Course in Ann Arbor.

## CLINIC

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EMU, said she was glad her and her friends came out this year to take part in the camp.

"This is my first year participating," she said. "I love it. It's really great and a lot of fun. It was really awesome to go to the different stations. I really

enjoyed each of them."

During the clinic, the women learned, among other things, how to pass and catch the football and take a hand-off. They also went through numerous gridiron drills and learned different football techniques.

In all, it was a good turnout for an even better cause. Despite a few cuts and bruises here and there, the women participating in the clinic had an

enjoyable time last Saturday.

Coming off a winless 2009 season, it was a difficult year for the Eagle football program, but with the dedicated and passionate English at the helm, and an impressive indoor practice facility, look for EMU recruiting to continue to improve.

The Eagles kickoff the 2010 football season hosting Army Sept. 4 at 7 p.m.

## Lyn Yarows Run Saturday in Dexter

The Lyn Yarows Memorial Cross Country Run/Walk will take place on Saturday at Hudson Mills Metropark. "Lyn has inspired us to always do more than expected for everyone," said Robert Jazwinski, one of the race organizers. "She was probably the most unselfish person we have ever met. We will always continue to put on the race regardless if we have 10 or 200 runners/walkers."

The one-mile fun run will begin at 8 a.m. and the 5k run/walk starts at 8:30 a.m. The cost is \$20 before July 25 and \$25 the day of the race.

There will be kid's races, a 200-meter run, potato sack race and spoon and egg race starting at 9:15 a.m.

All proceeds will go to the cross country teams and to Hudson Mills Metropark. The group hopes to eventually get a one-mile fitness trail to encircle Lyn's bench out at the park.

The race is hosted by the Dexter cross country team and Jazz Running.

Go to [www.jazzrunning.com](http://www.jazzrunning.com) to register online. You can also sign up the day of the race.

## Michigan Women's Amateur tees it up

Britney Hamilton of Lake Orion will return to the 94th Michigan Women's Amateur to defend her 2009 title. The Michigan Women's Amateur kicks off July 26 at St. Clair River Country Club in St. Clair with two days (36 holes) of stroke play to determine the field of 32 golfers for match play. Match play rounds are played July 28-30.

Local participants will include Sarah Hoffman of Saline, Brittany Keller of Dexter, Lindsey Lammers of Milan and Krystin Schwarze of Chelsea.

Sibling rivalry could come into play when Shana, Ashley and Meagan Bauer (Grand Blanc) who all played for the University of Michigan last season, take to the links.

"For years now we've all played in many of the same tournaments and on the same team," said Ashley Bauer. "But most of those tournaments

aren't match play so I think it puts a different perspective on the Women's Am. Knowing that we might end up facing each other at some point in the tournament would make for a really fun and competitive match. We can't control how the bracket shapes up and hopefully we would meet each other later rather than sooner, but that's a long ways down the road and we've all have to play some really good golf to get to that point."

Ashley was captain for the Wolverines this season and says it is easy to fall into that role when she is playing with her sisters too. Not to mention that as the oldest Bauer, it just seems natural to take charge. But most of the time, the three sisters help each other and function as equals on the golf course.

"I think out of habit, I always have the older sister mentality and tried to help them as much

as I can just from my experiences, although they don't always listen!" said Bauer. "But on the course and in practice, all of us try to help each other out with different shots and strategies that we are better at."

Former champions Joan Garety (Ada / Egypt Valley) and Stacy Slobodnik-Stoll (Haslett / MSU women's golf coach) will also be competing this year. Garety won the tournament in 1997 at Black River and in 1982 at Tam O'Shanter. Slobodnik-Stoll was the champion in 1996 and 1998 at Egypt Valley and Boyce's Alpine course respectively.

St. Clair Country Club was originally designed by Donald Ross with the addition of several new holes designed by Jerry Mathews in recent years and should provide a challenge for the competitors. Play begins at 8 a.m. each day; spectators are welcome and there is no charge for admission.

## National Kidney Foundation of Michigan hosts Golf Classic

Amateur golfers can compete for great prizes, a worthy cause, and a chance to play at the famed Pebble Beach Golf Links in California, all through the National Kidney Foundation of Michigan Cadillac Golf Classic presented by Wendy's and Suburban Cadillac of Ann Arbor.

The Golf Classic kicks off with a shotgun start at 10 a.m. on Monday, Aug. 2 at the Barton Hills Country Club on 733 Country Club Road in Ann Arbor. Registration, breakfast and driving range begins at 8:30 a.m. The top three teams from the four player, scramble tournament will be invited

to play in the NKF National Championship, held in January 2011 at Pebble Beach.

The Golf Classic is the premier amateur golf event for charity and includes breakfast, lunch, a delicious dinner, open bar, gift bag, and live and silent auctions. Tickets are \$1,900 per foursome, \$475 per individual, and \$50 for dinner, with up to one-half of participation fees being tax deductible.

Michigan Football Radio Commentator Jim Brandstatter is the emcee for the event. Sponsors for the Golf Classic include national sponsor Cadillac, present-

ing sponsors Wendy's and Suburban Cadillac of Ann Arbor, and Brown and Brown Insurance. Damon's Grill of Ann Arbor will provide lunch and MoonWinks Café is providing breakfast.

All proceeds from the Golf Classic go toward the lifesaving programs and services offered by the NKF. For information, or to register, call the NKF at 1-800-482-1455 or visit [www.nkf.org](http://www.nkf.org). The mission of the National Kidney Foundation of Michigan is to prevent kidney disease and improve the quality of life for those living with it.

### The Kendall Project

Like the popular "Honey Project" on the Golf Channel, the Kendall Project consists of taking a weekend hacker and turning them into a competitive golfer in any foursome. The idea is to follow a golfer through the golf lesson process and document the progress, including the setbacks, obstacles and successes. In the inaugural "Kendall Project," teaching professional Jim Yuhas will handle the instruction part while Heritage Newspapers Sports Editor Terry Jacoby will proudly play the part of golf hacker. The "project" will take place at the Kendall Academy at Miles of Golf. The facility is located at 3113 Carpenter Road in Ypsilanti. For more information, call 1-734-973-9004 or log onto [www.milesogolf.com](http://www.milesogolf.com).



# EMU WOMEN'S FOOTBALL CAMP

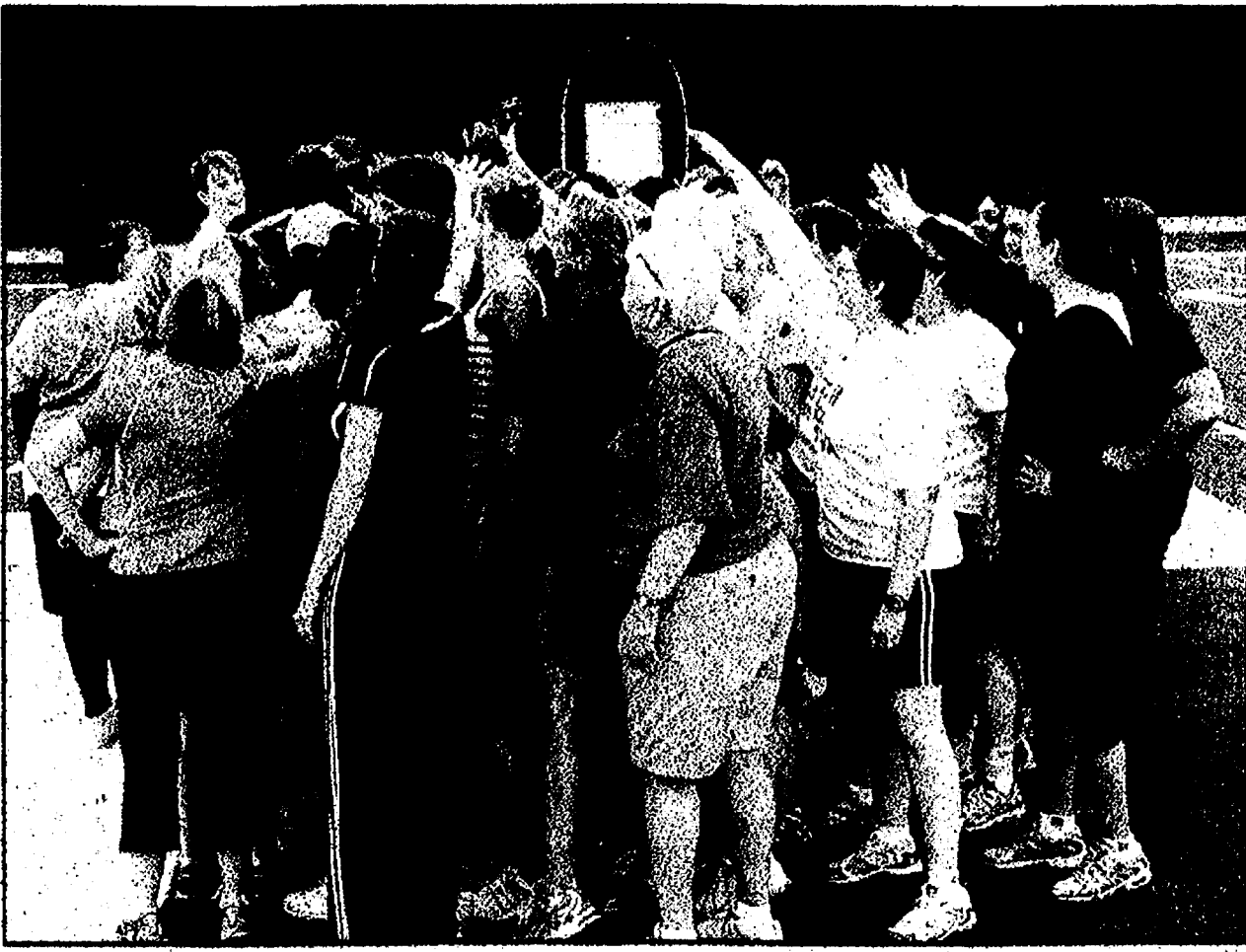


Photo by Jonathan Knight

Participants of the second annual Eastern Michigan University Women's Football 101 Clinic gather around Eagle head football coach Ron English at the conclusion of last Saturday's event.



Photo courtesy of Debbie Merchant

Eastern Michigan University offensive line coach Kurt Anderson aligns a group of campers during last Saturday's women's football clinic.



Photo courtesy of Debbie Merchant

Participants in last Saturday's women's football camp at Eastern Michigan University learned how to throw the ball (foreground) and line up in a three-point stance.



Photo by Jonathan Knight

Eastern Michigan University head football coach Ron English talks with campers after finishing last Saturday's women's football clinic.

## EMU

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brand new indoor practice facility, which I must say is first class all the way. The clinic was run by the EMU football staff, led by head coach Ron English. The camp is strictly for women only and helps teach, what sometimes can be a confusing game, to those less familiar with the terminology and physical skills needed to play the sport. Female campers learned how to line up in a football stance and in football formations, while taking hand-offs, throwing passes and catching the ball.

Campers were taught the fundamentals of how to block, run routes and handle the football. They also took part in football drills and agility exercises.

For someone that has had a love affair with the game of football practically my entire life, the sport itself, can, at times, get dull, predictable and routine. However, last Saturday, I was able to experience the game from a fresh perspective. I was able to get a new appreciation for what

is truly "America's Game" by closely watching and listening to the female campers as they went about their business at the event. I have never seen a group of people so excited simply catching a pass or successfully executing a quarter-back to running back hand-off as the women I watched in last Saturday's camp. I heard so much chattering, giggling, laughing and squeals of joy that, yes... wait for it... I thought an episode of "Glee" was going to break out.

It was odd to hear so much cheerfulness on a football field. I was expecting, at any moment, a group of women campers to whip off their ball caps, unfurl their ponytails and begin singing and dancing a number from "South Pacific." "I'm gonna wash that man right outta' my hair. Oh yes, I'll wash that man right outta'..." I felt for sure it was going to happen. But, alas, my fears were assuaged. It was just odd hearing whistles shrieking through the air not followed by raspy, hard, forceful yells

and screams from exasperated coaches. Instead, I heard soft, kind words of encouragement and witnessed patience, smiles and gentle instruction rarely heard or seen on the gridiron.

It was certainly different watching the ladies play football. But, it was definitely fun. What a great event for EMU. And what a terrific way for the community to get to know the Eagle coaches and players and to familiarize themselves with one of the nation's most popular pastimes.

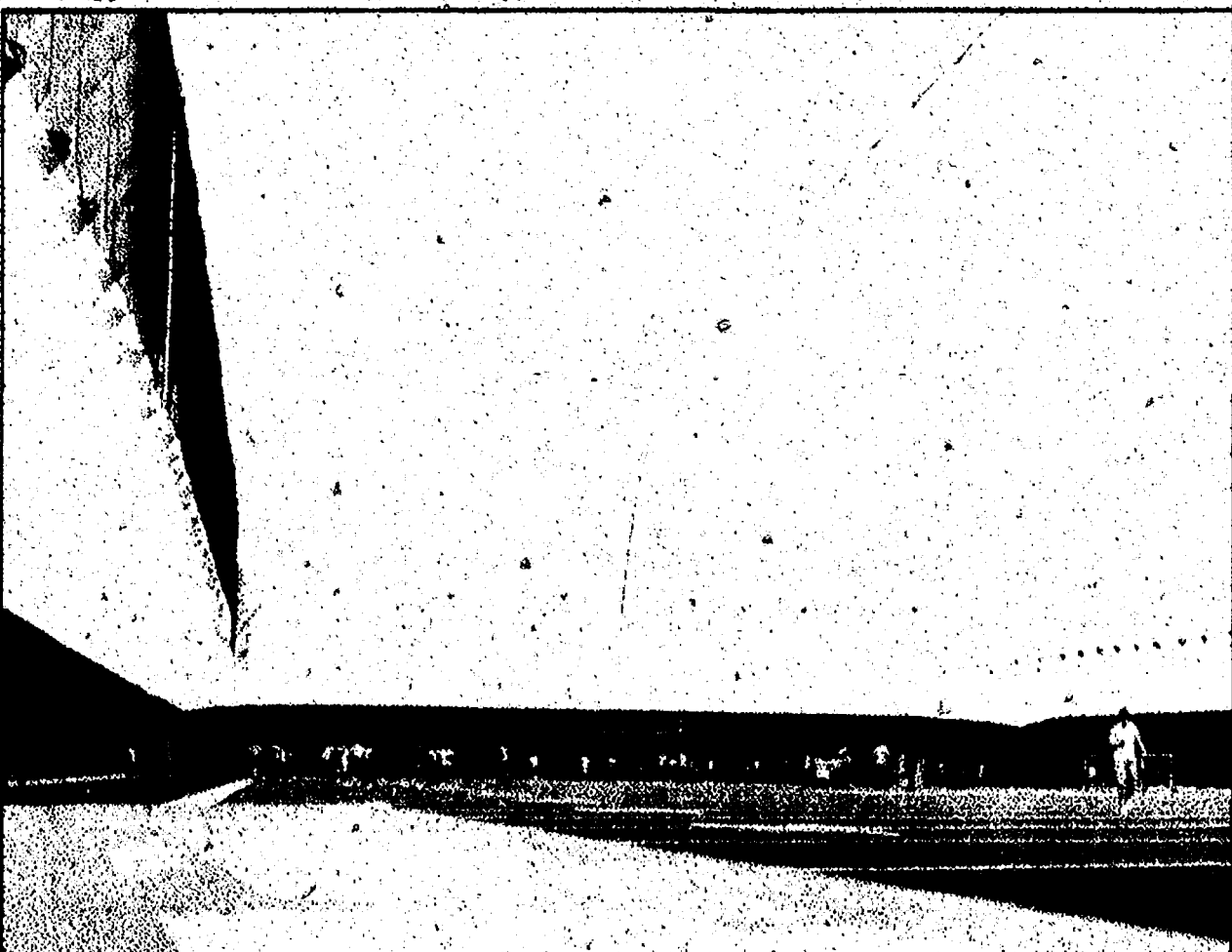
And no, by "one of the nation's most popular pastimes," I don't mean watching "Glee."

And yes, for the second time this column, I am turning in my man card for knowing a song from "South Pacific."

And no, I'm not losing my mind.

And yes, football season can't start soon enough.

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Eastern Michigan University's spacious indoor practice facility was the location for last Saturday's women's football clinic.

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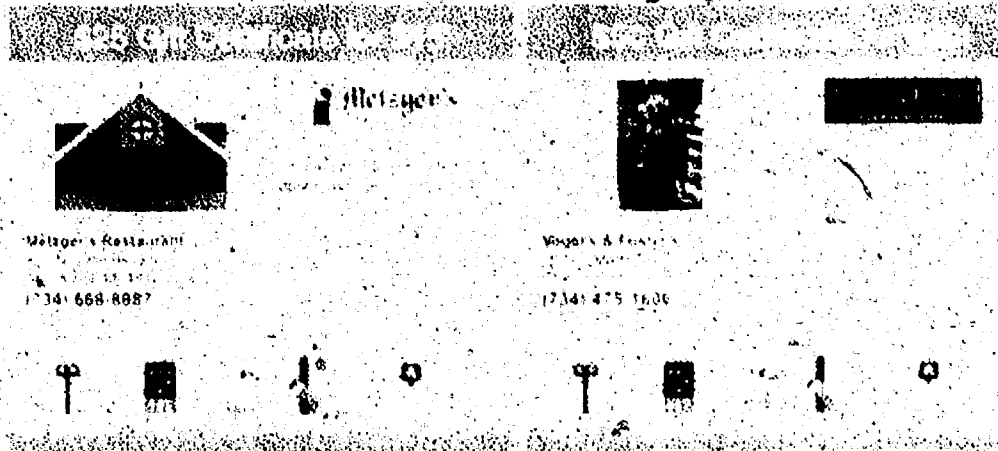
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# Red Cross Swim-A-Cross

Photos by Mary Kumbier



Ashley Capellil, 6, of the Chippewa Tennis and Swim Club swam 48 lengths of the pool and collected \$216 for local disaster relief during the Red Cross Swim-A-Cross event held earlier this month. Capellil is shown with her Red Cross/Red Wings backpack after her swim.



Orchard Hills Athletic Club team members gather for a picture with three-time Olympian Klete Keller during the Red Cross Swim-A-Cross earlier this month. Members include, front row, Orly Rubinfeld (left), Colleen Frantz, Antonio Cristian, Zannah Baker, Graham Baker, Anisha Fujii, Kira Brehob and Faith Baker; middle row, Adela Baker (left), Caroline Logue, Susanne Sheng, Peter Salata and Olivia Cristian.



Travis Pointe Country Club's Molly Pribble, 9, collected \$2,655 in pledges during the Red Cross Swim-A-Cross earlier this month. This month marked the 33rd year for the Washtenaw County Red Cross Swim-A-Cross.



(Left) Milan Swim Club's Emma Pettigrew, 6, swam 78 lengths, which equals just over a mile total, raising \$50 during the Red Cross Swim-A-Cross event.

(Below) Pierce Gillen (left) and Joe Chavey used kickboards during a portion of their swim at the Chippewa Tennis and Swim Club Red Cross Swim-A-Cross earlier this month.



## AccuWeather.com SEVEN-DAY FORECAST FOR WASHTENAW COUNTY

Thursday	Thu. night	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Not as warm with sunshine	Partly cloudy	Partly sunny and pleasant	A thunderstorm possible	Partly sunny	Partly sunny and warm	Spotty morning showers	Partial sunshine
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Statistics for the week ending Monday, July 26

**Temperatures:**  
High/low for the week: 93°/54°  
Normal high/low: 83°/63°  
Average temperature: 74.2°  
Normal average temperature: 73.0°

**Precipitation:**  
Total for the week: 4.30"  
Total for the month: 6.20"  
Total for the year: 22.66"  
Normal for the month: 2.63"  
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Make-A-Wish volunteers (left to right) Elizabeth Varner of Hartford, Sharon Rucinski of Hartford, and Tim Varner of Hartford.

**T**he Make-A-Wish Foundation's "Heroes Hurrah" celebration held Sunday at the Chelsea Fairgrounds, honored the more than 3,000 riders, children, volunteers, families and supporters who participated in this year's Wish-A-Mile 300 and 50 bike rides in order to raise funds to grant wishes to children with terminal illnesses. As the riders finished their long trek, which started Thursday in Traverse City, they were able to meet and take photos with some of the kids they rode to support. This year's event garnered \$1.54 million for the organization.

For more information visit, [www.wishmich.org](http://www.wishmich.org)



Sarah and Lisa Dolan, from Milford, finish the WAM-300 bike ride in Chelsea on Sunday.



Kevin Wilson from Livonia rode in this year's WAM-300. He is pictured with his daughters Megan (left) and Kristen, who both volunteered at the Chelsea Fairgrounds.



Berkley resident Sue Upp hangs out with her daughter Lily, who is a wish child.



(Above) Wish rider Kevin Degen from Lathrup Village rides a custom-made bike because of his physical disabilities. He is pictured with a wish child during Sunday's Heroes Hurrah celebration that took place at the Chelsea Fairgrounds.



(Above) Riders relax after the ride and have a bite to eat at the Chelsea Fairgrounds.



(Right) Riders and volunteers for Team Sammy, one of many fundraising teams that participate in the WAM event every year, enjoy the celebration at Heroes Hurrah.

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## Kerrytown BookFest to celebrate Michigan authors

The eighth annual Kerrytown BookFest in Ann Arbor will celebrate Michigan authors and books Sept. 12, with a special emphasis on children's literature.

Authors in this year's event include three National Book Award finalists, several Edgar Award and Anthony mystery award winners and nominees, a Caldecott winner and numerous Michigan Notable Book Award winners.

The Kerrytown BookFest is unique, says Gene Alloway, president of the BookFest board and owner of Motte & Bailey Bookstore in Ann Arbor.

Kerrytown is an historic neighborhood in the city that includes the Ann Arbor Farmers' Market, which is where the event is held.

"The BookFest is the only festival of the book to celebrate both authors and the artists and crafts people who help create books."

As a special attraction, mystery writer and Edgar Award winner Doug Allyn of Montrose will interview the Kerrytown BookFest's Community Book Award Winner, Whitmore Lake mystery and western writer Loren Estleman.

Estleman has been a National Book Award nominee, an Edgar Award finalist and has won the Spur, the Shamus and the American Mystery Award.

Alloway said that the Book Award is given each year to a person who exemplifies the spirit of the BookFest.

"Estleman is a major literary figure in the Ann Arbor community and goes out of his way to support local writers and literary events," Alloway said.

Events this year include panels on "Northern Noir," paranormal fiction, children's literature, memoirs, historical fiction and Michigan literature, along with hands-on demonstrations from local craftspeople.

Keith Taylor, head of the University of Michigan undergraduate creative writing program, will interview national Book Award finalist Thomas Lynch, who is from Milford, Mich.

Another National Book Award finalist and Caldecott Award Winner, David Small, will be interviewed by Nicola Rooney of Nicola's Books.

The third finalist, Bonnie Jo

Campbell, will participate in the panel on Michigan literature.

This year's event also will have a special focus on children's literature. Bestselling authors Sarah Stewart of Mendon, Debbie Taylor of Ann Arbor, Susan Kathleen Hartung of Portage, Deborah Deisen of Grand Ledge, as well as author and illustrator team Michael and Colleen Monroe of Brighton, and author-illustrator Ruth McNally Barshaw of Lansing will make presentations and do readings.

A group of area teen poets also will perform readings, and storyteller Heather O'Neal of Ann Arbor will entertain with children's stories from Nepal. Mother Goose will once again make an appearance.

Five Michigan authors at this year's event have won the Michigan Authors Award presented by the Michigan Library Association. They are Steve Hamilton, Estleman, Sarah Stewart, Thomas Lynch and this year's award-winner, John Smolens.

The "Northern Noir" panel is packed with award-winning mystery authors Steve Hamilton, Bryan Gruley and William Kent Krueger and moderated by Edgar and Anthony nominee Craig McDonald.

Hamilton won the Edgar Award for his book "A Cold Day in Paradise," and Krueger has won the Anthony Award three times.

Bryan Gruley's first mystery book, "Starvation Lake," was an Edgar Award finalist and was recently nominated for two Anthony awards. Gruley's most recent book, "The Hanging Tree," was selected as an Indie NEXT pick.

True crime writers Mardi Link and Gail Griffin will discuss two cases about serial killers on college campuses during a presentation called "Michigan Murders."

The University of Michigan Press also will release the updated version of the "Michigan Murders," a book by Edward Keyes about the serial killings in the Ann Arbor-Ypsilanti area during the late 1960s.

Michigan Notable Book Award winners on the BookFest program are David Small, Bonnie Jo Campbell, Thomas Lynch, Donald Lystsra, Mardi Link, Steve Luxenberg,

Loren Estleman, Steve Lehto, Steve Amick, Keith Taylor and Michael Zadoorian.

Also included in the BookFest this year are two literary arts competitions: the Book Cover Design and the Edible Book Contest.

Entrants to the Book Cover Design Contest, which is open to Michigan high school students, are being asked to create a new cover design for Hamilton's "A Cold Day in Paradise."

Honorary chairs for this year's event are Joe and Karen O'Neal of Ann Arbor, who brought the bells to Kerrytown's tower.

Last year, more than 5,000 attended the one day event which includes more than 100 exhibitors, artists and book-sellers.

Alloway said the BookFest will feature an outstanding array of illustrators, poets, letterpress printers, calligraphers, librarians, publishers, book artists and storytellers.

The BookFest also mounts a literary exhibit in the Ann Arbor District Library. This year's theme is "Michigan Treasures" showcasing art, dust jackets and books that represent Michigan award-winning books.

The Kerrytown BookFest Board of Directors includes bookstore owners, retailers within the Kerrytown District and representatives from the media and community.

This year, four new board members were added. They are Lynn Yates of Zingerman's Foundation; Kate Kehoe, artisan and employee at the Hatcher Graduate Library; Meg Brown, community representative; and Lisa McDonald, proprietor of the Teahaus in Kerrytown.

Other board members are Gene Alloway, proprietor of Motte & Bailey Bookstore; Robin Agnew, proprietor of Aunt Agatha's mystery bookstore; John Hilton, editor of the Ann Arbor Observer; Bill Castanier, literary critic and mittenlit.com blogger; and Cindy Hollander, co-owner of Hollander's, a shop specializing in decorative paper, bookbinding supplies and workshops.

For more information on the BookFest and for a complete listing of authors and programs, visit [www.kerrytown-bookfest.org](http://www.kerrytown-bookfest.org).



## A New Home

After a yearlong property search, the Blackbird Theatre will settle into its new home in Ann Arbor's Kerrytown district. The company will share its new home with the Ishaut Gallery at 325 Braun Court. The intimate venue is located near Kerrytown Shops and the Ann Arbor Farmers' Market. After a recent run of "Patty Hearst: The New Musical" in the space in June, the Blackbird negotiated a deal to create a permanent residence there.

## Nashbash festival coming to Kerrytown Concert House

Country artist Olivia West will headline the Kerrytown District Association's fourth annual Nashbash, a festival showcasing the music of Nashville.

Set in the Ann Arbor Farmers' Market, the festival features a roster of national and local performers. Nashbash is free and takes place from 5 to 8:30 p.m. Aug. 19.

The artistic force behind Nashbash is Whit Hill, a longtime member of the Ann Arbor arts community who now lives in Nashville.

She and her band, Whit Hill and the Postcards, join the Nashbash roster, which also includes Pam Kennedy Boylan and Steve Mitchell, also from Nashville; Bill Bynum and Co. from Detroit; Louise Mosrie, winner of the Kerrville New Folk competition in 2009; Lisa Pappas, singer-songwriter from Ann Arbor; and area singer and guitarist Matt Boylan.

Contributing to the festival atmosphere, the Ann Arbor Artisan Market will be operating under the farmers' market canopy.

Barbecue and drinks, including beer and wine, will be available, served up by Aut Bar owners Keith Orr and Martin Contreras.

Immediately following Nashbash, the Aut Bar, 315 Braun Court, will host an afterglow party from 8:30 to 10 p.m. with an open mic featuring many of the festival's performers.

### Artist profiles

Singer-songwriter Olivia West grew up in the outskirts of Kansas City, Mo. in a small town called Harrisonville. She started singing and writing songs at an early age, landing her first pro-

fessional gigs at the age of 12. Her most recent album, "Alone and Personal - Acoustic Sessions" was released in March.

Spectrum Magazine wrote: "It's evident that West is singing her songs from the heart, as each word is soaked with emotion."

West balances her touring engagements with raising a family. When she's on tour and her husband is working, her two sons, Luke and Joey, travel with her. The family lives in Nashville.

Whit Hill and the Postcards features singer-songwriter Whitely Hill, her husband, singer-keyboardist-guitarist Al Hill, bassist Patrick Prouty and drummer Chuck Navayac.

Driven by Whitely Hill, the group was formed in the winter of 2001 in order to bring interesting, literate alt-country music to the greater Detroit area.

Hill, having spent much of her creative life in Ann Arbor, recently moved with her husband Al Hill to Nashville, where they are quickly becoming a vital part of music community.

In addition to being a founding artistic force of the annual Nashbash, Whit Hill and the Postcards has played at the Ann Arbor Folk Festival, the Wheatland Music Festival, the Toledo Music Festival, FarmFest and at concert venues, bars and clubs throughout Michigan.

Pam Kennedy Boylan grew up in Texas and moved to Nashville nearly 14 years ago to join the city's renowned singer-songwriter scene.

She performed in the acclaimed musical "Warrior" by songwriter Marcus Hummon in 2001 and has since performed backup vocals for a variety of musicians around Nashville.

Boylan has appeared in many

of the Nashville music rooms such as the Douglas Corner Café, the BlueBird and the Wildhorse Saloon where she opened for the band Sons of the Desert.

She has also appeared as a featured actress in many independent films, which were presented at Nashville Sundance Festival events.

Nashville-based guitarist and composer Steve Mitchell has toured extensively around the world, performing in Canada, U.S., United Kingdom, Germany, Switzerland, Denmark and Norway.

He is a former member and songwriter for the Juno Award Winning band The Paperboys and has performed multiple times at Nashville's Bluebird Café.

Several of Mitchell's compositions were featured in the award-winning documentary "The Yenfsey River Adventure." He appeared as a member of a band in the movie "Lunch With Charles" starring Bif Naked.

Bill Bynum & Co. consists of Bill Bynum (guitar, vocals), Mary Seelhorst (fiddles, vocals), Dave Keeney (Dobro) and Chuck Anderson (bass).

The group's core of guitar, Dobro, fiddle, bass and harmony vocals can lean into bluegrass, veer toward country or take listeners on a journey through Bynum's original songs.

A Detroit Native, Bynum is a first-prize winner in the Metro Detroit Songwriting Showcase with his song "Lovin' You."

He has collaborated with bluegrass legend Pete Goble, an International Bluegrass Music Association Lifetime Achievement Award winner. Goble called Bynum "an excellent rhythm guitar player and an excellent songwriter."

## Theater to offer sound design workshops

The Ann Arbor Civic Theatre is offering a three-part workshop to educate potential volunteers in sound design and operation for theater in general and Ann Arbor Civic Theatre musicals in particular.

Led by Bob Skon, veteran sound designer, Ark sound engineer and Michigan Radio chief engineer, the workshop will teach participants how to set up and operate sound

equipment, prepare sound cues and mic assignment charts and mix the sound for a show.

Attendees will also have the opportunity to attend move-in and tech rehearsals at the Lydia Mendelssohn Theatre for Ann Arbor Civic Theatre's fall musical, "Bye, Bye, Birdie."

The workshop is free, and participants who wish to become Civic members will

receive a discount on the membership fee.

Part 1 takes place from 1 to 4 p.m. Aug. 14. Parts 2 and 3 take place from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Aug. 21 and Aug. 28.

All sessions will be held at the Ann Arbor Civic Theatre Studio, 322 W. Ann St.

For more information or to register for the free workshop, visit [www.a2ct.org](http://www.a2ct.org) or call the A2CT office at 971-2228.

## THINGS TO DO: REGIONAL CALENDAR

### CHELSEA

#### Creatures of Ice

11 a.m. Thursday: Eddy Discovery Center, Bush Road, Chelsea. Free. \$6 vehicle fee. 475-3170.

#### Sounds and Sights on Thursday Nights

6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Thursday: Music and entertainment in downtown Chelsea. Free (fee for carriage ride). 475-1145.

### Chelsea Ride

6 p.m. Thursdays, 9 a.m. Mondays: Meet at Aberdeen Bike, 1175 S. Main St. Free. 1-517-285-6830.

### "Boeing-Boeing"

8 p.m. Wednesdays through Sundays, ending Aug. 28: Purple Rose Theatre, 137 Park St. 433-7673.

### Community Drum Jam

8 p.m. Friday: Tree of Life Cultural Arts Studio, 6006 Sibley Road, Chelsea. Free. 433-0697.

### Waterloo Area Farm Museum

1 to 5 p.m. Friday to Sunday: 9998 Waterloo-Munith Road, Chelsea. \$4 (age 62 and older, \$3; ages 5-17, \$2; ages 4 and younger, and members, free). 1-517-596-2254.

### DEXTER

#### Story Times

11 a.m. Thursday and Monday; 1 p.m. Monday: Dexter District Library, 3255 Alpine St., Dexter. Free. 426-4477.

### "Wet, Wild, and Funny Friends"

11 a.m. Friday: Livonia ventriloquist Vikki Gasko, Dexter District Library, 3255 Alpine St., Dexter. Free. 426-4477.

### Youth Activities

2 p.m. Friday: "Sand Bracelet Making," Dexter District Library, 3255 Alpine St. Free. 426-4477.

### Teen Activities

2 p.m. Saturday: Sixth through 12th grades "Robots, Sumo Battles and Teens," 1 to 3 p.m. Tuesday: "Pizza Making with Cottage Inn," Dexter District Library, 3255 Alpine St. Free. 426-4477.

### SALINE

#### Saline Varsity Blues 25th Anniversary Concert

7 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday: "VB Celebrates

American Pop Culture," Saline High School, 1300 Campus Drive. \$10 in advance. For locations, visit [www.salinevarsityblues.com](http://www.salinevarsityblues.com) \$12 at the door. 994-3162.

### Thursday Night Contra

7 p.m. Thursday: 4531 Concourse Drive. \$7 (students, \$4).

### "Kaleidoscope"

11 a.m. and 2 p.m. Thursday: Saline District Library, 555 N. Maple Road. Free. Pre-register at 429-5450.

### PG-13+ Thursday Movies

2 p.m. Thursday: Saline District Library, 555 N. Maple Road. Free. Pre-register at 429-5450.

### Summer Music Series

7 to 9 p.m. Friday: Country music by Detroit singer-songwriter Justine Blazer. Downtown Saline. Free. 429-4494.

### YPSILANTI

#### Crossroads Summer Festival

7 p.m. Friday: Horse Cave Trio, and Tracy Mack & the Magic Land Band. Washington Street at Michigan Avenue, Ypsilanti. Free. 717-7305.

#### Washtenaw Classic Auto Show

5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Fridays: 3362-3402 Washtenaw Ave. service drive. Free admission. 369-3012.

#### River Raisin Ragtime Revue

7:30 p.m. Friday: First United Methodist Church, 209

Washtenaw Ave., Ypsilanti. \$15 (seniors, \$12; age 18 and younger, \$10) at the door. 1-517-423-1962.

### Annual Pie Lovers Unite

7 p.m. Saturday: Slow Food Huron Valley Ladies Literary Club, 218 N. Washington St., Ypsilanti. \$7. Tickets required, but free for those bringing a pie, at [brownpapertickets.com](http://brownpapertickets.com); and at the door: [slowfoodhuronvalley.com/pie.html](http://slowfoodhuronvalley.com/pie.html).

### MANCHESTER

#### Summer Gazebo Concerts

7:30 p.m. Thursday: Billy King & the Idylls. Free. Manchester gazebo, Wurster Park, Main Street west of M-52. Rain location: Emanuel Church hall, 324 W. Main St. Free, but donations appreciated. Call 428-0159.



## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## Chelsea

## 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.

## Chelsea District Library

For more information, call 475-8732.

## Today

**Jiffy Mix tour (1:15 to 3 p.m.):** Ever wondered how Jiffy makes their cornbread muffin mix? Join the Historic Chelsea Interest Group at the Jiffy Mix factory to tour the plant and find out more about this kitchen classic, made in Chelsea since 1930. Meet in the tour center of the Jiffy factory at 1:15 p.m., 201 W. North St. For safety reasons, ages 6 and up only.

**Teen playwriting workshop (2 to 5 p.m.):** Participants will learn the basic rules of dramatic structure and use writing exercises to create monologues, scenes, and the beginnings of a short play. Instructors are Purple Rose resident artists Michelle Mountain and Heidi Bennett. Open to pre-registered participants only.

## July 30

**Teen playwriting workshop (2 to 5 p.m.):** Participants will learn the basic rules of dramatic structure and use writing exercises to create monologues, scenes, and the beginnings of a short play. Instructors are Purple Rose resident artists Michelle Mountain and Heidi Bennett. Open to pre-registered participants only.

**shop (2 to 5 p.m.):** Participants will learn the basic rules of dramatic structure and use writing exercises to create monologues, scenes, and the beginnings of a short play. Instructors are Purple Rose resident artists Michelle Mountain and Heidi Bennett. Open to pre-registered participants only.

## July 31

**Circus Amongus show (4 to 6 p.m.):** Attend the 45-minute live Cirque Amongus circus show with juggling, magic, acrobatics and more, in the McKune room, and then try out 10 different circus activities on the library lawn. You'll learn to juggle, try a trapeze, walk on stilts and ride a fun bike. All activities are safe and supervised. Adults are welcome to try their hand, also. Circus arts have been proven to improve motor skills, boost self-confidence, develop balance, boost concentration and develop patience and persistence.

## Aug. 1

**Microsoft Word workshop (1:30 to 3:30 p.m.):** This workshop is a very basic and quick introduction to the Microsoft Word 2007 program.

## Aug. 3

**Senior Computing (10 a.m. to noon):** provides computer volunteers to assist users with either 1 to 1 or small group

help with computer questions. Topics include but are not limited to the Internet, e-mail and Microsoft Office products.

## Aug. 4

**LEGOs at the McKune (2 to 3 p.m.):** Build to your heart's content with the library's fantastic LEGOs collection.

## Aug. 5

**Extending your growing season (7 to 8:30 p.m.):** Not getting enough fresh food from your garden in the darker and cooler months? Join members of the Chelsea Community Garden and get tips on how to grow and enjoy cold weather crops in early spring and late fall for a long bountiful harvest.

Topics will include raised beds, cold frames, row covers, cloches, indoor seed-starting, root-cellaring, and more. An informational packet with bibliography will be provided.

## Aug. 6

**Great Books at the Chelsea Senior Center (1 to 2 p.m.):** Join us to discuss "Guns, Germs and Steel: How Fates of Human Societies" by Jared Diamond. Copies are available at the adult reference desk at the library.

## Chelsea 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.; Pasta with tuna and cheddar lunch at noon; Euchre, 12:30 p.m.; Wii Fun, 1 p.m.; Movie "Anne of Green Gables: The Sequel," 3 p.m.; Gentle Yoga and Stretch 1:30 p.m.; Lugnuts baseball game trip leaves at 5:30 p.m.

**Aug. 2:** Bingo, 9 a.m.; Enhance Fitness, 10:30 a.m.; Beef Stroganoff lunch at noon; Hand and Foot, 12:30 p.m.; Writing Group 1 p.m.

**Aug. 3:** Swimming at Comfort Inn, 9 a.m.; Mah Jongg, 9:30 a.m.; Crafts (button bracelets for cancer), 10 a.m.; Wood Carving, 10 a.m.; Free blood pressure, 10 a.m.; quarter pound burger lunch at noon; Quilting for Charity, 1 p.m.; Euchre, 6:30 p.m.

**Aug. 4:** Foot care by appointment; Water Aerobics at Comfort Inn, 9 a.m.; Outdoor Walking, 9 a.m.; Enhance Fitness, 10:30 a.m.; deli sand-

wich on Kaiser lunch at noon; Pinocle, 1 p.m.; Scrabble, 1 p.m.; Gardening at Rainbow Childcare 2:30 p.m.

**Aug. 5:** Nova Scotia trip departs; Swimming at Comfort Inn, 9 a.m.; Bridge Class, 10 a.m.; Computer Club, 10 a.m.; Chess, 10 a.m.; Parmesan chicken Alfredo lunch at noon; Chelsea Area Bridge, 12:15 p.m.; Practice Bridge, 12:30 p.m.; Knit and Crochet, 12:30 p.m.

## Dexter

## Dexter Senior Center

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. All activities are now at Creekside School until further notice. Swimming is held Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 8 a.m. at Dexter High School pool.

## Dexter District Library

Dexter District Library is located at 3255 Alpine Street in Dexter. All library programs are free and open to the public. For more information, call the library at 1-734-426-4477.

## Drop-in Summer Story

Times for ages 18 months to 5 years run from June 21 until Aug. 5. Mondays at 11 a.m. or 1 p.m. and Thursdays at 11 a.m.

## July 30

**Bookkeeper Peter Sutherland** will present a live bee presentation for all ages.

## July 31

**Drop-in Wil Rock Band** for ages 10 and up.

## Parks

## Gerald E. Eddy Discovery Center

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**Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church in Chelsea** will hold its vacation Bible school from 5:30 to 8 p.m. Aug. 2 through Aug. 5.

Children ages 3 through sixth grade are welcome and there is no fee to attend. A light family supper will be served each evening. This year's theme is "Heroes".

The church is located at 3050 S. Fletcher Road. Pre-registration by July 31 is required. For more information or registration forms, contact the church office at 1-734-475-8064 or e-mail [zionchelsea@yahoo.com](mailto:zionchelsea@yahoo.com).

## Advertise your garage sale

Planning a garage or yard sale during Dexter Daze, Aug. 13 and 14? Let Dexter Daze help you publicize your event on the Dexter Daze Website, [www.dexterdaze.com](http://www.dexterdaze.com). Contact Carol Jones at 426-8114 or [atdexterco@aol.com](mailto:atdexterco@aol.com) with your name, address, dates and times of sale.

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## Bible school

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## Class reunion

The Chelsea High School Class of 1970, 40th class reunion will take place at 6:30 p.m. Sunday at the Chelsea Fairgrounds. Come show your class spirit or just catch up with friends.

Contact Linda Bauer Pearsall at 1-734-475-9272, Angie Cavadas Smith at 1-734-649-0678, or Vickie Wilkerson Price

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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.

## Sounds and Sights Festival

**The Sounds and Sights Festival** begins today and runs through Saturday. Activities include music, children's entertainers, and other attractions performing simultaneously in the downtown area.

The event is free and open to the public. The cost for the entertainment tent is \$5 per night. For more information visit [www.chelseafestivals.com](http://www.chelseafestivals.com).

## Book sale

**Friends of the Dexter District Library Used Book Sale** will take place from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Aug. 14 during Dexter Daze at the Dexter District Library's lower level. The library is located at 3255 Alpine St. in Dexter.

## Brendan Michael Smith

**Brendan Michael Smith** of Chelsea, a senior majoring in civil engineering at Missouri University of Science and Technology in Rolla, Mo., has been named to the honor list for the 2010 spring semester.

Honor list recipients must have carried a minimum of 12 hours and had grade point averages of 3.2 or above out of a possible 4.0.

## Katelyn Utti

**Katelyn Utti** of Pinckney has been named to the dean's list at the University of New Hampshire for the spring semester of the 2009-2010 academic year.

Students named to the dean's list at the University of New Hampshire are students

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who have earned recognition through their superior scholastic performance. Highest honors are awarded to students who earn a semester grade point average of 3.7 or better out of a possible 4.0. Students with a 3.5 to 3.6 average are awarded high honors and students whose grade point average is 3.2 through 3.49 are awarded honors.

Honor list recipients must carry a minimum of 12 hours and had grade point averages of 3.2 or above out of a possible 4.0.

## Peter George Jebson

**Peter George Jebson** of Dexter was named to the dean's list for the spring 2010 semester at Washington University in St. Louis, Mo. Jebson is a graduate of Dexter High School and is enrolled in the university's Olin Business School. To qualify for the dean's

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## Day of Caring



Reinhart Realtors gave a day of service to Faith in Action through United Way Day of Caring, cleaning up the grounds, trimming and mowing and giving the building a little sprucing up. This helps FIA use available funds for their helping programs in Dexter and Chelsea. Acknowledgement goes to Greg Uhlrich, Karl Newman, Rick Taylor, Kathy Hay, John Preston, Shelley Scott, and Elise Dunn.

## MINISTERIAL MESSAGE

# Be thankful for the little things God provides us

It was the beginning of summer, before dawn. My wife had just left for work. My sons were still asleep. I was on the sofa in the living room. A robin began to sing in my front yard. No other human being could hear him. He was singing just for me.



Mark Porinsky

flowers that bloom, the plants that produce fruit - they do it for Him. They might have their own agendas - communicating, reproducing - but without even trying they are bringing glory to their Creator.

Oh, of course he really wasn't. He didn't even know I was in the house listening to him. He was probably just singing for his fellow robins, checking in with all of them to see if they had made it through the night, and to let them know that he had.

Still, it seemed to me that he was putting on this performance exclusively for my benefit, and I was overcome with joy at the beauty of his song and at the fact that my God had given a lowly bird the ability to beautify the world single-handedly.

Anyone who spends any time at all out in nature observes countless instances of beauty - to see wild flowers of a variety you've never seen before, or to run into an incredibly plentiful patch of wild berries. This earth is so full of beauty that it's absolutely incredible. And anyone who spends any time out in nature often can't help but think, "It's here just for me."

But that's really an egocentric view, isn't it? The truth is, God created everything for His glory. The birds that sing, the

Yet, in a sense, they are singing, and blooming, and producing fruit for us humans. Our God made us as the high point of His creation, and He directed the rest of His creation to serve for our benefit. No one is going to convince me that my God didn't send that robin just for me that summer morning, to lift my spirits.

Even more overwhelming, though, than the fact that God sent a bird, is the fact that He sent His Son for me. Jesus of Nazareth, true God, became a man. And He died just for me. He died for all the times when, unlike the robin and the flowers and the berry bushes, I fail to glorify my heavenly Father with my life.

I couldn't create a bird, nor do I deserve to hear a bird's song. But my God gives me not only this gift, but also the gift of eternal life. Anyone who knows that makes it their goal, to glorify Him more and more, and to sing just for Him.

The Rev. Mark Porinsky is pastor of Faith Lutheran Church in Dexter.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Clear allusion

I'm responding to the article titled, "Life's an allusion," that appeared in the Chelsea Standard on July 8.

I want to stress that it is not my desire to sound critical or like a know-it-all, but I felt compelled to address some issues.

The author's allusion to "Thule" was second rated and uninformed. Edgar Allan Poe, himself, is making an allusion to a myth that goes back to the time of Ancient Greece.

Thule, or Ultima Thule (among other names), is a semi-mythical land of ice and snow that was supposedly populated by a superhuman race. It was semi-mythical because the ancient stories may be based on a grain of truth - some have said Iceland, Greenland or even the Orkney Islands may have been Thule.

But stories of this land were overwhelmingly fiction.

The Greek historian Herodotus refers to a northern race called the Hyperboreans, who dwelt, as their name suggested, "beyond the north wind," although he doesn't use the term "Thule."

The first name appears in a now lost work called "On the Ocean" written by the Greek Pytheas of Massilia between

330 and 320 B.C. This work is referred to later by the geographer Strabo circa 30 A.D. Thule is mentioned by Pliny the Elder, Orosius, Diodorus and Procopius.

In later history, the Nazi Party had origins associated with mystical societies in Germany, including one known as the Thule Society. They used the myth of Thule as a postulate for their own racist ideology - a land of superhuman Aryan ancestors. This was their Nordic Eden, as opposed to the Semetic Eden of the Old Testament.

Therefore, in my opinion, the term Thule should be regulated to the trashcan of history, as it's been poisoned by the Nazis.

I found it interesting myself that these car top carriers were made by a company named Thule. While the author's surmise on why it was named such, because of "out of space" (from the Poe quote), is imaginative, my own thoughts were that the company was named Thule because either these carriers hold skies or other winter sports equipment, or that the company itself had origins in a country mythically associated with Thule, such as Scandinavia or Iceland.

I just want to make clear that

you cannot expect someone to understand your allusion if you are not completely informed yourself.

Regardless of the aptitude, in literature, theatre or film of your associate, using an allusion like Thule could find you between "a rock and a hard place."

Allusions can be tricky, but I don't suggest the author stop trying.

Adam Sweet  
Chelsea

### Flyer fiction

A few days ago, I received a flyer in the mail, which I'm sure quite a few of my fellow Chelsea residents also received. It is an anti-Rebekah Warren flyer, which discusses votes it claims she missed during her tenure as state representative. So far, fair enough. A little research will tell me if that is correct or not.

But I like to know who is sending out these flyers, and who is the money behind them, and since no opposing candidate is mentioned, I became curious. A group called The Great Lakes Education Project sent the flyer. I found their Website, which curiously said nothing about the group, except

for their mission statement, part of which reads: "We assist candidates truly concerned about the plight of children denied an equal opportunity to a quality education, who will work to bring educational freedom and choices to all parents."

Everyone likes fairness, right? Everyone likes choices, right? Well, sadly, in this case, this is a front group for anti-public education activists, who want to destroy our public education system by pulling dollars out of public funding and giving it to parents to use at private schools.

We hear activist "tea party" candidates advocate destroying our country's public education system, starting with the Department of Education.

Check out what is posted about The Great Lakes Education Project and other anti-public school activist groups at EAGTruth.com. A well-informed public is the best defense against special-interest groups like these, and lays bare their scheme to push out candidates who fight to keep and improve public education in this state. Beware.

Sheri Sanders  
Chelsea

## ENGAGEMENTS



Anna Katherine Arend and Paul Clifford Zenz are engaged and planning an August wedding.

The bride-elect is a 2003 Chelsea High School graduate and holds a bachelor's degree in horticulture from Michigan State University. She

is employed by Arend Tree Farms.

The groom-elect is a 2002 Chelsea High School graduate and holds a bachelor's degree in business management from Eastern Michigan University. He works for Performance Automotive in Jackson.

## ANNIVERSARY



Ed and Fran Coy of Dexter celebrated their anniversary at Dexter United Methodist Church on July 17.

The couple was married on March 5, 1960 at St. Paul United Church of Christ.

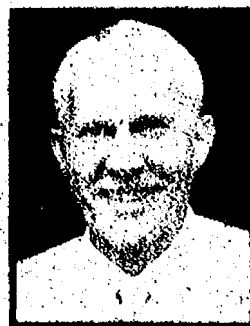
The couple are the parents of John Coy of Dexter, Todd Coy

of Saline, and Vern Lewis of Vicksburg.

They have nine grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

The couple repeated their vows at Dexter United Methodist Church.

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## Parolee convicted of sexually assaulting a minor

A man on parole for property crimes has pleaded guilty to raping an underage Pittsfield Township girl last week.

Court records show David Sears, 29, waived his right to a preliminary hearing in Washtenaw County District Court and pleaded guilty to three counts of first-degree criminal sexual conduct. Charges of child sexually-abusive activity and possession of child-sexually-abusive material will be dismissed at sentencing Aug. 23. Sears reportedly has a sentencing agreement to serve between 10 and 15 years in prison, but additional counts may be pending, officials said.

Pittsfield Township police began investigating Sears July 13, after the parents of a 15-year-old township resident said they discovered an improper relationship. They also discovered video evidence of a sexual relationship that lasted for several months, reports show.

The legal age of sexual consent in Michigan is 16 and court records indicate the offenses date back to January 2008.

Sears was paroled in 2007 after serving the minimum six years of a 20-year sentence for home invasions in Washtenaw and Wayne counties, prison records show. He was scheduled to be released

from probation on Jan. 23, 2011.

His criminal history also includes convictions for larceny, home invasion, unlawful use of a motor vehicle and fraud.

He remains in custody at the Washtenaw County Jail on \$300,000 bond.

## Convicted murderer wants new trial, sentence delayed

An Ypsilanti Township man who was convicted of first-degree murder for shooting a man during a fight outside a Superior Township apartment complex is seeking a new trial.

The attorney for Larry Hunter Jr. asked Washtenaw County Circuit Judge Archie Brown to delay sentencing last week as he submitted documents urging the judge to overturn the June verdict. Bob Killewald also said he needed more time to review documents recently submitted by prosecutors that apply to Hunter's sentencing, officials said.

Hunter, 27, faces a mandatory life term at sentencing, now scheduled for Aug. 4.

Last month, jurors convicted him of premeditated murder and multiple weapons offenses in the Jan. 23 shooting death of Jamar Gardner outside the Sycamore Meadows apartments in the 8700 block of MacArthur Boulevard. They deliberated for roughly four hours after a two-day trial in Washtenaw

## County Circuit Court.

Gardner, 30, was trying to stop Hunter from intervening in a fight involving Gardner's brother, according to testimony. However, Killewald argued that there were conflicting reports of how the shooting occurred, and that multiple witnesses can provide an alibi for Hunter.

One witness testified that Hunter was with her that day, but jurors didn't believe her, officials said. The witness was arrested on an outstanding bench warrant after testifying in court. Killewald said a second alibi witness presented a letter to Brown on the last day of the trial insisting that Hunter could not be the shooter. The letter did not name another suspect and would be grounds for an appeal, Killewald said.

Charges against LaShawn Covington, the 18-year-old Superior Township resident who was fighting with Gardner's brother, were dismissed after the trial. Covington's mother, Marget Tracy Pittman, 35, faces sentencing this week on two misdemeanor counts of aggravated assault for wielding a baseball bat during the fight.

Hunter remains in custody at the Washtenaw County Jail without bond.

## Suspect in EMU student rape takes plea deal

The Ypsilanti man charged with sexually assaulting an

Eastern Michigan University student during a burglary at her apartment last month has entered into a plea agreement with prosecutors.

Jermain Shropshire, 30, pleaded guilty to first-degree home invasion and third-degree criminal sexual conduct for the June 14 attack in the 600 block of West Cross Street, court records indicate. Washtenaw County prosecutors agreed to drop first-degree criminal sexual conduct and felonious assault with a dangerous weapon charges at sentencing Aug. 23.

He appeared briefly in Washtenaw County District Court for his scheduled preliminary hearing on the charges last week and will remain in custody without bond.

Authorities said Shropshire broke into the woman's home near campus at about 10:30 a.m. to rob it and discovered the victim sleeping. The 22-year-old woman said she awoke to find

him on top of her. Shropshire ran off and was arrested shortly after. No injuries were reported. Shropshire also faces one count of home invasion for breaking into a residence on North Adams Street before the West Cross Street incident.

Prison records show Shropshire was convicted of theft charges in 2009 and was released from probation in February.

## Man charged after acknowledging kidnapping, robbery report was a lie

Authorities have charged an Ann Arbor man with filing a false police report for claiming he was kidnapped from his apartment at gunpoint and robbed.

Damian Adams, 39, was arraigned last week on one count of false report of a felony, punishable by up to four years in prison upon conviction, court records show.

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He was released on a personal recognizance bond with several conditions, including continued treatment for substance abuse addiction and no contact with alcohol or drugs. A preliminary hearing is scheduled for Aug. 11 in Washtenaw County District Court.

Adams told police that two men who he believed were from Ypsilanti kidnapped him at gunpoint from his apartment on Pear Street shortly after midnight May 10 and forced him to withdraw money from ATM machines in Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti, records show. He said he was held at an apartment somewhere else in Washtenaw County and escaped unharmed during a fight with the purported kidnappers.

Detectives investigated the complaint and confronted Adams after learning multiple statements he made were untrue, officials said.

—Compiled by freelance journalist Art Aisner

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# U of M employees fall victim to Ponzi scheme

By Art Aisner  
Staff Writer

The attorney for a group of University of Michigan Health System employees who were ensnared in an elaborate Ponzi scheme by the same investment broker has filed legal documents to recoup their losses.

John Chapman said his five clients, all either physicians or administrators employed by the U of M Medical Center, lost nearly \$1 million combined over the past few years by investing with Mark Carpenter, a former investment adviser based in Ann Arbor. They are seeking their money back from him, and his former employer through securities arbitration, according to documents filed last week with the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority.

Chapman explained the complaint is akin to a lawsuit, but it offers victims of large-scale financial fraud the ability to recover their money without

having to go through the court system.

It was part of the appeal for Chapman's clients, who he said do not want to be identified and would not comment for this story.

"These are all professional people in the community with good reputations, and all of them are a little embarrassed by this," said Chapman, a securities attorney based in Cleveland. "This process allows them to remain private."

Carpenter has not been charged with any criminal activity; however, he remains under investigation by the Michigan Division of Securities. In March, the state's Office of Financial and Insurance Regulation ordered him to cease and desist from selling unregistered securities products after an investigation showed he did so for years.

Officials said the case was also unique because it appeared

Carpenter, who through is company TGBG Financial, allegedly bilked investors of roughly \$5 million, was himself scammed in an even larger Ponzi operation.

OFIR also investigated that scheme, which included more than 180 investors who were solicited at Detroit-area churches by representatives of Michael Winans Jr., a member of the famous family-gospel group The Winans.

It appears TGBG, which stood for To God Be Glory, was established in 2008 solely to draw funds into the Winans scheme, which is rumored to be worth a staggering \$11 million, OFIR records indicate.

"This was a multi-headed Ponzi hydra," OFIR Commissioner Ken Ross said of TGBG in a written statement at the time. "Bank records indicate that Carpenter got scammed and then set up his own scam. We found fraud within fraud

involving working people who were robbed of their life savings."

Ross said Carpenter returned a small portion of an investor's money, but used large sums of it for his personal living expenses. TGBG's business expenses and to establish further connections to recruit other investors.

Carpenter was technically a broker for CUSO Financial Services L.P., a stock brokerage firm headquartered in San Diego that sells investments to through a vast network of financial advisers nationwide. He was based in CUSO's branch office located within the Midwest Financial Credit Union in Ann Arbor, and recruited investors from throughout southeast Michigan.

Chapman said that Carpenter, bolstered by professional credentials offered through CUSO, had a good working relationship with Midwest Financial Credit Union officials. That relation-

ship presented him access to well-to-do clients looking to maximize investments.

"He had an opportunity to pitch high net-worth individuals with the backing of a legitimate firm, and when he did so, he made sure to pitch this other investment (TGBG) on the side," Chapman said.

Carpenter assured his victims that their money would be placed in high-return investments, such as oil, gas, gold, bullion, bonds and promissory notes, records show. However, he is accused of taking their money and attempting to cover the paper trail by issuing promissory notes to them.

His former investors also named CUSO officials in their arbitration claim.

As Chapman sees it, CUSO is just as liable for Carpenter's actions because they are required by law to supervise the business activities of all of its investment representatives

around the country.

"They were asleep at the wheel here," he said. "This went on for awhile and we know there are other victims out there."

Officials with CUSO could not be reached for comment last week.

Violators of the Uniform Securities Act may be subject to a criminal penalty of not more than \$25,000 for each violation, or imprisonment of not more than 10 years, or both.

Chapman also said there are signs that federal law enforcement agencies are aware of Carpenter's activity and that further investigation is necessary.

Visit [www.markcarpenter-fraud.com](http://www.markcarpenter-fraud.com) for more information about the case, or if you believe you are the victim of Carpenter's business practices, contact John Chapman at 1-216-241-8172 or by e-mailing [jchapman@iscid.com](mailto:jchapman@iscid.com)

## Area residents 'find themselves' as volunteers

By Daniel Lai  
Staff Writer

It has been said the best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in serving others. And many are finding themselves by serving the dying and their families through the St. Joseph Mercy Hospice volunteer program.

"Our entire hospice family has a team approach in providing our patients and their families the best care possible. In particular, our volunteers are truly amazing and unique, and it takes a very special person to be able to be a hospice volunteer," volunteer coordinator Jennifer Hawes said.

Hawes said volunteers provide a myriad of services to both patients and families.

"At the very basic level, our volunteers provide companionship," she said. "They can give caregivers a day off or they can assist with yard work, handiwork, meal preparations and anything the family might require."

"We try to make the patient as comfortable as possible in the setting of their own homes. Sometimes that is something as simple as reading poetry or holding their hand and listening to their stories."

"Our team is designed to address not only the physical

needs of patients, but also the psychosocial and spiritual needs of patients, their families and loved ones," Hawes said.

Since taking over the position in December, Hawes said she has been working on revamping the volunteer program to make it more welcoming for younger participants.

"I want to make the volunteer program more innovative," she said. "A lot of people do not have an accurate understanding of hospice. Yes, we deal with death and dying, but it's not a deep, dark depressing world."

She said several student volunteers help breathe new life into patients by playing instruments, baking cakes or reading stories.

"Our patients are always impressed with our volunteers that are full of life and energy," she said.

Eric and Garrett Schmalzer, twin brothers and juniors at Dexter High School, have been volunteering with the program since June.

"When we get older, we both want to go into the medical field," Eric said. "We were looking for volunteer opportunities and my brother came across St. Joseph's hospice program and we thought, 'Yeah, we can do this.'"

Eric said the brothers have been working with patients at Saline Evangelical Home because they are too young to be assigned to an individual patient's home.

"We have conversations with them, and try and hang out at least twice a week," he said. "I hope they enjoy us."

Hawes said the teens have become favorites at Saline Evangelical Home.

"They truly are inspiring the way I see them interact with our patients, and I love seeing our patients perk up when these two handsome boys walk into the room," she said.

Eric said being around patients with a terminal illness does not bother him.

"We met with the volunteer coordinator and she showed us what to do," he said. "We're hoping we will be able to volunteer more when school starts in the fall."

Hawes said volunteers go through a 12-hour training course that teaches them how to move a patient, what to expect and other fundamentals.

"We never throw a volunteer right into the program," she said. "Often volunteers make an initial visit with the family to determine what their needs are. Each family has a different

request and we can determine how we can help them through a patient evaluation."

Brandi Horton, who over-see the volunteer program, said volunteers are in critical need, especially during the summer months, when more people are taking vacations.

"Medicare is the primary payer for hospice services, and it requires a hospice program to dedicate a certain percentage of its efforts to volunteers," she said. "We are grateful for the help and we value the people who recognize this population who require end-of-life care. It shows that, as a society, we have mandated that this type of care is needed in our communities."

Horton said there can never be too many volunteers.

"If we have an excess, that is seen as a positive thing," she said. "When you have plenty of people, it fosters more creativity and you can do more interesting things."

She said the program recently used 80 volunteers to host a children's grief camp for children experiencing the loss of a family member.

"It was a nice opportunity that we would not have been able to do if it weren't for the volunteers," she said.

To volunteer for the St. Joseph

Mercy Hospice volunteer program, visit [www.stjosephhospice.org](http://www.stjosephhospice.org) and click on the "volunteer" icon, or call the main office at 1-734-327-3200.

Hospice volunteers serve the same service area as the

hospital system, including parts of Monroe, Jackson and Washtenaw counties.

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## Quimet earns award

The T Wall Foundation will bestow their Lifetime Achievement Award to Washtenaw County Commissioner Mark Ouimet.

In addition to his public service role as a former Ann Arbor city council member, Ouimet was elected in 2004 to the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners and currently is the vice chairman of the board and serves on the Accommodations Ordinance Commission, Emergency Medical Services Commission, Michigan Township Association, Money Purchase Pension Plan, Retirement Commission, Road Commission (liaison), and the Workforce Development Board. "The true accomplishment for

Mark has been his commitment in time, leadership and effort to serve on a variety of governmental, community, and non-profit organizations including the Ann

Arbor Chamber of Commerce, the Ypsilanti Chamber of Commerce, The Council of Chambers, Ele's Place, Mott's Children Hospital, Ann Arbor SPARK, the Red Cross of Washtenaw County, the United Way of Washtenaw County,

the Ann Arbor Area Visitors and Convention Bureau, and the Washtenaw Economic Development Council," the organization said in a press release.

Ouimet represents district 1 in Washtenaw County and is a candidate for the 52nd state House of Representatives district.



### OTHER VOICES

## An alternative to the challenges of public education

By Paul Ramsey  
Staff Writer

Last December, I wrote an opinion piece that critiqued the current state of public education in America ("Holding Policy-Makers, Not Teachers, Accountable"). I was particularly critical of the standards and accountability movement, a movement that had been building since the 1980s and that was codified by the No Child Left Behind Act in 2002.

No Child Left Behind facilitates a narrowing of the curriculum to those subjects that are tested (reading and mathematics) and straightjackets teachers by forcing them to teach to the state standardized test, thus leaving them with little autonomy to work for the best interests of their students.

The tenants of the current educational reform movement have become so antithetical to learning that even Diane Ravitch, former U.S. Department of Education official and one of the chief champions of standards and accountability, denounced the movement's extreme focus on testing in her recent book, "The Death and Life of the Great American School System."

Of course, many teachers resist the "drill and kill" pedagogy that the standardized testing of NCLB encourages and, thus, try to find innovative ways to incorporate real learning, as

opposed to test preparation, into their classrooms. Yet, teachers rightfully fear the consequences of not fully being on board with the current mandates — consider the firing of all the teachers at a Rhode Island school in February, a decision President Obama praised.

Within the atmosphere of No Child Left Behind, teachers, parents, students, and concerned citizens are looking for alternatives to the deadening practices that pass for "education" in many schools. Some are even looking outside the public sector. The Little Lake Free School ([littlelakefreeschool.org](http://littlelakefreeschool.org)) is one such alternative that stands in stark contrast to current educational practices.

The Little Lake Free School, which will officially open its doors this fall in Ann Arbor, is a private institution founded by a group of progressive educators and parents. Partially based on the "Summerhill" model that introduced free schooling to England in the 1920s, Little Lake is a democratic school that fosters student freedom, thought and creativity. Decisions regarding learning and school governance are made by the entire school community — teachers, parents and, most importantly, students.

Although the cultivation of autonomous, democratic citizens has long been a central justifica-

tion for state-supported education, this essential function is often put on the back burner in traditional schooling, frequently confined to a single "civics" or "government" course in high school. This marginalization of the democratic aim of education is particularly pronounced with No Child Left Behind's narrow focus on testing mathematics and literacy skills.

By contrast, students at Little Lake don't merely learn about democracy and the principles on which a democratic society must rest, such as caring for others, and a devotion to the common good, they live it. Little Lake students make decisions as a community and, from that tight-knit group, learn to respect others and their traditions.

There are numerous other alternatives to the NCLB-driven reforms in education, both in the public and private sectors. Many public schools and publicly supported charters refuse to accept the narrow focus on only reading and mathematics, and emphasize a broader, more holistic curriculum. In the private realm, Waldorf and Montessori schools also have a more extensive and

creative curriculum than that dictated by No Child Left Behind.

As innovative as many of these schools are, most have a teacher-centered view of knowledge and curriculum. That is, what youngsters will learn emanates from adults, not from the children themselves. This, of course, is what sets democratic schooling apart from other approaches to education. At the Little Lake Free School, students are largely "free" to pursue their own interests and have teachers there to facilitate those educational endeavors.

The underlying reason why the Little Lake Free School fosters students' decision-making abilities is because its founders, along with other educators within the democratic school movement, have an entirely positive view of human nature. Like the 18th century philosopher Jean-Jacques Rousseau, democratic educators believe that children are good and curious by nature and that, when given a choice, want to learn and expand their horizons. Because of their coercive structure, many traditional schools stamp out the natural curiosity of children at a

young age, but at the Little Lake Free School, that inquisitiveness, the foundation for learning, is fostered and allowed to bloom and flourish.

Personally, I am an advocate for public schooling, but I share educators, parents and students' malaise regarding the current trends in education. I also am a champion of democratic schooling, but given today's rigid policy mandates it would seem that the public sector is not conducive to democratic approaches to education. In his book on alternative forms of schooling, "Sixties Legacy," Richard Neumann insightfully notes: "In a society supposedly committed to free-

dom and democracy it is ironic and telling that the most 'radical' idea to come out of an educational reform movement (in the 1960s) would be the organization and operation of school as a democratic community."

Given the current state of public education, I certainly understand why progressive and civic-minded individuals came together to form the Little Lake Free School, a school based on the "radical" concept of democracy.

Paul Ramsey is an assistant professor of education at Eastern Michigan University and serves on the board of directors for the Little Lake Free School.

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# How to preserve mystical herbs

By Joanne Westman  
— Staff Writer

*"I sit alone in my sacred garden, of all my precious plants and herbs. For I have gained their infinite knowledge, now I absorb their mystical powers. The gentle northern breeze rustles through their leaves and flowers, infusing the air with their sweet scent. Their aroma becomes quite therapeutic as I muse over their ancient lore."*

— Wendy Eversen

I never thought of herbs as "mystical or magical" until my nieces came into my kitchen and were mesmerized by corked jars full of herbs. They excitedly told me that they looked liked Harry Potter's potion collection.

I never thought of them in that way; but my introduction to herbs was pretty much a magical experience. Seeing them drying in the attic of the Waterloo Farm Museum many years ago I was captivated by the scent and beauty of them. I imagined how they would look adorning my own kitchen, filling the room with fragrance and beauty. Though herbs are mystical and magical, I have not used them for witchcraft, but found that they do create magic when added to my cooking.

I progressed from the magical thinking to actually growing, preserving and using herbs.

My vegetable garden as well as the perennial garden now

includes many herbs. Thyme, chives, purple sage and lavender all add to the beauty of the perennial garden. In the vegetable garden, one of my favorite things is to walk between the ripening tomatoes and basil plants, brushing them to release the aromatic perfume soon to become marinara sauce.

This article will not discuss the planting of herbs as that would be a spring article; however, now is the time to preserve herbs either from your garden or from local farmers' market. Herbs in your kitchen will add "magic" to all of your cooking.

## Fresh herbs

Fresh herbs are always the most pungent and best. If you have a sunny windowsill, you could have fresh herbs throughout the winter. Chives, basil, parsley and rosemary are possibilities for windowsill gardening. Last winter I purchased a little pot of live basil from the local grocery, transplanted them into six new pots (there are many plants in the purchased pot) and used them through the winter. Then when spring came and the weather was warm, I transplanted them into my garden. They are there now, standing a bushy two feet tall and providing us with more than we even need.

Parsley and chives can be processed in the same way. Many have had success over wintering rosemary, but this



has been a dismal failure for me.

## Drying herbs

Pick herbs that have not yet flowered and harvest in mid-morning after the dew has dried. It is best to avoid washing them if possible, but if you must, be certain to dry

them well before using any of the drying methods. There are three methods for drying herbs — air drying, oven drying and a dehydrator. Air drying is the easiest and least expensive way to preserve herbs.

It also feeds into my romantic vision of preserving herbs for cooking. When using this method, tie the herbs in small bunches and hang in a cool, airy place. (I use rubber bands instead of string to allow for shrinkage of the herb bundle.) Herbs that can be dried include basil, dill, mint, parsley, rosemary, sage, tarragon and thyme. For oven drying, you must be able to regulate your oven to 90 to 100 degrees. Spread the herbs on a cookie sheet and leave about one hour.

A dehydrator is a quick and easy way to dry herbs, especially those with higher moisture content such as basil, chives, mint and tarragon. For all of the above methods of drying, you will know when the herbs are properly dried when the leaves are crisp and crackle when touched.

Take the leaves off the stems and store in an airtight glass container or plastic bag. Some sources say that the leaves should be crushed before storing, but my experience is that there are more flavors if

crumbled immediately before using. Cooking with dried herbs requires only 1/3 of the quantity of fresh herbs. Store all herbs in a cool dry place and use within the year.

## Drying herbs with seeds

Coriander and dill seeds can be collected by the following method. Cut when seed heads are very dry, tie in bunches and hang upside down over a cloth to catch seeds or inside a paper bag with lots of holes punched in it. When dry, shake out seeds and place in an airtight jar.

## Freezing herbs

Some herbs benefit from being frozen. Freezing can be in ice cube trays or in bunches placed in plastic bags. To freeze in ice cube trays, chop leaves finely, place in ice cube trays, add water to fill about 2/3 full and freeze. Once frozen, add water till full and freeze. Once frozen, put the herb blocks in a plastic bag and keep in freezer. The best herbs for this method include basil, mint, tarragon, and chives. To use, simply throw the block in the dish you are making or thaw in a strainer and use as fresh.

Parsley however is best

frozen by simply gathering large bunches with stems when plants are at their peak, and immediately placing into plastic bags. Remove as much air as possible and freeze. Chop before using and use to flavor soups, stews and stuffing. Most of the flavor for "long" cooking is in the stalks, so be sure to include them in soups, stews, etc. It is possible to freeze basil by this method as well.

Though this article has concentrated on preserving herbs for their culinary use, I am hopeful that it has enticed you to explore their other magical uses such as potpourri, herb vinegars, wreaths, herb pillows, and sachets, to name a few.

Perhaps you can even use their mystical qualities to place a spell on someone. Who knows: the possibilities are limitless. But for now, gather those herbs, dry them and discover the enchantment of herbs in the kitchen.

Joanne Westman is an advanced master gardener. She gardens in Webster Township on the farm she shares with her husband John.

The Dexter Garden Club meets on the second Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. Meetings are held at the Dexter Area Historical Museum beginning in September.



## Q&A: Laurie Lacca preps for Dexter Daze

By Sean Dalton  
— Staff Writer

*Editor's note: Laurie Lacca is a volunteer in charge of promoting Dexter Daze. She has been involved with Dexter's signature summer event for three years.*

**DL:** How long have you been attending Dexter Daze?

**LL:** I've been attending since 1977, when my family moved to the area.

**DL:** How have you participated in the festivities?

**LL:** When I was a student in the Dexter schools, I would hang out with my friends. After I had children, I would bring them to watch the family entertainment. Now I enjoy visiting the artist booths and social tent while listening to the wonderful music.

**DL:** How has Dexter Daze changed over the years?

**LL:** It keeps getting bigger and better. The entertainment committee keeps the best performers and adds new groups every year. This year the Dexter Daze committee also added a contest for high school students to design the Dexter Daze T-shirt during their advanced graphic arts class.

Numerous entries were submitted and Nick Gonnert took first place. He won \$100 and his design is featured on 400 T-shirts that are presently being sold at local businesses for \$5.

**DL:** What is your role with Dexter Daze?

**LL:** This is the second year I am in charge of publicity. I got involved when I felt Dexter Daze needed a Website. I researched other festivals, proposed my ideas to Karen Bentley, the Dexter Daze chairwoman, created the Website and have maintained it since inception. It really makes me feel a part of the festivities and ties my Website business with community service.

**DL:** What is your business?

**LL:** I am president of Realize Websites, located on Jackson Road in the former American Broach and Machine Company building. We create and manage small to medium-sized business and organization Websites, as well as develop marketing materials to promote their message.

**DL:** How are you involved in the community of Dexter?

**LL:** I am a member of the Dexter Chamber of Commerce and have created numerous business Websites in the area. I also have been involved in several community service projects by creating and maintaining the Dexter Drama Club and Dexter Touchdown Club Websites, as well as providing marketing materials for the annual ABCD Booster Blast and Bishop Memorial Golf Outing.

**DL:** You are involved in many student-centered events. Why?

**LL:** Besides having two teenagers, I was a teacher for 16 years and have a desire to teach teenagers marketable skills. I want students to learn the skills necessary to pursue their dreams and become successful in a practical way. I also have continued my father's practice of hiring Dexter High School students to help with his business, by giving them an opportunity to advance their computer skills, provide them with valuable work experience and aid in developing a well-rounded resume for college and job applications.

**DL:** How will you continue to help with Dexter Daze?

**LL:** I will continue to maintain the Website and create the marketing materials. I also wish to add an online, interactive component on [www.DexterDaze.org](http://www.DexterDaze.org) to accept applications from potential artists, allow businesses to conveniently register for their booth rentals, and collect online donations.

**DL:** What are your plans for your future in Dexter?

**LL:** I will watch my daughter attend and graduate from Dexter High School, and build my local business, Realize Websites, which you can visit at [www.RealizeWebsites.com](http://www.RealizeWebsites.com).

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# Sarah at Sea

## Youth production a swashbuckling good time

If you were lucky enough to be a part of the audience that viewed the play "Sarah at Sea" July 17, then you witnessed a terrific performance by local Chelsea youth. Part of the second annual drama week sponsored by the Chelsea District Library, youth ages 7 to 14 presented a swashbuckling play in which a spunky English girl flees to an uncertain future in America by impersonating a boy aboard ship. Full of melodrama and pirate battles, the play was a rollicking delight. Produced in an amazing one week, the play featured a cast of 41 children and teens. All

those who tried out for the library program received a part, and they had three weeks to memorize the script.

"I was amazed at the level of acting ability achieved in only 6 days," youth librarian and director Lisa McClure said, "but young people can accomplish seemingly impossible tasks when they put their mind to it."

Written by Lisa Swarbrick and adapted by Lisa McClure, the play featured dramatic moments and comic relief, with lots of comedy coming from the young passengers, sailors and pirates. With lots of bloodthirsty pirate

jokes and even a shipboard romance, families and local theater aficionados enjoyed the play immensely.

With a fantastic set that included a full ship with mast, rails, cabin, ship's wheel, and figurehead, the youth had plenty to contend with onstage. The costumes too were amazing, with beautiful period dresses and colorful pirate costumes. The cast had to put all of this together with their lines and positions in only a few days, which led to lively practices. Perhaps the favorite part of the theater experience for the children and teens was the

stage combat instruction by nationally known instructor Mike Reynolds.

The kids learned how to cut and parry with wooden pirate cutlasses in two fun-filled sessions. The resulting pirate battles, in which every child participated, were exciting for all.

"I was thrilled to see even the youngest kids rise to the occasion, learning not only complex battle choreography but difficult lines and stage cues," McClure said. "I know that this is something they will remember for a long time."



Sarah (Kallina Koch) vows to Emily (Audrey Timberlake) and Mary (Emily Waters) that she will only marry for love in the Chelsea District Library's summer production, "Sarah at Sea."



Pirates Jimmy (Bryan Allen) and Jamie (Elena Brown) greet Vile Vicky (Elise Blakeman) and pirate Capt. Wild Eye Waynewright (Trevor McTaggart) plot to attack the Lady Jane.



Women and children plot to rescue the sailors in "Sarah at Sea" performed at the Chelsea District Library on July 17. The production was part of the summer reading program.



Ned (Mitchell Henschel) and sailor Keegan (Anna Welsberg) join Capt. Hamilton (Matthew Welsberg) as they face down the pirates in battle in the production, "Sarah at Sea."



Morgan Powell, Alexa Moore, Carolyn Pierce, Alyssa Allen, and Luke DeGraff greet Capt. Hamilton (Matthew Welsberg), Isaac (Suhjin King), and Ned (Mitchell Henschel) as they board the Lady Jane to America during the library's production of "Sarah at Sea."



Sailors Mary (Emily Waters), Sarah (Kallina Koch), Casey (Kaytee Griffith), Avery (Mikayla Koch), Keegan (Anna Welsberg), Duncan (Noah Blough), and Cedric (Kyle Simmerman) report to Capt. Hamilton (Matthew Welsberg) and first mate, Ned (Mitchell Henschel).



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ing system's cooling loads.

Of course the design of your home makes a difference. Whether it is a one-story or two-story home, the home's age, the type of roof, whether your roof has shade, your HVAC system's efficiency, the type of insulation installed and local energy rates all contribute to your potential for individual cost savings.

The warmer months provide a good time for consumers to take advantage of the potential benefits of radiant barrier installation, according to Rick Jordan of EcoRite Products, a major radiant barrier manufacturer.

"I don't know of any product that is this easy to install that does as much for reducing the stress on your heating or cooling systems as a radiant barrier," Jordan says.

"On average, attics that have radiant barriers installed are 30 degrees cooler than they were before the product was installed."

"That equates to a significant amount of heat that is not baking down through the ceiling of a home, causing the air conditioner to work harder."

Experts say the use of radiant barriers dates back at least 50 years, with some of the earlier concepts developed by NASA. Home builders and scientists have known for decades the benefits of foil-based radiant barriers. In recent years, green builders in particular have latched onto the concept, routinely specifying and installing radiant barrier products in the attics of the homes they build to help reduce the overall carbon footprint of the

structures.

Universal Forest Products, one of the nation's largest building products companies, has created an entire division dedicated to products for do-it-yourself consumers. The company recently introduced an Energy Star rated product, called Enerflex Radiant Barrier, that is easy enough for almost anyone to install, with no special tools required.

"Enerflex looks a lot like quilted aluminum foil. It is made of a durable, highly reflective, double-sided material that you install to the underside of a roof between the rafters. From an installation standpoint, it couldn't be easier," Jordan says.

"There is no need to secure the product with adhesive, so installation moves quickly."

Jordan notes that the federal government offers a tax credit that's worth investigating. Qualified taxpayers can save 30 percent of the cost of installing a radiant barrier — up to \$1,500 — through the American Recovery Tax Credit.

"Installing a radiant barrier should be viewed not so much an expense as an investment. Homeowners are paid back over time through

lower utility bills, particularly in the summer, but wintertime savings can also be realized," Jordan says.

In the winter, a radiant barrier basically performs in reverse, helping to keep rising heat from the home's interior from escaping through the roof. Radiant barriers typically are twice as effective in the summer months as in winter months.

Enerflex Radiant Barrier is mold- and mildew-resistant, will not harbor insects and is Class A fire rated. It's available at The Home Depot and from building material dealers nationwide. You can also find places to purchase Enerflex by visiting [www.enerflexfoil.com](http://www.enerflexfoil.com).

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## Ceramic tile has a number of uses

Ceramic tile has held a halcyon place in bathroom renovations for generations.

Durable, easy to clean and available in a wide range of color, format and design, tile just makes sense in a bath. But some enterprising designers and homeowners are finding a new spot in the home where tile not only works well, but can take center stage — the master bedroom.

Homeowners are choosing to incorporate ceramic tiles into master bedrooms for many of the same reasons the material has been popular in bathrooms and kitchens:

• Tile is more durable than other materials, lasting up to four times longer than carpet or wood. Unlike wood, it will never need refinishing, restaining or sanding.

• It holds its luster better than vinyl, and requires no special chemical treatments, the way many natural stone products do.

Because of this easy maintenance and durability, consumers can realize lower costs over the life of the product.

• It's naturally hypoallergenic and releases no volatile organic compounds into the atmosphere. It doesn't collect dust, dust mites, pet dander or other irritants and microbes.

• Tile is readily available in a wide range of colors, sizes, shapes and design themes. In fact, you can now find ceramic tile that even mimics the look of other popular, more costly or less durable materials like wood, glass or even metal.

So how can you use tile in your master bedroom? Tile of Spain branded manufacturers cite several trends in ceramic tile's use in master bedrooms:

### To create a headboard

Fabric, wood or metal headboards can make a powerful design statement, and solidify a bed's stance as the centerpiece of a room.

Ceramic tile, now available in large formats and in designs that mimic the look of other materials, is a sensible, cost-effective and healthier alternative to some popular headboard materials.

Creating a fabric headboard, for example, can be a costly, time-consuming process, yet you can get virtually the same look with ceramic tile made to look like fabric. And this is fabric that won't harbor germs and microbes.

### General design touches

If you love the look of wain-

scoting, wood paneling or beadboard, but prefer a more durable, hypoallergenic material, ceramic tile can offer the same look without the disadvantages of wood decorator touches.

Several Tile of Spain branded manufacturers produce tiles that look like wood design elements.

### Extending the life of a paint job

Paint is one of the easiest things to change in a room and can be one of the most difficult to clean and preserve.

One way to extend the life of a paint job is to tile walls to the level of the chair rail — the portion of the walls that gets the most exposure to unsightly dirt, dings and scuffs. While some paints may require special cleaning solvents to remove dirt without damaging the finish, tile requires nothing more than hot water and some elbow grease.

### Creating cohesion between rooms

In master suites with large, open floor plans, using tile in the bedroom portion of the suite can help create a seamless transition between the sleeping

and bathing areas.

Or, it can help create cohesion between indoor and outdoor spaces — tile is one of the few interior design materials that can flow from inside to out.

### Achieving a look with added durability

You may love the look of hardwood, but know that wood doesn't hold up well in rooms where it's exposed to a lot of moisture on a daily basis such as in a bathroom — or to a lot of wear and tear such as in a bedroom. While wood that's exposed to water will eventually warp and wear, ceramic tile designed to look like prized hardwoods will stand up to moisture and water — even if the bathtub overflows. And ceramic tile that looks like wood will never develop the "worn path" appearance of wood that bears heavy foot traffic.

When it comes to interior design, sometimes the unexpected makes perfect sense — such as finding creative ways to use ceramic tile in the master bedroom. You can learn more about ceramic tile and tile trends at [www.painttiles.info](http://www.painttiles.info).

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### Here's how you can help:

- Don't drink, walk, or drive with a blood alcohol level of 0.08 or higher.
- Keep debris away from your nearby storm drain system.
- Pick up and dispose of pet waste in the trash.
- Don't use herbicides, pesticides, and fertilizers, and avoid watering pavement.
- Use your car's air conditioner to help keep the car cool.

### Be a water quality champion. Keep storm drains for rainwater only.

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# How to take inventory of your garden

By Rosemary Quigley  
Guest Writer

*"A garden is a grand teacher. It teaches patience and careful watchfulness; industry and thrift; above all, entire trust."*  
—Gertrude Jekyll

At this time of year, your major gardening chores are probably behind you and its time for you to enjoy the fruits of your labor.

But to paraphrase the start of a very old nursery rhyme, "Mary, Mary, quite contrary, how did your garden grow?" I would suggest that its time to take a critical look at your garden and make some decisions for the future.

What plants seemed to flourish this year? Which plants did not? Were there any surprises or disappointments? Did you like the color combinations you may have put together in containers or the ones you purchased?

How do they look now? Did any of the plants seem to be invasive? Which ones need dividing? No matter how small or big your gardens are, answering these questions will give you excellent information for next year. You will save time and money, too.

## Know your garden site

Take a good look at the area where you have your garden. You know all plants need certain amounts of water, sunlight, particular soil conditions and fertilizer. The weather is also a big factor. How much sunlight do you have?

If a plant requires full sun that means six hours per day. How about your ability to water, or will you leave that up to Mother Nature? What kind of soil do you have? Soil testing may be a good idea.

I live on a site classified as a hardwood forest. I do have some areas with daily bright sunlight. I also have a grove of very large walnut trees. The roots of these trees give off a chemical substance called juglone, which is toxic to many plants. During the Dexter Garden Walk I talked to many of you who visited my gardens who also have the problem of walnut trees.

It has taken me years to figure out what will or will not survive the toxic soil. Reliable nurseries have brochures or information about which plants will grow under walnut trees. Michigan State University also has an e-mail

site with the information. I keep lists handy when shopping for new plants, shrubs or trees.

Look at what you have and make some decisions so you don't mistakenly waste your time and money on plants that will not thrive or even survive.

## Knowing what the plants need

When you buy annuals that bloom only one season, they are usually labeled for sun or shade. Buy the appropriate plants for your situation. Remember too, that some annuals, like the colorful New Guinea impatiens, may require daily watering. I call them "high maintenance."

Decide if you have the time to water daily. And what about vacation time? Don't forget the fertilizer. Most annuals also benefit from a weekly dose of fertilizer since they are working so hard to provide your garden with that wonderful splash of color.

Mulching is important and helpful because it keeps the moisture in and the weeds out. However, most annuals don't like a lot of mulch, so that means weeding is in order.

Perennials are flowering or foliage plants which come up every year and often multiply. Some may even become invasive. A good watering schedule for the first few years is critical. Once they are established, you may not have to water so often. As they spread and multiply you may want to divide them. The varieties available are endless. I find perennials love to be mulched.

Most annuals and all perennials come with plastic labels in the containers. The labels are full of important information including light requirements, water, size of plants, etc. Look at them carefully, and don't throw them away. I recently purchased a hydrangea and its tag even indicated pruning times.

I also purchased an interesting looking holly shrub that was labeled "dwarf." When I got it home and carefully read the label, it indicated the shrub would become 4 feet wide and 6 feet tall, not my idea of a "dwarf." And to my surprise, I picked up a plant that actually had a tag that indicated it would be safe under walnut trees—a first.

I would also recommend you keep your receipt and tags of more expensive plants in one place. Some come with a



one-year guarantee, and if the plant dies they will replace it. However, you must provide them with a receipt to get your money back.

## Keep records of your garden

I love taking before and after pictures of my garden. I also like to have a collection of seasonal pictures. You might want to do this too. I write myself notes about things I see in other people's gardens, which might work in mine. I have a binder that contains pictures, articles, and ideas about gardening I find interesting. I also write notes that I keep in a garden journal. These notes are really important because they remind me of my successes and disappointments.

More practically, they also remind me when to prune or fertilize, and list specific things I need to do for certain plants. I also list the plants I purchased that year. I keep track of things like how much mulch I used, where I purchased it and how much it cost. That way, next spring I have an idea of what I need and relative costs. Think about jotting down a few things about your garden.

## My experiences

Every year I have experi-

mented with different plants. Some look so tempting in the stores. But after years of gardening on this site, I have finally figured out what will and will not grow successfully. So I manage to resist the temptation to buy something that I know will not make it. It has taken a lot of time. Once you take time to analyze your site, you will be able to pick the plants that will work best.

I am mostly shaded and depend on the reliable shade plants like coleus and impatiens for color, hosta, astilbe, which need lots of water, bleeding hearts, heuchera or coral bells and ferns. I also have pulmonaria, brunnera, Lenten Rose, painted fern and a couple of Hakonechloa.

I don't buy big expensive hanging planters any more because it seems that they fade quickly once I bring them home. Instead I buy inexpensive single impatiens hangers, which give me the most color and bloom time. I do splurge and buy a couple of hangers of a plant called streptocarpella, which is usually covered with beautiful purple flowers and thrives in the shade.

In my little spots of sunlight I have an amazing hibiscus, some Knockout roses, a variety of hydrangea, holly, and lilies.

When it comes to walnut trees I have had good luck with

certain viburnum bushes, Rose of Sharon, and beauty bush. I fill in around them with hosta, astilbe, coleus, and impatiens.

For long blooming time and color, the favorite plants in my garden are the hydrangeas, coleus, and impatiens.

## Learning from others

Sharing gardening ideas and information with friends is a great way to learn more about gardening. I visited four gardens of colleagues in the Dexter Garden Club. Each was very unique and the plantings were appropriate for their site. They were lush and beautiful and seemed to reflect the personality of their owners.

Some of you took the Dexter

Garden Club Walk and visited six very different gardens. I am sure you got lots of ideas from the experience. There are many other garden walks and public parks with beautiful gardens. I suggest you visit a few.

I also invite you to attend a meeting of the Dexter Garden Club. We meet at the Dexter Historical Museum the second Tuesday of the month from September to June at 7 p.m. Come join us for fun, friendship and lots of gardening ideas.

**SCIO TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE MEETING TO BE HELD AT SCIO TOWNSHIP 827 N ZEEB RD ANN ARBOR MI 48103**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public meeting of the Scio Township Zoning Board of Appeals will be held at the Township Hall, 827 N. Zeeb Road, Ann Arbor, Michigan, on Thursday, August 19, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. During this meeting the Zoning Board of Appeals will hold public hearings on the following matters pursuant to the Scio Township Zoning Ordinance of 2009 as amended:

A Variance # 1535 by Kathleen Heise for Gordon & Mary Heise and William and Kathleen Heise regarding property code # 11-08-15, 15-000-001 & 15-000-011. Green Knolls Lane vacant request to reconfigure lane without having access to an approved public or private road pursuant to Section 30-273 of the Scio Township Zoning Ordinance.

Persons or their duly appointed representative having interest in said applications shall there, and then be heard at the above described meetings or adjournment thereof relative to any matters that should come before the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Details concerning the aforementioned matters may be examined by interested persons and written comments will be received at the Scio Township Offices at 827 N. Zeeb Road during office hours weekdays between 9:00 AM and 5:00 PM. Persons with disabilities are encouraged to participate. Accommodations, including sign language interpreters, may be arranged by contacting the Scio Township Clerk's Office at 734-665-2123 during the above hours, at least seven days in advance.

Nancy C. Hedberg, Clerk  
Scio Township

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

Pursuant to Michigan Public Act 110 of 2006, as amended, notice is hereby given that the Dexter Village Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 7:00 p.m. Monday August 10, 2010 at the Dexter Senior Center, 7230 Ann Arbor Street, Dexter, Michigan, for the purpose of hearing public comment regarding the following variance application: The applicant, Sterling Infield, 7819 Ann Arbor Street, 48106-153-009 is requesting a variance from the following section of the Village of Dexter Zoning Ordinance:

Section 3-17-B-5 The applicant is requesting a variance to allow for the installation of a fence along the property line adjacent to an existing fence. Section 3-17-B-5 states that only one fence is permitted per property line.

Information regarding the application is available for public inspection at the Village Offices, 8123 Main Street, Dexter, weekdays between 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. or by phone at (734) 426-8303. Ext. 15. Written comments regarding this project should be submitted to the Village Zoning Office, and must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. Tuesday August 10, 2010. Sign language interpreter or other assistance is provided upon request to the Clerk at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting. Minutes of all meetings are available at Village Hall.

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Chelsea District Library 2011 PROPOSED BUDGET

A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD ON August 17, 2010 at approximately 6:45 p.m. at the Chelsea District Library, 221 S. Main Street, Chelsea, Michigan on the following proposed 2011 budget:

Expense	Fiscal Year 2011 Budget
Personnel Expenses	828,981
Supplies	32,800
Professional Services	38,790
Maintenance Services Contracts	97,215
Telecommunications	18,500
Promotional Materials	37,705
Programming Expenses	34,825
Volunteer Services	1,200
Utilities	83,900
Board Expenses	2,425
Automation Services	43,910
Equipment	11,700
Continuing Education Exp	12,725
Capital Expenses	8,000
Collection Expenses	145,022
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,397,998</b>

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget is the subject of this hearing.

	Rate
Operating	1.6321
Operating Total	1.6321
Bond Debt	0.8000
	2.4321

The proposed 2011 budget documents are available at the Chelsea District Library for public examination.

**William M. Harmer, Library Director**  
Chelsea District Library

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# Village lawyer fields cityhood petition questions

## Council trustees leary of petition requirements

By Sean Dalton  
Heritage Newspapers

Clarkson attorney Tom Ryan laid out the path to Dexter's cityhood and fielded questions for the council and attendees Monday night.

The village hired Ryan last month after failing to meet legal sufficiency during the State Boundary Commission's review of the proposed Dexter city map and legal boundaries.

"Many villages in this state don't have boundaries that meet modern day technology and modern day legalese," Ryan said.

Ryan has worked for Clarkson Village during its successful bid for city status in 1990, as well as Oxford Village, who was denied for cityhood by its residents in a referendum vote after 5 percent of its population approved an election.

He pointed out that Dexter wasn't the only village to go before the commission with outdated language in the legal definition citing boundary positions relative to landmarks and natural features instead of defined survey points that leave little ambiguity or interpretation.

"If it says the boundary is by

the middle of a stream or railroad tracks, that worked fine a couple of centuries ago, but if you're going to incorporate, the commission needs to know what your boundaries will be," Ryan said.

The map has also been amended to take a portion of Gordon Hall that is currently part of Webster Township into the city boundary, as well as a portion of Dexter Sporting Goods on the north end of that property.

Ryan said that he had communicated with village staff and reviewed the boundary definition and map and found it to be a strong candidate for approval by the commission, in his opinion, although he made no predictions as to how the commission would respond.

He also advised the council to make sure that petition collectors went out with an 8 inch by 13 inch or 14 inch by 18 inch map so everyone in the community who signs can clearly determine whether they're actually a residential property-owning member of the village electorate.

Ryan said that he thinks highly of most villages in the state, including Dexter, when it comes to meeting the criteria for city status.

"I would say that almost any organized village in the state meets certain criteria because of the services you provide you (qualify to be) a stand alone entity if that's what the residents really want, since

I think we're answering a Boundary Commission issue without taking prisoners."



Photo by Sean Dalton

Clarkson attorney Tom Ryan answers questions at a village council meeting in Dexter Village on Monday.

you already provide a lot of the services anyway."

Village trustee Ray Tell asked how the commission would respond to complaints from property owners who were being drawn into the city boundary.

"I don't believe either (Gordon Hall or Dexter Sporting Goods) are willing to come into our boundary," Tell said.

Ryan said that the commission can accept, reject or readjust the boundary with that

feedback as a factor, but he indicated that contiguous borders could outweigh that feedback.

Tell asked how the commission would react to those parties "being pulled into this process against their will."

Ryan said that he felt the village's effort to keep as many unwilling property owners, such as the Bates Farm subdivision, out of the boundary would factor into the commission's ruling.

"I think we're answering a boundary commission issue without taking prisoners," Ryan said. "I think we've done a reasonable job of trying to do that."

Village President Shawn Keough said that he personally wanted to cause "the least amount of impact" in drawing up the contiguous city border after the commission's ruling earlier this year.

"We went as far as we did so the borders are as complete as possible and there's not much room for interpretation and alteration by the Commission," he said.

Village trustee Joe Semifero said more questions needed to be answered.

"Part of what we need is assistance in making sure we're answering and addressing the unasked questions... we pretty well understand the process overall," Semifero said. "We don't want to have to start over again."

Trustee Paul Cousins asked if the commission would take the 1981 Promulgation Agreement into consideration when considering Bates Farms.

Ryan said that it would depend on the local officials who comprise the review com-

mittee, but he added that he thought the chance was low.

Gordon Hall volunteer and former village president Paul Bishop asked why the Cedars of Dexter is not included in contiguity but part of the Gordon Hall property is.

Keough explained that Washtenaw County Road Commission has jurisdiction over Island Lake Road between the Westridge Subdivision and the Cedars.

Although the village would not be able to tax Gordon Hall, Bishop and others are concerned about a land development agreement with Webster Township that is placed in jeopardy by being brought into the village.

Sean Dalton is a reporter with Heritage Newspapers. He can be reached at sdalton@heritagewest.com or 429-7380.

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## Washtenaw County Legal Notice:

Washtenaw County Purchasing Division is issuing a Request for Proposal for the demolition of the old court building and surrounding structures, located at 4433 Washtenaw Avenue, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48106. The structure is a Mandatory, single-story, 14,400 sq. ft. building. The demolition is scheduled for August 2, 2010 at 10:00 A.M. at the former 14433 District Court Structure, located at 4433 Washtenaw Avenue, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48106. Interested parties may be submitting bids. Detailed specifications may be obtained from the Washtenaw County Purchasing Department, Web: [www.washtenaw.org](http://www.washtenaw.org), <http://www.washtenaw.org>, and click on "open bids".

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## WEBSTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF CHANGE IN MEETING DATE

The regular meeting of the Webster Township Planning Commission scheduled for August 18, 2010 has been changed to Wednesday, August 25, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. at the Webster Township Hall, 5065 Webster Church Road, Dexter, MI 48130.

Those with disabilities must notify the Township Clerk no less than seven (7) days prior to the meeting so that accommodations may be furnished to satisfy their disability and allow for meaningful attendance.

Paul Zelucha, Chairperson  
Webster Township Planning Commission

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## Webster Township Regular Board Meeting July 20, 2010

The Webster Township Regular Board Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Supervisor Kinsey on July 20, 2010 at the Township Hall, 5065 Webster Church Road, Dexter, MI 48130.

Members present: Supervisor Kinsey, Clerk Heller, and Treasurer Whitely. Trustees: Koch, Westman, Estleman, and Kleinschmidt. Township Engineer: Zoning Administrator: Pindzon. And 13 citizens.

Meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

**Approve Minutes**  
Motion: Heller second Westman to approve the minutes of the Regular Board Meeting & Public Hearing held on June 15, 2010. All ayes and carried.

**Supervisor Remarks**

**Approve Agenda**  
Motion: Koch second Westman to approve agenda with the addition of two items: B & C under Old Business: B Recycling and AT&T Service Franchise Agreement added. All ayes and carried.

**Audit Report** Puffer, Hanniford & Palka

**Call to Public**

**Reports**

**A. Treasurer's Report:**  
Motion: Heller second Estleman to accept Treasurer's report and pay bills as presented as well as those anticipated bills received before the August meeting. Roll call vote, all ayes and carried.

**B. Planning Commission:**  
No report received. July meeting was canceled. The next meeting is scheduled for August 25th at 7:00 p.m.

**C. Parks & Recreation Committee:**  
No report received.

**D. Zoning Inspectors Report:**  
Report received. 9 Zoning Permits and 7 Zoning Inspections.

**E. Sheriff's Report:**  
Report received.

**F. Zoning Board of Appeals:**  
Report received.

**G. PDR Committee:**  
Report received. Next meeting will be held on August 9th at 6:30 p.m. Webster Township Hall.

**H. Fire Department:**  
Report received. Next meeting will be held on July 22nd at 6:00 p.m. Dexter Township Hall.

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# West provides night of entertainment

By Sean Dalton

It's hard to imagine one man holding his own on stage for an hour and a half, but Stephen West did it on July 17 in the second of the Encore Musical Theatre's continual concert series.

I should qualify that with a "could have" because West, a career bass-baritone whose pipes have blown sweet operatic performances from one end of the globe to the other, had company on stage throughout his show.

Not being more than a local theater reviewer, whose frame of reference extends beyond the borders of Washtenaw County, I can only assume from reading other critics that a review of musical theater is sometimes looked down upon.

Knowing that prior to West's

performance, my expectations were tempered slightly compared to when I walk into Dexter's or Chelsea's theater to sit down for a show, but this show actually exceeded even my typical expectations.

West's performance was a wonderful time, from the beginning where a recording of him singing for the first time in his life played over the Encore sound system old-timey record crackling and popping included to his finale "Impossible Dream."

It's a shame that it was a one weekend gig, as the audience that I sat with for the final performance that Saturday night couldn't stop applauding. They might have come back for an encore at the Encore.

It's certain that I'll be attending future concert series performances if subsequent

shows bring more talent like West to Dexter.

Bits like "There Is Nothing Like A Dame" and "I'm Gonna Wash That Man Right Out of My Hair" were hilarious. West and the male ensemble sang the first song to the female ensemble who responded with the latter song. My date took a cue from their performance and sang bits of the song to me on the drive home from the theater. So this is the first performance that has literally followed me home.

Artistic Director Dan Cooney came onstage for "I Am Don Quixote" and you could tell the Encore's founder was honored to be on stage with West, which I enjoyed witnessing.

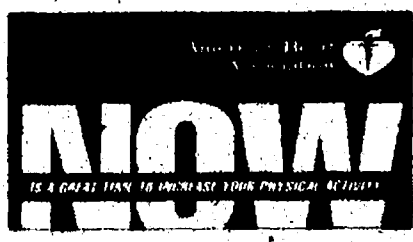
It's also nice to see a little preview of "The Sound of Music" and "Damn Yankees" (the next two Encore Musical

Theatre productions coming up), sort of like an sampler appetizer of what's to come.

"Music of the Night" and "Phantom of the Opera" were extremely touching, bringing West from humor and fun to serious and emotional in an impressive show of vocal range.

It's just a shame that there are no more dates to tell our readers about, at least for now.

Hopefully West liked the Encore as much as the audience I was sitting in liked him, because I think they wanted that encore.



## BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CHELSEA DISTRICT LIBRARY RESOLUTION NO. 2010-07-20

RESOLUTION APPROVING BUDGET HEARING AND NOTIFICATION

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Chelsea District Library, County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan, held in the McKune Meeting Room at the Library on the 20th day of July, 2010 at Six forty five p.m. prevailing Eastern Time.

**PRESENT:** Trustees: G. Zenz, President; K. Frisinger, Secretary; M. Budzinski, Treasurer; L. Fox, Trustee; D. Caplis, Trustee; J. Miller, Trustee.

**ABSENT:** K. van Reesema, Vice President.

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Trustee M. Budzinski and supported by Trustee K. Frisinger:

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with the Truth in Budgeting Act, there will be presented to the Board of Trustees of the Chelsea District Library (the "Library") on August 17, 2010 the proposed budget for fiscal year 2011; and

**WHEREAS**, the notice of hearing on the budget is to include the following statement printed in 11 point bold faced type:

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget is the subject of this hearing.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT** The Library Board hereby directs

its Library Director to schedule the 2011 Budget Hearing for Tuesday, August 17, 2010, and The Library Board hereby directs its Library Director to arrange for publication of Notice of Hearing in the Chelsea Standard, for its July 29th publication date. All resolutions and parts of resolutions insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this resolution be and the same hereby are rescinded.

**AYES:** Trustees: G. Zenz, President; K. Frisinger, Secretary; M. Budzinski, Treasurer; L. Fox, Trustee; D. Caplis, Trustee; J. Miller, Trustee.

**NAYS:** Trustees: None.

**RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.**

**Katherine Frisinger, Secretary, Board of Trustees Chelsea District Library County of Washtenaw State of Michigan**

Whereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Chelsea District Library, County of Washtenaw, Michigan, at a regular meeting held on the 20th day of July, 2010, and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

**Katherine Frisinger, Secretary, Board of Trustees Chelsea District Library County of Washtenaw State of Michigan**

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**EASY #97** **MEDIUM #97**

**SYNOPSIS OF UNAPPROVED MINUTES LIMA TOWNSHIP BOARD OF TRUSTEES JULY 12, 2010**

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. and opened with the Pledge to the Flag. Present were Supervisor Entenbrink, Clerk Hareys, Treasurer Entenbrink, and Trustee Laiter. Also present several residents and guests.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Hareys to approve the Agenda as printed. Motion carried.

Motion by Laiter supported by McKenzie to approve as printed the minutes of June 14, 2010 Regular Meeting and the July 6, 2010 Special Meeting/Work Session. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's report was received.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Laiter to table any action on the SDI field report assessment of the Lima Township Hall and set a work session in September, after the budget and road surveys are in. Motion carried.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Laiter to table any action on the bridge and road township funding issues until September. Motion carried.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Hareys regarding the letter from the Washtenaw County Road Commission for Capital Improvements to submit the same projects as last year with the addition of the newly closed bridges as referred to in the Washtenaw County Road Commission letter dated May 10, 2010. Motion carried.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Laiter to reconvene the issue of Lima Township becoming part of the Washtenaw Urban County, based on new and updated information. Motion carried.

The following Resolution 2010-07 was offered by Entenbrink supported by McKenzie:

**BE IT RESOLVED** That Lima Township should join Washtenaw Urban County at the next available time. Roll call vote: Ayes: Hareys, Hareys, Laiter, McKenzie, and Entenbrink. Nays: None. Absent: None. Resolution Declared Adopted.

Motion by Laiter supported by McKenzie to table any action on application 10903 to create a Village Commercial Zoning Classification for revised information on Village Commercial. Motion carried.

Motion by Entenbrink supported by McKenzie to table the Peddler of Peddler's Helper License for information from the Zoning Administrator how the program could be implemented and enforced. Motion carried.

Motion by Laiter supported by McKenzie to pay the bills as presented, plus any others as required. Motion carried.

Motion by Laiter supported by Hareys to adjourn at 8:25 p.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

**Arlene R. Bareis, Clerk**

Published July 28, 2010

**Mary Dee Heller, Clerk Webster Township**

Published July 29, 2010







**GROSSE ILE, HUGO LINCOLN PARK**  
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Sale. Everything  
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paint, crafting  
items & much more.  
ITS A  
SURE SALE  
In the Classified  
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Tools, Antiques &  
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**FORECLOSURE NOTICE RANDALL S. MILLER & ASSOCIATES, PC IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND 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 Karen D. Lane, a single woman to Metropolitan Capital Group, Mortgagee, dated June 25, 1998, and recorded on August 27, 1998, in Liber 3746, Page 0582, Washtenaw County Records, said mortgage was assigned to The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, NA, as Indenture Trustee for the IMC Home Equity Loan Owner Trust 1998-7, by an Assignment of Mortgage dated May 21, 2008 and recorded on June 10, 2008 in Liber 4665, Page 461, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Ten Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Three and 00/100 (\$210,123.00) including interest at the rate of 6.75000% 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 situated, at 10:00 AM on July 8, 2010. Said premises are situated in the Township of Pittsfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 6, Silverleaf Subdivision No. 1, as recorded in Liber 29, Page 61 through 65, of Plats, Washtenaw County Records. Commonly known as 4781 Jasmine. 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 period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. Dated: June 10, 2010 Randall S. Miller & Associates, PC, Attorneys for The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, NA, as Indenture Trustee for the IMC Home Equity Loan Owner Trust 1998-7, 43252 Woodward Avenue, Suite 180 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302 248-335-9200 Case No. 256-0048-2 ASAP# 3600785 06/10/2010, 06/17/2010, 06/24/2010, 07/01/2010**

**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE**  
**BIRCHLER, FITZHUGH, PURTELL & SAROW, PLC IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.**  
The mortgage described below is in default.  
Mortgage made by Patrick D. Webb and Kim L. Reutter n/k/a Kim L. Webb, husband and wife, to GreenStone Farm Credit Services, FLCA, mortgagee in a mortgage dated January 20, 2005, and recorded in the office of the Monroe County Register of Deeds on January 20, 2005, in Liber 2868, pages 355-360, of Monroe County Records. The balance claimed owing on the mortgage at the time of this notice is One Hundred Ninety-nine Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-four and 96/100 (\$199,484.96) Dollars. The mortgage contains a power of sale, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by the mortgage or any part thereof.  
NOW, THEREFORE, take notice that the mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the property described in the mortgage at public auction on Thursday, August 26, 2010, at 10:00 a.m., at the main entrance of the Monroe County Courthouse, 106 East First Street, Monroe, Michigan 48161 (that being the place where the Monroe County Circuit Court is held). The mortgagee will apply the sale proceeds to the debt on the mortgage, as stated above, plus interest charges at the rate of 7.95%, and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law or contract, and also any amount which may be paid by the mortgagee to protect its interest in the property.  
The property to be sold at foreclosure is described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Township of London, Monroe County, Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit:  
A parcel of land in the Northeast quarter of Section 3, Town 5 South, Range 7 East, London Township, Monroe County, Michigan. Said parcel of land is further described as follows: Commencing at a found brass disk in a monument box at the North quarter corner of said Section 3, as recorded in Liber 4, Page 856, Monroe County Register of Deeds; thence South 00 degrees 22 minutes 41 seconds West, along the North-South quarter line of said Section 3, a distance of 579.61 feet (579.40 feet recorded) to the centerline of Borso Drive, 86 feet wide, (Old Milan-Oakville Road), thence South 87 degrees 56 minutes 55 seconds East, along said centerline, a distance of 390.00 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing South 87 degrees 56 minutes 45 seconds East, along said centerline, a distance of 1539.85 feet, thence North 88 degrees 17 minutes 30 seconds West, a distance of 282.13 feet, thence North 01 degrees 40 minutes 23 seconds East, a distance of 1541.40 feet to the point of beginning.  
The redemption period shall be one year from the date of sale pursuant to MCL 600.3240, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.  
DATED July 12, 2010 GreenStone Farm Credit Services, FLCA, Mortgagee.  
Drafted by: J. Joseph Purcell, Attorney for Mortgagee  
Birchler, Fitzhugh, Purcell & Sarow, PLC  
900 Center Avenue  
Bay City, Michigan 48708  
Telephone: (989) 892-0591  
Published July 22 - August 12, 2010

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The mortgage described below is in default.  
Mortgage made by Donald C. Walters, Jr. and Johanna C. Certo, husband and wife, to GreenStone Farm Credit Services, FLCA, mortgagee in a mortgage dated July 7, 2006, and recorded in the office of the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds on July 10, 2006, at Liber 4568, page 742, of Washtenaw County Records. The balance claimed owing on the mortgage at the time of this notice is Fifty-two Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 53/100 (\$52,994.53) Dollars. The mortgage contains a power of sale, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by the mortgage or any part thereof.  
NOW, THEREFORE, take notice that the mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the property described in the mortgage at public auction on Thursday, August 26, 2010, at 10:00 a.m., at the main entrance of the Washtenaw County Courthouse, 101 E. Huron, Ann Arbor, Michigan (that being the place where the Washtenaw County Circuit Court is held). The mortgagee will apply the sale proceeds to the debt on the mortgage, as stated above, plus interest charges at the rate of 9.65%, and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law or contract, and also any amount which may be paid by the mortgagee to protect its interest in the property.  
The property to be sold at foreclosure is described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Township of Sylvan, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit:  
Parcel A-4  
Commencing at the South 1/4 corner of Section 32, T2S, R3E, Sylvan Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan; thence along the South line of said Section 32, South 89°04'45" West 219.41 feet to the North 1/4 corner of Section 5, T3S, R3E, Sharon Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan; thence continuing along the South line of said Section 32, South 89°04'45" West 111.46 feet to a point on the West line of the East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of said section and the centerline of Hayes Road, thence along said West line and along said centerline North 00°46'25" West 451.63 feet for a POINT OF BEGINNING; thence South 89°06'10" West 607.46 feet, thence North 00°46'25" West 214.74 feet to a point on the North line of the South 1/2 of the South 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of said section; thence along said North line, North 89°06'10" East 607.46 feet to a point on the centerline of Hayes Road, thence along said centerline South 00°46'25" East 214.74 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING; being a part of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of said Section 32.  
Tax Parcel ID# F-06-32-300-013.  
The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of sale pursuant to MCL 600.3240, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.  
DATED July 9, 2010 GreenStone Farm Credit Services, FLCA, Mortgagee.  
Drafted by: J. Joseph Purcell, Attorney for Mortgagee  
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**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 Kimberly P. Sullivan 7374 Roxbury Ypsilanti, MI 48197 County Washtenaw State law requires that you receive the following notice: You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. The person to contact and that has the authority to make agreements for a loan modification with you is Orleans Associates, PC Loss Mitigation 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# 1-800-382-4568. 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 foreclosed 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: July 29, 2010 Orleans Associates PC Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 File Number: 280 2570 ASAP# 3667312 07/29/2010**

**NOTICE** This firm is a debt collector attempting to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose. If you are in the Military, please contact our office at the number listed below. Notwithstanding, if the debt secured by this property was discharged in a Chapter 7 Bankruptcy proceeding, this notice is NOT an attempt to collect that debt. You are presently in default under your Mortgage Security Agreement, and the Mortgage Holder may be contemplating the commencement of foreclosure proceedings under the terms of that Agreement and Michigan law. You have no legal obligation to pay amounts due under the discharged note. A loan modification may not serve to revive that obligation. However, in the event you wish to explore options that may avert foreclosure, please contact our office at the number listed below. Attention: The following notice shall apply only if the property encumbered by the mortgage described below is claimed as a principal residence exempt from tax under section 7c of the general property tax act, 1893 PA 206, MCL 211.7c. Attention: Naphanda M. Luvene, regarding the property at 111 S. Mansfield St. Ypsilanti, MI 48197. The following notice does not apply if you have previously agreed to modify the mortgage loan under section 3205b, 3205a, 3205b and 3205c do not apply unless the terms of the modified mortgage loan entered into were completed with for one year after the date of the modification. You have the right to request a meeting with your mortgage holder or mortgage servicer. Potestivo & Associates, PC, is the designee with authority to make agreements under MCL 600.3205b and MCL 600.3205c, and can be contacted at: 611 South Blvd., Suite 100, Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123. You may also contact a housing counselor. For more information, contact the Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) by visiting www.michigan.gov/mshda or calling (866) 946-7432. If you request a meeting with Potestivo & Associates, PC, within 14 days after the notice required under MCL 600.3205a(1) is mailed, then foreclosure proceedings will not commence until at least 90 days after the date said notice was mailed. If an agreement to modify the mortgage loan is reached and you abide by the terms of the agreement, the mortgage will not be foreclosed. You have the right to contact an attorney and can obtain contact information through the State Bar of Michigan's Lawyer Referral Service at (800) 968-0738. Dated: July 29, 2010 Potestivo & Associates, PC, 611 South Blvd. Suite 100 Rochester Hills, MI 48307 (248) 844-5123 information may be faxed to (248)267-3004. Attention: Loss Mitigation Our File No. 10-27552 ASAP# 3667993 07/29/2010

**FORECLOSURE NOTICE RANDALL S. MILLER & ASSOCIATES, PC IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND 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 Nils Vitso and Heidi J. Vitso, husband and wife to American Equity Mortgage, Inc. Mortgagee, dated August 23, 2002, and recorded on October 8, 2002, in Liber 4169, Page 906, Washtenaw County Records, said mortgage was assigned to Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, As Trustee For Morgan Stanley ABS Capital I, Inc. Trust 2002-NC6, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2002-NC6 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 Sixty-Three Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty-Six and 92/100 (\$163,967.92) including interest at the rate of 7.50000% 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 situated, at 10:00 AM on August 18, 2010. Said premises are situated in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 172, Oakland Estate Subdivision No. 3, as recorded in Liber 22, of Plats, Pages 59 and 60, Washtenaw County Records. Commonly known as 5684 Huntington Court. 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 period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale, or 15 days after statutory notice, whichever is later. Dated: July 22, 2010 Randall S. Miller & Associates, PC, Attorneys for Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, As Trustee For Morgan Stanley ABS Capital I, Inc. Trust 2002-NC6, Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2002-NC6 43252 Woodward Avenue, Suite 180 Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302 248-335-9200 Case No. 100MI00790-1 ASAP# 3654186 07/22/2010, 07/29/2010, 08/05/2010, 08/12/2010**

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**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE**  
**BIRCHLER, FITZHUGH, PURTELL & SAROW, PLC IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.**  
The mortgage described below is in default.  
Mortgage made by Donald C. Walters, Jr. and Johanna C. Certo, husband and wife, to GreenStone Farm Credit Services, FLCA, mortgagee in a mortgage dated July 7, 2006, and recorded in the office of the Washtenaw County Register of Deeds on July 10, 2006, at Liber 4568, page 742, of Washtenaw County Records. The balance claimed owing on the mortgage at the time of this notice is Fifty-two Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-four and 53/100 (\$52,994.53) Dollars. The mortgage contains a power of sale, and no suit or proceedings at law or in equity have been instituted to recover the debt secured by the mortgage or any part thereof.  
NOW, THEREFORE, take notice that the mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the property described in the mortgage at public auction on Thursday, August 26, 2010, at 10:00 a.m., at the main entrance of the Washtenaw County Courthouse, 101 E. Huron, Ann Arbor, Michigan (that being the place where the Washtenaw County Circuit Court is held). The mortgagee will apply the sale proceeds to the debt on the mortgage, as stated above, plus interest charges at the rate of 9.65%, and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law or contract, and also any amount which may be paid by the mortgagee to protect its interest in the property.  
The property to be sold at foreclosure is described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Township of Sylvan, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit:  
Parcel A-4  
Commencing at the South 1/4 corner of Section 32, T2S, R3E, Sylvan Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan; thence along the South line of said Section 32, South 89°04'45" West 219.41 feet to the North 1/4 corner of Section 5, T3S, R3E, Sharon Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan; thence continuing along the South line of said Section 32, South 89°04'45" West 111.46 feet to a point on the West line of the East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of said section and the centerline of Hayes Road, thence along said West line and along said centerline North 00°46'25" West 451.63 feet for a POINT OF BEGINNING; thence South 89°06'10" West 607.46 feet, thence North 00°46'25" West 214.74 feet to a point on the North line of the South 1/2 of the South 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of said section; thence along said North line, North 89°06'10" East 607.46 feet to a point on the centerline of Hayes Road, thence along said centerline South 00°46'25" East 214.74 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING; being a part of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southwest 1/4 of said Section 32.  
Tax Parcel ID# F-06-32-300-013.  
The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of sale pursuant to MCL 600.3240, unless the property is determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.  
DATED July 9, 2010 GreenStone Farm Credit Services, FLCA, Mortgagee.  
Drafted by: J. Joseph Purcell, Attorney for Mortgagee  
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Bay City, Michigan 48708  
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**SCHNEIDERMAN & SHERMAN, PC IS 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 RICKY A. CARR, A MARRIED MAN AND JENNIFER L. CARR, A MARRIED WOMAN, AS JOINT TENANTS, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. ("MERS"), solely as nominee for lender and lender's successors and assigns, Mortgagee, dated July 15, 2003 and recorded on July 28, 2003, in Liber 4289, on Page 903 and assigned by said mortgagee to FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION, as assigned, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Fifty-Four Thousand Three Hundred Ninety Dollars and Ten Cents (\$154,390.10), including interest at 5.000% 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 Washtenaw County Courthouse, Huron Street entrance,**



**RIVERVIEW - 14173**  
Berkshire, July 31  
Aug. 1-8pm PL  
candle acc. left  
handed golf equip.  
antiques and misc.

**Riverview, July 30-31**  
9am until 1925h  
Covenry Junior  
golf club, furniture,  
stereos, clothing.

**Riverview: Murphy's**  
Family Garage  
Sale, 18066 Ray St.  
(off Longsight 925)  
July 28-31, 9-5.

**SALINE - 231 Willis**  
Fri 29-30, 9-11 Thurs.  
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**SALINE - 339 Nichols**  
Dr. Thru, Fri. 8-12  
Sat. 8-12  
SUNDAY HOUSE  
SALE EVERY-  
THING GOES.

**SALINE: Maple Villa**  
Large Courtyard Sale  
Sat. corner of Maple  
& Clark July 31,  
9am-1pm. Lots of  
quality treasures.

**SOUTHGATE: 13160**  
Argyle (W. of Fort  
St. N. of Eureka)  
July 29-31, 9-4pm.  
Desk & boat stuff.

**SOUTHGATE: 13645**  
Phelps, July 29-31,  
8-4pm. Sat. 8-12  
Huge Yard Sale. Lots  
of good stuff.

**SOUTHGATE, 14714**  
Pearl, July 26-28 &  
July 30, 31st & Aug.  
1st, 10-5pm. Tools,  
clothing, jewelry,  
house items, and  
lots of stuff!

**TAYLOR - 12250**  
Woodcrest, July  
29-31, 9-5pm. col-  
lectibles, clothes,  
household & sports  
cards, toys.

**TAYLOR - 22324**  
Brian, July 30-31,  
9-5pm. 3 Family  
Large Sale.

**TAYLOR - 26438**  
Bresl, Fri. & Sat.  
8-5pm. 2 Family  
Sale, furn., yard  
equip., books.

**TAYLOR - 7149**  
Cherokee S. of  
Ecorse Rd. bwn  
Telegraph and  
Beech Daly, July  
29-31, 9-5pm. Over  
1000 yards of brand  
new fabric & more.

**TAYLOR - 8064**  
Katherine, July  
28-30, 8-4pm. Many  
great misc. items.

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**TAYLOR, Multi-Fami-**  
ly, 0113 Dudley,  
July 29-31, 9-5pm.  
Baby clothes/items,  
toys, women's &  
mens clothes, furni-  
ture & household  
items.

**TAYLOR, Estate**  
Sale, 21545 Wontell,  
Fri. 9-6 & Sat. 9-4.  
furn., antiques, China,  
clothes, dishes, misc.  
CASH ONLY

**TAYLOR: Meadow**  
Woods Circle off  
Pardee between  
Wick & Goddard,  
July 29-31, 9-6

**TRENTON - 2 Neigh-**  
bor Sale, 1882  
Lakeview (Grange  
& Brookview), July  
30 & 31, 9-4pm.

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**TRENTON 2030 Max-**  
well, July 29-30, 9am-  
4pm. Lucy & Ricky  
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**SOUTHGATE: 12814**  
Netherwood, July  
30-31, 8-5. Tools,  
toys, furn., clothes,  
etc. See Craigslist.

**SOUTHGATE: 15097**  
Netherwood, July  
28-31, 8-4pm. 1 Day only.  
Tons of tools, furn.,  
no baby items, etc.

**TAYLOR - 26438**  
Bresl, Fri. & Sat.  
8-5pm. 2 Family  
Sale, furn., yard  
equip., books.

**TAYLOR - 7149**  
Cherokee S. of  
Ecorse Rd. bwn  
Telegraph and  
Beech Daly, July  
29-31, 9-5pm. Over  
1000 yards of brand  
new fabric & more.

**TAYLOR, Multi-Fami-**  
ly, 0113 Dudley,  
July 29-31, 9-5pm.  
Baby clothes/items,  
toys, women's &  
mens clothes, furni-  
ture & household  
items.

**TRENTON - 2 Neigh-**  
bor Sale, 1882  
Lakeview (Grange  
& Brookview), July  
30 & 31, 9-4pm.

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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION 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 Sitarum Gundapaneni aka Sitarum C. Gundapaneni, a single man, to JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association, successor in interest from the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, as Receiver for Washington Mutual Bank, Mortgage, dated August 1, 2003 and recorded August 13, 2003 in Liber 4298, Page 197, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Sixty-Six Thousand One Hundred Eighty-Three and 58/100 Dollars (\$67,183.58) including interest at 4.75% 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 19, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 182, of Turnberry Number 2, as recorded in Liber 29, Pages 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55 and 56 of Plats, Washtenaw County Records. The redemption period shall be 12 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 foregoing 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: July 22, 2010. Ors. Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 3628063 ASAP# 3654410 08/12/2010, 07/29/2010, 08/05/2010, 08/12/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION 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 Michael D. Anderson Sr., Madeline Anderson, husband and wife, to Fifth Third Mortgage, LLC, Mortgage, dated April 30, 2009 and recorded May 6, 2009 in Liber 4731, Page 824, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Fifth Third Mortgage Company by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Seventy-Six Thousand Three Hundred Seventy-Four and 88/100 Dollars (\$77,374.88) including interest at 4.875% 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 5, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Superior, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 69 of Washtenaw Autumn Number 2 according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber/Instrument Number 14 of Plats, Page 27 of, 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 foregoing 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: July 8, 2010. Ors. Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 2006637 ASAP# 3635663 07/08/2010, 07/15/2010, 07/22/2010, 07/29/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION 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 Shawn P. King, a single man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgage, dated January 26, 2007 and recorded February 2, 2007 in Liber 4605, Page 955, 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 Hundred Eighty Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-Six and 58/100 Dollars (\$187,676.58) including interest at 3.75% 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 12, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: The South 50' feet in width of the following described property: Lot 386 except the North 48 feet of said lot, also Lot 389 and 390, except the South 50 feet of Lot 390, Norris and Cross Addition to the City of Ypsilanti, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber D of Deeds, Page 884, 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 foregoing 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: July 15, 2010. Ors. Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 6185422 ASAP# 3640828 07/15/2010, 07/22/2010, 07/29/2010, 08/05/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Rebecca Johnston, a married woman, to Diversified Mortgage Service, Mortgagee, dated April 5, 2004 and recorded April 19, 2004 in Liber 4361, Page 296, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by ABN AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc. as assignee. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eighty-Eight Thousand Six Hundred Ninety-Three and 93/100 Dollars (\$88,693.93) 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 19, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 1103, West Willow, Unit Fourteen, as recorded in Liber 14 of Plat, Page 44, 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 tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: July 22, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 241-9886 ASAP# 3656482 07/22/2010 07/29/2010 08/05/2010 08/12/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Glenn W. Bouse and Loretta M. Bouse, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated December 21, 2006 and recorded January 9, 2007 in Liber 4601, Page 599, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-Nine and 99/100 Dollars (\$129,829.99) 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 foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 12, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Augusta, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Beginning at the Southwest Corner of the East half of the Southwest quarter of Section 1, Township 4 South, Range 7 East, Augusta Township, Washtenaw County, except the North 100 feet thereof. 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 tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: July 15, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617-5334 ASAP# 3646611 07/15/2010 07/22/2010 07/29/2010 08/05/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by David N. Newman and Mary Jo Schneider, husband and wife, to Lender Ltd. dba Home Loan Specialists, Inc., Mortgagee, dated August 5, 2004 and recorded August 17, 2004 in Liber 4417, Page 747, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Wells Fargo Bank, NA by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Three Thousand Four Hundred Seventy-Four and 6/100 Dollars (\$103,474.06) 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 5, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Forty feet in width and 132 feet in depth off from the North side of Lot 8, Block 5 of Brown and Fuller's Addition, the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Liber D of Deeds, Pages 3 and 4, Washtenaw County Records, also the South-easterly 3 feet and 6 inches in width and 129 feet in depth from Wnght Street side of Lot 9, Block 5 of said subdivision. 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 tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: July 8, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 326-5899 ASAP# 3639114 07/08/2010 07/15/2010 07/22/2010 07/29/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Christopher L. Collier, a married man as his sole and separate property and Phoebe R. Collier, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated July 21, 2007 and recorded January 7, 2008 in Liber 4660, Page 722, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by OneWest Bank, FSB by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Thirty-Three Thousand Two Hundred Fourteen and 35/100 Dollars (\$233,214.35) 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 12, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Lyndon, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at the center of Section 9, Town 1 South, Range 3 East, Lyndon Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, said center, bearing North 87 degrees 25 minutes 35 seconds East 2860.70 feet from the West 1/4 corner of said section, thence along the North and South 1/4 line of said section and along the centerline of Roepke Road, North 00 degrees 06 minutes 55 seconds East 570.36 feet to a point of beginning, thence South 87 degrees 25 minutes 35 seconds East 444.11 feet to a point on the North and South 1/4 line of said section and on the centerline of Roepke Road, thence along said North and South 1/4 line and along said centerline South 00 degrees 06 minutes 55 seconds East 240.00 feet to the point of beginning, being part of the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of said Section 9. 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 tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: July 15, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 225-4783 ASAP# 3648404 07/15/2010 07/22/2010 07/29/2010 08/05/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Jeffrey S. Cox and Elizabeth A. Rasch-Cox, husband and wife, to Key Bank National Association, Mortgagee, dated August 8, 1996 and recorded August 14, 1996 in Liber 3304, Page 517, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Sixteen and 86/100 Dollars (\$14,516.86) including interest at 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 5, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 167 Oak Crest Subdivision as recorded in Liber 6 of Plats, Page 8, 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 tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: July 8, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 372-0132 ASAP# 3639187 07/08/2010 07/15/2010 07/22/2010 07/29/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Jason Kri AKA Jason M. Kri and Shelly L. Kri, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated December 21, 2006 and recorded January 9, 2007 in Liber 4601, Page 599, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Three Hundred Fifteen Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-Four and 15/100 Dollars (\$315,944.15) 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 foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 12, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Dexter, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: A parcel of land in the Northeast one quarter of Section 22, Town 1 South, Range 4 East, Dexter Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, described as: Commencing at the North one quarter corner of said Section 22, thence South 00 degrees 53 minutes 45 seconds West 314.37 feet along the North and South one quarter line of said Section 22 to the Point of Beginning, thence North 71 degrees 55 minutes 41 seconds East 316.25 feet, thence 206.56 feet along the arc of a 283.00 foot radius curve to the left, having a central angle of 45 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds and subtended by a chord measuring South 23 degrees 14 minutes 15 seconds East, 201.29 feet, thence South 45 degrees 44 minutes 15 seconds East, 26.38 feet, thence South 66 degrees 40 minutes 58 seconds West, 439.19 feet, thence North 00 degrees 53 minutes 45 seconds East, 279.14 feet along said North and South one quarter line to the Point of Beginning. Together with a non-exclusive 66 foot wide Private Road Easement in the West one half of the Northeast one quarter of Section 22, Town 1 South, Range 4 East, Dexter Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, described as: Commencing at the North one quarter corner of said Section 22, thence North 89 degrees 15 minutes 45 seconds East, 292.07 feet along the North line of said Section 22 and the centerline of Quigley Road, thence South 00 degrees 44 minutes 15 seconds East, 48.00 feet to the Point of Beginning, thence 23.56 feet along a 15.00 foot radius curve to the left, having a central angle of 90 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds and subtended by a chord measuring North 45 degrees 44 minutes 15 seconds West, 21.21 feet, thence North 89 degrees 15 minutes 45 seconds West, 96.00 feet along the South right-of-way line of Quigley Road, thence 23.56 feet along a 15.00 foot radius curve to the left, having a central angle of 90 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds and subtended by a chord measuring South 44 degrees 15 minutes 45 seconds East, 21.21 feet, thence South 00 degrees 44 minutes 15 seconds East, 202.00 feet, thence 154.72 feet along a 197.00 foot radius curve to the left, having a central angle of 45 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds and subtended by a chord measuring South 23 degrees 14 minutes 15 seconds East, 150.78 feet, thence South 45 degrees 44 minutes 15 seconds East, 215.57 feet, thence 214.06 feet along a 283.00 foot radius curve to the right, having a central angle of 46 degrees 38 minutes 00 seconds and subtended by a chord measuring South 22 degrees 25 minutes 15 seconds East, 208.20 feet, thence South 00 degrees 53 minutes 45 seconds West, 73.13 feet, thence 42.23 feet along a 50.00 foot radius curve to the left, having a central angle of 48 degrees 23 minutes 40 seconds and subtended by a chord measuring South 23 degrees 18 minutes 05 seconds East, 40.99 feet, thence 362.32 feet along a 75.00 foot radius curve to the right, having a central angle of 276 degrees 47 minutes 19 seconds and subtended by a chord measuring North 89 degrees 06 minutes 15 seconds West, 99.80 feet, thence 32.23 feet along a 50.00 foot radius curve to the left, having a central angle of 48 degrees 23 minutes 40 seconds and subtended by a chord measuring North 25 degrees 05 minutes 35 seconds East, 40.99 feet, thence North 00 degrees 53 minutes 45 seconds East, 73.13 feet, thence 160.34 feet along a 197.00 foot radius curve to the left, having a central angle of 46 degrees 38 minutes 00 seconds and subtended by a chord measuring North 22 degrees 25 minutes 15 seconds West, 155.95 feet, thence North 45 degrees 44 minutes 15 seconds West, 215.57 feet, thence 206.56 feet along a 283.00 foot radius curve to the right, having a central angle of 45 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds and subtended by a chord measuring North 23 degrees 14 minutes 15 seconds West, 201.29 feet, thence North 00 degrees 44 minutes 15 seconds West, 202.00 feet to the Point of Beginning. 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 tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: July 15, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617-1621 ASAP# 3648537 07/15/2010 07/22/2010 07/29/2010 08/05/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Zina J. Saladino, a single woman, to PNC Mortgage, FKA National City, a division of PNC Bank, N.A. Mortgagee, dated May 8, 2007 and recorded May 18, 2007 in Liber 4626, Page 665, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Twenty-Six Thousand Three Hundred Seventy-Four and 22/100 Dollars (\$126,374.22) 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 foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 19, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Webster, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: A parcel of land in the Northwest 1/4 of Section 24, Town 1 South, Range 5 East, Webster Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, described as: Commencing at the West 1/4 corner of said Section 24, thence South 88 degrees 52 minutes 00 seconds East 636.90 feet along the East and West 1/4 line of said Section 24, thence North 1 degree 21 minutes 25 seconds East 377.08 feet, thence South 86 degrees 06 minutes 35 seconds East 150.15 feet to the Point of Beginning, thence North 01 degrees 21 minutes 25 seconds East 614.08 feet, thence South 86 degrees 06 minutes 35 seconds East 150.15 feet along the centerline of North Territorial Road, thence South 01 degrees 21 minutes 25 seconds East 614.08 feet, thence North 86 degrees 06 minutes 35 seconds West 150.15 feet to the Point of Beginning. 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 tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: July 22, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 401-0633 ASAP# 3658895 07/22/2010 07/29/2010 08/05/2010 08/12/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Olis L. Kinloch and Latonya L. Kinloch, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated November 17, 2006 and recorded December 6, 2006 in Liber 4598, Page 99, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Forty-Nine Thousand One Hundred Seventy and 91/100 Dollars (\$149,170.91) including interest at 8.625% 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 foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 19, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Milan, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Being Unit 192, Meadowbrook Condominiums, according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 4310, Page 709 of Washtenaw County Records, together with the First Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 4402, Page 548 of Washtenaw County Records and the Second Amendment to Master Deed recorded in Liber 4499, Page 202 of Washtenaw County Records, as amended and designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 431, together with rights in the general common elements and the unified 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 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: July 22, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617-5635 ASAP# 3653000 07/22/2010 07/29/2010 08/05/2010 08/12/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Sarah T. Kadir, a married woman by Adnan M. Kadir, her attorney in fact and Adnan M. Kadir, her husband, to JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., Mortgagee, dated March 18, 2008 and recorded April 14, 2008 in Liber 4677, Page 197, 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 Thirty-Six Thousand Two Hundred Forty-Two and 11/100 Dollars (\$136,242.11) 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 19, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Pittsfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 18, "Mallard Cove Subdivision" according to the plat thereof, filed in Liber 28, Page 46, records of Washtenaw County, State of Michigan. 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 tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: July 22, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 310-6391 ASAP# 3652885 07/22/2010 07/29/2010 08/05/2010 08/12/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Laura C. Golze, a single woman, to Long Beach Mortgage Company, Mortgagee, dated September 16, 2005 and recorded November 7, 2005 in Liber 4519, Page 510, and Loan Modification Agreement, recorded 12-29-2008 in Liber 4711 Page 488, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Deutsche Bank National Trust Company, as Trustee for Long Beach Mortgage Loan Trust 2006-3 by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Fifty-Five Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Five and 91/100 Dollars (\$255,975.91) including interest at 3.955% 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 or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 5, 2010. Said premises are located in the City of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 96, R.A. Nichols' Huron River Hills, as Recorded in Liber 5 of Plats, Page 13, Washtenaw County Records. Be the same more or less but subject to all legal highways. 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 tenant in the property, please contact our office as you may have certain rights. Dated: July 8, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 362-1799 ASAP# 3639142 07/08/2010 07/15/2010 07/22/2010 07/29/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by James D. Rose and Kathryn L. Rose, husband and wife, to United Mortgage Company-Washtenaw, Mortgagee, dated June 11, 2007 and recorded June 27, 2007 in Liber 4631, Page 918, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by PNC Mortgage FKA National City, a division of PNC Bank NA by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Four Hundred Forty-Nine Thousand Fifty-Three and 33/100 Dollars (\$449,053.33) including interest at 6.5% 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 12, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of York, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Unit 75, Saline Valley Farms, according to the Master Deed recorded in Liber 4485, Page 522, Washtenaw County Records, designated as Washtenaw County Condominium Subdivision Plan Number 490, together with rights in general common elements and limited common elements as set forth in 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 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: July 15, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 401-0498 ASAP# 3646403 07/15/2010 07/22/2010 07/29/2010 08/05/2010

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**MORTGAGE SALE:** Default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage made by Louis J.J. Godens Jr. and Barbara Godens, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated August 22, 2005 and recorded September 15, 2005 in Liber 4507, Page 892, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by CitMortgage, Inc. by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Ninety-Five Thousand Eight Hundred Ten and 31/100 Dollars (\$195,810.31) including interest at 3.75% 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 26, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Dexter, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at the Southeast corner of Section 32, Town 1 South, Range 4 East, Dexter Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, thence North 0 degrees 59 minutes 40 seconds West 436.10 feet along the East line of said Section to the point of beginning, thence South 89 degrees 12 minutes 30 seconds West 1006.97 feet, thence North 0 degrees 29 minutes 0 seconds West 436.11 feet, thence North 89 degrees 12 minutes 30 seconds East 1003.08 feet, thence South 0 degrees 50 minutes 40 seconds East 436.10 feet along the East line of said Section to the point of beginning, said parcel being a part of the South 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 32, Town 1 South, Range 4 East, Dexter Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, together with and subject to an easement of ingress and egress over a 33 foot wide strip of land having a South line described as follows: Commencing at the South 1/4 corner of said Section 32, thence North 00 degrees 01 minutes 20 seconds East 1286.74 feet along the North and South 1/4 line of said section and the centerline of McKinley Road to the point of beginning, thence North 89 degrees 19 minutes 00 seconds East 1335.48 feet to the point of termination. Also having and granting the rights of ingress and egress over a 66 foot wide strip of land having a centerline described as follows: Commencing at the South 1/4 corner of said Section 32, thence North 00 degrees 01 minutes 20 seconds East 1286.74 feet along the North and South 1/4 line of said section and the centerline of McKinley Road, thence North 89 degrees 19 minutes 00 seconds East 1335.48 feet to the point of beginning, thence North 89 degrees 12 minutes 30 seconds East 336.00 feet, thence South 00 degrees 29 minutes 00 seconds East 1275.62 feet to the point of termination. The redemption period shall be 12 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 office as you may have certain rights. Dated: July 22, 2010. Orsani Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer, P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 241-9706 ASAP# 3671150 07/29/2010 08/05/2010 08/12/2010 08/19/2010



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THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION 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, Mortgagee, 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 Mortgage Company by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Five Hundred Seventy Thousand Four Hundred Seventy-Five and 51/100 Dollars (\$570,475.51) 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 foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 26, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, 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 minutes 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 feet, 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 seconds East 454.50 feet along the East line of the West of the Northwest 1/4 line of said Section, thence South 86 degrees 23 minutes 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 1/4 of section 36, Town 1 South, Range 3 East Lyndon Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and containing 2.48 acres of land more or 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 installation 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 36, thence North 84 degrees 37 minutes 50 seconds East 1073.55 feet along the East and West 1/4 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 seconds 93.39 feet to point of termination. 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 foregoing mortgage 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: July 29, 2010. Orsini Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 200-6270 ASAP# 3671145 07/29/2010, 08/05/2010, 08/12/2010, 08/19/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION 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 Rebecca Johnston, a married woman, to Diversified Mortgage Service, Mortgagee, dated April 5, 2004 and recorded April 19, 2004 in Liber 4381, Page 299, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by ABN AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc. successor by merger with Citimortgage, Inc. by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Eighty-One Thousand Five Hundred Three and 55/100 Dollars (\$81,503.55) 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 26, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 239, Westlawn, Unit One, as recorded in Liber 10 of Plats, Pages 28 and 29, recorded in Liber 10 of Plats, Page 37, 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 foregoing mortgage 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: July 29, 2010. Orsini Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 241-7237 ASAP# 3668976 07/29/2010, 08/05/2010, 08/12/2010, 08/19/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION 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 Bhan K. Domrase and Teresa M. Domrase, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated October 16, 2006 and recorded October 27, 2006 in Liber 4589, Page 619, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Aurora Loan Services, LLC by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Eleven Thousand Four Hundred Twenty-Nine and 82/100 Dollars (\$211,429.82) 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 19, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Dexter, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 11, Noah Heights Number 1, as recorded in Liber 19 of Plats, Pages 64, 65 and 66, 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 foregoing mortgage 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: July 22, 2010. Orsini Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 191-4889 ASAP# 3668963 07/22/2010, 07/29/2010, 08/05/2010, 08/12/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION 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 Aron Fillmon and Maria Fillmon, husband and wife, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated November 15, 2006 and recorded December 27, 2006 in Liber 4599, Page 494, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by BAC HOME LOANS SERVING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVING, LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Sixty Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety and 70/100 Dollars (\$160,790.70) 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 26, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Pittsfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Commencing at the Northwest corner of Section 29, Town 3 South, Range 6 East, Pittsfield Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, thence East 1333.38 feet along the North line of said section and the centerline of Textile Road for a place of beginning, thence continuing East 200.00 feet along said North line and said centerline, thence South 00 degrees 13 minutes 45 seconds West 192.90 feet, thence South 89 degrees 58 minutes 00 seconds West 85.43 feet, thence South 00 degrees 13 minutes 45 seconds West 863.29 feet, thence West 114.57 feet, thence North 00 degrees 13 minutes 45 seconds East 1056.24 feet along the East line of the West 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of said section to the place of beginning, being a part of the Northwest 1/4 of said Section 29. The redemption period shall be 12 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 foregoing mortgage 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: July 29, 2010. Orsini Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617-5378 ASAP# 3671190 07/29/2010, 08/05/2010, 08/12/2010, 08/19/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION 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 Jerome C. Jones unmarried and Latonya Dykes, unmarried, as joint tenants, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated August 18, 2006 and recorded August 29, 2006 in Liber 4578, Page 487, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by US Bank N.A. Series 2007-KS3 by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred Eighty-Four Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-Three and 28/100 Dollars (\$184,983.28) 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 26, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 163, Fairway Hills Subdivision Number 3, as recorded in Liber 20 of Plats, Pages 51 and 52, 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 foregoing mortgage 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: July 29, 2010. Orsini Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 618-5109 ASAP# 3671232 07/29/2010, 08/05/2010, 08/12/2010, 08/19/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION 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 Lisa Phayakalas, an unmarried woman and Craig Warden, an unmarried man 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 14, 2005 and recorded June 23, 2005 in Liber 4487, Page 526, Washtenaw 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 Two Hundred Fifty-Seven Thousand Four Hundred Forty and 70/100 Dollars (\$257,440.70) 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 foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, or some part of them, at public venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 26, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Northfield, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lots 33, 34 and 35, Horseshoe Lake Development Company's Shady Beach Subdivision, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 6 of Plats, Page 17, 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 foregoing mortgage 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: July 29, 2010. Orsini Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617-5243 ASAP# 3671175 07/29/2010, 08/05/2010, 08/12/2010, 08/19/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION 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 Chester D. Rech by Perry A. Rech, attorney-in-fact, and Dorothy B. Rech by Perry A. Rech, attorney-in-fact, husband and wife, and Perry A. Rech, an unmarried man, to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for lender and lender's successors and/or assigns, Mortgagee, dated May 8, 2007 and recorded October 25, 2007 in Liber 4651, Page 213, and an Affidavit of Scriver's Error was submitted for recording. Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by Bac Home Loans Servicing, LP by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-Three and 20/100 Dollars (\$250,453.20) 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 26, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Scio, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Beginning at the Northwest corner of Lot 1, Supervisor's Plat Number 2, Scio Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 10 of Plats, Page 38; Washtenaw County Records, thence in the North line of said lot 1, North 88 degrees 11 minutes East 95.0 feet, thence South 0 degrees 18 minutes West 406.38 feet, thence South 6 degrees 46 minutes 30 seconds West 103.80 feet to the North line of Dexter-Ann Arbor road, thence in the North line of Dexter-Ann Arbor road North 78 degrees 01 minutes West, 85.0 feet to the Southwest corner of said lot 1, thence North 0 degrees 18 minutes East 488.48 feet to the place of beginning. 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 foregoing mortgage 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: July 29, 2010. Orsini Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 617-5303 ASAP# 3671200 07/29/2010, 08/05/2010, 08/12/2010, 08/19/2010

THIS FIRM IS A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION 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 Rebecca Johnston, a married woman, to Diversified Mortgage Service, Mortgagee, dated April 5, 2004 and recorded April 19, 2004 in Liber 4381, Page 293, Washtenaw County Records, Michigan. Said mortgage is now held by ABN AMRO Mortgage Group, Inc. SBM Citimortgage, Inc. by assignment. There is claimed to be due at the date hereof the sum of One Hundred One Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty-Three and 80/100 Dollars (\$101,723.80) 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 venue at the or in the Main Lobby of Washtenaw County Circuit Courthouse Huron Street entrance in Ann Arbor, MI at 10:00 a.m. on AUGUST 19, 2010. Said premises are located in the Township of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County, Michigan, and are described as: Lot 1106 of Westlawn Unit 14, as recorded in Liber 14 of Plats, Pages 44 and 45, 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 foregoing mortgage 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: July 22, 2010. Orsini Associates, P.C. Attorneys for Servicer P.O. Box 5041 Troy, MI 48007-5041 248-502-1400 File No. 241-9789 ASAP# 3658872 07/22/2010, 07/29/2010, 08/05/2010, 08/12/2010

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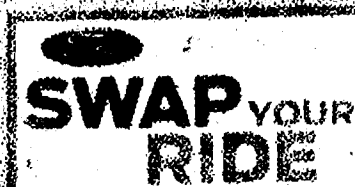
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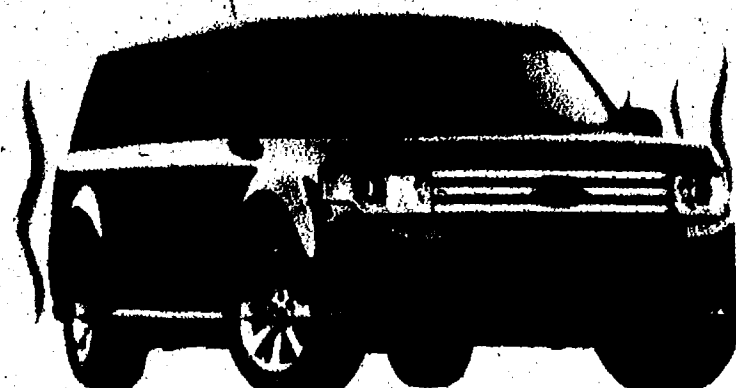
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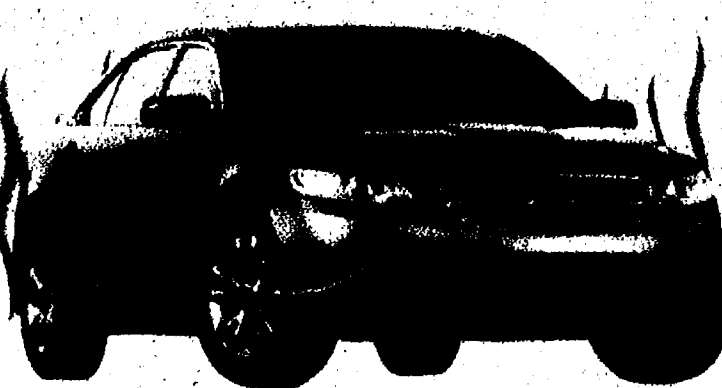
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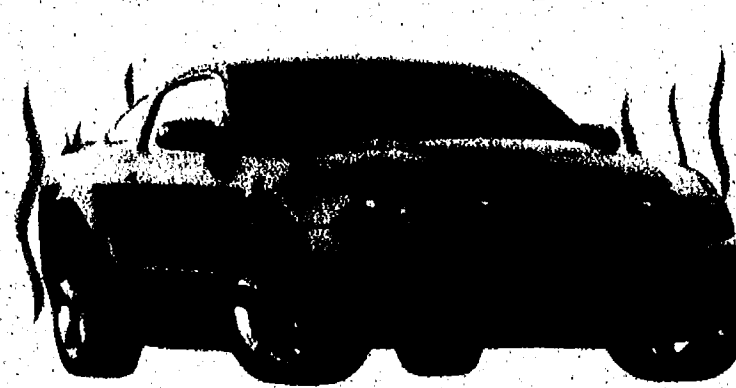
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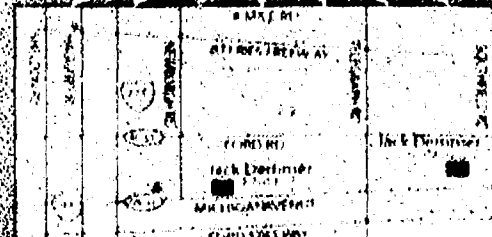
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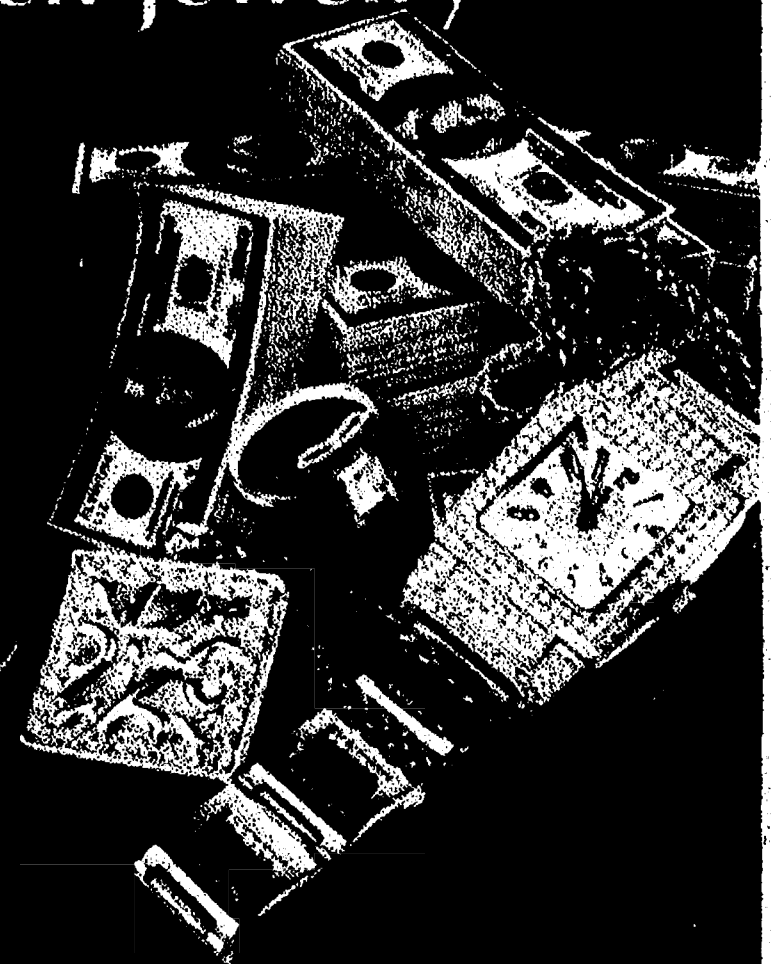
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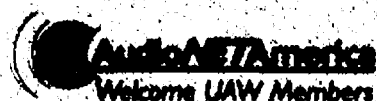
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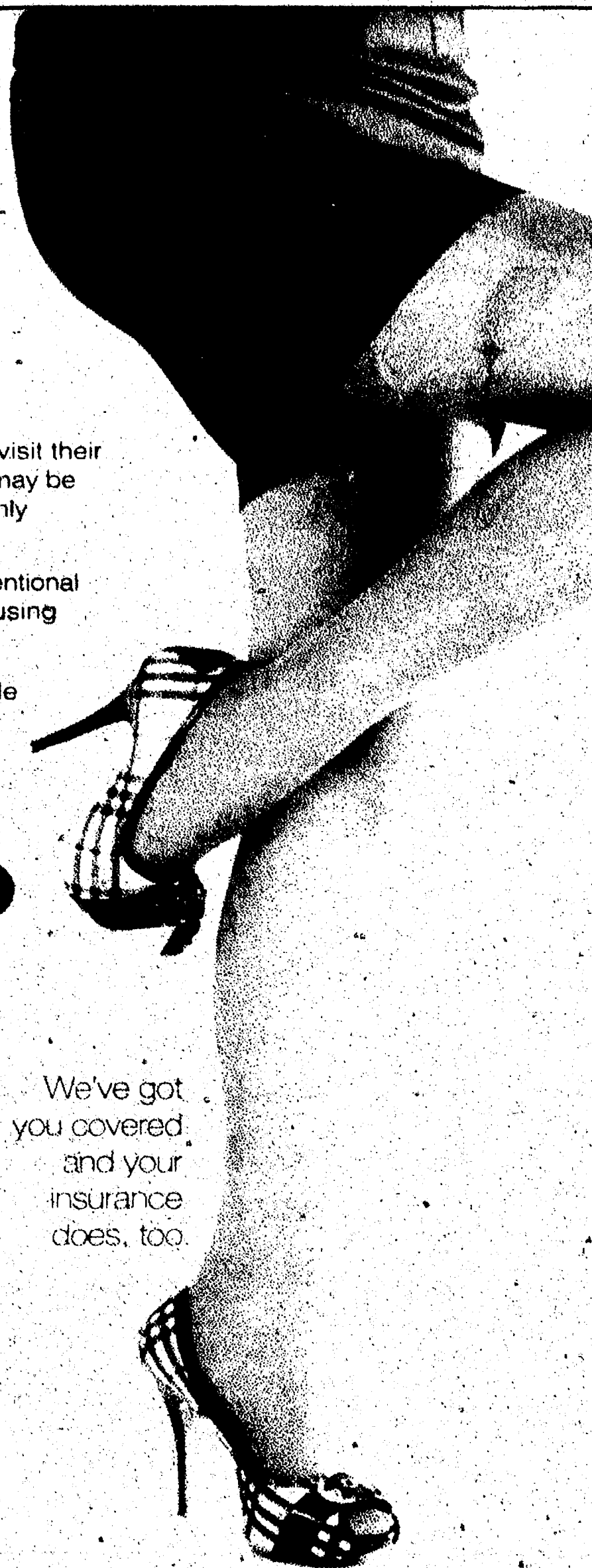


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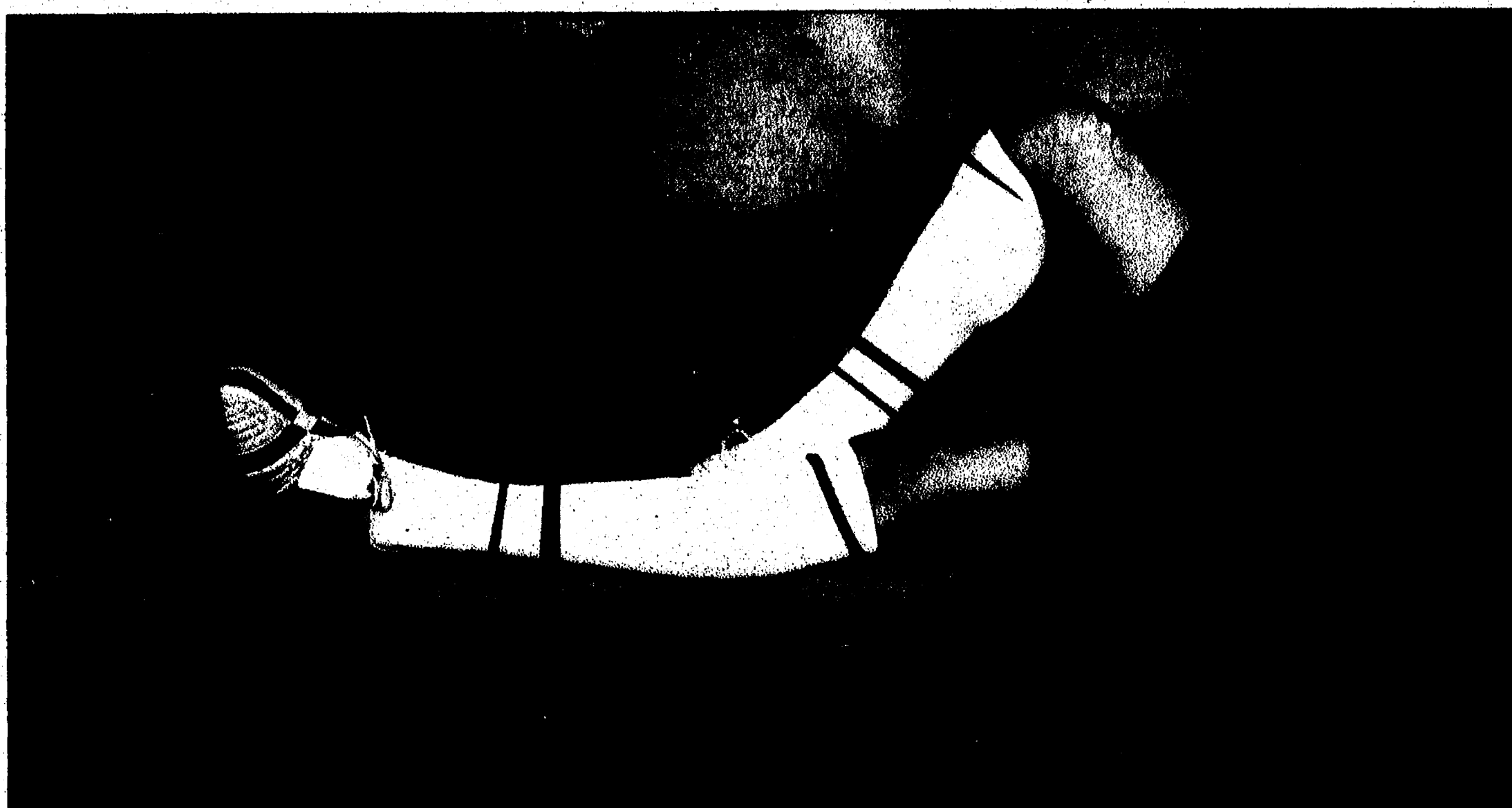
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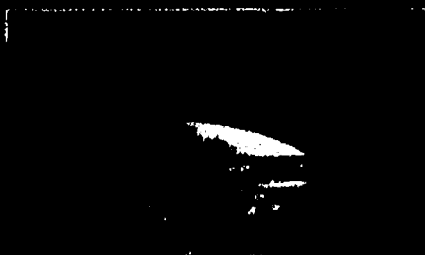
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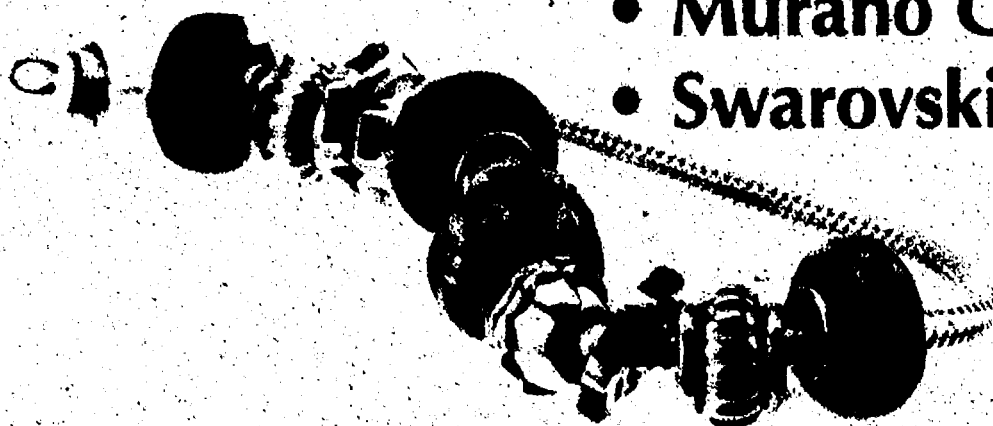
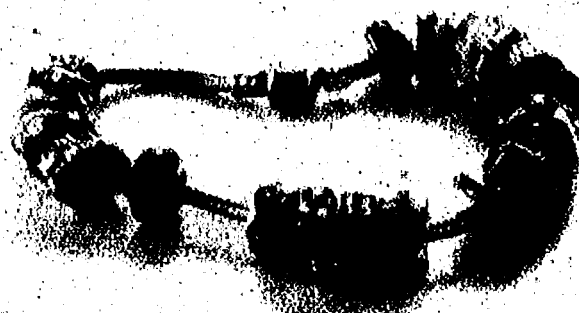


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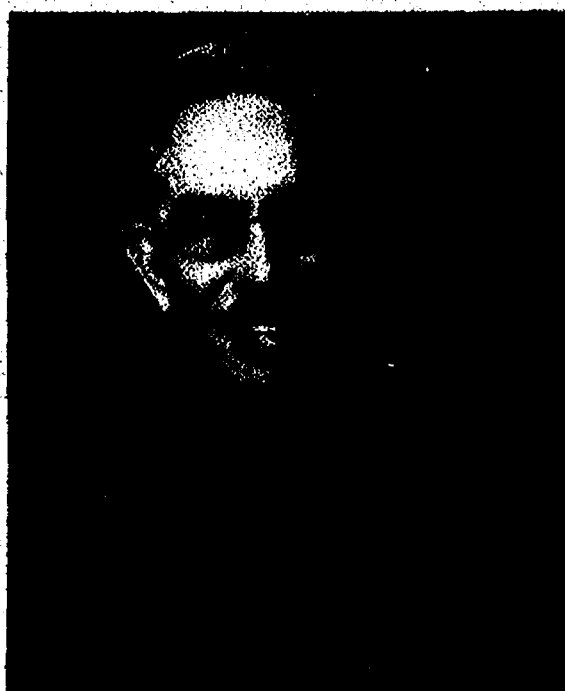
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Adam and Lisa didn't cross paths until they were 15, which is where the story truly begins. The two began training and performing together at a studio in Howell, where they were also part of a youth dance company, Performing Arts Dance Theater, which was co-created by Lisa's mother, Jean Darby, and a couple of other "dance moms."

Performing Arts Dance Theater and Dance Alliance Repertory Company — the in-residence youth company of Dance Alliance in Saline — performed joint concerts together. The couple spent the remainder of high school training and teaching together until they parted ways to continue their dance educations in different cities.

Adam moved to Chicago, where he began training with the world-renowned Gus Giordano Dance Center/Gus Giordano Jazz Dance Chicago

and, shortly after, set in motion his professional dancing and teaching career.

Lisa continued her studies in Washtenaw County with the acclaimed dance faculty at the University of Michigan and also began her venture into the professional world of performing and instructing.

Adam returned to Michigan to dance with the Ann Arbor based jazz company, Jazz Dance Theatre. He later became artistic director in 1993. This is where the two reunited for a lifetime commitment both personally and professionally.

Adam and Lisa were married in August 1994. For about 12 years, they taught seven days a week and spent many hours on the road commuting from Ann Arbor to teach at the many studios and universities where they were on faculty. They instructed in Lansing at Michigan State University, Ypsilanti at Eastern Michigan University, as well as Howell, Brighton, Fenton, Livonia, Ann Arbor and, of course, Saline.

Lisa joined the Dance Alliance faculty in 1994 and Adam in 2000. At that time, they became artistic directors of Dance Alliance Repertory Company. They have since taken their years of professional experiences and molded Dance Alliance and DARC into much more than just a dance studio and dance company.

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Dance Alliance holds several weeks of summer workshops, camps and classes for all ages and abilities. It is a great time to prepare for the upcoming season and to have new dancers become familiar with the studio and staff. This is also the time when Adam and Lisa conduct auditions and and four weeks of rehearsals for DARC in preparation for the upcoming season.

Late spring and summer are the ideal time to get your students pre-registered for all of the fall classes at Dance Alliance, they said. The studio will take new students and registration until it is time to begin ordering costumes for the Spring Concert.

In late August, the studio holds its annual "Nutcracker" auditions, which begin rehearsals promptly in September for the "Nutcracker" performance in December. In the fall, the studio and company participate in a variety of local events and performances, their favorite being the Saline Holiday Parade.

Throughout the season, dancers are busy perfecting their craft and having a great time with their friends and instructors.

DARC will be preparing for its March Annual Benefit Concert, as well as for the conventions, competitions, auditions and performances they participate in during the year. The culmination of the season for Dance Alliance is the annual Spring Concert. This weekend of four shows is quite amazing and most memorable for all involved, the Clarks said.

For more information about Dance Alliance or to be added to the mailing list, call 429-9599 or email [studio@dancealliancesaline.com](mailto:studio@dancealliancesaline.com). You can also check the Dance Alliance web site at [www.dancealliancesaline.com](http://www.dancealliancesaline.com) for current updates on events, look at class schedules, read staff biographies and client testimonials, contact the studio via e-mail and much more. The Clarks also welcome anyone interested in Dance Alliance to witness their product first hand at the studio or any of their performances throughout the year.



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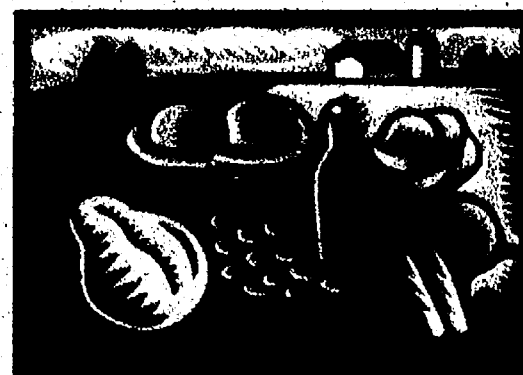
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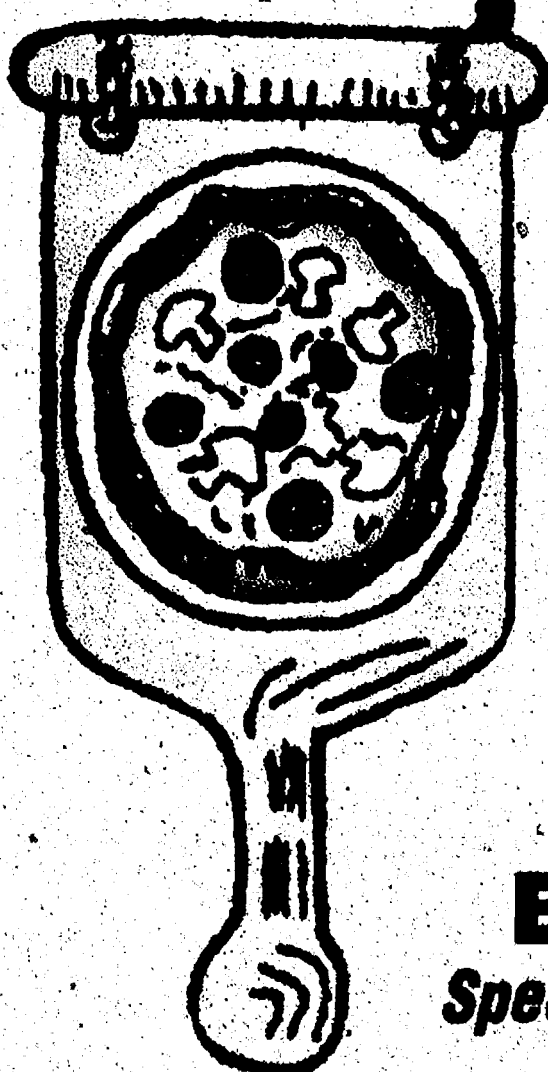
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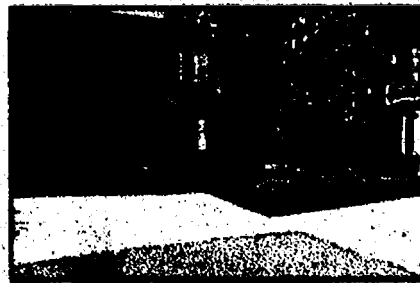
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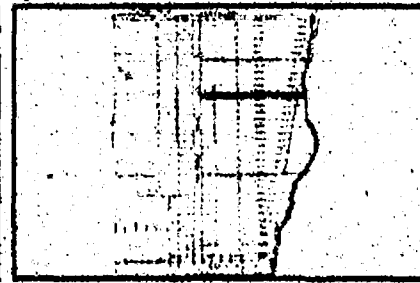
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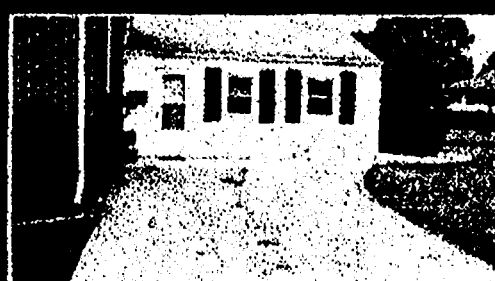


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# Saturday

## AUGUST 7th, 2010

### SALINE CHAMBER EVENT



**START TIME & PLACE:** 8:30 a.m. – 5K Run/Walk – Henne Field

**PRE-RACE REGISTRATION & PACKET PICK-UP:**

Race Packets can be picked up Friday (8/6/2010) night from 6:30 to 9:00 at Saline Summerfest (downtown Saline). The race table will be located at the intersection of South Ann Arbor Street and West Henry Street.

**RACE DAY REGISTRATION:**

Tent at Henne Field from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m.

Race day packet pick up will be in the race tent located on Henne Field.

**FEE:** \$20.00 through August 6

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**WAIVER**

You must agree to this waiver for registration to be valid. A parent or guardian must agree to this waiver for any minors entering the race.

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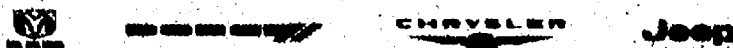
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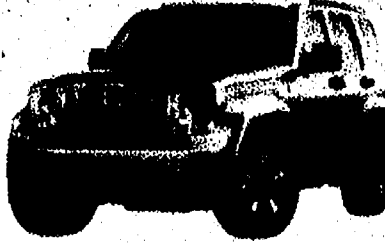
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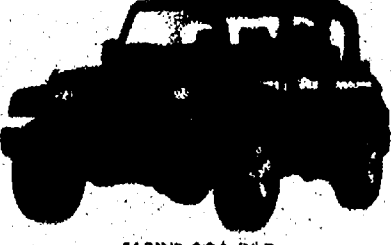
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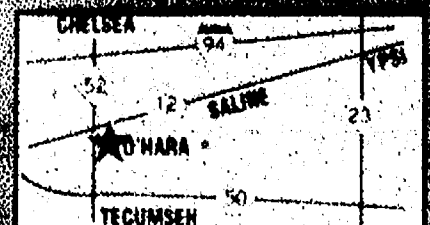


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oriented food, music and fun of Saline's annual Picnic in the Park. Add a juried craft and art show, a trolley tour of Saline's historical sights, a 5K run/walk event, teen block party, radio control car races, fishing contest, volleyball tournament, and other special treats, and there's something for everyone in two fun-filled summer days in downtown Saline.

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## SUMMERFEST 2010 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### Friday, Aug. 6

#### 5 to 9 p.m.

Saline Summer Art and Craft Show

#### 6 to 8 p.m.

Dance Alliance  
Dance Steps Studio  
Tebbo's ATA Karate Demo  
Saline Twirlettes  
Ann Arbor Dance Classics

#### 6:30 to 9 p.m.

5K Run Walk pre-registration  
(downtown Saline between Henry and South Ann Arbor)

#### 7 to 11 p.m.

Saline's Rotary Casino Night

#### 8 p.m.

Opening remarks, Mayor Gretchen Driskell

#### 8 to 11 p.m.

56 Daze

#### 9:10 to 9:30 p.m.

Limbo contest

### Saturday, Aug. 7

#### 7:30 to 8 a.m.

Kid's fishing contest registration

#### 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Fishing contest at Mill Pond Park for ages 14 and under

#### 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Farmer's Market. Parking Lot No. 2 on E. Henry Street, half a block east of S. Ann Arbor Street

#### 7 to 8 a.m.

5K Run/Walk registration tent at Henne Field

#### 8:30 to 10 a.m.

5K Run Walk

#### 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Saline Street Machines Car Show, with awards at 3 p.m.

#### 9 to 11 a.m.

Vegetable Art Contest

#### 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Co-ed volleyball tournament, Saline Recreation Center, Woodland Drive. Pre-registration encouraged by Aug. 6 to Bradley Schwartz, 429-0551. Final registration 9 a.m. Tournament begins 9:30 a.m.

#### 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Saline Summer Craft Show

#### 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Kid's games at Historic Union School including inflatable obstacle course and bouncer, face painting, arts and crafts, and more.

#### 11 a.m. to noon

Vegetable Art Judging, with award announcements at noon

#### Noon to 4 p.m.

Saline Area Historical Society trolley tours of historic Saline sights

#### Noon to 12:30 p.m.

Guitar Hero tournament registration (ages 6 to 10, 11 to 15)

#### 12:30 to 2 p.m.

Guitar Hero Tournament

#### 12:30 to 2:30 p.m.

Radio Control Car Races (Mini-Z Racers) - awards at 3 p.m.

#### 1 to 2 p.m.

Adult/children sack race and watermelon eating contest

#### 1 to 2:15 p.m.

Motorcity Outlaws Band

#### 1:30 to 3 p.m.

Bingo

#### 2:15 to 3:30 p.m.

Loose Dogs Bite

#### 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Saline Varsity Blues

#### 4:30 to 6 p.m.

Saline's New Horizons Band

#### 6 to 8 p.m.

Dr. Pocket

#### 8 to 11 p.m.

The G-Daddy's

#### 8 to 11 p.m.

Teen Block Party/Dance

#### 8:30 p.m.

Blackjack Challenge



# Music, entertainment on tap

## Lineup includes musicians, dancers, martial artists

### Friday

#### 56DAZE

The Saline Summerfest Friday night headliner is the band 56DAZE, rocking the summer night from 8 to 11 p.m., with a performance spanning decades of popular music.

The band has been performing for audiences across Northern Ohio, — Southeast Michigan and Northern Indiana since 2002 with danceable rock and roll favorites. From rock classics and '80s dance music, to the '90s alternative and modern rock, the band plays something for everyone, including lovers of country music and reggae.

Tony Poling (keyboard/guitar/vocals), Rick Rosonowski (guitar/vocals) and Lyle Estep (lead guitar/vocals) front the band with dynamic voices, dueling guitar leads, and magnetic stage presence. Their harmonies team with a rhythm section of Scott Hafferkamp (drums/vocals) and Mahlon Orrin (bass/vocals).

Hafferkamp has been a freelance

percussion performer and teacher since 1994 and received a bachelor's degree in jazz studies from Bowling Green State University in 2002. It was there he learned the larger world of percussion, including studies in vibraphone, marimba, and concert percussion.

He also performed in big bands, jazz combos, Balinese gamelon ensembles, percussion ensembles and in pit orchestras in Ohio and Michigan. He has performed at the Stranahan Theatre, The Franciscan Theatre, The Toledo Repertoire Theatre, and the Crosswell Opera House.

Hafferkamp, who teaches private drum lessons, also performs with The Secret Stones, an experimental rock band currently working on its first EP.

Tony Poling Button, the son of a music teacher, has been influenced by Elton John, Billy Joel, Bruce Hornsby, Journey and The Beatles. Another BGSU grad, he played with the college band, State of Green, opening for Cheap Trick, Molly Hatchet, The Goo Goo Dolls and The Violent Femmes, and playing at

the legendary CBGB Music Room in New York City. In 2004, he introduced NASCAR driver Dale Earnhardt Jr. to his fans at 56DAZE shows at the Michigan International Speedway.

Mahlon Orrin Button, a member since 2006, plays bass guitar and does backing vocals. His musical influences include Captain Beefheart, The Soft Machine, Waylon Jennings, Black Sabbath and Celtic Frost. Button, who has been playing bass for 22 years, has toured the country several times with a couple of different acts.

Lead guitarist and lead vocalist Rick Rosonowski, a band member since 2005, grew up with a dad and uncles who played '50s and '60s "doo wop" and rockabilly. His other influences include Stevie Ray Vaughn, Eric Clapton and Santana.

Lyle Estep rounds out the band with lead guitar and vocals.

For more information, visit [www.56daze.com](http://www.56daze.com).

Other Friday night entertainment will be on tap from 6 to 8 p.m. with Dance

Alliance, Dance Steps Studio, Teboe's ATA Karate Demo, Saline Twirlettes and Ann Arbor Dance Classics.

Dance Alliance has instructed and grown with families from Saline and the surrounding areas for over 30 years. The studio has seen many young dancers flourish and now begins to see the next generation of dancers filter through the doors.

Dance Steps Studio, with locations in Saline and Tecumseh, offers classes in ballet, pointe, jazz, tap, lyrical, modern, and hip hop. For preschool students it offers creative movement and pre-ballet/tap.

Saline ATA Black Belt Academy is a member of the American Taekwondo Association. Its goal, under instructors Paul Teboe and Tomas Sandoval, is to train individuals of all ages to attain the discipline and standards of a black belt.

The Saline Twirlettes — 10-time national champs — pride themselves in being a long-standing group for youth in Saline.

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# ENTERTAINMENT

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for the past 40 years. The group, under the direction of Susan Usher, expanded to include students from Milan, Tecumseh, Monroe, Ann Arbor, Dexter, Grass Lake, Brooklyn, and Ypsilanti. The group offers a recreational program and participates in the Saline High School homecoming parade, holiday parade, Memorial Day parade, Labor Day parade and more.

Ann Arbor Dance Classics specializes in quality dance education and teaches ballet, pointe, jazz, lyrical, tap, hip hop, and creative movement/pre-school. Its performance company, Youth Dance Ensemble, is for ages 8 through 18.

## Saturday

### The G-Daddy's

The Saturday night headliners are the G-Daddy's, a multi-talented band from the Metro-Detroit area specializing in crowd-pleasing music with an emphasis on variety. They will play from 8 to 11 p.m.

All band members are seasoned veterans of the local music scene, performing thousands of shows. Their experience and talent combined with educated song selection makes them one of the most entertaining and sought-after bands around, for club/bar work, weddings, corporate functions, and public events.

Jeff Scafione, bass guitar, has been around music his whole life; his father is a drummer who played on a few hit records in the late '50s and early '60s by his cousin, country/rockabilly singer Jack Scott. Jeff's musical journey began with drums, then guitar, until he discovered bass guitar at about age 12.

Jeff, whose bass-playing influences include James Jamerson, Paul McCartney, Alan Spenser and Pino Palladino, has played in many bands around the Detroit area and landed a position with the Danny D band, providing the opportunity to play on bills with Uncle Kracker, John Waite, David Lee Roth and Air Supply.

T.J. Collica plays drums, percussion and provides vocals. A classic rocker at heart, he enjoys most forms of music, and incorporated a wide variety of song types and styles into the G-Daddy's song list. He has 20 years of experience, and previous musical endeavors include the bands Free Beer and the original band Push and Shove.

Mike Martinez, vocals and keyboards, has been singing since the age of 2, and sang his first onstage solo at the age of 6. He taught himself to play piano at 12, and played his first paying job at 13.

Since then he has taken many music/entertainment jobs including karaoke host, bar-piano player, wedding DJ, and singer/keyboardist jobs with bands that played funk, country, jazz, rock, soul, Motown and alternative. He has even worked as a singing telegram messenger.

He attended Eastern Michigan University on a full vocal scholarship,



and studied music education. He now attends the University of Michigan in the School of Engineering.

Garvin Cooper performs on acoustic and electric guitars, as well as vocals. He is another disciple of '70s and '80s rock/pop, drawing influences from Poison and Bon Jovi, Judas Priest and Iron Maiden, and bands such as Journey, Boston, Triumph, and Styx. He found success in the 90s playing in the popular cover band Gun Shy, which after a few years evolved into In Deep.

Jim Lefevre, keyboards and vocals, had early formal training, and has a degree in music as well as many years of performing on a variety of Detroit-area stages. Influences include Bach and Chopin, Elton John and Billy Joel, Bill Evans and Jimmy Smith, or even Frank Zappa.

Entertainment on Saturday afternoon and early evening includes the Motor City Outlaws, from 1 to 2:15 p.m.; Loose Dogs Bite, 2:15 to 3:30 p.m.; Saline Varsity Blues, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.; Saline New Horizons Band, 4:30 to 6 p.m.; and Dr. Pocket, 6 to 8 p.m.

The Motor City Outlaws, playing classic and southern rock, feature Rob Lossing on rhythm guitar and vocals; Lonnie Hafner on lead guitar and vocals; Mike Hintz on bass and vocals; and Roger Heffebower on drums and vocals. They have performed at Sound and Sights on Thursday Nights in Chelsea. They have also played in Gross Pointe, Detroit, Dundee, Canton, Milan, the Irish Hills wing of the southern Michigan Annual Ride to Hell, Appleumpkinfest in

Tecumseh, Saline Rodeo and a few select summer promos and non-profit benefit gigs.

Dr. Pocket combines four powerful horns, a driving rhythm section and three of Detroit's best singers for an entertaining and exciting musical product. Whether performing covers or original arrangements, the focus is on the tradition of great horn bands from blues, jazz and rhythm and blues, such as Tower Of Power, Wilson Pickett, Joe Cocker and Delbert McClinton. Lead singers Dick Fidge, Kim Lange and Russ Gregory bring talent and experience to the front of this exciting band.

Loose Dogs Bite is a classic rock and roll band based in Saline, influenced by The Who, Tom Petty, Bob Seger, and CCR. The band plays regularly at Maplewood Lanes, and has performed at Wings Pizza and Things in Saline, and at Rocktoberfest in Freedom Township.

The Saline New Horizons Band, under the direction Joseph Labuta, was founded in June of 2004 and is affiliated with more than 150 other New Horizons Bands in the United States and Canada. The bands are part of the New Horizons International Music Association. The adult band is open to musicians of every level of experience and many members are 50 and older.

The Saline Varsity Blues is a nonprofit, performing show choir with a Saline High School cast, junior varsity cast and kids' cast.

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# What happens in Saline stays in Saline during fundraising, fun gambling nights

**E**njoy a mini-taste of Las Vegas with two nights of fun at Summerfest's Casino Night and Blackjack Challenge Night.

The Saline Rotary Club's Casino Night is set for 7 to 11 p.m. Aug. 6. The cost is \$15 for advance tickets, and the price includes \$100 of play money for blackjack, craps or roulette.

To purchase tickets, contact Jill Durnen at 429-5491. All proceeds will assist in the research and purchase of a portable ice skating rink for downtown Saline.

The Blackjack Challenge, Saline Style — for adults only — is set from 8:30 to 10

p.m. Aug. 7, with free admission.

It's all in fun, and only play money will exchange hands. But the competition will be intense, as 10 tables of players and dealers gradually narrow down to just two. There will be donated prizes for the evening's top scorers.

The betting begins at 8:30 p.m. Saturday. Seating is limited, so arrive early.

## Blackjack Challenge house rules

• Limited seating, first come first served.

• Players begin with \$25 play money. Players may not receive funds from other players. As players run out of the money, they are eliminated from the challenge.

• Maximum \$5 bet until final round. No double downs, splits, insurance, etc. Dealer stays on 17 or higher.

• As players at a table reduce, or as time requires, tables will be consolidated. When tables combine, the "surviving" dealer will be the dealer at those tables with the most money at that time.

• Tables will continue to consolidate until one table is established, or if time

requires, a determination of surviving players. At that time, the leading dealer will become the winning dealer, and the dealer of the final table.

• At the final table, the \$5 betting limit will be removed. At the completion of two double decks of play, a winner will be declared. The deal in process at the end of the second double deck will be completed. The player with the most cash at the end of the bet will be the winner.

• Prizes will be chosen in order for first, second and third place.

• All rules are subject to change by the pit boss.

# Downtown merchants hosting craft show

**T**he Saline Summerfest Art and Craft Show, a juried art and craft fair sponsored by the Saline Downtown Merchants' Association, is set for 5 to 9 p.m. Aug. 6 and 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Aug. 7 in downtown Saline.

## 2010 Participating Artists

212 Arts Center—demonstrations  
Adamcik, Deb—caricatures, portraits, silhouettes  
Bell, Kate—photography, vibrant colors  
Detering, Becky—bead jewelry  
Dolinski, Linda—wire-wrapped jewelry  
England, Barry—jewelry, silver and gold filled with stones  
England, Marta—silver jewelry  
Fischer, Courtney—jewelry with new, found and vintage items

Garabedian, Ani—magnets, totes, stuffed animals and recycled items  
Gardner, Carrie—fused glass jewelry  
Gravelyn, Laurel—silver jewelry  
Hamilton-Krawczyk, Jill—"button" pins, earrings, earrings, etc.  
Kehoe, Kate—photography, recycled art  
Kerstens, Liz—embellished purses for ages 4 through 12  
Koenig, Liz—natural dog treats  
Linsea, Linda—bead jewelry, some vintage  
Magro, Scottie—photos on jewelry, boxes, etc.  
Major, Susan—rusted metal garden art, birds  
Marion, Gloria—decorated flip flops, kid's hats, and more  
McCauley Donna—weaving and jewelry

Miller-Brief, Barb—greeting cards with photos, placemats  
O'Connor, Lori—photography  
Odell, Terry—photography  
O'Kane, Annie—sterling jewelry  
Page, Josephine—textile jewelry  
Pease, Stephanie—original oils, giclees, magnets, notecards  
Psychich, Michael—photography  
Schott, Amanda—bags, wallets, with vintage fabrics  
Solberg, Dee—tote bags, fanny packs, dolls, etc.  
Trueman, Cheryl—recycled plate pedestals  
Wagner, John—calligraphy on usable items  
Ward, Danielle—henna tattoos/fantasy facepainting  
Watkins, Jenny—soy candles

Weber, Jade—illustrations and cards  
Wright, Ann—maple syrup, jams, honey  
Wyandt, Laura—cards, purses, baby sweaters

Visit the Saline Downtown Merchants' Association website for other Saline happenings at [www.salinedma.org](http://www.salinedma.org).

## SALINE SUMMERFEST 2010 EVENTS

### Radio-controlled car races

Radio control car races will return to Summerfest this year. New this time around are the Mini-Z racers, including demos and a chance for kids to try them out.

Races will take place from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. in downtown Saline, with an awards ceremony at 3 p.m.

The races, cars and equipment are sponsored by Tiny RC, Inc. (<http://shop.tinyrc.com>) and Mini-ZRacer.com.

The cars may be tiny, but are considered fast and fun.

### Sand volleyball tournament

The Saline Recreation Center on Woodland Drive will host a sand volleyball tournament from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Aug. 7.

Co-ed Fours must field a team with a maximum of three men and a minimum of one woman. The cost is \$10 per team and final registration is at 9 a.m. Pre-registration is encouraged.

A Youth Division is available with sufficient participation. The first place team will win a free volleyball.

For information, call Bradley Schwartz at 429-0551 by Aug. 6.

### Teen block party

Teens get their own fun event on Saturday night with a teen block party in the parking lot behind Town and Country Bikes at 88 N. Ann Arbor St. in downtown Saline.

In the event of rain, the party will be held in Historic Union School, 200 N. Ann Arbor St.

The three-hour party, sponsored by the Saline Coalition to Reduce Underage Drinking gets under way at 8 p.m., and includes dancing, corn hole games, "Guitar Hero" competition, a freestanding volleyball game using beach balls, and a concessions table sponsored by Students Against Destructive Decisions.

Admission is \$3 with all proceeds benefiting the Saline Youth Council Teen Center.

## Saline Farmers' Market

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### SATURDAY

### 8:00am-2pm

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Nancy Crisp, Market Manager  
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[salinefarmersmarket@comcast.net](mailto:salinefarmersmarket@comcast.net)



# Street Machines Car Show returns

The 28th annual Saline Street Machines Car Show will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., rain or shine, in downtown Saline Saturday, with awards handed out at 3 p.m.

The cost to enter a car is \$12 when pre-registering, or \$15 on the day of the show. Proceeds will benefit Saline Social Services and Saline Youth Baseball.

There will be dash plaques for the first 125 show cars, a free T-shirt to the first 25 to register, and door prize drawings throughout the day.

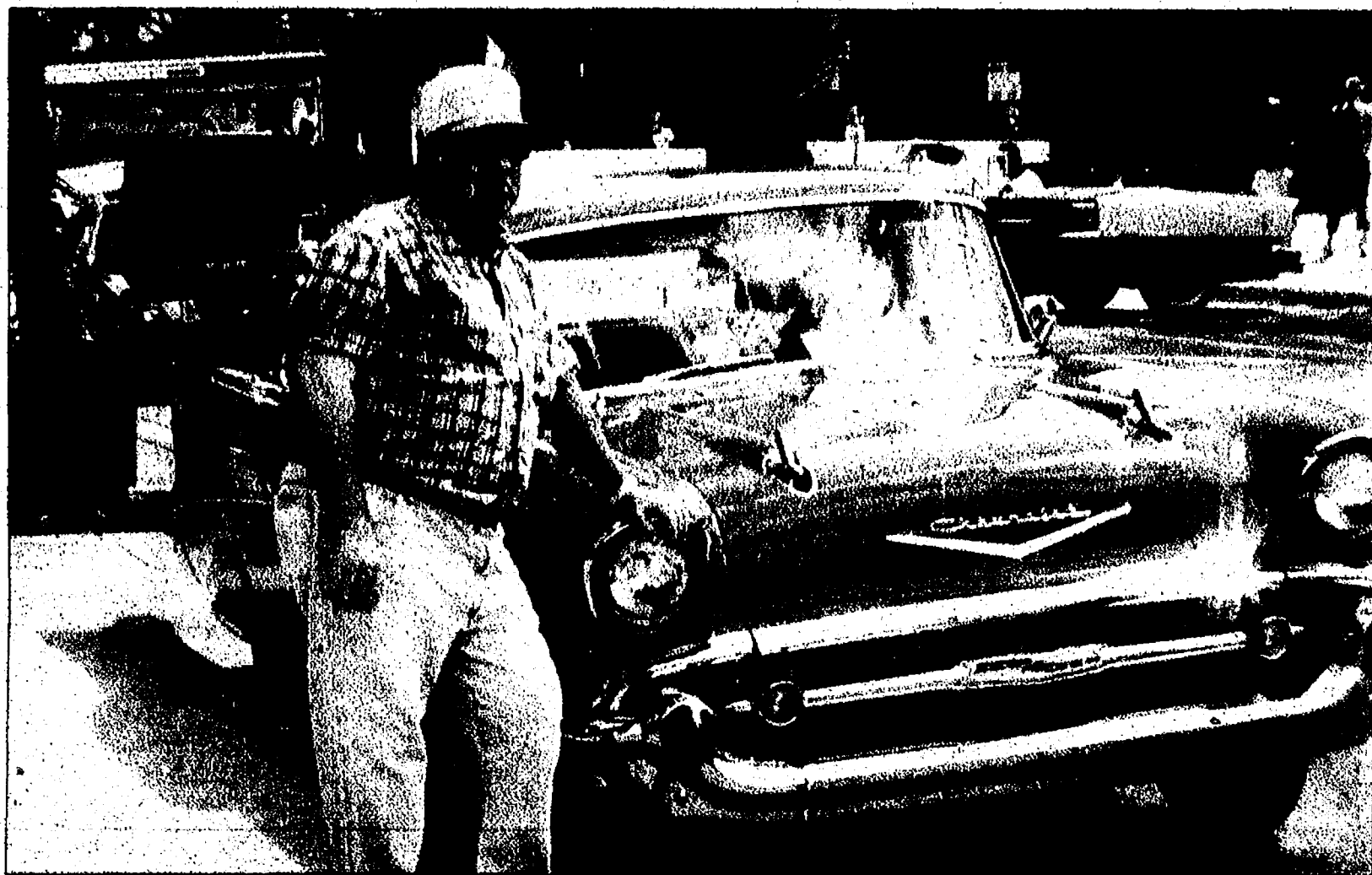
The show is open to all makes, all models, and all years.

For more information, call Larry Weber at 429-2817.

## Special Awards:

- Best Mopar
- Best GM
- Best Ford
- Best of the Best
- Best of Show
- Best Custom
- Best Paint

Awards are by Saline Street Machines car show participants Club Choice and Tom Robinson Memorial (Best Chevelle).



# Historical trolley tour hits Saline landmarks Aug. 7

Tours narrated by members of the Saline Area Historical Society will roll around town in a historical trolley Aug. 7.

The Trolley Tour is new and different this year, visiting the most historic parts

of Saline.

The tour will pass many of Saline's historic homes, Saline's Salt Springs, Indian Villages and the French Settlement, and where Saline began as a town 1826 before it moved to today's downtown.

Further information is available from the Saline Area Historical Society at P.O. Box 302, Saline, MI 48176. The Saline Historical Society can be reached at 429-4154 or [www.salinehistory.org](http://www.salinehistory.org).



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# Youth fishing contest set at Mill Pond Park

A Youth Fishing contest, sponsored by Holy Faith Church, is set for Aug. 7 at Mill Pond Park on West Bennett Street.

The contest is for ages 14 and younger with three age groups: 6 years and younger; 7 to 10 years; and 11 to 14 years.

There is no entry fee. Prizes will be awarded in each age group for the most fish and biggest fish.

Prizes of rods and reels and gift cards have been generously donated by Cabela's in Dundee.

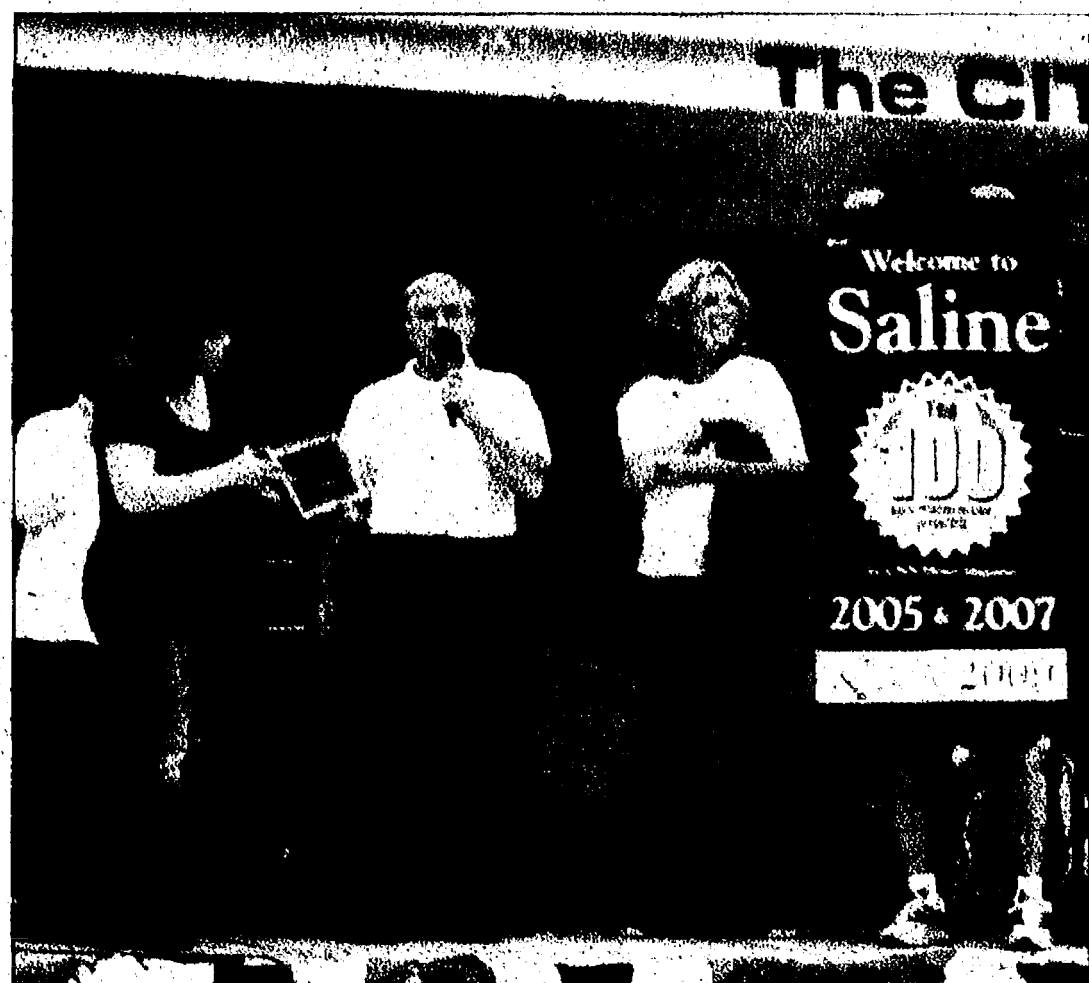
Sign-up begins at 7:30 a.m. Saturday.

Fishing begins at 8 a.m. and runs to 10 a.m.

Entrants must have at least two hours of fishing to be eligible for a prize.

Worms will be furnished by Holy Faith Church. Entrants must bring their own fishing poles, with a limit of two, and hooks. Entrants must land their own fish, parents may help with casting only, and all fish caught must be released after counting and measuring.

For more information, call Steve Erickson at 248-910-4352, or visit [www.salinesummerfest.org](http://www.salinesummerfest.org).



## Lace up running shoes for Summerfest 5K

The Summerfest 5K Run-Walk — a Saline Area Chamber of Commerce event, sponsored by Proability Physical Therapy with timing by Runner's Edge — gets under way at 8:30 a.m. Aug. 7 at Henne Field.

Race packets can be picked up from 6:30 to 9 p.m. on Aug. 6 from the race table at the intersection of South Ann Arbor and West Henry Streets in downtown Saline.

Race day registration is from 7 to 8 a.m. Aug. 7 in a tent at Henne Field.

The fee is \$20 through Aug. 6, and \$25 on race day, Aug. 7. The pre-registration family rate for three or more at same address is \$15 each.

The first 500 paid entries include a free

T-shirt.

The male and female overall and masters will be awarded to the top three males and females in the following age groups: 14 and younger, 15-19, 20-24, 25-29, 30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, 60-64, 65-69, 70-74, 75 and up.

Applications are also available online at [www.salinesummerfest.org](http://www.salinesummerfest.org).

Make checks payable to Saline Area Chamber of Commerce, and enclose the check with the registration form. Mail your envelope to the Saline Area Chamber of Commerce at 141 East Michigan Ave., Saline, MI 48176.

For more information, email [salinechamber@salinechamber.com](mailto:salinechamber@salinechamber.com) or call 429-4494.

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## Plenty to eat at this year's Summerfest

Wherever you go at Summerfest, you'll find an assortment of food, drink and treats.

### Fireman's Chicken Dinner

The Saline Area Fire Department will offer dinners that include a half a chicken, coleslaw, radishes, dinner rolls, and chips. Dinner will be available from noon to 6 p.m. Aug. 7.

### Other Summerfest treats

Beer and wine tent  
6 to 11 p.m. Friday, 2 to 11 p.m. Saturday

• Benny's Bakery  
Pretzels and doughnuts

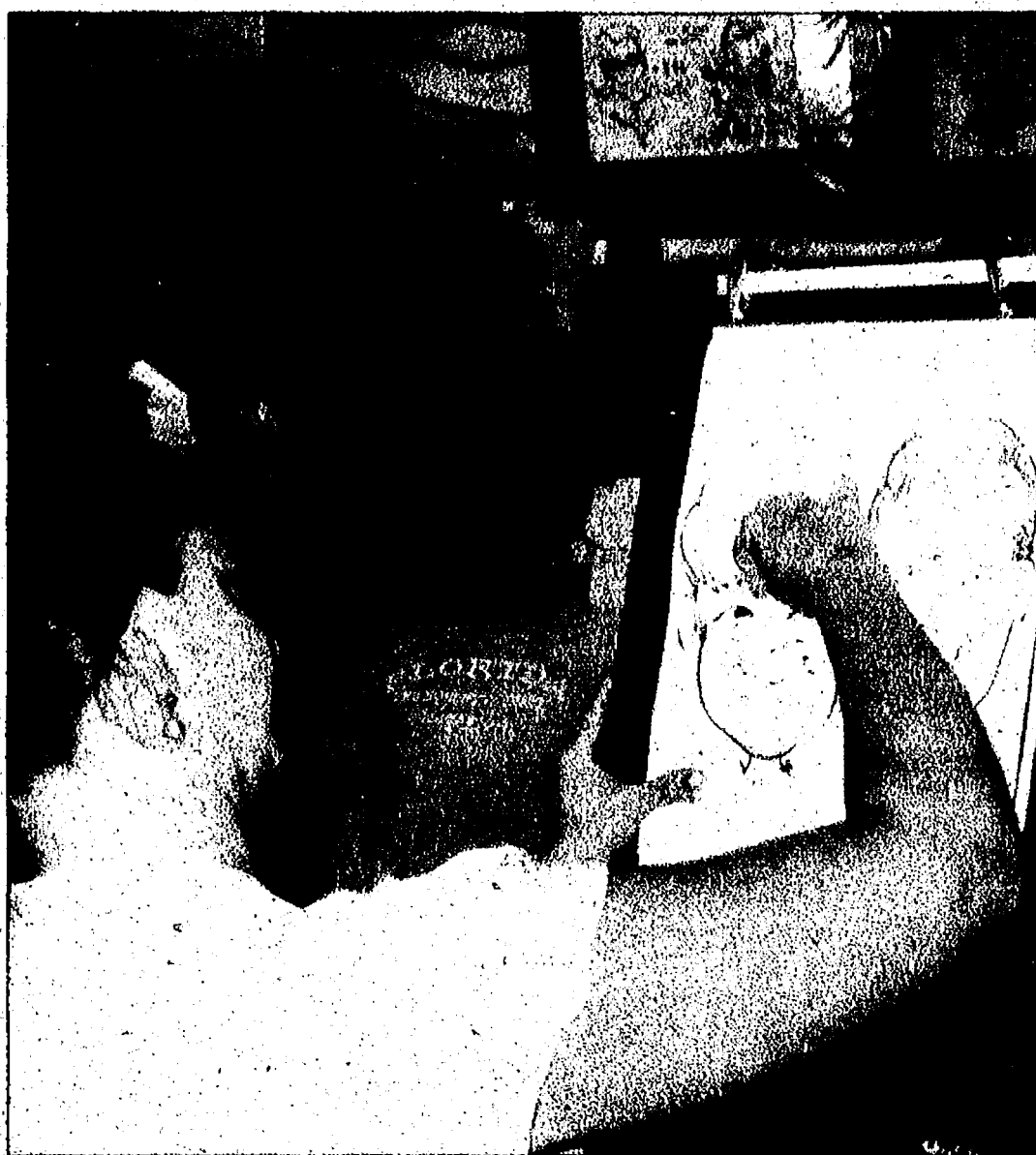
• Christian's Catering  
Hamburgers from noon to 11 p.m. Saturday

• Kiwanis Club concessions  
6 to 11 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. Saturday

• Saline Lions Club  
Ice cream wagon from 6 to 11 p.m. Friday, noon to 11 p.m. Saturday

• Lindberg German sausage from noon to 6 p.m. Saturday

Consumption of alcoholic beverages other than those available within designated areas is prohibited.



## Family fun planned at Historic Union School

Historic Union School will host a selection of kids' games at this year's Summerfest. With the cooperation of Saline Community Education and some new games, children can enjoy:

- Ladder Ball and Baggo
- Water Ballon Toss Contest
- Water Melon Eating Contest
- Relays
- Face Painting
- Wall Art

- Inflatable Obstacle Course and Bouncer from Saline Parks and Recreation
  - Putting Green
  - Bean Bag Toss
  - Guitar Hero Tournament (ages 6 to 10, 11 to 15)
- Wristbands are required to participate and can be purchased on the day of the event for \$5 with unlimited access to all activities. Prizes will be offered.

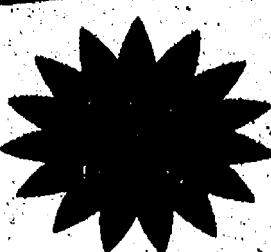
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