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walkway may be added to new facility list

By MICHELE M. FECHT
staff writer

The Novi Board of Education may add another construction project to the June 8 ballot following a presentation last Thursday by Novi High School students protesting the omission of a walkway from the district's list of proposed facility needs.

Laura Gray, a high school sophomore, presented the board with a petition signed by more than 350 students requesting trustees

consider constructing a walkway between the high school proper and commons.

The school board last month rejected a \$350,000 proposal for a walkway. Trustees argued that the cost did not justify construction at a time when the district is faced with more pressing facilities needs.

Gray told the board that students average six or more trips from the commons area to the main building each day — often in inclement weather.

She said the sidewalk between the

commons and main building often is slippery, posing a health hazard for students and a liability to the school district.

"Wearing dresses or heels is out of the question for girls," Gray said. "Even some dress shoes for boys are a problem."

Gray noted that handicapped students are faced with even greater problems.

Travis Rayburn, a high school junior, also addressed the board. Rayburn said he thought a walkway would help keep down the heating

and cooling costs of the high school building.

He also questioned board vice president Michael Meyer about remarks printed in the Feb. 25 issue of The Novi News in which the trustee was quoted as saying, "I think we have to teach our youngsters to wear their coats (when walking from the commons to the main building)."

Meyer told Rayburn his earlier comment was not meant to be facetious and that it was "pulled out of context."

Though he has gone on record opposing the walkway, Meyer made a motion last Thursday to place the issue on the June 8 ballot.

"I think we need to put this issue to rest once and for all," he said.

Trustee Stephen Hitchcock said he had "concerns about putting it on the ballot with a new elementary school that we desperately need."

"I think there is a significant amount of public that does not want it on the ballot," Hitchcock asserted.

He also expressed concern about

the estimated \$350,000 cost for building the walkway and observed that residents at the Feb. 12 public hearing also voiced concern about the more than quarter-million dollar price tag.

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Novi News/CHRIS BOYD

Father Leslie Harding and his 'baby' — the new Novi Civic Center on Ten Mile

Harding is 1986 DSA recipient

By PHILIP JEROME
managing editor

Les Harding stood outside the front door of the Church of the Holy Cross.

"It makes a nice view, don't you think?" he asked, beckoning toward the steelwork of the Novi Civic Center looming above the horizon within a half mile of his church.

It's no surprise that Harding — Father Leslie Harding, vicar of Holy Cross — perceives a certain beauty in the steel framework of the new civic center.

The civic center has occupied a significant portion of his time over the past five years. In fact, he has been a guiding light in the establishment of the city-school-library complex at the corner of Ten Mile and Taft Road ever since the concept was introduced in the early 1970s.

It was Harding's contributions toward construction of the civic center in particular that led him to be named recipient of the Novi Jaycees' 1986 Distinguished Service Award (DSA) at the Sheraton Oaks last Saturday.

In announcing Harding as recipient of the 15th

annual DSA, Jaycee President Nancy Schmid noted that he had dreamed of a civic center complex as far back as 1973.

"He became active in the community when the city was being operated out of the old Township Hall on Novi Road, and the police department was housed in trailers and the old library building," said Schmid.

"He has dreamed of a truly modern complex and talked about having a 'people place,' somewhere where small outdoor and indoor functions could be held . . . a nice place befitting a promising community."

"Seeds were planted for a civic center that would contain the new high school, a new library, a new police station and, ultimately, a new civic center," she continued.

"Out of the civic center committee grew a joint property acquisition engineered by the Novi Schools and the City of Novi. And this man was there."

"The property was acquired. The library was built. The high school was built. And this man was there. The police station was built, the dream was one step away."

"The Civic Center Committee was formed, and he chaired the committee. The Civic Center Implementation Committee was formed, and he also chaired that committee. The civic center is now under construction, and this man is still there."

Harding was unable to accept the award at the Jaycees' annual Community Recognition Breakfast Saturday morning — he was out-of-town at a conference.

Assistant City Manager Craig Klaever accepted the city's most prestigious honor in his absence, and called Harding "a shining example of dedication and of what one man can accomplish."

Born in Canada some 55 years ago, Harding moved to Michigan in 1966, serving as an assistant at St. Michael's Episcopal Church in Grosse Pointe Woods. He came to Novi in September 1969 to become vicar at Holy Cross and has been here ever since.

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□ Jaycees honor 20 individuals at annual Community Recognition Breakfast/8A

News delivery changed to Thursday

Beginning in April, you won't be receiving The Novi News on Wednesday any more.

Starting with the April 2 edition, The News will be published and delivered to subscribers on Thursday. The Northville Record, sister publication to The News, will be going to a Thursday publication date at the same time.

Roland J. Peterson, vice president and general manager of Sliger/Livingston Publications, said the publication date is being changed from Wednesday to Thursday to align The News and Record

with the Observer & Eccentric chain of newspapers.

Both Sliger/Livingston Publications and the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers are divisions of Suburban Communications Corp., headquartered in Livonia.

"As a result of the change in publication dates, advertising deadlines for The News and The Record will be later on Tuesday, meaning easier placement of ads for advertisers wishing to capitalize on combination buys with the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers," said Peterson.

Advertising deadlines for the other Sliger/Livingston newspapers — the South Lyon Herald, Milford Times, Brighton Argus and Livingston County Press, as well as the Green Sheet, will remain unchanged.

Peterson added that changing the publication dates of The News and The Record to Thursday also will help relieve over-crowded conditions on the presses. "We will have more production time to give individual attention to all our newspapers," said Peterson. "In addition, the

change will enable us to utilize more color on our pages."

Philip Jerome, managing editor of The News and Record, said he expects the change to a Thursday publication date will enable the staff to improve its coverage of local government. "In essence," said Jerome, "we will have an extra day to gather and verify the facts from Monday night meetings. The change should provide more in-depth and comprehensive coverage of both the Novi and Northville communities."

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Zoning begins on Grand River

By ANN E. WILLIS
staff writer

Efforts to resolve the lingering "West Grand River Corridor problem" moved forward slightly at a public hearing of the Novi Planning Commission last Wednesday.

Maybe.

Commissioners voted to recommend approval of five of six proposed rezoning changes in a meeting that ran from 7:30 p.m. until 2 a.m. Thursday.

Three of the rezoning changes were adopted by narrow 4-3 margins. All the commission's recommendations will be forwarded to the city council which makes the final decision on rezonings.

The public hearing prompted vigorous debate between property owners affected by the proposed rezonings and the commissioners.

Map amendment No. 18,439 covers the area of land north of Grand River and west of Taft Road. Commissioners recommended that the property be rezoned from its existing B-3 (general commercial) designation to an I-1 (light industrial) classification on a 5-2 vote. Commissioners Judy Johnson and Gary Phillips voted against the proposal.

"I have long felt that to give up the entire frontage on the northern side of Grand River to I-1 is losing an opportunity. It could go to office. It has accessibility, and visibility from the expressway, and we do have a lot of I-1 zoning," Johnson told the commission. "The master plan says Novi will be a city of centralized commercial, not like Telegraph Road, which is unattractive and unsafe. I firmly support office over B-3," she said.

City planning consultant Brandon Rogers told the commission that in his opinion Grand River was not a neighborhood shopping street. "Market demand has been for industrial. There are other areas with visibility for office. We don't have all that much I-1 left, our industrial land is being used up and it is not good policy to have strip zoning, mixing uses," Rogers said.

Map Amendment No. 18,440 includes the area of land south of Grand River between Taft and Beck roads. The commission recommended that it be rezoned from B-3 (general commercial) to I-1 (light industrial) on a 4-3 vote. Dissenting ballots were cast by Commissioners Thomas Kavanagh, and

Gary Phillips and Johnson. The Rosewood Restaurant currently occupies this section of land. Rogers told the commission the restaurant could remain and even expand, as long as it remained a restaurant use.

"There is not enough B-3 on the south side of Novi Road," Kavanagh told fellow commissioners. "It might turn a lot of you off to have a McDonald's there, but I live there and it might be kind of nice to just zoom up there."

Phillips said, "I don't feel right going I-1 with the existing uses there. I agree with Member Kavanagh — some commercial is needed."

"Our original intent was to eliminate the proliferation of B-3, and these proposals have accomplished that purpose," countered Commissioner Riley Richards. "Good development of Novi requires we move forward with these rezonings."

Map Amendment No. 18,441 covers the area of land south of Grand River and west of Taft Road. Commissioners recommended that it be rezoned from B-3 and R-A (residential agriculture) to I-1 on a 4-3 vote with Phillips, Johnson and Kavanagh dissenting.

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Toy gun theft reported at mall

Police Beat

It looks like a gun and sounds like a gun, but the gun stolen from an individual at Twelve Oaks Mall on March 5 wasn't really a gun at all.

The gun was a black, plastic and plastic pistol with an attached scope used in infra-red target games. The gun resembles a government-issue 45 caliber automatic pistol, but shoots infra-red beams and has caps for sound. The gun is valued at \$199.

The theft was reported by an employee who said he observed two black male suspects enter the store at 3 p.m. and spend approximately 15 minutes looking at the display case which contained the infra-red target gun. The clerk said the suspects behaved in a suspicious manner, crouching down at the display case and examining the seams in the glass.

The gun was found missing shortly after the suspects left the store, according to reports.

An unknown quantity of jewelry was stolen from a residence of Greening in the Orchard Ridge subdivision while the owners were away on vacation between Feb. 25 and March 2.

The complainant said the responsible parties gained entry by prying open a basement window. Once inside, the perpetrators proceeded directly upstairs to the master bedroom. The jewelry was taken from a wooden jewelry box inside a closet. The jewelry box was found lying on the bedroom floor by the owner when he returned from vacation.

Investigating officers said it ap-

peared the master bedroom was the only room in the house that had been entered by the intruders.

Thieves attempted unsuccessfully to break into a residence on Tamara in the Willowbrook subdivision on Feb. 28 between 4 and 6 p.m.

The complainant told police unknown individuals attempted to break into the residence but were unable to do so. The thieves did not leave empty-handed, however, as they removed skiing equipment from the garage.

Stolen were one pair of Dyno-Star skis valued at \$200 and one pair of Solomon ski boots valued at \$150.

Five Coda jeans-type jackets were stolen from the Green Lot at Twelve Oaks Mall by a Brighton woman on Feb. 24.

The store manager told police a black male entered the store and began to ask her numerous questions about merchandise by name.

After the same time, a second black male entered the store, walked to a display rack at the rear of the store, and then exited quickly.

The employee said the first suspect exited the store almost immediately after the second man had left. Shortly after the two men had departed, the employee noticed the jackets missing from the display rack where the second man had gone.

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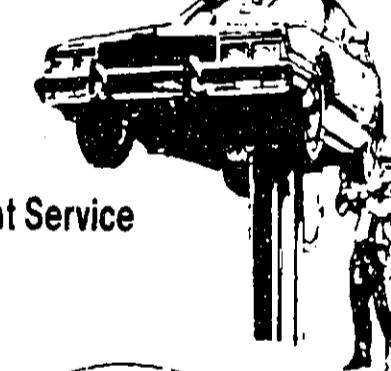
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Expert gives car protection tips

By PHILIP SCHOEN
special writer

Had anything stolen from your car lately? If you haven't, you're either street-wise already and probably don't need to read this article, or you've been very lucky — so far.

The official term for stealing anything from a vehicle, including parts, without actually stealing the vehicle itself is "larceny from an auto." A few simple precautions may be enough to keep you from being added to an ever-growing list of victims of this crime.

Items stolen from motor vehicles fall into two categories:

1. Portable, unattached property placed in the passenger compartment or the trunk by the owner. This includes electronic appliances, briefcases, packages, tool boxes, etc.

2. Parts or assemblies which are permanently installed on the vehicle by the manufacturer or owner. Included here are stereo radios, tape players, mobile telephones, two-way radios (and the

associated antennas), etc.

In the first category, prevention of theft is simple. Take the items with you when the car is unattended or lock them in the trunk. If this is impossible, at least find some means of concealing the property. Even if covering your property with a blanket is the only way, at least passers-by can't see what is inside.

Thieves who intend to steal property from a car are usually drawn to a particular vehicle by some obvious sign that something inside is worth stealing.

Once a thief is drawn to your vehicle, a quick look inside, a second or two to shatter a side window, and another few seconds to reach in and take what he or she wants is all that is necessary to complete the larceny. Often, the total elapsed time is under 30 seconds.

If this bothers you, as it should, here are some steps that you can take to minimize the chances your car might be attacked:

1. If possible, use "slide-mounts" for radios and other electronic devices, along with removable or

fold-down antennas so that you can take these items with you or lock them in the trunk.

2. Avoid the appearance of loose power cords that will tell the world about your C.B. or radar detector.

3. Keep shopping purchases, sample cases, brief cases and tool boxes in the trunk if you can't take them with you. Even covering them or sliding them under a seat will help when the thief is "window-shopping."

4. Never leave cash, credit cards, wallets or purses in the car for any reason.

5. Always lock your car, even when you're only going to be away for a minute.

To avoid thefts in the second category (attached parts like hub caps, installed radios or other accessories), the primary defense is the careful selection of parking places.

In public "free" lots, try to park in lighted areas at night and close to well traveled areas at any time. When using attended parking lots that charge a fee, try to use those

where you park and lock your own car. If you must leave a key, leave only the ignition key and use your judgment as to the company's reputation should you park there on a regular basis.

Upon returning to your car, check it right away to make sure all is well. If something is stolen or damaged, report it to the property management immediately. Report it to the police immediately.

The prevention of the crime of larceny from automobiles is important because it is one of the most common crimes being committed today.

Nothing can guarantee that your car will not be the target of a thief, but the suggestions outlined in this article will help minimize the possibility and most of them are without cost to you. Crime prevention is everybody's business.

Philip Schoen is the Crime Prevention Officer with the Novi Police Department. His suggestions for cutting down on crime are published as a public service by The Novi News.

A BUSINESS CONNECTION will be sponsored by the Novi Chamber of Commerce at Marty Feldman Chevrolet on Wednesday, March 8, from 6-9 p.m. The event is being held in conjunction with the Milford Chamber of Commerce.

The event will feature door prizes, a cash bar and hors d'oeuvres by Appletizers' Country Epicure.

Display space is available at a cost of \$60 for an eight-foot table and \$30 for a four-foot table. Call the Chamber at 349-3743 for more information or to lease table space.

THE LIVONIA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will host its first Greater Livonia Expo on Wednesday and Thursday, May 6-7, at Schoolcraft College on Haggerty Road.

Approximately 25,000 square feet of exhibit space will be filled by a broad mix of trade service and industry from the Livonia area.

Information on exhibit space and booth charges is available by calling Carolyn Skinner/James L. Skinner and Associates at 478-3187.

DUES ARE DUE: Executive Director Connie Mallett reminds Chamber members that it's time to renew their memberships for 1987.

The dues structure for the coming year is \$150 for businesses with one to four employees, \$200 for businesses with five to 24 employees and \$250 for businesses with more than 25 employees. Associate memberships are available for employees of a member business at a cost of \$100.

For more information about dues or memberships contact the Chamber office at 349-3743.

RISE 'N SHINE: The Chamber sponsors Rise 'N Shine breakfasts the fourth Wednesday of each month. The meetings are held at Denny's restaurant on Novi Road near Twelve Oaks Mall at 7 a.m.

The meetings feature speakers on a variety of topics of interest to the business community.

Obituaries

MARK J. COTTER

Services for Mark J. Cotter of Novi were held Feb. 28 at the Holy Family Catholic Church through the O'Brien Chapel of the Ted C. Sullivan Funeral Home.

Mr. Cotter died Feb. 26 at Harper Hospital. A native Detroit, he was 49 years old.

He had been self-employed and was the owner of Mark J. Cotter Wholesale Meats for 25 years. He was known as the "Corned Beef King" for his work in meat brokerage.

He was educated at St. Leo's and St. Mary's of Redford and was a member of the Monaghan Knights of Columbus Lodge.

Mr. Cotter is survived by his wife of 49 years, Olive. Also surviving are a daughter, Susan, and three sons: Patrick, Joseph and Michael.

Interment was at Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens in Novi.

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Blanchard refuses gasoline tax hike

It was bad news to Oakland County leaders when Governor James Blanchard recently ruled out a gasoline tax hike.

"I'm strongly disappointed," said John Grubbs, managing director of the Oakland County Road Commission (OCRC), predicting Blanchard's position would bring Michigan's economic comeback to a halt.

The OCRC has endorsed a package of state and county changes to raise \$740 million over 10 years. The funds would be used for roads related to economic development.

A key portion of that complex package was a state gasoline tax increase of six cents a gallon — two cents a year for three years — with a formula change favoring "urban" counties such as Oakland.

Pitz said the department would study alternatives to a gasoline tax increase, including:

□ Giving counties the option of raising the fuel tax. The OCRC asked state approval to place a 1-2 cents local option tax before voters.

□ Seeking voter approval for a regional sales tax for transportation projects.

□ Selling bonds to finance maintenance work.

□ Having motorists buy city registration decals.

But none of those alternatives would raise as much money as a higher levy on gasoline, Pitz said.



Novi News/CHRIS BOYD

Massive pothole repair program set

Oakland County Road Commission crews will fan out over 251 miles of state highways and 1,253 miles of county paved roads this spring to repair potholes.

They will use 7.8 million pounds of patching material — enough for 260,000 potholes at an average of 30 pounds each.

That calculates out to 172 potholes per mile system-wide.

"Some portions of the road system are likely to have far more than that average because 54 miles will have few or none," said John L. Grubba, managing director of the Road Commission.

"Those 54 miles include 40 miles that were resurfaced last year as part of a bond program and 14 miles of maintenance overlays," he said.

"Resurfacing and overlaying, which seal pavement cracks as well as giving a smoother surface, are the best pothole preventatives. Potholes are the result of water running into cracks, freezing and expanding to break the pavement edges," said Grubba.

The Road Commission expects to

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spend a total of \$600,000 on pothole patching in fiscal 1987, which began last October 1. That includes \$169,000 for the patching material, \$343,000 for labor and \$42,000 for equipment.

The task requires 7,000 person-hours, or the equivalent of one person's full-time for 13 years.

All patching material is asphalt

based, but not all is the same. In the summer, the Road Commission uses heated, plant-mix asphalt just like that used for road paving. Plant mix is not available until the construction season begins. For many years, winter and spring patches had to be made with cold asphalt. Now, asphalt is mixed with a space-age emulsion

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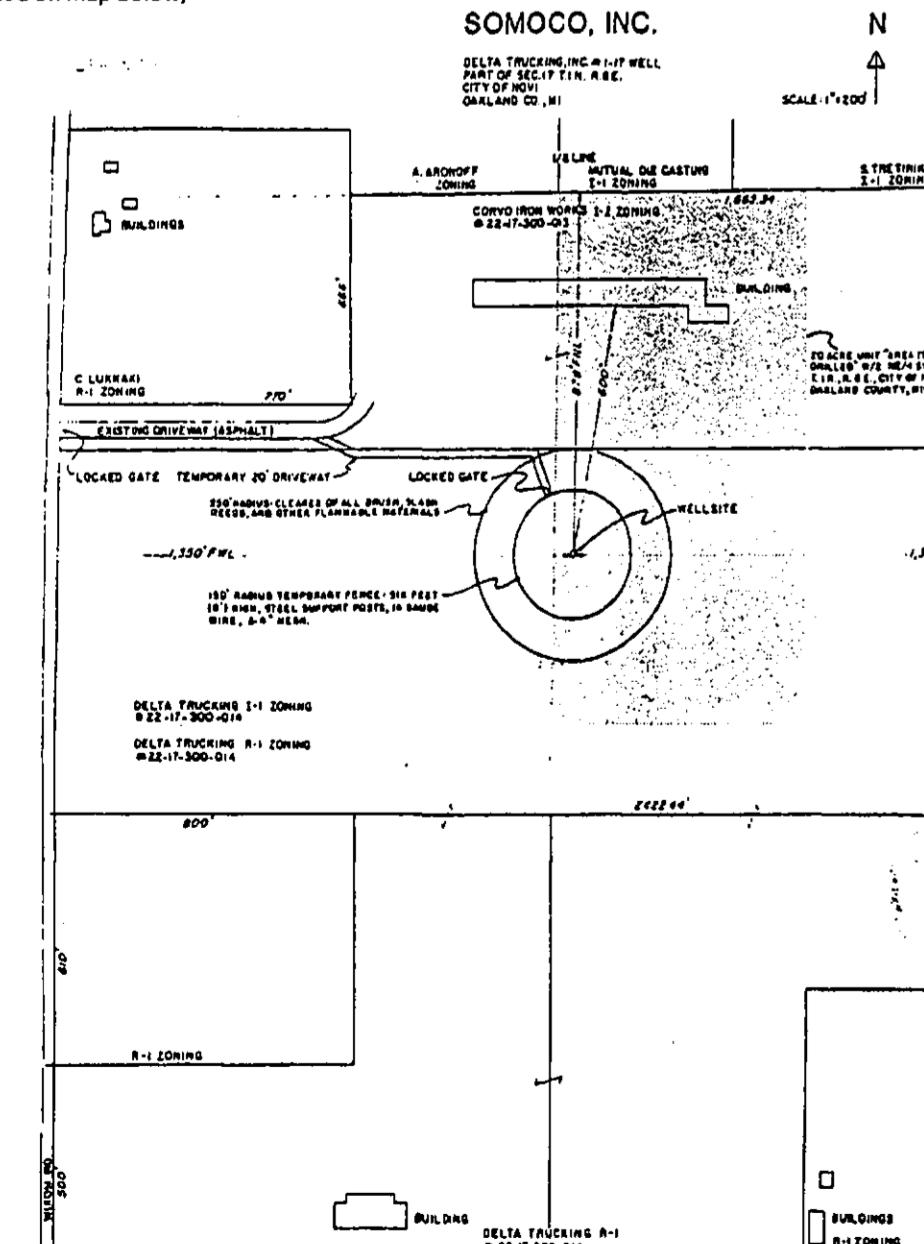
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This hearing will be held at 8:00 P.M., or as soon thereafter as the same may be reached on Monday, March 23, 1987, at the Novi Public Library, 48245 W. Ten Mile Road.

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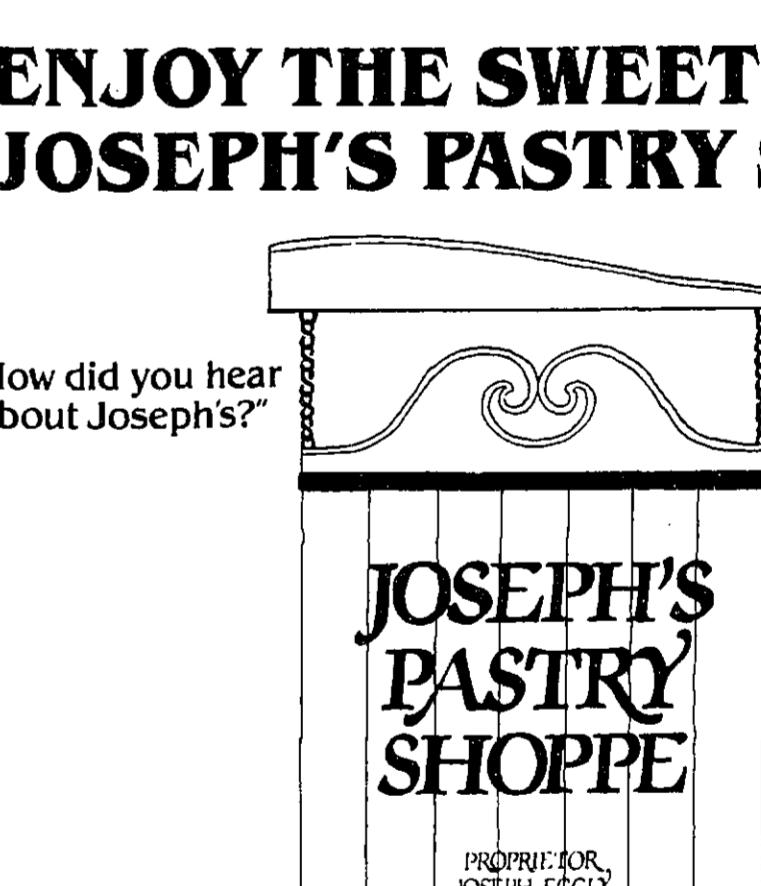
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Bieber at OCC series

FARMINGTON — UAW President Owen Bieber will discuss "Our Future: America's Stake in Industrial Renewal" on Thursday, March 19.

The program is part of the Orchard Ridge Campus Distinguished Speaker Series and will be held in the Smith Performing Arts Theatre at 9:30 a.m. Admission is free.

Affiliated with the United Auto Workers for 39 years, Bieber has shared his views on industrial renewal across the country. A long list of his achievements includes service as vice president and executive council member of the AFL-CIO as well as board member of the NAACP, United Way of America and New Detroit.

Bieber also is a member of the Governor's Commission on Jobs and Economic Development, the Economic Alliance of Michigan and the President's Advisory Committee for Trade Negotiations.

OCC's Orchard Ridge Campus is located on Orchard Lake Road at 146 in Farmington Hills. More information about the Distinguished Speaker Series is available from Harvey Bronstein at 471-7750.

Tax hints available

An easy-to-understand booklet with helpful hints on filling out this year's tax forms is available to Novi residents through the office of State Representative Willis "Bill" Bullard Jr. (R-Highland).

The Michigan Taxpayer's Guide contains information on property taxes, the property tax credit, the Michigan income tax, the single Michigan tax and other tax-related subjects.

"The year's guide will assist anyone filling out their tax forms," said Bullard. "Because tax laws change often, many people find it difficult to complete their own forms."

"This publication provides citizens with information in understandable language on the many Michigan tax laws," he added.

The free booklet is available in municipal offices. Anyone interested in obtaining a tax guide stop

Jaycees honor 20 at breakfast

Father Leslie Harding was not the only one honored by the Novi Jaycees at the annual Community Recognition Breakfast at the Sheraton Oaks on Saturday.

The Jaycees handed out a total of 20 awards in addition to presenting the 1986 Distinguished Service Award (DSA) to Harding.

Award recipients included:

□ Outstanding Youth — Ben Kripke

□ Outstanding Firefighter —

Frederick Howard

□ Outstanding Law Enforcement Officer — Ralph Fluhart

□ Essay Contest Winners —

Wendy Wendt was named winner of the seventh grade essay contest and Sheila Lowe was named winner of the eighth grade contest. Students wrote on the theme, "Michigan: The Next 150 Years."

□ American Press Award — The Novi News and Managing Editor, Philip Jerome

The primary purpose of the Community Recognition Breakfast, however, is the presentation of the DSA. For the past 15 years, the Jaycees have invited residents to submit nominations for the DSA. All nominees are cited at the Community Recognition Breakfast. In addition, four nominees are selected by a panel to judges to receive Outstanding Service Awards.

The winner of the DSA is selected from the four Outstanding Service Awards recipients. This year's recipients are:

Recipients of the Novi Jaycees' Outstanding Service Awards are profiled below:

□ Gianna Amati: "This Outstanding Service Award winner knows the true meaning of volunteerism," said Jaycee President Nancy Schmidt in announcing the award. "She is a singer in a group that performs for senior citizens in Novi — the Agape Singers."

"She has taken on the responsibility of handling the financial obligation of the Village Oaks Common Areas Association by being their treasurer. She has been a chairman with the Novi Newcomers."

"She has been a vital part of the Holy Family Church by being a member of the choir, teaching fifth grade catechism during the school year and participating in the Christian Service Program at Christmas time by adopting a family with three children, adopting three senior citizens, adopting two orphan boys and addressing cards for 40 seniors who have no families."

"She is now serving as vice president of Novi Youth Assistance and served on the PLUS committee. She has taken the lead on two important fund-raisers this year — the refreshment stand at the Parks and Recreation Fair and the fourth annual bawlathon, making over \$6,000 which was used to send children to camp, help fund parent education classes and pay operating expenses for the Novi Teen Center."

In addition, she has opened her home from Finland this school year to an exchange student from Novi who is completing her senior year at Novi High

pients of Outstanding Service Awards, in addition to Harding, were Gianna Amati, Pam Balagna and Becky Staab. (For profiles on the winners of the Outstanding Service Awards see the story below.)

The Jaycees handed out a total of 10 nominations for this year's DSA recognition. The nominees were:

□ Gianna Amati: Amati is extremely active in several organizations, including the Agape Singers, the Novi Newcomers Club and Novi Youth Assistance.

She is treasurer of the Village Oaks Common Areas Association and also is active in the Holy Family Church. As vice president of the Orchard Hills PTO and is a director of the Meadowbrook Glens Homeowners Association.

□ Suzanne Everett: A Novi resident for 11 years, Everett was cited for a variety of contributions, including her work with the Faith Community Church, where she has served on the Outreach Committee and helped organize the annual UNICEF drives.

She also serves on the Community Education Advisory Council and works with the Novi Adventurers 4-H Club.

□ Leslie Harding: Harding was nominated for the DSA primarily for his work with the Novi Civic Club.

He is chairman of the committees on the civic center. His other involvements include work with the Novi Police Chaplains Corps and Novi Youth Assistance.

□ Judith Hopkins: The current president of the Orchard Hills PTO, Hopkins was nominated for DSA recognition for her contributions to Novi schools. She has served as chairperson of the Novi Interschool Council and also works with the Novi

Adventurers 4-H Club, which currently is developing nature trails behind Novi Woods Elementary School as a Michigan Sesquicentennial Project.

She is active members of the Faith Community Presbyterian Church and were involved in both the Helping Hands Program and the Community Walk last October.

□ Pam Balagna: A Novi resident for 16 years, Balagna was nominated for DSA recognition for her numerous behind-the-scenes contributions. She is an active member of the Novi Parks and Recreation Commission and the Novi Senior Citizen Housing Needs Study Committee.

She also has been active in forming the Novi Ambassadors and the Novi Women's Club.

□ Jerry and Jane Coonce: One of two couples to be nominated for DSA recognition, the Coones were cited for a variety of contributions, including their work with the Novi Youth Assistance.

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□ Pam Balagna: Schmid described Balagna as "a lady who has quietly worked on community service for many, many years."

"She has been involved in many projects in the city, including working very closely with the senior citizens in the Novi Skills-o-Franic Project. She has given many hours to assist this group perform its shows. The seniors have almost refused to have a show without her assistance backstage."

"She has been appointed to the Novi Senior Citizen Housing Needs Study Committee and is one of the initiators of the new and exciting Novi Ambassadors that helped give the Jaycee Winter Convention at the Novi Hilton the class that only Novi can give."

"This woman has been a very active Parks and Recreation Commission member for Novi; and not only attended sponsored events but works on them also."

"She is a founding member of the Novi Women's Club and currently serves as secretary. She has handles a publicity for the group and currently serves as a director in the Community Development Area, and handling most of the award submissions. She has competed twice in the Michigan Jaycee Speak-up Program and won each time."

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"She has worked behind the scenes this year and in the past organizing and implementing numerous activities in this community and has brought a great deal of joy into the lives of lots of the people in Novi."

Nearby

APPEARING AT THE RAVEN this weekend will be Anne Hills on Friday, March 13, and Rich and Maureen DelGrosso on Saturday, March 14.

Anne Hills will present shows at 7 and 9 p.m. Friday. The Washington Post says, "Hills takes the best new folk and cabaret songs and graces them with tasteful arrangements and a superb voice." Tickets for each show are priced at \$7; reservations are available by calling 349-6299.

Rich and Maureen DelGrosso will offer shows at 7 and 9 p.m. on Saturday. The duo is known for its humor and versatility. They make use of a wide range of instruments, combining their voices to create past musical styles. Tickets are priced at \$6; call 349-6299 for reservations.

The Raven is located five miles west of Northville and one block south of Six Mile on Dickerson Street in the Village of Salem.

MORE THAN 125 EXHIBITORS will participate at two nearby locations in the third annual Bavarian Inn Arts and Crafts Show in Frankenmuth this Friday and Saturday, March 13-14.

Handmade crafts will fill two levels of the Frankenmuth Bavarian Inn Restaurant. Across the covered bridge at the Frankenmuth Bavarian Inn Motor Lodge, more artists and craftspeople will display their wares. A free shuttle service will bus guests between the two locations.

Elaine Walter, who coordinated the two-day event, said said visitors have shopped throughout Michigan and invited the best to participate in this weekend's show.

MURDER MYSTERY WEEKEND: The Novi Hilton will host its second annual Murder Mystery Weekend on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 13-15.

Designed for "amateur sleuths" and "part-time detectives," the event will involve three days of excitement and intrigue with participants attempting to solve a murder which they will observe.

The theme of the weekend centers on a modeling agency contest for an international advertising campaign. Exciting prizes will be awarded to the sleuth who solves the crime, and various prizes will be given in other categories. For more information or to make reservations call the Hilton at 349-4000.

THE LIVINGSTON PLAYERS will present "The 1940s Radio Hour" at the Millpond Theatre in Brighton on March 13, 14 and 15. Novi's Lynn Salow is cast in the role of Anne Collier, while Lindel Salow, former area resident, is the director.

"The 1940s Radio Hour" is a nostalgic combination of commercials, jokes, gags and songs from the World War II era. The show includes such big band hits as "Chattanooga Choo-Choo," "Boogie-Woogie Bugle Boy" and "That Old Black Magic."

Tickets are available at Coopers Jewelry in Brighton. For more information call 229-5023 or 632-6100.

"OEDIPUS THE KING," Sophocles' Greek tragedy, will be presented by the Schoolcraft College Theatre Department on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 13, 14 and 15.

Dinner theater performances are slated for Friday and Saturday, March 13 and 14. Dinner will be served in the Waterman Campus Center at 6:30 p.m. All curtain times are 8 p.m. except for the Sunday, March 15, performance which starts at 7 p.m.

Show tickets are \$12.50 and dinner tickets are \$12.50. Call the Schoolcraft College bookstore at 591-6400 (extension 265) for tickets or more information.

To have an event listed in Nearby, write to: "Nearby," Novi News, 104 West Main, Novi, MI 48167 at least two weeks in advance of event. Photos and artwork welcome. For information, phone 349-1700.

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Once, not very long ago, more than litter and disabled vehicles were common sights along the nation's roadways.

People, thumbs held high in the air, without other means of transportation, would get from one place to the other by hitchhiking.

At least around the Detroit metropolitan area, hitchhiking seems to be a lost art, but the staff at The Novi News bets there are a lot of people out there — men, women and children — who hitchhiked at least once.

The News would like to hear about your experiences traveling by thumb. If you have a story to tell and are willing to share it with us on a postcard or a letter, jot down your name, a daytime telephone number and a brief synopsis of your travels and send them by April 1 to Hitchhiker, The Novi News, 104 W. Main, Novi, MI 48167.

We'll contact you to hear your story in detail and some of those stories will be printed in a future edition.

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Grand River changes draw fire

By ANN E. WILLIS
staff writer

"God knows why the city has this love affair with industrial zoning."

That was the comment from Michael Horowitz during the Novi Planning Commission's consideration of a series of zoning changes along the West Grand River corridor last Wednesday.

Horowitz is president of The Selective Group, a development company which holds options on several parcels along West Grand River.

Horowitz joined more than 30 interested residents and property owners in protesting the commission's action to rezone property from B-3 (general business) to I-1 (light industrial) classification.

"Industrial should not be allowed in residential. It is not a good buffer," Horowitz told the commission.

"Some industrial does exist in the city because of the history of the railroad, but why we would want to create more is beyond me."

"To add more industrial is ludicrous. This area provides an excellent opportunity to provide services to neighbors."

I've appeared before the planning commission opposing this rezoning," said Margaret Johnson, owner of Wilkins Auto Parts on the Eight Mile and Haggerty road.

"I don't feel we should be penalized for B-3."

"We have made this investment

some time ago; here will come a time

when we would like to sell and get

what we rightfully deserve, not

what you would give us. It is an investment we made for our community," Johnson said.

"When I drive home at night and

see my gas station, my barber shop,

my pizzeria — that's my neighborhood," Horowitz said.

"Warehouses don't make neighborhoods — butchers and

bakers do."

"Speaking as a property owner," Robert Hancer told the commission, "we're just trying to live here. We've been paying commercial taxes for over 35 years and if it drops 50 percent in value it isn't fair. You can't create this hardship on us. It makes a beautiful picture, but this is not

right."

Developer Bob Melvin asked the commission to consider the image of the city as people approach that section of Grand River. He said his experience in the real estate field led him to believe that commercial zoning was transitional zoning. "When we won't allow a gas station on Eight Mile and Haggerty, how can we allow industrial use on one of our major thoroughfares?"

Commissioner Riley Richards told the property owners, "Whether an individual owner doubles or loses is not something I address. I take issue with Mr. Horowitz. I prefer I-1 to a string of mom-and-pop businesses or any uses now here."

Commissioner Judith Johnson told property owners that "all investments in real estate are speculative at best."

Commissioner Charles Kureth told protesting property owners that "I-1 subdivisions are quite attractive."

"I object to what they are getting

to the area. They are getting

"I agree that we are losing mom-and-pop businesses and that is not good. We do need to think of the convenience of the residents, but I do not think Grand River is

the place for it."

Horowitz asked the commission to consider a more creative solution to the zoning situation by instituting what he termed a "village center" commercial district. He said the area could have ice cream shops, dry cleaners and other "homey-feeling" businesses.

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As We See It

'Walkway' decision sets bad precedent

After more than a decade of complaints about the lack of a walkway between the high school main building and commons area, it appears the Novi Board of Education may finally put this issue to rest. It also appears as though the board may set a dangerous precedent.

At last Thursday's school board meeting, trustees directed the administration to seek funding alternatives for placing the issue before voters on the June 8 ballot. Faced with a petition bearing the signatures of some 350 high school students, board vice president Michael Meyer suggested the issue be put before voters.

We can understand Meyer's thinking to a degree. After all, the issue has come up every year since the high school was completed. If residents want a walkway, put the issue on the ballot. The suggestion is simple. Unfortunately, it also is an easy out for the board which thus far has held firm in its belief that the educational needs of the district must come first.

Over the past two months, every trustee on the seven-member board has opposed construction of the walkway for the simple reason that the district currently has too many other educational needs to justify spending \$350,000 for a walkway. We were disappointed to see the board change its thinking on this issue.

By placing the walkway on the ballot — either separately or as part



Education

Sun dream ends abruptly



My nose was twitching when I woke up last Saturday. What was that smell?

It was vaguely familiar. It was fresh and clean. It smelled like air coming through an open window on a summer's day. It didn't smell like the air usually found in a house in March where the storm windows had been down for over four months.

But that's exactly what it was. There was a window open and sunlight was streaming in and I could hear the sound of kids playing outside. Playing outside? In March? In tennis shoes, with bikes? So began the weekend that God taunted us.

On Saturday night I slept with my window open. Premature, I know, but what the heck. I felt daring. I heard the gloom and doom newscasts on Sunday night and ignored them. I went to sleep with the window open, willing the world to be sunny in March.

Monday morning. My nose wasn't twitching, it was cold. No sun. No kids playing below my window. No way to avoid the cold air waiting on the other side of the blankets.

I took the dog for a walk and discovered that the people I had seen all winter walking other dogs, had faces and hair. All I'd seen for months were strange blobs of down with scarves and hoods, pulling on animals that loitered in below-zero weather. Now we stopped to talk. There was no rush, it was warm outside. Go ahead, Fido, smell every tree.

The figure nodded as we approached. No talking or stopping, just a bent walk home against the wind. It was a Monday in March in Michigan and the fantasy was over.

We lied to each other. We pretended to be savvy mid-westerners. "It won't last. This is just a fluke," we

Forum

By Chris Boyd



One leg at a time

Cool cats know a good beat



Phil Jerome

Paul Desmond was doing "Bridge Over Troubled Waters" on the stereo when she said it.

"I think all our cats like jazz."

Just like that, she said it. "I think all our cats like jazz."

I peered at her cautiously over the top of the newspaper to make sure she was being serious. She was.

And knowing how she is about the cats, I decided to proceed equally cautiously.

"What makes you think that?" I asked, trying to sound nonchalant. "What makes you think all our cats like jazz?"

"Actually," I added, "I think Little Bob likes country/western. Bonnie likes chamber music. Clyde's into rock 'n' roll. Bowser likes punk rock and Aretha, beyond the shadow of doubt, grooves on soul music."

"But for you to haul off and say something like, 'all our cats like jazz' . . . well, I just don't see how you could say something like that."

"Just look at them," she replied. "They're all kind of laid back listening to Paul Desmond. Definitely mellowed out."

Considering that the commission has demonstrated more determination than the council in dealing with the controversy over the past six years, the split vote is not a reason for optimism that the issue can finally be resolved when it hits the council table.

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Mayor responds to Brett letters

Letters

To the Editor:

It is very unfortunate that we have been receiving weekly doses of Mr. Joe Brett's answers to everything in Novi and yet, he has not been in attendance at our meetings in quite some time.

Mr. Brett has contributed much to the community and I feel badly that he now has a very negative view of an extremely positive community.

At first I chose not to respond at all to Mr. Brett's comments, however, some things must be addressed.

Mr. Brett seems to be stuck in a patronage rut at the present time. What is really confusing is that Mr. Brett has associated "patronage" with our form of government. On the contrary, our form of government is intended to eliminate patronage in the classic sense.

Patronage is usually found where inexperienced elected strong mayors are elected into office. Witness several strong-mayor communities in the metropolitan area.

In the council-manager form of government, the city administration is directly accountable to the city council. The city council makes all decisions in a public meeting (except for purchasing property, union negotiations and pending litigation). If there is any patronage (and there isn't), it is in front of the press and the public.

I extend to you, the residents of Novi, an open invitation to attend the city council meetings. I encourage you to get to know your council representatives, and I invite you to form your own conclusions.

There has been no hard evidence produced by the U.S. Department of Transportation that the declining death rate on our nation's highways is attributable to the lowering of the national speed limit.

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The Department of Transportation currently withdraws up to 10 percent of a state's federal highway funds if more than 50 percent of that state's drivers exceed the 55 mph speed limit.

Until this unreasonable rule is defeated, we can only hope Ms. Crone and her comrades will confine their singular crusades for the 55 mph speed limit to the "far right" lane.

R.C. Carpenter

Constance Kelber

Make limit higher

To the Editor:

Anna Crone's column ("Fifty-five's a safe speed," in the March 4 edition) struck a cord with me.

Ms. Crone's statement of "fact" that the 55 mph speed limit has saved lives is open to conjecture.

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Patricia Kerevich,

Mayor of Novi

Board commended

To the Editor:

I would like to commend the Novi Board of Education for individually recognizing and presenting a special certificate to all fourth and seventh grade students who achieved a perfect score on the Mathematics and Reading portions of their 1986 MEAP test. Recognition of this type which rewards academic excellence certainly inspires everyone interested in quality education.

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Arroyo clarifies

To the Editor:

I am writing to clarify a statement made in the article "Consultants" which appeared in the Feb. 25, 1987, issue of the Novi News.

The article includes a sentence included in Barton-Achsmann's draft plan update.

The article states, "The level of Service E (LOS) reflects the maximum number of cars that can travel on a given road segment," which is in direct conflict with the report which states, "The p.m. peak hour capacities shown . . . are the service levels for Level of Service 'E' and do not reflect the maximum number of cars that can travel on a given roadway segment."

Barton-Achsmann Associates, Inc.

would also like to stress that the report is a preliminary draft that is being revised continuously. The final report will be ready later this spring.

Rodney L. Arroyo, AICP

Senior Associate

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Walkway needed

To the Editor:

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First is the proposed bond issue for the Novi Schools. The school board seeks a \$7 million bond for construction of a new K-4 school and improvements on two others as well.

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Patricia Kerevich,

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Sports ignored

To the Editor:

I noticed that you people don't say anything about the Novi Middle School sports.

Just recently the boys basketball team (7th grade) was undefeated and the 7th grade girls volleyball team won their first game against Walled Lake.

Ann Barker

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the underpass could be constructed.

Barr told the board it could approach the walkway issue by either taking a straw vote of the community or placing a separate issue on the ballot.

"I think it should be on the ballot in June," Meyer noted. "I've been on the board four years and this comes up every year. Now is the time to put it to a vote of the people."

Board member Raymond Byers said he would like to see a public hearing to show voters what the board is proposing for the walkway.

Hitchcock said he saw no reason to hold a public hearing on the walkway issue based on the light attendance at the Feb. 12 hearing.

With two of the seven board members absent (Robert Schram and Sharon Pelchat were not present) from last Thursday's meeting and more information needed about financing the proposed walkway, the board charged the administration with finding alternatives for funding the project.

School facility list may be growing

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Novi High School teacher Norman Norgren, who worked on the planning of the high school facility in 1972, said the commons was designed to be a separate building from the main school.

He noted that the majority of Novi High School graduates go on to college where students attend classes in different buildings on campus.

"Personally I feel it is a grievous waste of monies to put in a walkway without adding new classrooms (to the high school)," Norgren said. He also told the board he is opposed to "ruining the aesthetics" of the high school by changing the underpass.

The walkway has been an issue for school board members since the high school facility was completed more than a decade ago.

Assistant Superintendent William Barr told the board that the original plans for the high school called for an underpass between the commons and main building, but not a walkway.

The district ran out of funds before

Unemployment is biggest problem facing state

Even though the state's unemployment rate has dropped from 17 percent in 1981 to 8 percent today, many Michigan residents believe unemployment and other economic issues are the most important problems facing the state.

The lingering effect of economic hard times surfaced in a study called Michigan '87, released by Casey Communications Management of Southfield, following a poll of 500 Michigan adults. Interviewing and tabulation were conducted by Nordhaus Research of Southfield.

More than half (55 percent) of the state's residents agree with the statement that there are "hundreds of thousands of formerly employed people in Michigan who will never be employed again." Concern about this issue is particularly high among Democrats and residents of Wayne County.

"This is a stark appraisal of the state's current economic environment," said Jack Casey, president of Casey Communications. "Concerns about the state's loss of jobs continues to be nearly as strong today as it was in the early '80s when Michigan was in deep recession."

Forty percent of those polled believe unemployment is the most important problem facing the state. Another 19 percent said other economic issues — the loss of automotive jobs, a decrease in the state's industrial activity, a need to broaden Michigan's economic base and foreign competition — are the most important issues.

Still, 38 percent who are employed outside the home are less concerned about their job security than they were a year ago. Thirty-two percent are more concerned and 28 percent say they are concerned "about the same" as they were a year ago.

Concern about job security runs high among automotive households. Minorities, residents with incomes under \$25,000 and Wayne County residents also show strong concern about job security. These same residents, as well as union members, express the greatest worry about being laid off or fired from their jobs.

"Michigan residents see drug use as having a negative effect on the work force," said Dave White, Casey Communications vice president. "The numbers indicate that the public is beginning to accept the idea of drug testing of employees."

Heading the list of employees who those interviewed should be tested were airline pilots with 99 percent in agreement. They were followed by paid drivers (96 percent), police officers (90 percent) and health care professionals (83 percent).

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You Rang?

Northville woman's 'go-fer' service makes life easier

By KATHY MUTH

After looking around for someone to do tasks for her father, she discovered there was no public agency or private business that provided the kind of service she had in mind. She did find, however, that there were many other people searching for the same kind of service she needed for her father.

In seeking a solution to her father's problem, she found a business opportunity. She started the business to meet the needs of people too busy or otherwise unable to attend to the details their lifestyles required.

People who use to be called salesmen are now calling themselves buying consultants or professional advisors. For a fee, they will help you choose a career, coordinate your wardrobe, plan your investments, make your travel plans and otherwise advise you on how to spend your money.

Glenne Long provides a service for people who have the money, but don't have the time. She named her business "You Rang?" because her service is available to established clients on an "on-call" basis.

"I am a glorified gofer," Long says.

Like many businesses, "You Rang?" was born of necessity and fulfilled a market need. When Glenne Long was widowed, unemployed and without any money, she had an elderly father who was not able to be dependent on his daughter but lacked the mobility to be truly independent. She did his grocery shopping, picked up his medical prescriptions and took care of his banking and his correspondence.

At the time Glenne Long was running out of money. She needed a job, but her father still needed her time.

She is not a social secretary, but for those too busy or unable, she can write thank-you notes or invitations and see that they are posted in a timely way.

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Long requires an initial consultation with a prospective client which includes a discussion of services and fees and establishes a schedule for services and payment of fees.

Currently, "You Rang?" is available within a 10-mile radius of Northville. Long plans to expand the service area as her business grows. She plans to give others the same opportunity she has created for herself.

"I want to be another Mary Kay," she says, referring to the founder of the multi-million dollar Mary Kay Cosmetics Corporation whose business success was based on the efforts of inexperienced housewives turned cosmetic consultants.

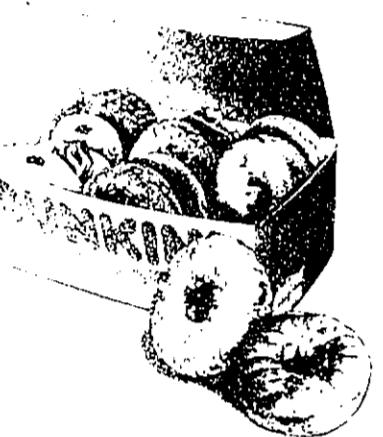
For 14 years of running a household and raising a family and 14 years on her own after her husband, an auto executive died, Glenne Long has gained marketable skills which others share. She prides herself on her organizational ability, thriftness, financial resourcefulness and ability to get a job done.



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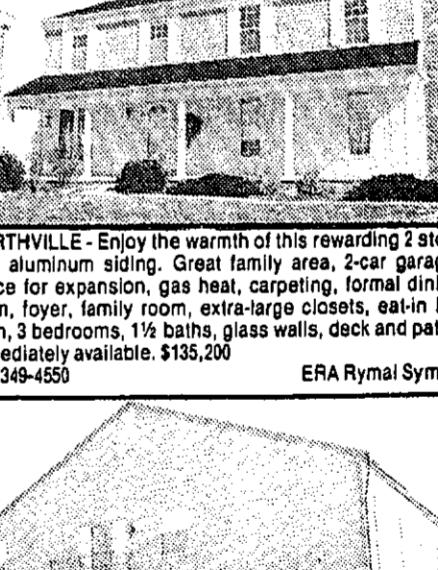
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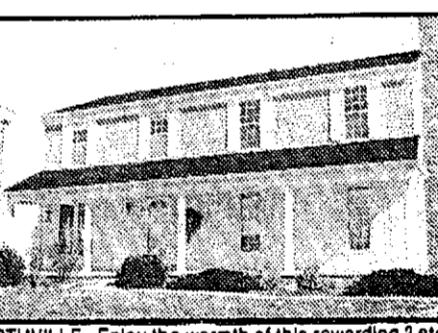
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R. ERIC REICKEL (right), a Northville resident and director of the Wayne County Department of Parks and Recreation, watches as Wayne County Executive Edward H. McNamara displays Michigan Recreation and Parks Association award plaque received by the department in recognition of its "International tug across the Detroit River."

Kathleen M. McNamara, director of the International Freedom Festival for Detroit Renaissance (no relation to executive McNamara), admires the award. At left is Victor Chiasson, county chief of recreation, who developed the tug program, held July 5, 1986, in conjunction with the international freedom festival.

The award was presented at the recent Michigan Recreation and Parks Association State Conference at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Dearborn.

THE QUAZITE CORPORATION, a subsidiary of Shell Oil located in Novi, will be among the exhibitors at the Spring National Plant Engineering and Maintenance Show and Conference at McCormick Place North in Chicago on March 16-19.

The principal topics of the exposition will be the growing impact of computers and other advanced technologies on the maintenance of industrial plants, as well as commercial and municipal facilities, and better quality control through the use of computers.

Although maintenance was long viewed as an area affected little by advances in technology, that situation has changed drastically in recent years.

Artificial intelligence and expert systems—new computer programming techniques that allow a computer to make judgments based on the experience of human experts—are among the high-tech advances being applied to maintenance. Other technological advances being used include automatic sensors to control boilers and other large equipment, computers to monitor and control energy systems, and infrared sensors to spot heat build-up on production machinery.

The show and conference are devoted to keeping the nation's factories and other types of facilities operating efficiently, while controlling pollution, conserving energy, protecting the health and safety of employees, and training workers and supervisors to use and maintain sophisticated equipment.

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IRAs—Still a wise investment choice?

Investors are expected to take a closer look at their Individual Retirement Account (IRA) investments because of the 1986 Tax Reform Law. Financial advisers believe IRAs will remain the cornerstone of retirement investing despite the loss of the interest deduction for certain investors.

But other methods of saving for the long years are likely to be considered.

"If you are in the category that cannot get the IRA interest deduction, it is still a good investment because of the tax-deferred compounding interest," said Mark Kierzkowski, a stockbroker at Prudential-Bache. "It's one of the things that really made the IRAs work."

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Kierzkowski suggests annuities as an alternative to IRAs.

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Dick Dickschott, a Certified Public Accountant, says the decision of what to do with an IRA is essentially a

retirement decision.

"People need to establish their retirement goals," he said. "An IRA is a method to use to put money away for retirement so people have to decide which vehicle or combination of vehicles will accomplish those goals."

Dickschott agrees IRAs are still good because of the tax-deferred income and that annuities are a good alternative because you are not limited by the amount placed in one, and the income is tax-deferred. But he expects to see more employers offering 401-k plans which reduce your gross compensation by the amount you put into the plan.

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WEDNESDAY
March 11, 1987

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Candidates for the Mr. Michigan title were (above left to right) Nelson Dull of Battle Creek, Timothy Grant of Detroit, Darious Hilmon of Detroit, Geoffrey Safron of Ann Arbor and Jerome Lewis of Detroit

'Here he comes . . .'

Standing in serried ranks, the five men faced the panel of judges as if they were facing a firing squad. They certainly looked as if they were sweating bullets.

In a minute, it was over, twenty-five-year-old Geoff Safron of Ann Arbor had been declared winner of the Michigan/U.S. Man of the Year competition at the Novi Hilton on Feb. 28.

Beefcake, you say? Not quite. Not a bikini brief was in sight. Discretely cut shorts, jams and elegant tuxedos were the order of the day.

No bulging pecs glistened with a light film of body oil, and there were no panting women ogling and leering at muscle-bound, strutting males.

Nope. This audience was made up of proud parents, beaming wives, younger siblings and supportive girlfriends.

The pageant's goal was to find a "poised, sensitive, caring man — the opposite of Rambo and other stereotypes of masculinity," said Johnanne Powers, the pageant's director and a former Miss and Mrs. Michigan.

The participants seemed to bear the description out. "There were no steady sit-downs, and mano a mano battles were nowhere to be found. Instead, they joked among themselves, adjusted each others' boutonnieres and offered words of encouragement to calm nervous butterflies.

Contestants had to be 18 years old and residents of Michigan at least six months, but the heaviest consideration was given to their written biographies. Powers said.

"We had one applicant who told us he was going to be in Playgirl magazine and wanted to know if that would be held against him. I told him I'd have to see the pictures first," laughed Powers.

The three-member panel was made up of the current Miss Michigan/U.S.A., Elizabeth Pulio; Sylvia Warner, a Southfield businesswoman; and David Carey, an area model and owner of an airline training school in Miami Beach, Florida.

Winner Geoff Safron basked in the glow of victory. "It still hasn't sunk in yet," he said, shaking



Miss Michigan/USA Elizabeth Pulio judges the contestants

his head in disbelief.

Amazingly, some anonymous individual, allegedly gifted with prophetic powers, mailed application information about the pageant to Safron.

"I still don't know who it was, but I'm lucky they did it," he laughed.

When he's not winning contests, Safron manages a camera store in Ann Arbor, does some freelance photography, models and performs with local theater groups.

Second runner-up Jerome Lewis and first runner-up Darious Hilmon promised they'd be back next year, and the pageant's directors promised that bigger facilities would be necessary to accommodate a larger audience.

Meanwhile, Safron will be preparing for the national finals of the U.S. Man of the Year Pageant in Atlantic City.



In the picture to the left, Geoffrey Safron (left) and first runner-up Darious Hilmon hear the decision of the judges. Timothy Grant faces the judges during an interview session (bottom right). Geoffrey Safron helps Jerome Lewis fasten his cuff links (bottom left).



Story by Barb Ziemba
Photos by Chris Boyd

Candace Anderson brings 'Sampler' to library

By JEANNE CLARKE
special writer

Candace Anderson will perform a one-woman program titled "A Sampler of Michigan Women" at the Novi Public Library on Thursday, March 19, at 7 p.m.

The program is a series of vignettes featuring musical tales based on the lives of famous Michigan women and their contributions to history.

Seating is limited to 100, however, and reservations are required. For more information or reservations call the library at 349-0720.

Kathy Barnett will lead a crafts day titled "Spring Planting" at the library this Saturday, March 14. A session for four and five year olds will begin at 1 p.m. and a second session for youngsters six and older will start at 2 p.m.

A program titled "Maple Syrup Adventure" will be held at the library for children five and over on Saturday, March 28, at 1 p.m.

Featured in the showcases during March is an exhibit on Annie Oakley from the Annie Oakley Foundation of Royal Oak. The Annie Oakley exhibit is offered in conjunction with "Women in History" month. Another exhibit in the showcases features women artists, including Georgia O'Keeffe, Grandma Moses, Beatrix Potter, Sonja Bonheur and Mary Cassatt.

Also on exhibit is Kelly Krantz's collection of autographed pictures of

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The Detroit Tigers and other Tiger memorabilia.

The library offers a wide variety of services, including videotape collections, large print collections, tax forms and information, telephone directories from all of Michigan and the 26 largest U.S. cities as well as Windsor and Toronto.

COMMUNITY ED: The Novi Community Education Department will accept registrations for the spring session through this Friday, March 13. Anyone who registers after March 13 will be assessed a late fee.

More information about registration is available by calling Community Ed offices at 349-0700.

New classes for adults during the spring term include two courses on astronomy: "Crash Course on Astronomy" and "Beyond the Moon." Other adult classes include "Making a Picnic Basket," "Bidding Logic," "Gardening for the Beginner," "Successful Money Management" and "Furniture Upholstery."

GIRL SCOUTS: The Novi Girl Scouts will help celebrate Michigan's Sesquicentennial by planting trees at Novi schools. Girls will place tags on each tree, noting the year the tree

was planted and the name of the troop which planted it.

Kathy Langham is organizing an all-roop overnight swimming party at the Novi High School pool. Linda Burton is organizing an overnight trip to the Detroit Science Center for all troops. More information about either project is available by calling 349-0720.

The Girl Scouts are still looking for someone to replace Gordon Wilcox who has resigned as tour guide. The new tour guide will be responsible for planning trips for the club.

Jennie VanBattavia discussed "Living wills" at the club's last meeting. The next meeting will be held at Novi Methodist on March 24 with Elizabeth White, Blanche Poland and Jennie Champion serving as hostesses.

Seniors are reminded that annual dues are only \$2. Seniors interested in membership may call club secretary Karen Smith at 349-0720.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY: Frank Horenkamp has been elected president of the Novi Historical Society for the coming year. Other new officers are Ralph McPherson, vice presi-

dent; Mary McDonald, secretary; Florence Horenkamp, treasurer; and Lucy Needham, communications secretary.

The three newest members of the Society are Shirley Curran, a new Novi resident, and Max and Marita Roden.

Larry Maki is preparing a special program for the Novi 4-H Club on the history of Novi. The program will include artifacts, slides, pictures and books to tell the history of Novi come alive and help 4-H members understand what Novi used to be like.

The Historical Society meets the third Thursday of each month at the Novi Public Library. Anyone interested in preserving Novi's history is encouraged to come and learn more about the community in which they live. Annual dues are \$5 per person. A subscription to the Society Newsletter costs \$2.50. The newsletter contains interesting tidbits about Novi's past.

PERSONALS: Mr. and Mrs. Ward have returned from a week in Acapulco where they went sightseeing, saw a bull fight and watched Flamenco dancing. They also visited historical Fort San Diego. A highlight was seeing television crews filming a segment for "The Love Boat" while it was docked in Acapulco.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Needham have returned from two months in Glendale, Ariz., where they visited Mrs. Needham's brother and his wife, Mr. McPherson.

Novi Highlights is written by Jeannine Clarke. Clubs and organizations may have notices published by calling her at 324-0173. Items for the "Personals" section may be called in at the same number.

Students develop thinking abilities with OM program

There's more to education than learning the capitals of the states, diagramming sentences and solving algebraic equations.

Probably the most important thing anyone can learn in school is how to think.

Unfortunately, teaching people to think is a great deal more difficult than teaching facts and statistics.

But there's a new approach to teaching problem-solving skills, and that approach is being promoted in Novi schools by Norma Kirk, a member of the Novi School District's Gifted and Talented Committee.

It's called OM, and Kirk has been

successful in establishing four OM teams at Novi Woods Elementary and Novi Upper Elementary during the current year.

Formerly known as Olympics of the Mind, a name that is being challenged through litigation by the International Olympic Committee.

The OM program began in 1978 when 28 high schools and middle schools met for the first creative problem-solving competition at Glensboro State College in New Jersey. Over the past eight years, membership in the OM Association has expanded to over 4,000 schools across the United States, Canada, Australia and several other countries.

The basic objective of the OM program is to teach young people how to think. OM helps students expand their imaginations, work together as a team and accept responsibility.

"I'm really excited about it," said Kirk. "The kids are having a ball, and I'm getting a lot of good feedback from everyone involved."

Kirk reported that she felt the OM program had a great deal of benefit for students and secured permission to attempt to implement it in the local schools after learning it was not currently being offered.

"It's such a good program that I wanted my children to be able to participate in it, and I wanted all Novi students to be able to participate, too," Kirk said. "The kids learn problem-solving skills and they have a great deal of fun at the same time."

Although the four teams in Novi this year come from Novi Woods and Novi Upper Elementary, Kirk notes that the OM program offers individual competitions for all grade levels from grades 2-12.

The National OM Association in New Jersey offers a variety of problems, and each team selects one of the problems to work on throughout the year. The team's best result is evaluated by adult volunteers, usually parents, to work out solutions to the problems. And the year's activities are highlighted by a series of tourneys.

The Novi teams participated in a regional OM competition last Saturday. The first place teams in each division of regional competition advance to state-level competition in Mr. Pleasanton on April 4.

The World Competition, featuring first-place teams in state competitions and competitions in foreign countries, will be held in Mt. Pleasant on May 28-30.

The problems selected by the National OM Association this year include:

□ **Omer to the Rescue:** Teams selecting this problem had to design and build a vehicle which fits into 12 suitcases. They had to use the vehicle to maneuver through a small area, relieving a person in distress and helping in other emergency situations.

□ **Chain Reaction:** Teams had to link 50 mousetraps and create a



Novi Hilton slated for wine benefit

The Sonoma County Wine Growers Association will present a gala wine-tasting benefit at the Novi Hilton on Wednesday, April 1.

The event will benefit the Institute of Music and Dance, an affiliate of the Center for Creative Studies.

More than 40 wineries from the Sonoma Valley will display a vast repertoire of premium wines from one of California's most popular growing regions. Each participating winery releases two of its finest releases to showcase.

Cheese and crackers will accompany the many fine wines. In addition, a silent auction of some of the vintners' choicest offerings will be held.

Tickets for the event are \$30 (\$25 in advance) and may be reserved by calling the Institute of Music and Dance at 831-2870. MasterCard and Visa are accepted.

Seniors can receive help with taxes

Novi residents who are at least 60 years old can get help with income tax preparation at the Novi Public Library.

The library will be the site of a tax clinic sponsored by the American Association of Retired Persons on Thursday, March 26, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

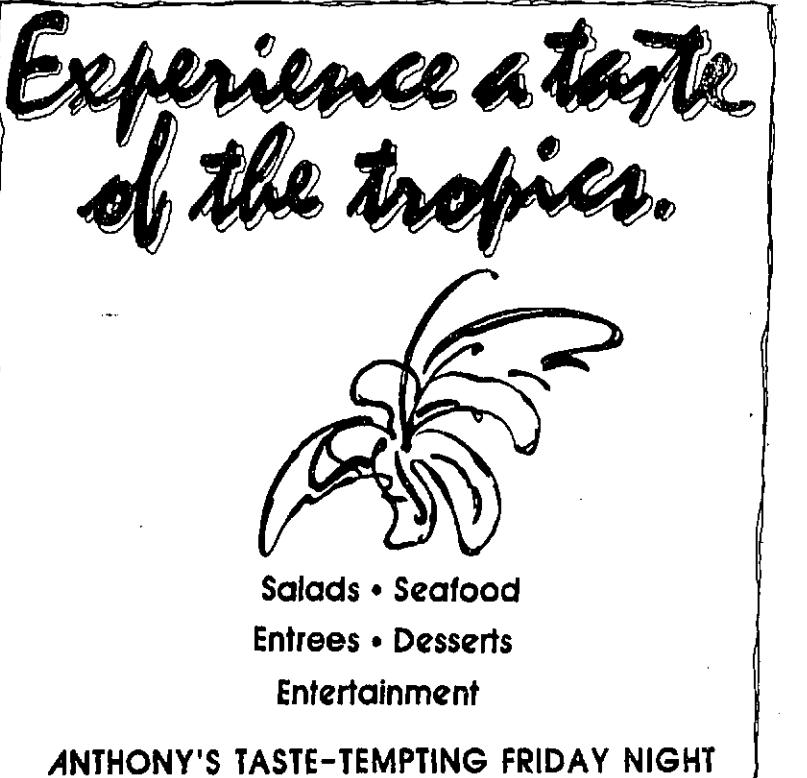
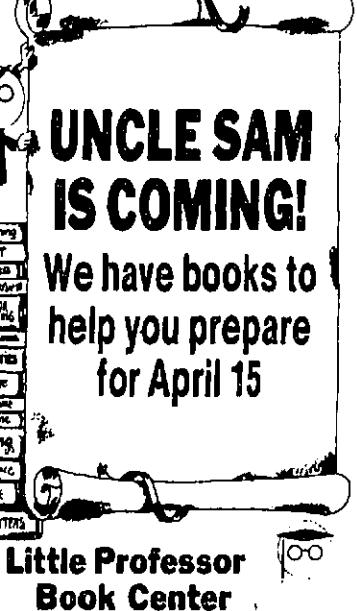
Anyone wishing to attend the clinic should be prepared to bring a copy of last year's tax forms and all other relevant data — W-2 forms, dividend records, etc.

Pre-registration is required so that adequate staffing can be provided to assist with the preparation of taxes. Anyone wishing to schedule an appointment should call the library at 349-0720.

Making baskets

Novi's Nadine Fritz is just beginning to form her own basket in an apple basket class being offered through the Novi Community Education Department.

Taught by Tammy Summers, the class provides instruction in several basket-weaving skills leading up to the finished product.



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Sports

Mutch claims trophy

New 10-year-old Meghan Mutch of Novi was one of three Bulldog Aquatic Club swimmers to compete at the Area 10 Championship Meet in Lansing on Feb. 28-March 1.

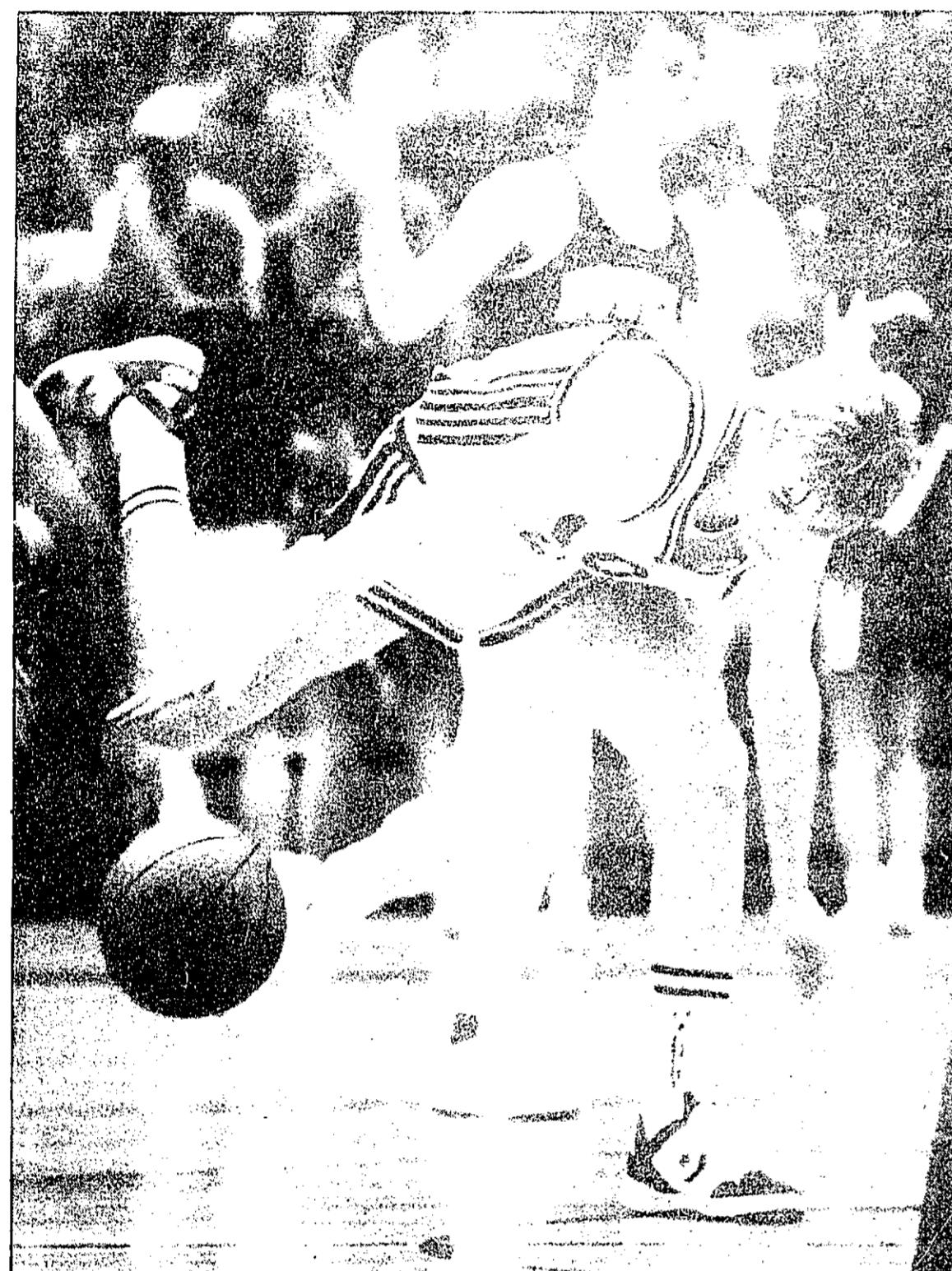
The meet, sponsored by the Holt Swim Club and sanctioned by USS-M, provided youngsters eight-years-old and under the opportunity to compete against the best in the state. The competition was broken down into three age groups: six-and-under, seven-and-under and eight-and-under. Swimmers vied for ribbons, medals and trophies.

Mutch swam in 10 events and accumulated 115.5 points out of a possible 130. For her efforts, she won the seven-and-under girls' high-point trophy. Mutch clocked personal bests in six events and won four of them: the 25-yard butterfly (19.32), the 50 butterfly (43.88), the 100 freestyle (1:22.57) and the 100 IM (1:36.79).

In other events, Mutch placed second in the 25 breaststroke (24.58), the 25 backstroke (20.98) and the 50 backstroke (46.80), and fourth in the 50 breaststroke.

During the presentation of the trophy, it was noted that this was Mutch's second consecutive high-point trophy. Last year, she swam in the mini-championships and won all six events she entered. In addition, Anne Hokett and Kristie DiBasisi of Livonia also brought home medals and ribbons for the Bulldogs.

"The emphasis in age-group swimming, especially at these early ages, is the swimmer's development," said Bulldog Coach Brad Brockway. "All three of the girls did that, so far as we are concerned, with or without awards, they are all winners."



Novi News/CHRIS BOYD

Gaining experience

Wildcat grapplers fall short at state finals



Novi News/SCOTT PIPER

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN
staff writer

With a combined match record of 1-4 in the MHSAA State Class A Wrestling Championships last weekend in Lansing, Novi Coach Tom Fritz could help but feel a little disappointed.

Juniors Ron Nutt and Scott Brown qualified and competed in the prestigious tournament at the Lansing Eastern Fieldhouse — the only problem was they didn't compete long.

Both Wildcat wrestlers lost in the first round, thus dropping into the depths of the consolation bracket. Once there, Nutt managed to win a match in the 105-pound division but was then eliminated from competition with a third-round loss.

Brown, at 110, made an abrupt exit with another defeat, his second in two bouts on the day.

"It didn't go well for us," Fritz said. "I was disappointed, but you have to keep in mind the tremendous calibre of wrestling we saw at this tournament. I always say that you should take a kid to the finals once before you expect them to place."

For Nutt and Brown, the 1987 state meet was a chance to gain experience and learn about it for the first time. As juniors, the odds are pretty good that both may be back next season. So despite the disappointments this time around, it all may pay off in the long run.

Nutt — a league district and conference champion this season — had problems right from the start in round one last Friday (March 6). As a top seed, Nutt drew Bob LaPrombrose of Auburn-Bay City Western, who was a fourth-place finisher in regional competition. Despite being favored to win, Nutt got a slow start and was pinned in just 1:39.

"That first match just didn't seem like Ron Nutt," Fritz said. "The kid from Bay City caught him, put him on his back and Ron just couldn't get out of it."

In Nutt's first bout in the consolation bracket, he had some problems but did manage to edge Jerry Mulware of Warren Woods-Tower, 2-0. But in the next round, Nutt dropped out with an 8-0 loss to Flint Northern's Greg Carries.

'Cats look ahead to state tourney

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN
staff writer

In a repeat of the post-season matchup a year ago, the Novi cagers will meet Northville in the first round of the MHSAA District Tournament tonight (March 11) at Plymouth Salem.

The winner of the 6 p.m. contest will advance to the district finals on Friday, when they most likely will run up against the host Rockers, who sport a nifty 18-2 record, a Western Lakes Athletic Association (WLAA) Conference Championship and a top 10 state ranking.

The loser will go home early and be able to see the rest of the state hoop tourney as a spectator.

Novi and Northville met in the districts last season in Plymouth, and the Mustangs turned back the 'Cats 77-66 in a game at Plymouth Canton. The two teams also met back on Dec. 9 in the semi-final game of the Novi Invitational at Northville, come out on top 64-59.

Needless to say, the Wildcats are looking at tonight's game as a chance to avenge some unsavory memories of the past concerning the Mustangs.

"We'd like to get back at them," Novi Coach John Cicchelli said. "Northville shot exceptionally well when we played them earlier this

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MHSAA Plymouth/Salem District Basketball Tournament

Plymouth Salem	Monday March 9th 7:30 p.m.	Wednesday March 11th 7:30 p.m.	Friday March 13th 7:30 p.m.	Winner advances to face Gibralter Carlson District winner at Eastern Michigan University
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Wildcat five fails in bid for KVC title

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN
staff writer

Howell led Novi for just four seconds of the 35-minute showdown for the Kent Valley Valley Conference (KVC) basketball championship (KVC) basketball championship on March 3.

But those four seconds just happened to come at the end of the game — and, in basketball, it doesn't matter how long you lead, just as long as you're ahead at the final buzzer.

The Highlanders edged Novi 52-50 in overtime in the biggest league matchup of the season to assure themselves of sole possession of the KVC basketball title. For the Wildcats (13-6 overall, 7-4 in KVC), the defeat ended a seven-game winning streak, but more importantly ended any chance of catching Howell in the standings.

The atmosphere for the game was that of a very intense carnival. The parking lots outside Novi High were jammed, and the gym was filled with more spectators than the Wildcats have seen in years.

Among those in attendance were the Plymouth Salem coaching staff and the Northville coaching staff. There were also several Northville players on hand and a game was even televised by a local company from Bloomfield Hills.

It was a close contest all the way, but the host team just wouldn't let the Highlanders get the lead. A slim one-point lead at intermission was expanded to five heading into the final quarter as the 'Cats finally started to play a bit less tentatively on offense.

Novi led by six with less than 90 seconds left in the game, but Howell stormed back to send the game to overtime on gutsy defense and flawless free throw shooting. After

a costly Wildcat turnover in overtime, the Highlanders gained possession of the ball with the game tied and held on for the last shot. Todd Clickner, who's mini-hook shot had sent the game into O.T. in the first place, cannot a short jumper with four seconds left. A last-second desperation shot by Novi wouldn't fall, and Howell escaped with a come-from-behind victory and the KVC title safely tucked away.

The Wildcats began the game with a flurry and dominated play for the first four minutes of the first quarter. Two driving lay-ups by Joe Miskovich opened the scoring and, soon, Novi was in front 8-4. But midway through the quarter, Howell began to deploy a man-to-man full court press, and Novi fell apart.

The 'Cats threw the ball away on — brace yourself — nine straight possessions, and even though the Highlanders weren't converting many of those turnovers into points, they were creeping back. Eventually, Howell pulled to a 10-10 tie after one quarter as Novi failed to score in the final four minutes.

"We just lost our composure," Novi Coach John Cicchelli said. "It was the first time this season a press really bothered us. It was very uncharacteristic of us — we just didn't handle the pressure."

Most of the second quarter continued unchanged as both teams bungled offensively, but played scrappy defense at the other end. At one point near the two minute mark, Novi turned the ball over to Howell, who immediately lost it back to a Wildcat player, who then proceeded to travel with the ball. It was more like a turnoverfest than a championship basketball game.

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Rec Briefs

YOUTH SOCCER PROGRAM: Novi Parks and Recreation is in search of a soccer supervisor, coaches and referees for the 1987 spring season. A two-session Referees Clinic will be held March 19 and 26, and a three-session Coaches Clinic will be held March 23, 25 and 30. Training for coaches will include soccer drills, rules and strategy. Both clinics will be offered free of charge.

For more information call Novi Parks and Recreation at 349-1976.

THE SEVENTH ANNUAL NOVI RUN will be sponsored by JACK & Associates on Sunday, April 26. There will be a One-Mile Fun Run at 1 p.m. as well as a 3.1 or 6.2 Mile Race beginning at 1:30 p.m.

Pre-registration deadline is Wednesday, April 22. Early registration fees are \$5 for the Fun Run and \$7 for both the 3.1 and 6.2 mile runs.

Registrations also will be accepted the day of the race at the Novi High School Commons beginning at 11:30 a.m. Fees for race-day registrations are \$5 for the Fun Run and \$9 for the 3.1 and 6.2 mile runs.

Call Novi Parks and Recreation at 349-1976 to register or for more information.

MANTLE FUND RAISER: Members of Novi's newly-organized Mickey Mantle League (age 15-16) entry is selling Cabana Potato Chips to help support the team. The team is sponsored by Cabana Snack Food Products.

Orders are now being taken by calling 474-6925. Two one-pound bags are \$5 and a box of 10 is \$24, according to team manager Ron Ross.

Ross is looking for three pro-type umpires (including one standby) to officiate league games. Adults with proper credentials may call 474-6926 for more information.

MEN'S 3-on-3 BASKETBALL: Novi Parks and Recreation has announced final standings for the Men's 3-on-3 Basketball League. Green Machine finished in first place during the regular season, Fubar III was second, The Farm finished third and The Farm II came in fourth.

The Farm came back to win the play-off championship. Goat Farm II was second in the play-offs, while The Ducks came in third.

MIDWEST FLY FISHING EXPOSITION: The Michigan Fly Fishing Club will hold its ninth annual Midwest Fly Fishing Exposition at the Southfield Civic Center on March 28-29. The show will run from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday. Admission is \$5 for adults and \$1 for children under 12.

This year's exposition will feature a large array of exhibitors displaying such fly fishing apparatus as bamboo, glass boron and graphite fly rods; fly reels and lines; flies and tying supplies with the related equipment; and current and out-of-print books, antique tackle and custom-built rods.

"RUN FOR THE FUTURE" is the theme of this year's West Bloomfield Half-marathon which will be held Sunday, April 12, at 12:30 p.m. The 3.1 mile race along residential streets in West Bloomfield is certified by The Athletics Congress (TAC).

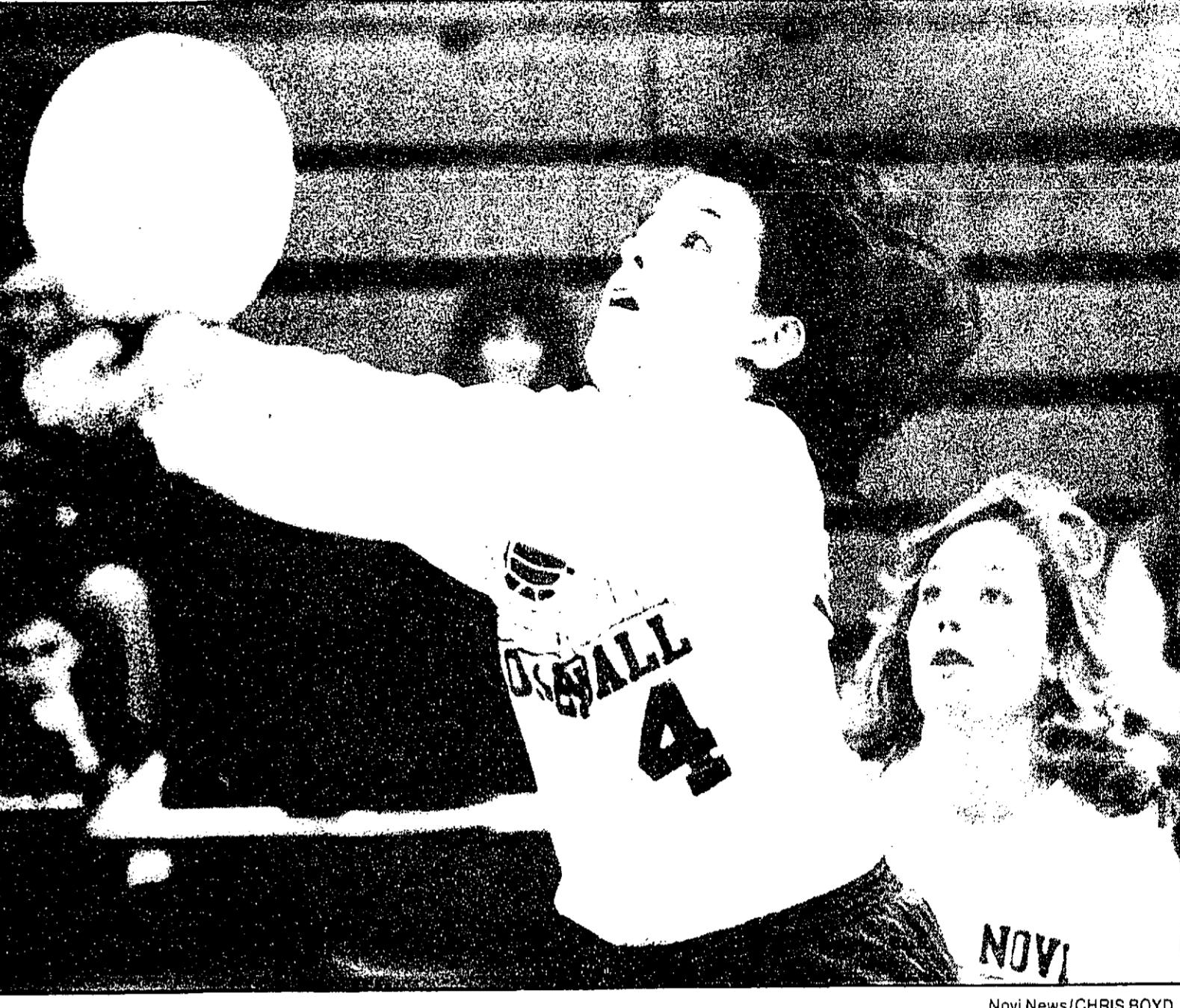
The half-marathon offers competition for men and women in 11 age divisions. Entry forms can be obtained by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope (SASE) to West Bloomfield Parks and Recreation, 3225 Middlefield Road, West Bloomfield, MI 48003. The early registration fee (by April 3) is \$10. After April 3 and until race day the fee is \$13.

SUMMER LIFEGUARDING JOBS are available through the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission. Lifeguards are needed at Oakland County's three beaches and two wave-action swimming pools.

Lifeguard applicants must be Oakland County residents and at least 16 years old. Other requirements include Advanced Life Saving, CPR and First Aid cards. Water Safety Instructor certification is recommended but not mandatory.

Students also must pass the Oakland County Parks and Recreation Commission's water safety test at a location to be announced. The lifeguard position is for temporary summer employment, Memorial Day through Labor Day. The pay rate ranges from \$4.45 to \$5.22 per hour.

Interested applicants may call the Oakland County Personnel Department at 858-0530 for more information.



Novi's Vicki Muzzin digs while Kristina Higley looks on during Wildcat volleyball action

Over and out

Wildcat spike squad ends winless season

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Tankers gear up for MHSAA meet

By NEIL GEOGHEGAN
staff writer

It was a long trip and nothing was guaranteed, but the decision to take selected members of the Novi Wildcat swimming team to Lansing for one last shot at qualifying for the state meet turned out to be a wise one for Novi swim Coach Larry Teahan.

Teahan took selected swimmers to the Second Chance Invitational at Lansing Eastern High School on March 3. Purpose of the meet is to give swimmers who are close to hitting qualifying times one last chance to make the grade.

Both Wildcat relay teams came close to qualifying for the state meet during the regular season. In addition, one of the relay members — Steve Wirthman — was also close in an individual event. In the final analysis, two of the three hopefuls didn't make the cut despite coming close — but one did, and that made the entire effort worthwhile.

"Put it this way — I am very glad we went to the meet," said Teahan.

Novi's 400-yard freestyle relay team of Coach Steve Cohen, Jeff Cohen and Wirthman needed to shave a full second off their previous best of the season to meet the qualifying time.

With three of the four registering their best splits of the year, the team went out and sliced 1.4 seconds off their best previous time to qualify for the MHSAA state finals on March 13-14 at Michigan State University.

The team's time of 3:22.07 was good for first place in the meet and also established a new school record. Jon Cohen's opening leg split of 49.14 also established a new school record for the 100-yard freestyle.

The relay team bettered the cut-off time by three-tenths of a second," Teahan said. "Three of the guys came through with their best splits, and the fourth was very close."

Novi's 200 medley relay squad added another school record with a fine time of 1:43.63, but it was a mere .24 seconds shy of the qualifying time. The team of Jeff Cohen, Jon Cohen, Matt Lorenz and Wirthman placed first overall.

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pleased with the way the boys swam."

Wirthman's bid in the 100 freestyle also fell short. He placed third with a time of 50.69 — short of the qualifying time of 49.59. Steve Cohen entered the 200 freestyle in an attempt to better his qualifying time, but failed to improve on his previous best 1:50.65.

Two Wildcat divers — Joe Jablonski and Brian Dudas — will compete in the MHSAA Class A regionals at Brighton on March 10 (after the News' deadline), and Teahan believes Jablonski has a shot at finishing among the field's top 12. If he does, Jablonski will also represent Novi at the state meet.

"Joe and I talked about it, and we'd like to think he's got a chance," Teahan said. "It's very hard to say because diving isn't as predictable as swimming — there are so many variables."

Making it into the top 12 is a difficult chore, but the number of divers at the regionals usually varies and can determine how difficult it is to qualify for the state sites. There are only three Class A regional sites for diving this season.

"I've seen as few as 36 divers at a regional, but I've also seen as many as 77," Teahan reported. "It all depends on how many divers



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Novi's Ron Nutt (top) was upset by Bob LaFromboise during the first round of the state wrestling tourney

Novi matmen fall short at state

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Jablonski or Dudas can pull off a top-12 finish, they will join the four Novi competitors at the state meet in East Lansing this weekend. Teahan reported the Jon Cohen will probably compete in the 200 IM and 500 freestyle races as well as the 400 (freestyle relay). Cohen actually qualified in six individual events, but is only allowed to swim in two individually.

"I believe Jon will be seeded first in both the 200 IM and 500 freestyle," said the Wildcat team coach. "We are looking for wins, but I believe we'll see tougher competition this year than he did a year ago."

Cohen is the current defending state champion in the 500 freestyle, a title he won as a freshman a year ago. He also competed in the 200 IM at the state meet last season and placed fourth.

Jon's brother Steve qualified in the 200 and 500 freestyle events, and Teahan believes he has a good chance to place (top 12) in at least one.

"I think Steve can place in the 500 (freestyle) and I'm hoping our 400 freestyle relay team can place as well," Teahan said.

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• Durable four panel unit fits standard size bathtub. Complete do-it-yourself installation instructions included. **WE CAN INSTALL IT!**

BATHTUB ENCLOSURE **\$28**
• Heavy extruded aluminum frame. **WE CAN INSTALL IT!**

RIGHT OR LEFT HAND ONE PIECE TUB SURROUND **\$147**
• Elegant one-piece construction. **WE CAN INSTALL IT!**

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SPARTAN LAUNDRY TUB **\$11**
• Heavy duty plastic single utility laundry tub with stand. Less faucet. **WE CAN INSTALL IT!**

CRAFTMASTER WATER HEATERS

30 GAL. STANDARD NATURAL GAS	40 GAL. STANDARD NATURAL GAS
\$86	\$92

• Fiberglass insulated to reduce heat loss.
• Glass lined inner tank.
• Easy access adjustable thermostats. **WE CAN INSTALL IT!**

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36" CEILING FAN

1886

• 3-speed pull chain operation.
• 4 wood blades
• Reversible motor.
• Light kit adaptable.
• White or brown.
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FLORAL SCHOOL HOUSE LIGHT KIT

487 EACH

• Light kit comes complete with all mounting hardware, instructions, and pull chain.
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LIGHT FIXTURES

346 EACH

• BEDROOM Curved white glass designed for bedroom, yet adapts to any decor. 12" x 12" x 6". Takes two 60-W bulbs.
• PORCH Fluted glass, black rust-resistant metal holder. Takes 75-W bulb. Model #DY6300. 4" x 8" x 5".
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#DY-6300-7
#DY-6227

42" DELUXE CEILING FAN

2933 EACH

• Polished and antique brass, 3-speed pull chain; reversible. Light kit adaptable.
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ROMEX WIRE

1756 12/2 NM WITH GROUND 250' CARTON

12/2 UF W/G **2996** 10/3 NM W/G **6314**

• Interior electrical wiring for both exposed and concealed work in dry locations.

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• Fits any single pole wall switch and wall plate.
• Full range brightness control, rotary switch.
• 600W-120V AC.
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2317 EACH

• Circuit load center converts to main breaker.
• Surface mount. 125 amp. main lugs.
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TV LEAD-IN WIRE GEMINI

298 50' FOAM INSULATED 300 OHM LEAD XL-50

BUILDERS GANGABLE SWITCH BOX

61¢

• Measures 2 1/2" deep x 3 1/2" wide.
• Furnished with handle ears.

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Duplex receptacle with indicating light is a necessity around swimming pools, workshops, ballrooms, etc.
White or ivory.

YOUR CHOICE 1/2" OR 1" SINGLE POLE BREAKER

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Branch circuit breakers consist of 15-30 Amperes and 120 volt AC.

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119 1/2" x 10'
186 3/4" x 10'
296 1" x 10'

• Galvanized tubing protects electrical wiring.

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12, 15, OR 18-INCH
RIGHT DOOR

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