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It's a race to the finish for Novi's home show

By MICHAEL MALOTT Managing Editor

"It will be done," Roy Barnes, a spokesperson for the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan, said Tuesday as construction crews worked feverishly in Novi's Riverbridge Subdivision to complete work on the 13 homes scheduled to go on display Friday in the ninth annual Homearama.

"Of course, there are a couple of builders who have not slept in the past 48 hours," Barnes said. "But it will be done."

Builders got a late start on construction this year, due to difficulties with site plan approvals and getting permits from the City of Novi, but that neither impacted the timing of the Homearama show nor caused the last-minute rush.

"We've had Homearamas at all different times of the year," said Nancy Rosen of the Builders Association, "from May to October. This year, we thought we would try the holidays. You know, we are always looking for that additional factor that will draw people in to look, and we thought that having the houses decorated for the holidays would work."

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Thirteen homes, ranging in price from \$200,000 to \$280,000, will be featured in Novi's Homearama, scheduled to open Friday The new houses, showcasthe best of residential design, are detailed in this week's edition in a special supplement.

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Last minute preparations. The carpeting goes in on Tuesday at "The Carrington," a house

Crow offices default on \$25 million

By JAN JEFFRES

Five office buildings owned by the Trammell Crow Company -Novi's second highest taxpayer — will be auctioned off in January because the firm has defaulted on a \$25 million mortgage.

On the block Jan. 3 will be the Lake Pointe Office Center, Novi Business Park and Garden Office Park. All are located in the city's town center north of Grand River Avenue and between Meadowbrook and Novi roads.

Connecticut General Life Insurance Company is calling in a \$24.6 million mortgage dated Dec. 19. 1989. Included in the transaction

■ Rather than let a \$358,000 letter of credit fall due next week because of unfinished site plan improvements at the Novi Town Center, the Trammell Crow Corporation is asking the city to accept a \$137,000 check. The story is on page 8.

will be all equipment in the But it is unlikely an outside

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Brett's parents sue Novi, Edison

By JAN JEFFRES

The parents of Brett Schneider, the six-year-old injured in July by a downed wire at Lakeshore Park, are now suing Novi, four city employees and Detroit Edison on the child's

Attempts by Novi's lawyers to reach an out-of-court settlement with the family were spurned by their attorney.

The lawsuit, filed Nov. 20, seeks a jury trial and damages in excess of \$10,000 for lifelong physical, mental and emotional injuries suffered by the boy, as well as present and future medical expenses and mental anguish borne by his parents. Pamela and Francis Schneider.

Novi Fire Chief Arthur Lenaghan, firefighter Captain Dennis Tarrant, Parks and Recreation Director Dan Davis and parks and recreation supervisor Jack Lewis are named

as defendents in the case. Mary Pat Thomas, one of the family's attorneys, said Monday she could not comment if an out-of-

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Fuerst left two wills and bickering heirs

By JAN JEFFRES and SUZANNE HOLLYER

One 91-year-old maiden lady plus one million dollars ultimately add up to two contested wills.

Wednesday, attorneys representing two final testaments left by Ruby Fuerst will slug it out before Oakland County Probate Court Judge Barry Grant.

Fuerst's first will was written in 1980 by family attorney Gary Mac-Lean and appointed NBD as trustee of the estate. This document leaves the City of Novi as Fuerst's premier heir - provided the funds are used to build senior citizen housing.

A second will filed Nov. 10 by Barry Bess disinherits the city and bequeaths the majority of the estate to Fuerst's paid companion, Anto-

nia Kearns — according to an administrative memo drafted by Novi's Assistant City Manager Craig Klaver. This would be administred as a trust by Comerica Bank.

Novi City Attorney David Fried said the city will "definitely" contest the second will.

Neither document will be on public record at the court until one is accepted by Grant.

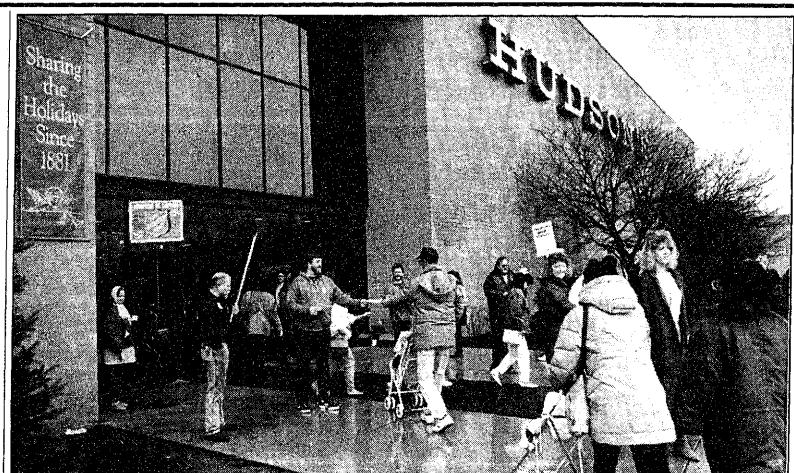
The new will was written March 22, 1991. Kearns, until then a stranger, moved in with Fuerst on

Fuerst died in September. Before her death, the court made her a "legally-protected person." Fuerst's court-appointed guar-

dian submitted to Grant a doctor's evaluation stating that the elderly

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Hudson's used annual pre-holiday sales and ten percent discount coupons to lure shoppers into crossing a union picket line at its Twelve Oaks Store during the traditional Thanksgiving weekend shopping frenzy.

By JAN JEFFRES

Union members hope to head off Hudson's shoppers.

The United Auto Workers (UAW) passed out shopping bags and flyers which synced in with their radio campaign urging metro area consumers to shop "Anyplace but Hudson's."

"I think it was an incredible success . . . Realistically. Novi was busier than most of the other (Hudson's) stores. Even in Novi, on a Thanksgiving weekend usually you have long lines and people bumping into each other. I know in Novi with their sales on Friday, they didn't do as well as they did two weeks earlier at their 13-hour sale," Bob King, director of the UAW's Region 1-A said Tuesday.

■ Despite the predictions of economic doom and gloom at the national level, Twelve Oaks managers had predicted Novi's holiday shopping season would show growth in sales over last year. The traditional day-after-Thanksgiving start of the season, however, exceeded even their expectations. The story is on page 6.

Views differ on boycott's impact

"Somebody said it best, that Hudson's has been operating like a K mart rather than a fullservice department store. They can't operate like that in the long-run."

King attributes a shopping slow-down to the

On the other hand, Hudson's representatives say they rang up record sales for the weekend. "It's the best we've ever had. We've had a 35

percent increase over last year in terms of sales. We've seen customers shopping throughout all the departments in the store." Hudson's spokesperson Sue Sorensen said.

'Our sales occurred across-the-board."

The company won't comment on store-bystore sales figures, but Sorensen said all Detroitarea stores performed well. While she agreed with King that Friday was a slightly-off day, Sorensen points to the rainy weather as the

The special sales were nothing out of the ordinary for the store, she said, which annually. slashes prices for the holiday weekend. Ten percent off coupons were issued to credit card holders, as Hudson's has done for other major sales

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Today, December 5

Superintendent hopeful interviewed: The Novi school board meets tonight to interview its final candidate for the position of superintendent as a part of its regularly scheduled school board meeting. The interviews will be in the Educational Services Building, 25345 Taft Road. A public reception will be held from 6-7 p.m. Interviews, which are open, begin at 7 p.m.

Friday, December 6

Trolley debut: The Novi Trolley will make its debut for the holiday season at 1 p.m. at the Hudson's Package Pick-up in the Twelve Oaks Mall. The Novi Trolley, provided by SMART, will shuttle shoppers between Novi's major shopping malls and hotels every Friday, Saturday and Sunday for 25 cents per ride. The trolley will run on Fridays from 1-9 p.m. and on Saturdays and Sundays from 11 a.m. 7 p.m. Rides will be free on its debuting day. For more information, call the Novi Chamber of Commerce at 349-3743.

Homearama: Homearama Holiday 1991 opens its public showing of 13 new homes constructed by members of the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan. The show will open at 4 p.m. and will run through Dec. 22. The homes will open from 4-10 p.m. Mondays through Fridays and from noon-10 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. Ticket prices are \$5 per person. Homearama is located in the Riverbridge Subdivision south of Nine Mile road and east of Novi Road.

Saturday, December 7

Used equipment sale: The 11th annual Used Sport and Recreation Equipment Sale will run from 10 a.m. to noon in the Novi Civic Center. The Parks and Recreation Department will provide the space and residents are encouraged to bring in their used equipment to sell. Those who would like to sell equipment made register Thursday and Friday from 6-8 p.m. in the civic center.

Christmas tree sale: The Novi Optimist Club will sponsor its annual Christmas Tree Sale, being at 9 a.m. The sale will run through Dec. 15 and will be open from 5.9 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 9 a.m.-8 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. The sale is to be located at the site of the Michigan 50's Festival in the Novi Town Center. Proceeds will support the DARE program, the Novi Friendship Club and Novi Youth

The Nutcracker: The Michigan Classic Ballet Company and the Michigan Classic Symphony Orchestra, with Jame Hohmeyer conducting, will perform the holiday favorite, "The Nutcracker" in Novi High School's Fuerst Auditorium for two shows today and tomorrow. The performances will be at 7 p.m. Saturday and 3 p.m. Sunday. The performance is being sponsored by the Novi Arts Council. Tickets will be \$15 for adults and \$12 for children and seniors. For further information, call 661-2430.

Christmas concert: The Novi Jaycees will present the Novi Choralaires in a Christmas Concert at 7:30 p.m. at the Church of Holy Family In Novi. Tickets are \$3 donations. Proceeds will go to the Needy Families Christmas Fund. The concert will feature the story of John Rutter's Brother Heinrich's Christmas, which is the tale of a 14th Century mystic and the writing of a new carol for Christmas eve. For further information,

Superintendent field narrowed: The Novi school board meets at 9 a.m. in the Educational Services Building, 25345 Taft Road, to narrow the field of three superintendent candidates. The meeting is open to the public and input will be accepted.

Santa's coming: Santa Claus will be meeting with children, hearing their Christmas lists, at the Novi Town Center beginning on Satur-

day. Santa will be at the Town Center to talk with the children from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. and from 4-8 p.m. Saturday and from 1-5 p.m. Sunday. He will be seated between the Highland store and Sandy's Hallmark.

Monday, December 9

Debate boosters: The Novi High School Debate Boosters will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the school's library.

Tree lighting: The City of Novi's annual Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony will be held at 7 p.m. at the Novi Civic Center.

Library board: The Novi Library Board meets at 7:30 p.m. in the library building.

City Council: The Novi City Council meets at 8 p.m. in the Novi Civic

Wassail night: The Wixom Historical Society will hold its annual Wassail Night at 7:30 p.m. at the Wixom City Hall. The entertainment for the evening will be the Silver Strings, who will present early American music appropriate for the season, along with Christmas carols. All meetings of the society are open to the public and free of charge. The society meets every third Monday of the month at Wixom City Hall, 49045 Pon-

Tuesday, December 10

Chess club: The Novi Chess Club is now forming. The group will be meeting Tuesday nights in the Novi Civic Center, 45175 West Ten Mile Road. There is not charge for attending. All players are welcome. For further information, call Tim Sawmiller, at 344-9833 after 6 p.m.

Choral concert: The Novi Middle School Choral Concert will be held at 7 p.m. in the Fuerst Auditorium of Novi High School.

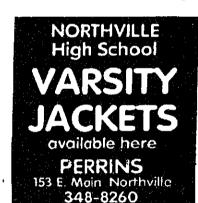
Concert band: The Novi Concert Band practice every Tuesday from 7:30-9 p.m. in the band room of Novi High School. For more information, call Warren Ledger at 348-2955.

Camera Club: The Novi Camera Club meets on the second Tuesday of every month in the Novi Civic Center at 7:30 p.m. The club is sponsored by the Novi Arts Council. For further information, call the city Parks and Recreation Department at 347-0400.

Genesis Club: The December meeting of the Genesis Club (Bible-Science) will feature special guest spekaer Dr. Eric Von Fange at 7:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Northville at 217 N. Wing St. For more information, call 348-1020.

Wednesday, December 11

Scoliosis screening: All seventh graders in Novi Middle School will undergo scoliosis screening at the school today. The screening will



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be conducted by public health nurses and trained screeners. This event is sponsored by the Easter Seal Society of Oakland County and the Oakland County Health Division.

SPARK — Friends of the Motorsports Hall of Fame: The Friends of the Motorsports Hall of Fame will hold their regular monthly meeting at 7 p.m. in the Novi Expo Center (formerly the Mohawk Building). The subject of the meeting will be preparations for the Jan. 11 Pre-Grand Opening Celebration of the Hall of Fame. Plans will also be made for a special SPARK Christmas Party. Drop in work sessions will continue every Tuesday and Thursday from 7-9 p.m. in the Expo Center. For more information, call Maggie Champagne or Ron Watson at 349-RACE,

Potluck lunch: The Novi Senior Citizens Club will hold its noon potluck in the Novi Civic Center.

Youth assistance: The Novi Youth Assistance will meet at 7 p.m. in the Novi Civic Center.

Jr. Jams concert: Frank Cappelli, noted entertainer of children, will be featured in a special holiday Jr. Jams Concert at 11 a.m. in the Fuerst Auditorium of Novi High School, All seats will be \$7. Tickets are available at The Learning Tree in Novi and at Pied Piper in Northville.

Thursday, December 12

Winter concert: The Novi Middle School Band Winter Concert is set for 7 p.m. in the Fuerst Auditorium of Novi High School.

Rotarian/Senior Citizen Lunch: The Novi Middle School will host the annual Rotarians' Senior Citizen Luncheon. School band and choirs will perform. Students will serve the lunch. The concert will begin at 11 a.m. Lunch will begin at noon.

Parks and rec: The Novi Parks and Recreation Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Novi Civic Center.

Historical Commission: The Novi Historical Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Novi Civic Center.

Friday, December 13

Hemophilia benefit: The Whispers Lounge in the Novi Hilton will host a benefit for the Hemophilia Foundation of Michigan beginning at 5:30 p.m. The benefit will feature Karoke singing and dancing. Tickets will be \$10 per person. Advanced registration can be made by calling 761-2535.



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area was pelted with snow and then freezing rain Monday night. The storm did not have the dire consequences originally

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Budget battle rages on in state

Legislative Democrats lost the battle of the budget with Gov. John Engler and the Republicans. But they are having political fun beating the GOP over the head with the

Basically, House Democrats insisted on a budget larger than Engler would accept and left him the job of vetoing more than \$100 million. Engler accepted the job with relish.

224,000 families on the AFDC program are going up Nov. 1 by 5.5 to 6.5 gler accepted the job with relish. The result will be campaign his percent. tory. Democrats hit him as "mean

spirited" for opposing line-item programs. The GOP conjures up images of pigs, pork and troughs. Children are literally being starved to death," said Sen. Lana Pol-

Senate chamber. "I do not know if that fact escaped John Engler when he vetoed Project Fresh, or if he just doesn't give a damn about these children. Project

Fresh, to remind my colleagues, is a line item in the Agriculture budget" with 80 percent federal money allowing women with children to use coupons to purchase farm produce. To Republicans she said: "Put the

interest of these hungry children and

Social services this year will get a gross appropriation of \$5.8 billion highest in Michigan history. And \$40 million is going for adop-

these pregnant women and their de-

veloping fetuses ahead of your parti-

Engler's communications chief.

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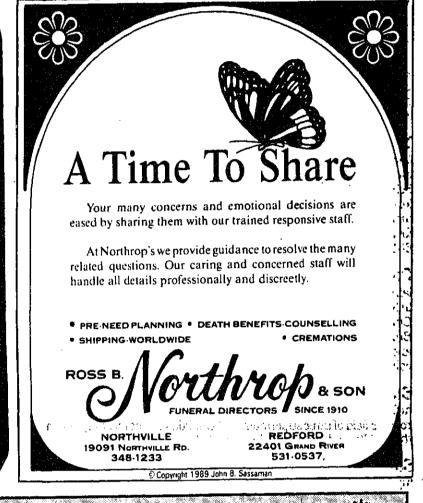
tion subsidies. Hills said. Meanwhile, said DSS director Gerald Miller, basic grants to the

Another clear picture of political philosophy is Engler's veto of "discre" tionary historical grants."

Sen. Jack Faxon, D-Farmington Hills, said grants to Lake Superior State University Museum, Henry lack, D. Ann Arbor, to a largely empty Ford Museum, Greenfield Village and the Holocaust Center "are, in reality, education."

The Greenfield Village complex. Faxon said, "hosts and educates over 1.2 million visitors each year, including over 300,000 school children."

Engler boasts: While most states are raising taxes or cutting education, Michigan is doing the opposite - raising education spending about 4 percent at all levels and holding the



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According to police reports, some-

tered because the window was left unlocked, and she said she always leaves it locked. There were no items reported missing.

LARCENY: A vacant building on MDOP: A 1985 Mercury Merkur tain back she discovered the damage Beck Road was reported broken into parked at Grand Slam on Ten Mile but did not see anyone in the area. Nov. 30, and a refrigerator, crystal was reported damaged Dec. 1. light fixture, and glass end tables were missing.

Police said the house is in the pro- there were cracks in the windshield. cess of being renovated, and the owner was staying at another location at the time of the incident. Novi Police said they plan to pro- one stole his 1980 Pontiac parked Oaks Mall. vide extra patrol to the residence.

LARCENY FROM AUTO: A resident on Manorpark in the Treetop apartment complex reported Nov. 29 that his speakers were stolen from his 1985 Ford EXP.

to get to the speakers.

In addition, they reported, the accident. dash was pried off around the stereo.

began withdrawing from the bank, as well as other

her money. The housekeeper purchased a new

of Ten Mile and Taft roads, interim school Super-

The school district owns the former Fuerst fam-

Novi Rotary Club, Novi Llons, two of Fuerst's

The second will only retains one heir from the

In the earlier will, Fuerst left \$75,000 to Novi

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sight, and will give car to His commandments, and keep all His statutes, I will put none of these

"... although they knew God they did not glorify him as God... Professing to be wise, they became

fools... For this reason God gave them up to vile passions. For even their women exchanged the

natural use for what is against nature. Likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the women,

burned in their lust for one another, men with men committing what is shameful, and receiving in

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diseases upon thee, which I have brought upon the Egyptians: for I am the Lord that healeth thee."

ater Detroit Society for the Blind, Lutheran Social

Fuerst's longtime friend Frieda Simmons.

intendent William Barr said.

friends and seven charities.

funds inappropriately and says the estate owes—scholarships.

expenditures.

Police said the unknown suspect

Road may have been broken into sometime between Nov. 23 and 26.

Police News

one broke the front windshield of a her picture window with a BB gun. 1986 Ford dump truck.

dow of the vehicle was smashed, and

AUTO THEFT: A resident on Pheasoutside his home.

at 6:30 p.m. Nov. 30 and returned at covered the damage. 11 a.m. Dec. 1 to discover the car was

A LEIN check showed the vehicle

There was no further information

ondary," Barr said.

ipulate. Another court-appointed guardian on the Civic Center Complex site.

Parks and Recreation to furnish the Senior Citi- made up of representatives from the school board,

MDOP: A construction worker on MDOP: A resident on Lamier re-Worcester reported Dec. 2 that some ported Nov. 29 that someone shot out

The woman said she was sitting on The worker told police he parked at her couch in the same room as the approximately 4:30 p.m. Nov. 30 and window when she heard "things hitreturned at 9:15 a.m. Dec. 2 to dis- ting the window and called the

She said when she pulled the cur-Police said there were approxi-Police said the passenger side win- mately eight holes in the glass.

MDOP: A Wixom man reported Nov. 26 that someone smashed the window of his Chevrolet Camaro while it ant Run reported Dec. 1 that some- was parked near Sears at Twelve The man told police he saw

another unidentified man standing The resident said he parked his car next to his car shortly before he dis-He said the suspect left in a black

to have been impounded by the Oak- LARCENY: A resident on Palace resmashed four windows in the vehicle land County Sheriff's Department ported Nov. 29 that someone stole because it had been involved in an \$1,000 worth of cassette tapes from stole a lantern. her 1988 Ford Mustang.

The woman told police she parked apparently broke in through the back

Novi Briefs

10 p.m. and locked both doors. She Best decorations: Now that Thanksgiving is over, it's time to put said she returned Nov. 29 at 9:30 a.m. and found her sunroof smashed up the Christmas decorations. The City of Novi began a new tradition last year . . . judging the homes (houses, condos, apartments) for who LARCENY: A resident on Mansion

had the best Christmas decorations in the City of Novi. The winners will receive their prizes at the Dec. 23 meeting of the Novi City Council. They will receive custom-designed ornaments. As residents drive around the city, they are being asked to check out the Christmas decorations and nominate your favorites. Call Cindy Stewart at 347-0445 with the addresses and names if you know them. The winners will then be selected from those nominations.

Bottle drive: The Tollgate 4-H Education Center is collecting returnable bottles and cans to fund an Exceptional Equestrian program. The program helps handicapped children develop their muscles and self-confidence through horseback riding.

From now through Jan. 15, Tollgate is accepting returnable bottles and cans to fund the program. Drop bottles off at the center, on the northwest corner of Meadowbrook and Twelve Mile roads, or call 347-3860 to have the center pick up your returnables. Drop off sites also will be located at some Novi grocery stores.

Calling former band members: The Novi High School bands are in need of uniforms and only former band students and their parents can help. Uniforms are in short supply for both symphony and concert bands. Through the years, some students have falled to return uniforms upon graduation, causing a serious shortage for current students. If you have one or part of a uniform, or know someone who does, call Paula Joyner-Clinard, 344-8300 or Nina Harris, 347-0054.

Holly iollies: The city's ninth annual "Light Up the Holidays" tree lighting ceremony will be held Monday, Dec. 9 at 7 p.m. Children of all ages are especially welcome to join in on the festivities at the Novi Civic

The celebration will include a community sing-along, a visit from Santa and light refreshments. To share in the holiday spirit of giving, everyone is asked to bring a canned/boxed food item for the Jaycees Needy Family Christmas program.

Joining in the city in sponsoring the tree lighting are the Novi Jaycees, Novi Co-op Nursery and Novi Newcomers.

Sporting Life: The 11th Annual Used Sport and Recreation Equipment Sale is scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 7 at the Novi Civic Center from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. The parks and recreation department provides the space and residents are encouraged to bring used equipment

Hot sellers include skis, skates, hockey equiment, balls, bikes and sporting apparel. Parks and recreation take reserves 15 percent of the

Register your equipment on Thursday, Dec. 5 or Friday, Dec. 6 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the civic center.

Senior party planning: 1992 Novi High School senior party meeting they were interested in forming the com- planning committees are being formed. All adults interested in making before Ruby. Iva left the city funds for park and mittees, but the make up of the groups as prop- the party a spectacular event should contact Kathy McCarthy. first — The Salvation Army. New heirs are the Gre-recreation improvements to the old family farm. osed by Klaver did not have enough school 348-6525, in the evening or Lisa Willard, 478-7087, in the evening.

Rachael Kollman displays a ribbon she won through Tollgate's Exceptional Equestrian

Riders could be unhorsed

tion supports the program.

By SUZANNE HOLLYER

A trip into the woods is something a wheelchair user might never experience if not for Novi's Tollgate 4-H Education Center.

But financial troubles are threatening the Exceptional Equestrian program that helps hundreds of handicapped kids develop their muscles and self-confidence at its Twelve Mile and Meadowbrook roads site. The Exceptional Equestrian program just finished its second year. It is

the third largest horseback riding program for handicappers in the country with over 250 children participating last summer. Tollgate hopes to eventually build an Indoor arena for year-around riding. But right now they are just trying

to get through the winter. The program needs \$35,000 to remain in operation past January, said Cindy Richards, director of handicapper programming for Tollgate.

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furnace for the Fuerst house that sits at the corner of the second will therefore is minimal, said interim Superintendent William Barr. "We would have an interest, albeit maybe sec-But the city is asking the school district to parti-The first will lists bequests to Novi schools, the cipate in a committee which will look at the issues

ing money bequeathed by Iva Fuerst, who died The Civic Center Complex Study Committee representation. Service of Michigan, the American Red Cross, the would be an overview group attempting to balance Deaf, Hearing and Speech Center of Michigan and the information and recommendations of several

study groups, including one for a city teen center.

Klaver recommended that the committee be

Two wills - and \$1 million at stake school administration, the city council, the city The city would gain the balance of the estate to administration, the parks and recreation commiswoman was forgetful, confused and easy to man- be used for a senior housing project to be located sion and recreation administration, the library board, the historical commission, the historical docked Kearns' wages for money she and Fuerst According to the 1980 will, this project must be commission's city liaison, the planning commis-

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In Klaver's administrative memo he said Barr Kearns' contests allegations that she used the million — goes to the school district for had originally been concerned that the use of the

surrounding the two Fuerst sisters wills, includ-

Fuerst property was the responsibility solely of the 10 sell. Barr agreed that city representatives should be involved in the discussion about the use of the

property, Klaver wrote. But Barr also believed the school district should be involved in discussions Board Vice President Robert Schram and Trus-

complete within three years or the remainder of sion and the planning department.

tee Raymond Byers said at a Nov. 26 school board

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By MICHAEL MALOTT

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and, as you know, I was very positive on items. Most other stores which about the season," Morosco said. were offering sales were discounting While the actual sales figures for only a few items. He further said the day won't be available until the many stores which offered not disend of December. Morosco said he counted prices reported higher sales had talked to the managers of 20 to figures. 25 stores in the mall, and found they all reported growth in sales.

Morosco said he does not believe sales will be more prevalent this year, "I had been expecting a five per- contending that inventory level gen-

day last year," he said. "But I would not be surprised if the figure turned "Managers had said that consumers were being cautious this sum-

to the holidays - Christmas and Hanukkah - they could make them special and spend them the way they normally do," Morosco said. That is Some have speculated that the the only explanation I can offer." Morosco however also said that ping the gloomy projections for sales. the Novi market may be different may have been the result of a number than overall national market. He has also noted that Twelve Oaks has never posted a dip in sales during holiday season since it has opened, denot have more sales than usual. Only spite several intervening recession. Sales have progressively grown each Beyond that traditional start of the season day. Morosco said sales and

mall since June. Sales figures from June to October show progress So he expects the holiday shopcent growth in sales over the same erally are not at the level which spurs

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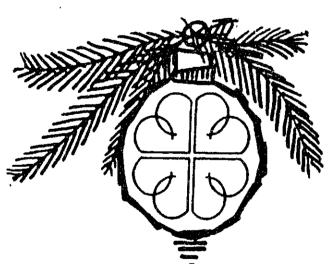


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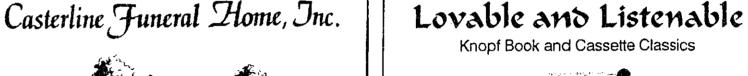
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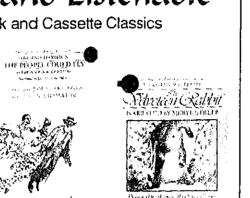
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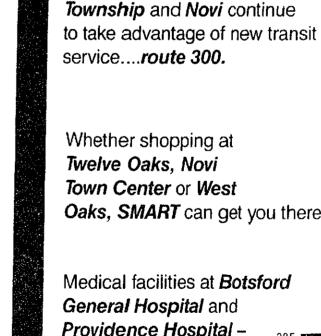
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buyer will surface for the properties, Patrick O'Brien, managing director for Trammell Crow's Chicago-Milwaukee-Detroit office said Tuesday.

"It's not really an auction in the true sense of the word. The buildings are being foreclosed on. The properties are not meeting the debt service," O'Brien said from Milwaukee.

"Trammell Crow has the right if they pay back the debts to buy the buildings back . . . I guess somebody could come in and bid on them but nobody's going to bid on them. Otherwise, we'd sell them." The auction was advertised in the Nov. 21 edition of the

"Oakland County Legal Advertiser." Trammell Crow affiliates Wolverine V Limited Partnership, TCC Lake Pointe I Limited Partnership and Crow Divison Partners Limited Partnership own the buildings. Trammell Crow will continue to lease and manage the

Other company holdings in Novi are unlikely to meet the same fate, including Novi Town Center and the Wyndham Garden Hotel, O'Brien sald.

While offices in Novi have been plagued with lowoccupancy rates over the past few years, the rates for these five buildings has been better than 90 percent, he

He points to tough economic times and the overbuilding of the Detroit area office market as the causes for the Like other firms, Trammell Crow has offered conces-

sions including rent-free months and newly-refurbished offices to lure new tenants. "The park has been successful in terms of occupancy. world today is tough, it's an extremely difficult environment." O'Brien added. "Overall, the economy is down. Tenants in our build-

ings are less likely to spend money for expansion." Patrick Hahn, vice-president of The Hayman Corporation, which tracks the office real estate industry, said it is very difficult today to sell an office building. The capital market is in complete disarray. There are

not a lot sales taking place now or in the new future . . . There are an awful lot of buildings that have been returned to the lender, not only here but throughout the The Novi buildings were raised in 1987 and 1988 and

most were finished by 1990. Dave Hieber of the Novi City Assessor's Office said that Novi Research Center is a 35,000 square foot building on 20 acres with an assessed market value of \$5.022 mil-

lion. One of two buildings in Garden Office Park is 25,400

assessed market value for both is \$5.175 million. Lake Pointe Office Center is 97,300 square feet with an

assessed market value of \$7.894 million. In 1990, national media zoomed in on financial problems experienced by the privately-owned, Dallas-based real estate company, founded 43 years ago by consultant "The Wall Street Journal" reported in Sept. 1990 that

Trammell Crow owned 8,000 developments nationwide but was in dire financial straits, defaulting on \$150 million in loans in Minneapolis alone. "Most of that is behind us. Trammell Crow Company is the largest real estate company . . . We had to work through the problems right now with our lenders,"

O'Brien said. The company's new focus for the 1990s is on leasing and management as well as developing, he added.

City asked to release credit letter for cash

By JAN JEFFRES

Rather than let a \$358,000 letter of credit fall due next week, the Trammell Crow Corporation is asking the city to accept a \$137,000 check. One obstacle to finishing off the \$137,000 in remaining site plan improvements to the corporation's Novi Town Center is that the city and Trammell Crow are currently locked in negotiations over the Amoco gas station site at the northwest corner of Novi Road and Grand River Avenue,

The firm and the city are working Novi Town Center. out a proposed swap of the city's option to purchase the Amoco site in re-

\$98,000, four-acre park behind the turn for the Michigan 50s Festival lo-Amoco, But the city and Trammell cation in Novi Town Center's south Crow now say the location — bordering a major city intersection — is less The Novi City Council scheduled a special meeting Wednesday (after the

Novi News' deadline) to discuss the to a one-year extension of the letter.

Now, the Yasuda Trust and Banking from the firm. Company Limited is unwilling to Trammell Crow has completed a work. Trammell Crow has yet to put

resentative Thomas Zimmer wrote in statue near Borders Book Shop. Trammell Crow wants to give the have recommended reducing the letcheck to Novi, rather than having ter of credit to \$274,172. and then turnaround and collect it the letter to be twice the amount of completed.

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In November 1990, the city agreed Yasuda pay the full sum to the city

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New Outreach Librarian: Georgia Grovensteen, of Livonia, has recently joined the Novi Public Library staff as part-time Outreach services librarian. A graduate of Western Michigan University, Georgia received her master's degree in Library Science from Wayne State University earlier this

Georgia, who works with Pauline Druschel in Outreach Services, formerly worked at Border's Book Shop in Novi.

Library goes "online": The Novi Public Library has recently begun putting holds for books on the computer.

What that means is this: When you request a book from the library that is currently checked out, you may fill out a hold card. This will be entered into the computer and you will receive a computer-generated notice through the mail to let you know when the book is available for you to pick up.

This system allows the library to have better control over reserve requests. To take advantage of this system, you must have a valid WOLF-area library card. The person who requests the hold must be the person to pick up the book. A book cannot be renewed if someone else is

If you have questions about this new procedure, please come to the Novi Library, or call 349-0720.

Heirs sue Novi Care over death

By JAN JEFFRES

A niece of Ester Tauren - an Alzheimer's disease patient who suffocated in July 1990 while being spoon-fed vegetables at the Novi Care Center Of two years. - is suing the center, a staff aide and the house geriatric physician for negligence.

Tauren, 70, had been a resident of the nursing home since 1985. The facility is now under new ownership.

The lawsuit, filed Nov. 7 by Tauren's niece Janet Pitcher, seeks a jury trial and damages in excess of \$10,000. Pitcher's attorneys David Christensen and Mary Pat Thomas contend that Tauren was "a victim of several incidents of inattentiveness; i.e., soiled clothes, dehydration, bruised face and other bruised body extremities and death." Named as defendents in the case are Novi Care Center, Inc.; its parent corporation, Care Centers of Michigan, Inc.; Dr. Abraham Slaim and Patricia

Ann Foster. The complaint alleges that Novi Care Center did not protect its patients, particularly Tauren from physical, mental and emotional abuse and harm-

In 1990, a family member said they paid the center \$2,000 per month to care for Tauren. The lawsuit seeks a financial recompense for Tauren's suffering, her family's loss of her love and companionship, their economic loss and the funeral and burial expenses.

Attorneys for the defendents have not yet filed a response. The case has been assigned to Oakland County Circuit Court Judge Steven N. Andrews. Thomas predicts the case will come to trial in

The courts are trying to speed up the process, but it's still a matter

"The courts are trying to speed up the process. but it's still a matter of two years," Thomas said. Foster, an aide, was feeding Tauren her evening meal when the woman choked to death. Tauren's condition left her unable to speak and use her

According to a Novi Police Department investigation, the aide did not stop feeding Tauren, although tears were running down her face and her body was shaking.

The Oakland County Medical Examiner ruled that Tauren died of aspiration, that her windpipe was clogged with the food and that she was dehydrated at her death.

Foster was found not guilty of a simple misdemeanor in a May 1991 bench trial, with the district court judge ruling that Tauren did not show visible signs of choking.

The lawsuit charges, however, that Foster was negligent because she failed to recognize Tauren not being followed. was choking, did not notify medical personnel of changes for the worse in the woman's condition during the feeding and did not administer life-

The complaint alleges that Dr. Slaim's "malpractice" contributed to Tauren's death and that he did not exercise "reasonable skills and diligence" in response to Tauren's medical condition. A week before her death, the 70-year-old was treated for dehydration by Providence Hospital. Her doctor there ordered that Tauren be placed on

a diet of pureed food. Pitcher's lawyers state that Dr. Slaim countermanded this and had Tauren fed solid foods. While the incident was under investigation, allegations were made that Dr. Slaim pronounced Fauren dead over the telephone, but the physician has denied this.

Care Centers of Michigan filed for bankruptcy under Chapter 11, but this was denied in May by federal district court Judge Walter Shapiro. "The Care Centers (of Michigan) are still going pretty strong," Thomas said.

Tauren's representatives contend that Novi Care Center did not have enough employees to provide adequate 24-hour nursing care and kept on unfit and inexperienced staff members without providing adequate training for them.

Some of these statements were backed up in a 1990 Michigan Department of Public Health (MDPH) investigation of Novi Care Center sparked by Tauren's death. MDPH slapped an admissions ban on the facility, stating that patients' rights were being violated, employees were unqualifed, daily hygiene was poor, and doctor's orders were

Thomas said that it has not yet been decided if state officials will be asked to testify during the

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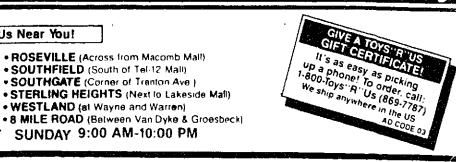
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court settlement had or had not been the city. But Novi City Attorney David Fried said the attorney representing the city's insurance carrier. Risk Man-

agement, tried to sit down with the the previous night's storm. Schneiders' lawyer David Christensen "to eventually resolve the settle on the matter with us. It's our - ing the grass.

position that had Mr. Christensen sat down and agreed to some arrangement, it would have saved substantial money for both the Schneider family and the city."

parties never discussed any financial

Brett's father was appointed to act on his behalf by Oakland County Cir-

day camp session at Lakeshore Park. Brett somehow connected with a 13,200 volt primary wire downed in fled Detroit Edison of the fallen lines. The lawsuit alleges that the city endangered public safety by opening

advise Novi officials of measures needed to protect the public from the downed lines. for leaving the power lines

will preside over the proceedings. was torn down by the storm. Tarrant growth of his skull.

Lakeshore Park when the live wire advising day campers' parents that *Mr. Christensen did not want to was arcing and sparking and burn-the wires were down. Davis said at It also charges that Detroit Edison was negligent in maintaining the lines at the park, did not respond to the city's call for service, and failed to playing. He was burned over 50 per-

Bills target minors' driving

Young drivers would lose their licenses for six months for drinking offenses under three bills before the state Senate sponsored by Robert Geake, R-Northville. Another bill - by Fred Dillingham, R-Fowlerville - would widen the

"tirug free zone" around schools and expand the concept to parks and recreation areas. If the war on drugs is to be won, it will have to be won with youth." Lt. unless Michigan passes such laws. Vern Reidsma of the State Police ex- the federal government would hold ecutive division told the Senate Judi-

dary Committee. That panel sent a package of bills to the full Senate on 3-0 votes. Geake's three bills would impose driver's license sanctions on minors letter from the governor and resoluwho commit alcohol- or drug-related tions from both chambers of the Le-

The offenses include driving while dfunk, driving while impaired, transporting alcohol, possessing alcohol even while not driving, and drug

These are intended to be deterrent bills," Bill Korenbrock, a Geake ide, told the committee. For a first conviction, the minor **vbuld** have his drivers license suspended for six months. For subsent convictions, the license would

Hever was later - but not past age A judge could modify the order for ninors aged 14-18 but could not re- who sold drugs to anyone - not just luce the suspension below three

raduated from high school, whi-

An unlicensed youngster could have his first license delayed.

three state codes - public health, vehicle and liquor control -- had to be Almost 16,000 Michigan minors

were arrested in 1989 for drug, liquor and drunk driving violations. Assuming an 85-percent conviction rate, the Secretary of State would have to process an additional 13,300 license suspensions - a 6.5-percent workload increase in the bureau of driver and vehicle records. Judiciary chairman William Van-

Regenmorter, R-Jenison, said that back 5 percent of the state's highway aid - \$12 million a year. State options are either (1) to adopt a sixmonth license suspension law or (2) to provide the federal government a gislature saying they oppose such a

Dillingham's bill widens the drugfree zone around schools — currently 500 feet - to 1,000 feet. "It expands the concept to include

parks, recreation areas, colleges, universities and video arcades," said aide Stacev Hettiger. The new definition also includes public pools, playgrounds, youth

dlifted until the person turned 18 or said. Currently the code mandates a two-year minimum prison term for The bill would apply to a dealer

a minor - in a drug-free zone. Cities, villages, townships and counties would be permitted to place "drug-free zone" signs on public roads within zone boundaries.

has said all along they planned to sue Lenaghan ordered the park closed. Along with the sparking primary line, While attending a July 8 city-run other electrical wires were hanging in a pine tree near the park's activities building. The fire department noti-

Davis and Lewis are cited for alleged negligence when they reopened the closed park without the time that they thought the line

It is not known exactly how Brett came into contact with the wire while his head. The lawsuit says the firstgrader will have permanent disfig-Tarrant and Lenaghan are uration and crippling from the acciaccused in the lawsuit of negligence dent and will require medical attention throughout his life.

Camp employees contacted the will have to have skingrafting periodcuit Court Judge David Breck, who Novi Fire Department when the line ically to accommodate the normal



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almost stupid. A few of my very darjumping, etc. The only exception to leather jackets, aviator sunglasses tremely risky and are best left to those with large amounts of experi-

■ Accept the fact that most dates cost money. If you happen to believe that dates don't require cash, then may I interest you in this small piece of Florida swamp land that I'm just dving to get rid of? After all, there are only so many midnight walks you and your date can take before she starts to wonder if that wallet you have has anything in it besides a your arsenal of conversation topics Insults.

know until you find out.

be asked out with a last-minute, spur of the moment telephone call. For the first date, this is a vitally important into the dark abyss of the World of thing to keep in mind. Proper timing

helped me in avoiding a total wipeout is at all possible. This may not be a tip of a date . . . so far. As best as I can for guys, but in order to make this a see, this good fortune can mostly be non-sexist article, I'm going to go out attributed to my observations of on a limb and ask that girls who date other guys and their dating styles read this particular section. Not bethat turn what might have been a ling direct with a guy when you're gogreat time into utter chaos. After ing to accept or deny him is a lot like keeping careful tabs on what works getting a band-aid peeled off your and what doesn't, I've managed to skin. You can do it slowly, creating formulate a number of theories into a millions of tiny stings in a very slow, concise and easy-to-follow system. painful manner, or you can rip it off all at once. Sure, it hurts more this terparts, (and those females whose way but at least the pain is overwith a

do with girls. So you want to see a mo-■ Know the girl. This is so simple, it's vie with her? Which one? What time does it start? Don't just say,"Hey ing friends have developed the courbaby! Whaddya say to you and me on age to ask a girl out with whom famil- Saturday?" This is the most nebuliarity is almost rill. Of course, these ous statement there is, except for inare the same guys that go mountian structions on how to program a VCR. climbing, cliff diving, bungee-cord Dress for the occasion. Black

this rule would be the infamous and Harley Davidson T-shirts may "Blind Date". It goes without saying make the grade for the Monster that these kinds of dates are exnot for dinner at some four-star restaurant with a menu written endoubt as to what to wear, call the place and ask. You may feel like an idiot, as you imagine the guy on the other end of the line is trying to supress his laughter, but it sure beats you showing up in a dirty sweatshirt, while your date dons an evening

■ Show some class. This is a list of driver's license and a library card. things that does not mix: Anita Hill ■ Do your homework. Unfortunately, if you don't do your homework and your date. Before you even ask a for dating, she'll probably fall you the girl out, assume that she abhors bad friends and find out what she likes to you're out with her. Until you and she do. Not only does this give you a better idea as to what kind of girl you're tionship, save your rude side for dealing with, but it also helps fill up when you publish the book 1,001

chance that you both played the no. Ninety-nine percent of the time at all." Then again, if you haven't got date. It should be as clear as a same losing lottery numbers last when we try it, we end up getting di-Wednesday. Maybe you and she rectinsuits such as "Creep!, Getyour share a common interest in "#%\$! hands off me!" or indirect inchinchilla breeding. You'll never suits such as "Uhhh . . . i think relationship, don't become posses- and exceptions. (Just ask a lawyer.) you've got the wrong idea" or "Oh! sive with your girlfriend. Girls are There will be some who discover great

■ Give the girl enough time. It's in- Look at the time! I gotta go!" For the people. They aren't stereos, cars or success with these tips and there will sulting to girls to be asked out one percent of us that make The family recipes that are revered for be others that find some of them to be months in advance; that is, unless, it's to set the date for your wedding.

Move successful, we end up starring it's to set the date for your wedding.

Move successful, we end up starring in Beverly Hills 90210 or Days of has a life besides you, and if it in ror are exactly what makes dating However, it's even more insulting to our Lives." The odds just aren't with volves another guy, trust her. This is what it is.



Chris Polsinelli, '92, pictured with Becky Lanyon, '92, has studied, practiced, and perfected Davis' formula.

us. As far as "The Move" goes on the one of the toughest things for couples

■ Be complimentary to your date. Okay, so it sounds a bit on the hokey a long time to learn correctly. Some side, but you'd be amazed what a dif- people never learn. ference the little things can make in Have the courage to admit when a adding to your relationship. That's not to say that you need to worship road of love going solo gets you lost the ground she walks on. Just make quickly. No road map can get you pleasant comments, "Hey, that's a back on track either. One must trust sharp jacket you've got on," or their own judgement of the situation, your arsenal of conversation topics when things really get dry. It's possible Do not, under any circum
"You've got a really nice smile, you otherwise you'll never find the exit know that?" However, as the old sayble that the two of you both prefer stances, make "The Move" on the first ing goes, "If you haven't got somepeanut M & Ms to plain. There's a date. Sorry guys. This is a definite nothing nice to say, don't say anything and low for it, and neither will your

anything nice to say, why are you go- construction-zone blinker.

second date, that's another story all to learn to live with. If you and your girlfriend can deal with this, almost everything else is a cinch. This takes

relationship isn't there. Traveling th



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Varsity debate team wins KVC

. The Varsity debate team was undefeated in the KVC this year to win first place in the conference and bring home the trophy. The affirmative team

Cat Chronicles of juniors Alan Stevens and Brenden Best and the negative team of juniors James Kovacs and Randy Juip had an excellent season with a record of 11-0. team is coached by teacher Mrs. Kathleen

The serious drama "I Never Saw Another Butterfly" was presented in Fuerst Auditorium Nov. 7. 8 and 9. The play started junior Jolie Ziegler as Raja, a Jewish resident of Prague, Austria, who relived her experiences in a concentration camp. Senior Megan Burke portrayed Irena, a compassionate teacher at the camp, and junior Shane Vogel sica Fritz and Matt Builer. The Novi Middle School played Honza, Raja's friend. The technical aspects choirs also participated in this concert of foreign of this play were very unique with the set consist- music, with the males from both schools combining of three platforms and six pools of light. The ing to sing "Ride the Chariot." characters moved from one lighted area to

James Kovacs won the top speaker award. The had very little time to rest. However, under the direction of teacher Mr. Richard Hendin, the cast performed an excellent version of this drama.

> The Novi choirs presented a fall concert on November 19 in Fuerst Auditorium. In this collage concert, where there was no applause between songs, the stage was set with different pools of light for each choir. The three high school choirs performed with solos by seniors Amy Morgan, Jes-

The Wildcat Marching Band participated in De-the instructor.

troit's Thanksgiving Day Parade with a two and a half minute featured performance for Channel 2 (WJDK). On Nov. 27, the band competed in the annual "Battle of the Bands" at the State Fair Coliseum. The 120 member band, under the direction of Mrs. Paula Joyner-Clinard, received the second

The officers of the National Honors Society under the guidance of Ms. Sandra Boak, have acknowledged three outstanding members. Alexis Johnson, Jenniser Jones and Matthew Pierle have been recognized for helping out when asked and working beyond the required tasks.

The high school TV production class broadcasts on cable channel 10 on Tuesdays from 2-3 p.m. and on Wednesdays from 2-5 p.m. Subjects covered include various topics affecting Novi students and the local community. Mr. David Legg is

SADD plans red ribbon campaign

Against Driving Drunk (SADD) is planning a red ribbon campaign for Hear Us Roar December. The red ribbon has been adopted as the symbol to remind motorists not to drink and drive. Stured ribbons to promote a safe holiday season. As one SADD member said, "Make your holidays joyful, not sad. Don't drink and drive."

The Interact Club at Novi High School began in 1978. It was the first service of its kind in Michigan. The tradition continues as officers for the Oak. These students include seniors Chorus' will be profromed. elected. They are Senior Meghan Florko, Jessica Fritz, Amy Morgan Perry as president, Senior Gar Ro- and Raechel Streit, Representing the winter concert for the Novi bands. hatgl as vice-president, Senior junior class will be Tracy Ford, Kris- The Symphony and Concert bands Raechel Streit as secretary and Se- ten Patee and Liz Whittenburg. Tapes will perform at 7:30 p.m. in Fuerst The winter holiday recess begins nior JeWon Hwang as treasurer. recorded by the NHS choirs will go on Auditorium. Band Boosters will meet at the end of the school day Friday.

dents will decorate the school with day season helping at the Novi Rotary \$10 each. The recording, done by De-Club's annual Senior Citizen's Lunc- lta records, consists of nine holiday heon serving as Santa's elves at the songs. Questions about the tape "Breakfast with Santa" and planning should be directed to choir booster deau, 24062 Taft Road, Novi, MI a canned food drive for the Novi Emergency Food Fund.

attend regional honors choir in Royal Audrey Blisko, Matt Butler, Erin

traditional Handel's "Hallelujah Monday, Dec. 16.

Club members will be busy this holi-sale the first week in December for on Dec. 16 at 7 p.m. in the bandroom Dec. 20.

Board. During that trip the Wildcat Marching Band will be playing at Dis-

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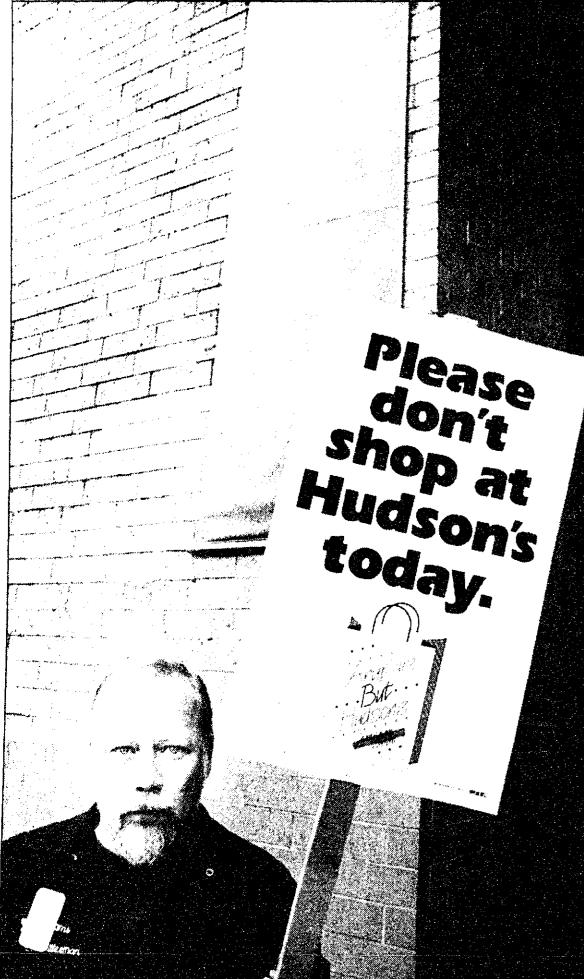
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Hudsons, UAW disagree on union's picket success

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this year, she added. Sorensen conceded that the economy had the corporate headquar- taxpayers - all parties involved - to in what happens to us." ters feeling apprehensive about this get this resolved," he said. year's holiday shopping season.

fact that consumer confidence is on workers. the rise in Michigan," she said. About 600 people volunteered to

work on the picket line at the Twelve 5,000 were drumming up support for Mall-happy crowds were not

ters. Twelve Oaks General Manager Philip Morosco said, adding that he received no complaints about the The three-day campaign, limited to area Hudson's stores and not Day-

ton Hudson affiliates like Target and Mervyn's, is seen as a way to get the to the bargaining table in Westland," the union.

union spokesperson said. "Our hope is that they get the mes- land Mall. sage. It's in the interest of the community, employees, stockholders, anything by the UAW except a voice

This is the latest strategy in an on-Michigan. We're attributing it to the tively for Hudson's non-management

Oaks Mall Hudson's, King said, and company is now refusing to bargain. The union has never had a vote on tor of public affairs. Twelve Oaks and is not particularily Eastland, Oakland Mall, Summit tion election. Place and Flint.

> He does not anticipate another boycott - unless Hudson's continues to refuse to bargain.

company to bargain, Frank Joyce, a said Gerald Macks, a 28-year veteran working at the store in Troy's Oak-"We're not really being promised

According to union literature, a salesperson with 32 years of experi-"What we feel now were that sales going effort by the UAW to bargain ence at the store will, if he or she were strong across-the-board in wages and working conditions collectoretires at age 62, take home a pension of \$150 per month.

> In May 1990, workers at Hudson's sence in the Detroit area for 110 Westland store voted to put on the years, hopes that customers will conunion label. But the UAW says the tinue their loyal patronage during the holiday rush, said Susan Kelly, direc-

The UAW and Hudson's have been active there. King said. Most of its butting heads here since March of energies have been concentrated on 1990. Challenges have been filed by hassled by the low-key union pickethe Hudson's at Westland, Fairlane, the losing side in every representa-

The UAW has been certifled by the the employees' bargaining agent only at Westland. Hudson's has taken its "What this is about is getting them hasn't yet agreed to negotiate with



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OCC board seat filled by Novi man

In a special session Monday, Nov. 25, nalists, was elected in the fifth round the Oakland Community College of polling by a vote of four to two. Board of Trustees selected Novi businessman Sam Yono to fill the trustee post vacated by Norma Ross in

ven person governing body to full Southfield-based Chaldean Federastrength through next June when three of the present seats, including been elected twice to the chairman-Yono's, will be contested in the annual school elections.

Monday night's selection concludes a three-month search which - the Wayne County executive. He is drew 27 volunteer applicants from throughout the 900-square-mile OCC district. In late October, the field was narrowed to six semi-finalists. each of whom was interviewed by the grounds would bring to the board. board in two special meetings. Oct. 29 and Nov. 5. Yong, one of three fl-

Yono, who came to the United States in 1968, owns and operates five retail stores in Wayne County. Active in civic and cultural affairs, he The appointment brings OCC's se- was elected chairman of the tion of America in 1990. He has also ship of the Associated Food Dealers of Michigan, and serves on the Arab-American Advisory Committee for married and the father of seven. During his interview in November. Yono laid emphasis on the perspec tive his cultural and business back-



County's ethnic communities. Yono will be administered the Oath of Office at the board's regular and the role he could play in giving OCC greater exposure in Oakland

Zoning law made simple

By TIM RICHARD

stop local governments from zoning ing yes. day-care centers and home music teachers out of residential areas. All

to six children) and group day care children in the neighborhood." homes (up to 12) in residential zones Local units could still inspect the laws governing municipalities, townin cities. (Similar laws affecting vil- homes and restrict operating times to ships and countles respectively.

Sen. Gil DiNello, D-East Detroit, area senators voted yes. voted ves but protested that "ita takes the right away of a local unit of Sen. Jack Faxon, D Farmington government to govern locally . . . Hills, was sponsor of the bill to allow What you have is automobiles and field, and Faxon after a nationally pulicensed family day care homes (up vans coming and going, picking up blicized battle involving an Oakland

The Senate gave 30-5 approval to Senate Bill 486 was adopted on a bills protecting the right of music The state Senate has moved to 32-3 vote, with all area senators vot- teachers to give lessons in their homes or the homes of pupils. All

> The bills were sponsored by Sens. David Honigman, R-West Bloom-County planist. SB 532-34 amend

Non-smokers want space

and gone to the House.

30 would have to provide a no- must be non-smoking.

smoking section. Currently only restaurants with more than 50 seats

are affected. Sponsored by Jack Faxon, Dwould be expanded slightly under a Farmington Hills. Senate Bill 179 floor. Opposing the amendment were bill that has passed the state Senate says 50 percent of the space would be Faxon; Robert Geake, R-Northville; allocated to non-smokers. That could be adjusted as demand changes, but Any restaurant seating more than no less than 15 percent of the space

Faxon's original bill required an absolute minimum of 25 percent smoke-free space, but it was amended downward on the Senate and Lana Pollack, D-Ann Arbor.

Final vote was 28-4. Ali area sena-

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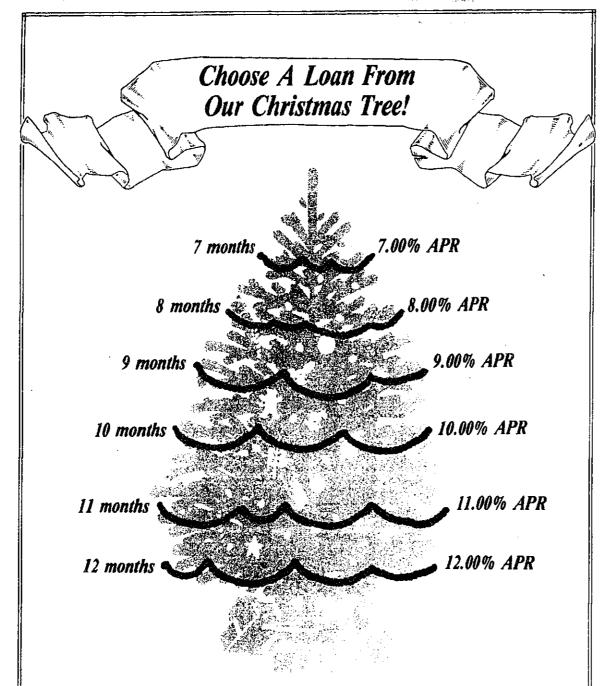


ers would pay an extra \$5 surcharge years. the state to pay for road patrols. Senate Bill 592 won 31-3 approval

All area senators voted yes.

to put more law enforcement officers on the road and pay for the gas for "It's yet another tax increase," pro- cars. We're simply adding another and was sent to the House. It affects tested Nick Smith, R-Addison, who tax to replace what traditionally the





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Drivers' licenses targeted by Senate

By TIM RICHARD

Michigan would use drivers' license suspensions as a tool against where they face an uncertain future. The Senate approved, 29-6, a pair

of bills to require a 30-day drivers license suspension for anyone committing drug-related offenses. Some 80,000 licenses a year could be

Sens. Jack Faxon, D-Farmington bor, were the only area members voting no. Faxon protested that the state Drunk Driving) has gotten so would be impeding their opportunities at both securing legitimate em-

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the bills amount to "mixing apples and oranges" because the drug offenses may not be driving related. The bills would mandate the suspensions for 90 days for the second offense and six months for subsequent offenses. Sponsor was Jack

Welborn, R-Kalamazoo. The senate approved 30-4 even tougher bills affecting minors, spon-

Hills, and Lana Pollack, D-Ann Ar- and how tough they are on drugs because MADD (Mothers Against

ployment and functioning within our This is a case where you are saying if community. I think it is counterpro-your teenager gets caught with a ducitve. It would only further com- beer, they lose their license, their inpound the problems of their being re-surances goes up another couple incarcerated for driving without a thousand dollars, and they are unable to drive," Kotvisto said.

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A minor would have his license suspended for six months for a first offense or until age 18 for a list of

The list includes drunk driving, impaired driving, transporting alcoboth adult drug dealers and minors hol, consuming alcohol, and using or who drink under bills passed by the dealing drugs. An estimated 13,300 state Senate. All go to the House, youngsters per year could be

> All area senators voted yes except Pollack, who missed the vote.

sored by Robert Geake, R-Northville.

"It's going to be a gimmick," said Sen. Don Kolvisto, D-Ironwood, who voted no. "Everyone wants to show how tough they are on drunk driving

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High school custodian fired

By SUZANNE HOLLYER

dian was fired by the school district for "gross misconduct."

His termination was approved by the school board Nov. 7. The man apparently contested his firing and requested a grievance hearing with the school board Nov.

session. The school board later voted board's decision. to deny the grievance on the grounds A Novi High School evening custo- that the man's contract has not been violated.

Assistant Superintendent John Swallow said the man was accused of "gross misconduct," but he would

resentative for the International Un- Swallow said.

hears that the school board denied the grievance.

Dan O'Rourke, a business rep- an alleged theft of \$20, O'Rourke and

O'Rourke said the issue could end up in arbitration when he officially

The conflict is not related to an incident with Novi High School custo-

The meeting was held in closed had not notified in writing of the searched also were on the night crew at the high school. They brought a where it was denied. That issue will

be decided by an arbitrator possibly O'Rourke would not elaborate on

the charges of gross misconduct dians who were searched following against the former Novi High School custodian.

The former custodian could not be

Designated drivers get free drinks

Twenty area businesses, which have "Any program that takes the Red Timbers, Novi Bowl, Appeteaser, Oak Distributors of Drayton Plans, trict Court's "Designate A Driver fully support the DAD program and Red Oaks, Glengary Inn, Frigate's MADD. (DAD) Program, were presented with am very happy with the growing busi- Inn, Key Large Restaurant, Choo The plaque presentation cere-

plaques and certificates Tuesday, ness community support. I also will

Dec. 3, by Judge Michael Batchik. To participate in the program, the pand and mobilize this community," businesses must agree to serve, free of charge, non-alcoholic drinks to those persons who are designated to

Batchik said. drive a group or party home from the program include O'Shea's Tavern, by Hubert Distributors and Powers 1010 East West Maple Road in

Choo Express, Trios, Copper Mug, mony was held Tuesday in the Novi continue in my efforts to further ex- Drakeshire Lanes, the 700 Bowl- Civic Center. South Lyon, the South Lyon Hotel and J.R.'s Place.

Local businesses supporting the The program is further supported can contact Batchik at his office at

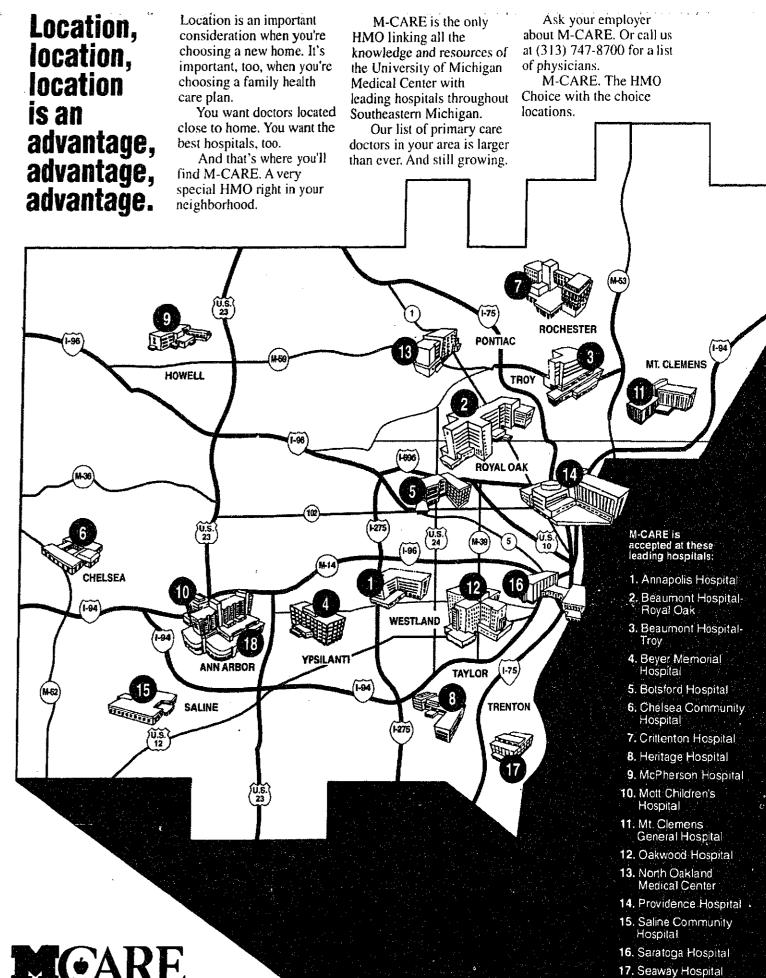
agreed to participate in the 52-1 Disdrunk driver off the road is needed. I VFW Post 2502, Wixom Bar, Paddy's, along with the local chapter of

Any additional businesses wish-

ing to get involved with the program Mr. B's Farm, the Novi Hilton, the Distributors, both of Pontiac, and Walled Lake or phone 624-0088.

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Obituaries

Floyd D. Darling

Floyd D. Darling of Novi died Dec. I in his home. He was born Feb. 28. 1912 to the late Sidney Darling and Leavenworth Darling, survived his Lyon.

Thomas Darling of Novi, his daughter vice president of Darling Manufac-Lorraine Gray of California, his sis- turing Homes. ters Elise Davis of Plymoputh and ited Methodist Church and was a 36995 Five Mile Rd. Livonia, MI Dora Schuster of South Lyon, four member of his own band. The Novi- 48154.

Surviving, with his wife, is his son cans* for 18 years. He is also former

The funeral was yesterday, Dec. 4. Charles H. Kowalske at Casterline Funeral Home, Inc. of He has lived in the community all Northville at 11 a.m. Rev. Charles Jahis life and retired from the Michigan cobs of Novi United Methodist May Randall Darling. His wife, Doris Seamless Tube Factory in South Church officiated. He was buried at

> The family would appreciate memorials sent to Angela Hospice at since 1935, survived his death. They

82 at Henery Ford Hospital Satur-

he loved bowling, hunting, golfing and fishing. In his youth he was a Dec. 3 at 11 at O'Brien Chapel/Ted C. champion driver at Western High Surviving with his wife are his children, Richard, Kenneth, Donald,

Richard A. Osebold officiated. lle was buried at Acacia Park Cemetery in Birmingham. Memorial contributions may be sent to the Mi-

Ann Arbor psychologist, activist died last month

Eugene Barrium Power) of Barton become a director in other joint en- husband were presented the "Big W" Hills, Ann Arbor, retired clinical psy-terprises, including the Wolverine Award in 1981 by the United Way for chologist and community activist. Broadcasting Corporation of Colordied Nov. 26 after a long illness. She was born in 1901 in Monroe Traverse City. County, the daughter of Clarence A. and Caroline A. Harwick.

After a childhood spent in the Upper and Lower Peninsulas of Michi- undertakings in a range of educagan where her father was a school tional, humanitarian and artistic teacher and principal, she received worlds at home and abroad, from poher BA degree (1923) and MS degree - pulation planning and Eskimo art to - helped conceive and plan the Power (1925) from the University of Michi- labor education and Tibetan manugan. She was elected to Phi Beta scripts. She served on the Ann Arbor Kappa as well as becoming a member | Council of Social Agencies and the of Kappa Camma Sorority.

She was a graduate assistant to Professor Walter B. Pillsbury, the Foundation in 1967 as a focus for the then chairman of the Psychology Defamily's charitable efforts, she bepartment. She subsequently worked as clinical psychologist for the Institute of Juvenile Research in Chicago and the Milwaukee County Health Service staff to plan and initiate the for American and British graduate first psychological counselling service for students at her alma mater. Later, she served as clinical consultant to Kingswood School in Bloom-

On June 17, 1929, she and Eugene Barnum Power were married in Wisconsin. Their son, Philip Harwick Power, was born in 1938. While continuing in her own professional career at the University of Michigan's Health Clinic with the late Dr. Theophile M. Raphael, she resume her active role in university affairs, becoming secretary of the Alumnae Council. During World War II, she directed volunteer training for the Civilian De-

Sadye Harwick Power (Mrs. films, Inc., in Ann Arbor; she was to Planned Parenthood. She and her ado and the Park Place Hotel in Washtenaw County."

> After her husband's election in 1955 as Regent of the University of Michigan, Mrs. Power devoted time to University's Henderson House.

With the creation of the Power came actively involved at its vice president. The Foundation has launched a series of programs such as the Power Exchange Scholarship students from Cambridge University in England and the University of Michigan. Through Mrs. Power's efforts with Cambridge officials, the initial exchange (limited to male students)

their "dedication to the people of

An early interest in the theater was deepened by her involvement with the original Dramatic Arts Center. To help express the family's interest in making available the best of the performing arts to both the Ann Arbor and University communities, she Center for the Performing Arts. Opened in 1971, the Center continues to enrich the lives of those attending its almost nightly productions in drama, dance and music.

A bronze bust of Mrs. Power, executed in 1981 by the sculptor John Mills, whom the University had commissioned, was mounted beside that of her husband in the lobby of the

In 1989, the Power Foundation

funded by the Sadye H. Power Program for Families and Children under Stress, a combined clinical and research program at the University of Michigan. The program was intended



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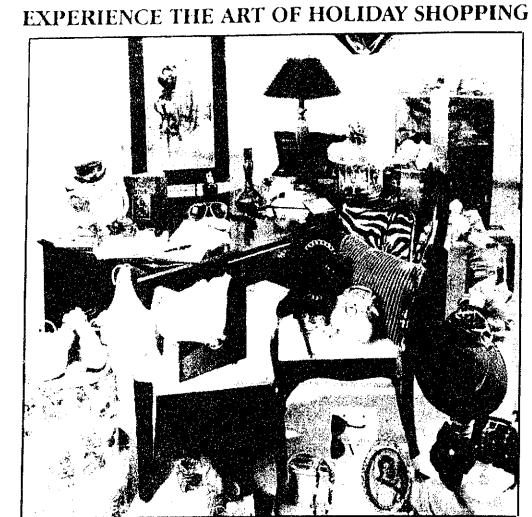
Charles H. Kowalske, died at age

day, Nov. 30 of Heart Failure. He was born Sep. 15, 1901 in Detroit to the late Charles Kowalske and Minnle Peterson Kowalske, Marie, his wife lived in the community for 16 years. He attended City College, now

Thomas, Kathy, Phillippi, Glen, his 19 grandchildren and 4 great-

Wayne State University, and worked grandchildren. His daughter, Sharon Tucker, preceded his death. as a supervisor for Ford Motor Com-Visitation was Sunday, Dec. 1 pany's Iron Foundry until he retired in 1971. He was a big sports buff and from 6-9 p.m. and Monday Dec. 2 from 2.4 and 6.9. The funeral was

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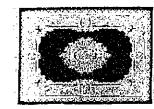
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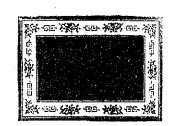
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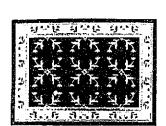




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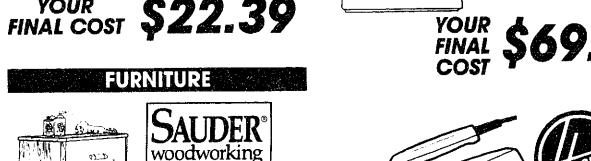
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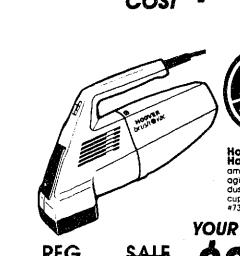
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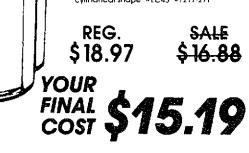
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... and probably beyond. And of course what that means is continued environmental degradation, increasing costs to support the suburban infrastructure, and continued decline in the central city.

The Southeast Michigan Council of Governments (SEMCOG) recently attempted to address this issue through a report, prepared after a series of regional workshops, known as the Regional Development Initiative (RDI).

But as sympathetic as suburban officials may be toward the goals of SEM-COG and the RDI, they are giving the report an awful drubbing. The Oakland County Board of Commissioners is withholding its dues over the report. Members of the Novi City Council and Planning Commission blasted the report in a recent meeting.

They were absolutely right to do it.

Frankly, the report reads less like a came an increasingly unpleasant place proposal on how to end urban sprawl to live. than a manifesto for a takeover of the suburbs by city interests.

Just a few of the proposals offered is the establishment of a regional planning authority which would lead to a reduction in the "home rule" powers of local communities, tax base sharing of properly tax revenues for municipalities as well as schools, and an elimination of what the report calls "subsidies" for growth in the suburbs.

Missing from the report are any points until somebody in the regional proposals to increase safety or reduce agency concludes they have a few legiticrime in the central cities. Missing is any mate points.

I'll never understand cruelty For the life of me, I don't



understand the mindless cruelty some people manage to perpetrate on animals. Considering the number of

Two weeks ago last Sunday, I returned home from a outine late night milk-and-bread run to the store to find a ditten prowling around in my front yard. I'm not a veterinarian, but this cat was so small, so young it could have been no more than four to six weeks old.

seemingly contented. What this cat was doing out in my front yard on a freezing cold winter's evening, I had no idea. We canvassed the neighborhood to see if anyone had lost a kitten, but we turned up nothing. One neighbor suggested it might be the offspring of some feral cat he said he

seemed much too comfortable with humans to be the product of a wild feline. And, well, it was litter trained. They don't have litterboxes out in the wild, do they? Well, I think I have now solved the mystery. This past Sunday, during a walk through the woods with my daughter, we discovered more kittens - many more.

fiscal mess both the City of Detroit and All told, there were four more kittens roaming about in the woods. We found the pile of branches and dead leaves In fact, of the myrlad reasons subwhere the kittens have been sheltering. One of the kittens urbanites left the city in the first place. pore a striking resemblance to the cat I'd found two weeks

And these just were not wild cats. Each one eagerly approached us and wanted to be petted. And there was no

Even more fortunately, I managed to give three of the cats away. I've got room at my house for one of the little

But can someone explain to me what the point of aban-

at such shelters if they are not adopted. And it is true that the adoption rate at such shelters ranges from 12 to 33 percent. But what percentage chance would you give these cats to survive the winter out in the woods all on their own? I rate it at about a zero percent chance they would have made it another two weeks.

Moments

By Bryan Mitchell '60s and '70s. But not every person who



'Service with a smile'

Barb, at the Northville Pharmacy is occasionally described a "the nicest lady in town

Tough decision done right

they will need the money next year.

But if board members took the money now, they risked alienating voters just in time for a February 13-mill re- the results. Input from the public came newal election. If they didn't raise taxes, in on both sides of the increase. The they put themselves at the mercy of vot- board now faces a year of uncertainty, ers in both the February election and a School administrators think they could June election.

three for it. The increase failed.

We think they did the right thing. City Council Member Tim Pope told the the increase. board they were faced with a tough decision, but they "could not err" if they left the decision to voters. Ultimately, the failure of its February millage proposal majority of the board agreed.

Board members Sandra Thornton, Michael Meyer, Treasurer John Streit and Secretary Craig Foreback deserve a pat on the back for their votes against a success in the next few elections are tax increase. Any one of them could have greatly increased in light of the board's tilted the scale in the other direction.

Board member Raymond Byers. that decision for themselves.

It was a tough decision. The Novi Vice President Robert Schram and Presischool board had to decide whether to dent Stephen Hitchcock should be also raise taxes and bank enough money to commended. The board had several get it through next year. By all estimates healthy discussions about the increase. It also listened to public input on the issue on two separate occasions.

proposal for an improved public educa-

tion system in the urbanized areas. No-

Nothing is said about the need to up-

Detroit school district have become.

One reason is given — racial discri-

There is little doubt racial discrimi-

mination. And the RDI proposes a prog-

ram aimed at improving racial tolerance

nation and prejudice had a great deal

with do with the flight from the city in the

chose to leave did so because of race.

Many left simply because the city be-

As it stands, the RDI is a one-way

solution. It essentially says, You have

and we don't, so the obvious solution is

to take yours." No serious consideration

is being given to the real problems that

caused people to leave Detroit in the first

place and are keeping them away today.

out its efforts if it hopes to make any

headway against the problem. The sub-

urbs should continue to argue their

SEMCOG needs to get serious ab-

none are addressed.

Not everyone will be pleased with levy the full 13-mills following a February millage renewal. The district cur-It was a close decision. Four board rently levies 10.5 of those mills. But no members voted against the tax increase, one in the Legislature has been able to verify whether or not the district will be permitted to increase the levy, despite the fact that voters would have approved

> The district also faces the possible and legislative maneuvers that could place even more of the burden for Novi schools on the backs of Novi taxpayers.

But we feel that their chances of recent vote against increasing taxes on their own and letting the public make

Letters to the editor

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think I will ever be able to sign of a mother cat anywhere in the vicinity.



intentional slights, instances of unfairness and downright abuse humans managed to inflict upon other humans, perhaps I should not be surprised at the way they treat animals. But I cannot help but be amazed at the casualness with which people subject animals

It was a cute little cat, and seemed to be well kept - no fleas, clean, apparently healthy, obviously well fed and

thing is mentioned about lowering the believed lives nearby. I had trouble accepting that. It property taxes rates within the cities. grade central city services. Missing from the report is any proposal to address the

Well, it doesn't take much to figure it out. Somebody had abandoned the litter of barely-weaned kittens out in those woods. And the kittens, only weeks old, were on their own, expected to fend for themselves out in the woods. Fortunately, three of the four kittens were in pretty good shape, even after having apparently spent two weeks in the woods by themselves. They were getting skinny, but they were energetic and still apparently healthy. Only one appeared to have reached a weakened state. Somehow, it had suffered a broken tail and it was shivering from the

critters, but we've still got one to give away.

doning a litter of kittens that young was. Why leave kittens in the woods when there are numerous places they can be left if one has to give them up - shelters. Oakland and Wayne county animal control, the Michigan Humane

Yes, it is true that animals often have to be put to sleep

And if they have to die in a shelter, at least it is a quick painless death. Starvation is a horrible way to go. Of course, whoever did this could have had their pet neutered or spayed. But that would seem to be way beyond

Idon't understand. And yet, the officials at Animal Control and the Humane Society tell me this happens to hundreds of thousands of animals each year. It's just inconceivable.



Same issues, 20 years later



If they "reorganize" public transit any more, they'll be back where they started.

Every few years, someone decides we need better public transit in southeastern Michigan, and the way to provide it is to reorganize the service governmentally.

Never does anyone suggest a tax source for these wonderful services for job seekers, the young, the elderly and the handicapped. Local taxes?!? Perish the thought! We've got

The latest call came last month when SMART (the first three letters stand for Suburban Mobility Authority, and I forget the rest) announced it would be broke by May, and maybe it ought to seek a merger with Detroit's DOT bus

In 1969, the state Legislature gave birth to a seven-county system called SEMTA (Southeastern Michigan Transportation Authority]. Its missions were to absorb a half-dozen private bus companies, negotiate a merger with D-DOT, set up an integrated system, and maybe even build rapid rail transit.

It had no tax powers, of course. SEMTA had a board of 15, most picked by SEMCOG. the regional planning agency, and some by the governor.

The board had a regional outlook and many women mem-

bers. (Two-thirds of public transit users are female.) Much went wrong, but I'll hit only the high points. The mayor of Detroit nixed a merger because Detroit had tax money to subsidize its farebox revenues, and SEMTA had none. The mayor didn't want his town's service diluted. Coleman Young was 1,000 percent correct In 1976 came a "reorganization" cry. SEMCOG was out the window as an important appointing authority. The mayor of Detroit and the counties became the heavy

That was doubly bad for the suburbs. Regional thinkers on the board were replaced by county politicians, and the women members were broomed. In the mid-1980s, SEMTA got into trouble with cost

overruns on the downtown Detroit People Mover. Millions were diverted from suburban buses to the DPM. Out of money, SEMTA turned over the project to Young, who put his name on it.

Three years ago. SEMTA was reorganized into a suburban bus service called SMART. Now the county executives were supposed to be the heavy hitters. The first thing the new SMART board began talking ab-

out was "privatizing" bus service. Hey, wasn't that what we had when SEMTA was birthed in 1969? And now they're talking about a merger with D-DOT. Hey, wasn't that what SEMTA was supposed to do?

Meanwhile, after 22 years of lethargy. SEMCOG. the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments, is springing to life to halt "urban sprawl" - the paving over of farmlands, woodlots and wetlands for malls and condos, in an area with an essentially stagnant population. Part of SEMCOG's thinking is the need for public transportation to get folks from the left-behind, older urban

areas to jobs, doctors and stores in the hinterlands. Hey, wasn't that supposed to be SEMCOG's mission when it was organized in 1968? Clearly this seven-county region has come full circle. In 1991 we are talking about precisely the same issues we

were talking about in 1969 — saving older cities, halting urban sprawl, providing regional public transit. . But we're not talking about supporting a transit system with taxes. Perish the thought! We must reorganize!!

Is 'divided' board to be feared



board search committee he had read past Novi News coverage of school issues and was con-

spective was brought

to light in the recent

Novi superintendent

A candidate for the

position told a school

staff on the process.

of the Board.

tendent (William) Barr was asked tant part, not a public meeting. It is

new tax base sharing won't work shop the Board held with Bill Ha-

and will finally get the people so ag zard, the superintendent search

gravated that they will not object to consultant, and heard him spell

an increase in personal income or out very clearly what should and,

groups. I'm better informed, now. ing is held in public, not a public

I found your Monday editorial by the Board begins. I hope those

degree misleading. The process the views will come and express To the Editor:

somewhat troublesome and to a citizens who attended the inter-

to select a new superintendent is

new superintendent for Novi. It is

to select a new superintendent.

That is the elected responsibility of

the individually elected members

The example given in your edi-

of the candidates. If the question

more importantly what should not.

I think you have missed the

maybe destroyed by government in a public meeting is not proper is and faith in the law. How much better

be asked of the candidates.

agree or favor special interest illegal. As I stated above, the meet-ing her rights in due process.

meeting. There is a difference.

little unfair to the other finalists if

now the Board changed the ground

rules just because the managing

editor of Novi News, a man who has

not been to one meeting of the

Board of Education during the

selection, wants to change the

the candidates. Public input will be

One other point. Wouldn't it be a

nota public meeting for the citizens

cerned that the Hollyer school board was Since I have sat through hours of school

I attended the Nov. 26, 1991,

Novi school board meeting to voice

my concern regarding the .81 mill

increase. It was my understanding

that these additional funds (with

some extra) were to maintain fund-

ing due to loses caused by the new

Michigan Tax Base Sharing Bill

Program. When Interim Superin-

to explain specifically the need for

the increase, I was certain I heard

him say it included eight new

teachers, which, I guess, is main-

taining his programs. Suprise!

I was satisfied that the board

voted to reject the increase (4 to 3)

at this time — hoping to recover

with voter approval in the 1992

millage renewal and/or increase

elections. Frankly, I don't think

there is a business management

and budget control within the

Most interesting was a comment

by Trustee Raymond Byers who

has responsibility to maintain legi-

slative contact - who says, "This

In the meantime, our educa-

tional institutions (K-12) will be

severly crippled/damaged -

Too bad other residents don't take

the time to attend these "truth or

taxation" hearings which are pri-

Richard Schwaller

Board of Education is using was themselves.

known to the public and the press

well in advance of the final inter-

views. We have had no negative

feedback from the community or

marily "for the people"

Editorial was

misleading

sales tax (maybe both!)

school systems

Superintendent Deborah McGriff recently was until midnight.

board meetings in the past year, I could not re-

sist the urge to comment. A divided board is one of the greatest fears of school superintendents. Detroit Public School

weighted on the side of change. The majority of the board is interested in change, she said, and the majority was good enough for her. When Northville hired a new superintendent

earlier this year, several candidates mentioned the cohesiveness of the Northville school board side. as one reason they wanted to come to But as the education reporter for both Novi

and Northville schools, I have seen that the school districts operate in a far different Northville school board members hammer out their differences in committee. The commit-

tee meetings are open to the public, but rarely does anyone attend. Novi school board members debate school

issues in public meetings that frequently last

Hearing informs resident of taxes

The Board of Education meeting Student is

a meeting of the Board to select a To the Editor

public, but, and this is the impor-

torial is a good case of where the tion for their prompt actions that I be-

process could go astray. The Board lieve have been well thought out. 1

is forbidden by Federal and State have faith that the Board of Educa-

law to delve into the race, sex, na- tion will provide the teacher and stu-

you referenced had been asked, heard that students and a few pa-

there is a possibility that we would rents have been harassing the stu-

have crossed the line of what is dent involved. I find myself feeling

proper to ask a candidate. Your frustrated and angry that people can

writer was at the Saturday work- be so insensitive to the needs of

point when you say "limiting input her rights, sense of responsibility

at with fitter such action—understood and supported in pers

tional origin, handicap or religion dent a fair hearing.

Recently a Novi High School stu-

dent charged a teacher with inapro-

priate conduct. That teacher is guar-

law before the Novi Board of

anteed due process under the tenure

I commend the school administra-

However, in recent days I have

I'm sure that the student feels she

is being responsible and is willing to

pursue her case following the laws of

the state. How disappointing and

hurtful it must be for her to realize

some people are willing to trample on

The Board of Education will deter-

mine if the charges are true. Mean-

the laws of the state are much more

valuable that the loss of a teacher due

to hermful conduct by that teacher.

On Friday, Oct. 18, Novi High

School held a post-football game

Raymond Byers bonfire following the game against

Novi school board vide a fun, safe environment for the

Trustee, Hartland. Its purpose was to pro-

in Northville where she said she came to Detroit The Novi school board votes unanimously on only after learning that the "divided board" was many issues. The heated debates more often

But I really do not think the school board is "divided." To me, a divided board would be factionalized. I would be able to figure out in advance who would vote with who and on which

An example is the recent school board vote on whether or not to raise taxes. They voted against it 4-3. I tried to guess in advance which way each board member would go. I guessed incorrectly on four of the seven board members. If the Novi school board is divided, then it is divided into seven parts — one for each member. I often don't agree with some or all of them. and neither would a prospective

But at least he or she could be certain that every issue would get a thorough examination

students to gather socially and show their school spirit. School

athletes, along with cheerleaders,

the pom pon squad and the march-

ing band, participated to make the event a success. Not only was it a

great show of support for the foot-

ball team, it was also a great celeb-

ration of the victory over Hartland.

We are all looking forward to next

year's bonfire, which will be even

The event, however, could never

have occurred if it were not for the

help and support of the Novi com-

munity. Once again, this great

community has come forward to

support our students. Special

thanks need to be said to the fol-

lowing businesses and organiza-

tions for all that they did to help

make this 1991 Bonfire a success:

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The Board will meet Saturday.

December 7, to make a decision on Bonfire was

requested before the deliberation GOOD, Safe fun

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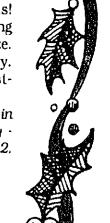
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It's hard work

By CRISTINA FERRIER Staff Writer

On stage, Peter Pan — the boy who won't grow up - shows the Darling children how to fly.

"First, I must sprinkle you with fairy dust!" he exclaims.

Then he tells them to think of won-derful things. The children think of flowers. Christmas and candy and --magically - they fly up into the air. use. "I'm flying!" Peter Pan sings.

Peter Pan flies into the air, Christina Zayti and Tom Chapman - the "flying directors" for the Marquis Theatre's production of "Peter Pan" - heave thick ropes attached to a

system of pulleys and airplane cables so Peter can "fly" across the stage. In fact, Zayti must climb to an upper section of the rope, grab onto it, and do a little flying herself as she

uses her body as a counterweight to the flying actor on stage. The Marquis is using the flying system designed and patented by

theater technician Peter Foy, who

created stage flight for the original 1950s Broadway "Peter Pan."

Foy, now in his 60s, lives in Las Vegas and runs the Foy Company, which engineers flight for Peter Pan productions across the country.
For the Marquis production, a

group of Foy technicians came to the theater a few weeks before the show opened, set up the system, then trained Chapman and Zayti in its

They made sure the people (who But backstage, it's hard work. As will run the flying system) are qualifled, and they made sure it was safe," Producer Inge Zayti explained. Then the Marquis was on its own.

Zayti said the Foy system is also often used for training gymnasts and ice skaters as well as productions like "A Christmas Carol" (to make ghosts fly) and "Hansel and Gretel" (to make the witch fly).

The Foy Company has another system available where Peter Pan can fly out over the audience, but Zayti said they were unable to set that up this year.

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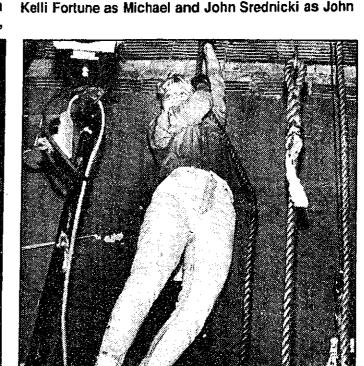
with some help from Christina Zayti



Chris Jones (top) flies through the night as Peter Pan with (below, left to right) Karen Shoecraft as Wendy,



When Peter Pan flies . . .

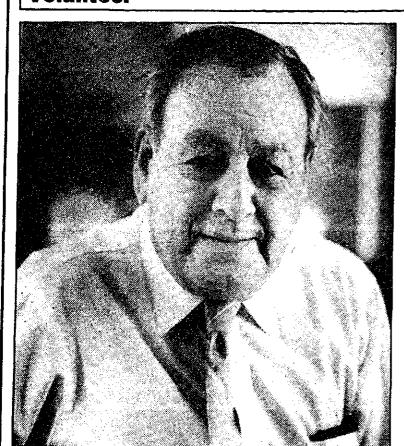


so does Zayti.

Pet of the Week

Photos by BRYAN MITCHELL

Volunteer



MITCHELL DEEB

Santa's on the end of the telephone

There's a switch in the telephone the child, names of the siblings and system this year between Santa Claus and the good little boys and girls, said Mitchell Deeb of the Northville Kiwanis Club.

The club has been not only paying for the private lines installed at Northville Community Recreation, but also answering their calls.

Santa Claus wil now initiate the calls, ans he will do it systematically.
The schedule runs like this:

Tuesday, Dec. 10, kindergarten Wednesday, Dec. 11, first grade Thursday, Dec. 12, second grade All calls will be made between 6:30 and 8 in the evening.

Flyers announcing new systems were distributed by the Board of Education in the schools. (Kiwanis paid the expense, Deeb said.) Each child took one home for his parents to fill out with answers to questions regarding glits requested, glits apt to be received, special accomplishments of

This new procedure will limit Santa/child conversations to just children in Northville, Deeb said, and it will also eliminate the nuisance of having older ones call, make sarcastic remarks and hang up.
But he's concerned about time,

whether all the calls can be made in the alloted time. A total of requests had been turned in by parents on Friday, Nov. 29.

"We may stay longer." Then he added, "We'll try it this year, and if it works out good, we'll do it every year. If not, we'll go back to the old way." Whichever way, it's a volunteer ac-

tivity that is worthwhile, Deeb said, and "a lot of fun." He's apt to be assigned to only one evening as before, but he'll probably go every time. "I usually do," he said. And it's apt to be a "Ho ho ho" and

ringing of bells.

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"Hopefully we will do that next time," she said. The Marquis presents "Peter Pan" every three years. In order to fly, the actors must wear uncomfortable - even painful - leather harnesses that attach to "It hurts," Zayti said, adding that the harness is the reason only women can play Peter Pan. "But when (the actors) get over the pain, they think it is incredible," she said. "They absolutely love it."

to fly

Learning

Oh, sure, if you look close enough you can see the strings attached to the actors, and the Marquis staff knows it. But those strings are quickly forgotten as the audience is swept into the magic of the play. The Marquis production, directed by Gary Sturm, is full of exciting dance scenes by talented, competent young actors and actresses (choreographed by Valerie Mould rolo; ful costumes designed by Linua Sharon and Inge Zayti) and music you keep humming for days (pulled together by music di-

rector R. Luther Bingaman). Peter Pan, a part shared by actresses Lynne Sherwood and Chris Jones (they perform on alternate days), mesmerizes children and delights adults in the audience. Of course, on the other side of the coin, Captain Hook (Ken Haering) is evil, yet funny and never really scary. The approximately 20 children in

the play are veterans of the Marquis' "Cotton Candy Kids" summer theater workshops, and were chosen from Workshops, and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and were chosen from the control of the Marquis' and the control of the Mar 162 who auditioned.

"It's hard, because we cannot le every child be in the play," Zayti said. "But we let as many kids as possible." The Monday morning audience full of children called out "yes!" in voices full of urgency and wonder sketched out some ideas on the back when Peter Pan implored them to save Tinkerbell (Sarah Benish) by showing that children do believe in

And at the Marquis, even backstage, they believe that people really

"Peter Pan" continues weekends at the Marquis Theatre, 135 E. Main. Northville, on Dec. 6-8, 13-15, 21-22, 27-29, and Jan. 3-5. Saturday performances are at 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. Sunday performances are at 2:30 p.m. and Friday performances are at 8 p.m. There are also special weekday matinee performances at 2:30 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 30, Tuesday, ets are \$6.50 at the door or the Marquis Store (next door to the theater) or by telephone (349-8110) or at any

Hunt said he has received a lot of "We need the additional space," he the location for worship services. interest in the new project from mem-said. "It's not so much that we need In addition, Hunt said, the Arts at

Work is already well underway for Meadowbrook Congregational Church's new sanctuary

planted for this project.

Today, those ideas are becoming a reality for members of Meadowbrook Congregational Church as they watch the construction of their new

Church members held a groundbreaking ceremony Oct. 20, and since then the structure has been quickly rising from the ground as construction workers piece the new

It all started back in 1986, when a

member of the congregation

place of worship together. The contractors said when they started we would be in within 300 days, which would be sometime in mid-summer," said Meadowbrook's Rev. E. Nell Hunt, "If it keeps going at this rate, we will be in sooner. But I know that it will slow down when they get to the inside work."

bers of the community, and hopes it the additional worship space, but Meadowbrook concert series will will lead to new church members. that we need the additional class- likely move to the new sanctuary. He was brand-new to Meadow- room space." brook Congregational that day in the of a placemat at the Big Boy on Eight restaurant when the seed was a fellowship hall with classrooms, ing much in style with the (early) col-

"It's going to be gorgeous," Hunt The current sanctuary will become said. It will be a colonial-style buildand the new structure will become onial congregationalists.

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Holiday auction offered

Tired of facing the crowds and busy holiday traffic while Christmas shopping? Looking for that unique gift for a special loved one or friend?

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Sponsored by the Novi United Methodist Church as a fundraising event for its international and community outreach programs, the Holiday Auction will feature more than 100 items and services donated by the local congregation and Novi area businesses. To add variety for potential bidders, the church is planning both silent and traditional bidding auctions. The silent auction will start at 7:30 p.m. with the traditional auction following at 8:15 p.m.

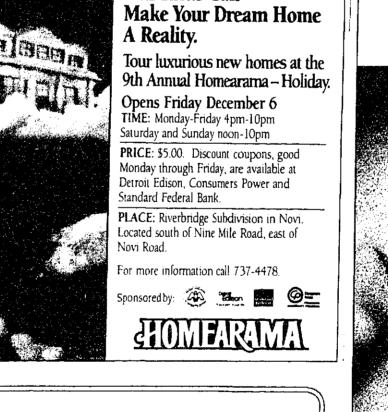
Organizers of the Holiday Auction see two reasons to host the event. First, to raise money for a good cause, and second to give people another alternative when buying gifts during the Christmas season.

"While it is true that our main goal is to raise funds for our Christian outreach programs," said Rev. Charles Jacobs, "We also encourage everyone to come, enjoy themselves. and find that unique gift for someone they love or care for.'

Doors for the holiday auction will open at 7 p.m. A \$2 bidder's fee will be charged, which includes buyer's number and refreshments.



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Schollett, Phelps hold wedding at family home

By JEANNE CLARKE

Norm Schollett and Shirley Phelps of Harrison were married Saturday Nov. 23 at 3 p.m. at the Schollett home with Dr. Michael Mevers officiating. Witnesses included Doris and Ed Williams. They celebrated laler with dinner at Red Timbers with Dr. Meyers and his wife, Margaret. Upcoming plans include traveling through the winter months to New York, the Bahamas and later to

Clara Porter has returned home from an international conference held in Philidelphia, Pa. for four days. Some 44 states and many countries, including Australia, represented by those in attendance

Mike and Barb Pietron have returned from a week of sightseing and lies or individuals to purchase the orattending the 47th Wedding anniver-naments. They can be returned to the sary of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rogers in tree Sunday, Dec. 15. Distribution

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anglin attended the ordination service of their nephew, Craig Anglin, at the Allen Park Baptist Church. Also attending were Dr. and Mrs. Luis Jorge of Northville. Dr. Jorge is Rev. Anglin's sister. A reserve 200 to 800 people. ception followed in the church.

FAITH COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN

The Faith Community Presbyterian Church's Christmas activities The Mid Highs are also making are underway. The church has activities for the whole family, beginning with the Advent Workshop for all ages this Sunday, Dec. 8, from 3-5 p.m. Those in attendance will sing carols, make holiday decorations, visit Bethlehem and decorate On Dec. 15 at 7 p.m., at the child

ren will perform the musical, "Once at Howell Nature Center. upon an Angel." There is a need for angel costumes. Contact the church office at 349-5555. Chrsitmas Dinner Dec. 4.

Novi Highlights

The church was decorated last Sa- SPIRIT OF CHRIST turday. During the Christmas season, the tree in the sanctuary will be decorated with Chrisoms. They are all made in combinations of white and gold. The white lights on the tree symbolize the everlasting love of God and point to Christ as the Light of the

Last Sunday, the presentation of the nativity scene was made by Rev. Cy Smith with slides and Interpretation

The Giving Tree is in the Narthex and the ornaments, which were decorated by the fifth and sixth grade, display the ages of needy children and senior citizens in the area. Famiwill take place Dec. 16.

On Dec. 24, there will be worship services at 6, 8 and 11 p.m. The mission project of the First Presbyterian Church of Detroit will be going to the Soup Kitchen on Dec. 18 from 9 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Those going will help

Also Dec. 18 at the Faith Presbyterian Chruch in Novi will be Leading Ladies Christmas luncheon at Jenniser's Case in Walled Lake.

plans for the upcoming year. The group will be sponsoring a Rock-A-Thon in January. The proceeds will go to the Novi Emergency Food Program. A Sunday volunteer day is planned for March at the Baldwin Soup Kitchen and a morning at Gleaners is being scheduled. The group will also be having a weekend

The Senior Highs will be having a

"Peace . . . in a Hostile World" is

the Novi Emergency Fund. the theme for this year's Midweek Advent Services at Spirit of Christ Lutheran Church, Services are set

Dec. 18. There will be services on Christmas Eve at 6:30 p.m., entitled *Family Worship around the Manger." This will be a service of Holy Communion for parents and

At 11 p.m., there will be a "Candelight Eucharist" with celebration of Holy Communion and a time of quiet contemplation of Christ's coming with carols and candles as part of the The children's Christmas program

is set for Dec. 15 at 6:30 p.m. The program, entitled "Children and cial entertainment, Dr. Michael appeal to both the beginner and ad- space is available. Christmas," is under the direction of Meyer will play his guitar in a sing- vanced photographer. Those attend-Jeff and Linda Knutson. Following the program, everyone

for 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays through

is invited to stay and help decorate the church for the season. Other meetings include that of a new group, "Moms, Dads and Tots." The meeting will be at 7 p.m. Dec. 12. Families with children under three

years of age are welcome. The Men's Club will be meeting Monday, Dec. 16. They are looking at a service project and planning to establish a network for people who are between positions to assist them in finding opportunities. They are asking for copies of resumes. If anyone knows of a position that is available,

call the church office. The Women of ELCA will be meeting next Monday at the home of Karen Chikenhart. There will be a \$3 tree ornament for gift exchange.

The month of December will feature the Hat and Mitten tree with this

The church will also be sponsoring and goals have been established. Center from 10 a.m. to noon. You set a Christmas Card Board again. Anyone can hang a card on the board in- President Hugh Crawford, Vice Presi- and 15 percent of sales goes to the stead of mailing cards to members, dent Greg Mahr, Treasurer Jim and use the money saved to donate to McLean, Secretary Jeanne Eiseman pay for the space. Equipment can be and Reinhart Shier will be director of

They are also looking for sheets and towels for incontinent pads and

NOVI SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB Elections for the Novi Senior Citizens Club were held for the coming make photographs of all kinds. year at the last business meeting. Those elected are President Gordon high school age or older. Annual dues Wilcox, Vice President Ann Taylor, will be \$10. Both novice and exper-Secretary Maryanne Gravel and ienced photographers are welcome. Treasurer Vera Van Worton.

The group made plans for its an- Club's next scheduled guest speaker. nual Christmas lunch, to be held at Mr. Claxton is a well known portrait Mountian Jack's Dec. 11. Fifty-five photographer and will give a handswill be present, including several on demonstration on. Lighting the special guests - Dr. Bill Barr and Artistic Portrait." Kathy Crawford. They will have spe-

Beginning Jan. 2, the group will be camera and plug into his lighting sehaving their potluck dinner at the tups. For more information, contact Civic Center at noon with hostess Hugh Crawford or the Parks and Re-Bette Wade, Mary Ann Gravel and creation Department at 347-9400. Mary Katherine Hill. Those attending are asked to bring their own table service and a dish for passing.

The business meeting will be at 1 Novi Parks and Recreation include p.m. Dec. 4 at the Civic Center. A so-the upcoming Ninth Annual "Light cial time will follow. The hostesses up the Holiday" ceremony Dec. 9 at 7 will be Josephine Luft. Ermine McGipm. at the Novi Civic Center. nis and Ann Taylor.

New members are welcome. Dues ing Ceremony will include a holiday are only \$2 a year. The group usually address from Mayor Matthew Quinn takes day trips throughout the year, and other city officials. The evening but no further trips are will be sche- will also include a visit from Santa duled until this spring, when travel- Claus ing is easier. For more information, contact Gordon Wilcox

NOVI CAMERA CLUB

The Novi Camera Club, one of On Saturday, Dec. 7, anyone who Novi's newest clubs, is being organ- would like to obtain extra Christmas vear's collection to be donated to ized and had its second meeting at money can bring used sports and re-Children's Village in Redford. Items the Novi Civic Center last Tuesday creation equipment to the Equip-

NOVI PARKS AND RECREATION

Special events being planned at

evening. By-laws have been adopted ment Sale, being held at the Civic The newly-elected officers include your own price on your equipment Parks and Recreation Department to registered Thursday and Friday from

The group will continue to meet ev-They are making a program availyarn for lap robes to be made by one ery second Tuesday of the month at able for children to be left at the centhe Civic Center at 7:30 p.m. The ter while Mom and Dad go shopping purpose of the group is to promote on Dec. 14 or Dec. 21 from 10 a.m. to growth in the appreciation of photo- 4 p.m. Children of ages six and older graphy and in the skills needed to will be making Christmas crafts. baking Holiday Cookies, playing Membership is limited to those of games, watching cartoons and eating lunch and snacks. Those age four and younger will have separate supervision and will be only there for a limited time; either 9 a.m.-noon or Mr. Edward Gene Claxton is the 1-4 p.m. Call 347-0400 for more

> In December, the Christmas Camp will be held at Camp Haverhili from Dec. 26 until Jan. 3 and will include overnight on Dec. 31. Limited Their programs will continue to

Saturday Instructional Youth Bowling starts Dec. 7 in three diffeing are encouraged to bring their rent age groups at Novi Bowl. The re-

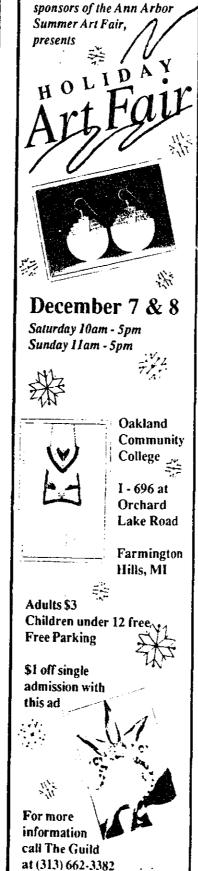
gistration deadline is Dec. 20. Dec. 13 is the deadline for registration for the Youth Floor Hockey for three seperate divisions beginning at third grade and ending with eighth

Jeanne Clarke. Should you wish to contact her with information for this column, please call 624-0173.



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Travel

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THURSDAY December 5

without gravity and to practice walk

We each tried to dock the shuttle

at a space station. On the third try I fl-

nally got the orbiter lined up, but the

approach was a tad swift. Chalk one

up for seat belts. Vehicles handle dif-

Landing on the runway is also

Next step in the program was

training . . . learning required tasks

at our assigned stations. Each two-

hour mission had a script detailing

every order, action and response with

each position highlighted. Positions

were labeled to show who speaks and

acts: FD, LD, SSO, WXT, etc. Now

don't you wish you knew the

Sunday, Day 3, was mission day.

One two-hour flight followed by a

30-minute debriefing in the morning,

early lunch, and back aboard for the

The simulations were very realis-

tic. The engines powered up with a

As we arced into orbit, Planet

Earth came into view. Missions are

designed to teach decision-making:

The simulation director sat in the

control room, gleefully flipping

switches, causing crisis after crisis

The meteor shower hit us while

yours truly, temporary scientist, was

crawling through a skinny metal

tube leading from the laboratory

back to the cockpit. Being pummeled

by meteors is noisy and bumpy, a po-

The desperate need to get safely

buckled into a seat before the space

ship made its emergency reentry

vanquished all thought of caution. In

spite of damage and inclement

entially bruising experience.

roar. The orbiter trembled as it lifted

second trip.

for the crew.

away from earth.

ing on the moon.

ferently without gravity.

tricky for the first-time pilot.



CROSSROADS

It's beginning to feel a lot like

The first annual Battle Creek International Festival of Lights will light up the sky through Dec. 31. More than 500,000 lights and family entertainment will be featured. For more information call (616) 968-1515.

In the mood to pick and cut reau, 150 W. 8th., Holland, MI

The City Opera House in 947-0180.

A free guide to Detroit area holiday events can be obtained from the Metropolitan Detroit Convention & Visitors Bureau, Two E. Jefferson Ave., Detroit 48226 or by calling toll free (800) DETROIT.

Highlights include "A Christmas Carol" at Meadowbrook Hall in Rochester, "The Nuteracker" at the Birmingham Theatre and "The Jack Frost Follies" presented by the Detroit

Going south? There's a Madrigal Dinner Dec. 7-8 in Bloomingon, Indiana; the Nashville Country Holiday Dec. 6-8 in Nashville, Termessee: the Columbus (Indiana) Festival of Lights Dec. 6-8; and New Year's Eve with the Oak Ridge Boys Dec. 30 and Jan. 1 in Merrillville, Illinois. Fort Wayne, Indiana hosts six

weeks of festivities including the "Festival of Trees" and "Christmas at the Zoo." Call Fort Wayne Visitor Information Cente toll-free (800) 767-7752. Ice sculptures, camel rides

and animated animals highligh Cincinnati's "Zoo Festival of Lights" through January 5 (closed Christmas Eve, Christma Day and New Year's Evel, Call

(513) 281-4700. The Ohio Historical Society

New Albany, Indiana, through Dec. 31. Call (812) 944-6448 From Dec. 7-22, music, reindeer and dolphin shows transform the Indianapolis Zoo into a

Winter Wonderland. Call (317)

A Smoky Mountain Christmas at Dollywood, Pigeon Forge, Ten nessee, will feature live musical shows and traditional crafts. Call toll free (800) DOLLYWOOD for dates and reservations.

Going north? Toronto winter events include "Santa: The Real Thing," a display of oil paintings; a holiday show entitled The Christmas Star;" and the One-of-a-Kind Christmas Canadian Crast Show & Sale. For more information contact the Metro Toronto Convention & Visitors Association toll free (800) 363-1990.

And if that won't satisfy your exotic seasonal urges: Torchbearing skiers will lead a Christmas Eve procession down the slopes of Winter Park Resort in Colorado. Fireworks and church services complete the annual holiday tradition. Call (303) 726-5514.

Granny goes to Space Camp Adult Space Camp provides training to astronauts of all ages

down your own Christmas tree? Visit Ottawa County (Holland, Grand Haven and Zeeland) for the Michigan Christmas Tree Festival through Dec. 22. Call (616) 396- 4221 or write Holland Area Convention & Visitors Bu-

downtown Traverse City presents a Festival of Trees through Dec. 8. Live entertainment, storytellers and craft demonstrators provide the holiday spirit. Call (616) 922-8562 or (616)

> Could we keep up? lenrolled in the easiest of the adult programs, a weekend program that combined classroom instruction with hands-on activities. I will never again see a shuttle launch without recalling how I felt during those sinulated space missions. The course emphasized team-

> > work, decision-making and leadership. Each participant was assigned to a team. No one roes into space My first challenge came when I was confronted with the sleeping ar-

□ NASA's Adult Space

Academy program

teaches adults how to

prepare for flight in

space and then lets

them participate in a si-

mulated space mission,

hoping they don't 'trash'

I arrived in Huntsville, Alabama,

armed with curiosity and a feeble

conviction that continued personal

growth is the key to happy

Most Space Camp trainees at the

J.S. Space and Rocket Center are

oung people, but Adult Space Camp

s open to anyone over age 19. Our

group of 24 participants averaged

age 40, with only two of us on the

south Florida.

By JACKIE DALTON

downhill side of 60.

rangements: six bunks, most of them uppers. ascertain my knowledge about space. I barely understood the questions, let alone the answers. The test paper included 44 acronyms, little groups of letters like ELSS and MECO which stand for Environmen-

tal Life Support System and Main Engine Cut Off — stuff you'd really like to know when you're zooming for our two simulated space mis-

sions, depending on test scores and

Mission control trainees stayed on ond mission. Teamwork was our only about what our bodies were doing. the ground during a mission. Cockpit hope of surviving the next three days. There was no pressure to try an ac-



I was in ground control on one but three. Watching is scary. Riding mission...in the cockpit for the sec- is not. We tumbled too fast to think

members operated the shuttle in After touring the facility we tackled We divided into three categories space. Science specialists performed the simulators. The Multi-Axis training simulator spins not on one axis,

tivity. We could say "No thank you" to Staff members, well trained young people the age of my grandchildren, participated in all phases of the train-

During debriefing we learned that crew error had accidentally trashed south Florida. Miami was obliter-

ated, and it didn't even make the na The price for Adult Space Academy Level I is \$450 which includes housing Friday and Saturday nights plus

meals lunch Friday through lunch

For information about this program and other U.S. Space Camp programs call toll-free (800) 63-SPACE or write to Space Camp. ing. They knew my fears before I did. One Tranquility Base, Huntsville, AL

celebrates the season with sleigh rides, candlelight tours, mummer's plays and Victorian feasts throughout December. Highlights include "A Poet's Christmas" at the Dunbar House in Dayton, "Christmas Under the Western Stars" in Norwich, and "Christmas Dinner at Spiegel Grove" in Fremont. Call toll free (800) 686-1544. Yes, there really is a Santa Claus. On Dec. 14-15 residents of Santa Claus, Indiana, celebrate the Festival of Lights with a Santa's Workshop, herds of sheep and electronic lighting displays. Call toll free (800) Ride a train or visit Santa on Dec. 7 in Monticello, Illinois, at the Wabash Depot. Contact the Chamber of Commerce at (217) 762-7921. A live nativity scene is featured at the Festival of Lights in

A Space Camp trainee bounces high in the air, using an astronaut training simulator like the equipment used to train Apollo astronauts for walking on the moon.

Students learn about NASA at Space and Rocket Center

By IRIS SANDERSON JONES

Novi Middle School doesn't teach you how to build and launch a rocket. Gina Barducci and her friends had to go to Space Camp in Hunts-

ville, Alabama, to learn that. Gina, and her friend Becky Kohl, Sara Douglas and Melissa Shubert attended the five-day program at the Space and Rocket Center as part of a Girl Scout program called Wider Opportunity. They have all been members of Troop 979 since

They are among the thousands of young people and adults who have attended Space Camp, one of the 6 million people who have visited the U.S. Space and Rocket Center since it opened in 1970 n Huntsville, Alabama.

German-born scientist Werner von Braun developed the first U.S. ballistic missile at the Redstone Arsenal in Huntsville, in the 1950s. He lobbied for a non-profit space science museum called the Space and Rocket Center, opened by the state of Alabama in 1970, and later inspired Space Camp, which encourages young people to have fun while learning about science, technology

The U.S. Space Camp offers five-day programs for students grades four through six. Space Academy Level 1 is a five-day program for students in grades seven through nine. Space Academy Level 11 offers eight-day programs for high school sophomores, juniors and seniors. Costs range from \$425 to \$675. Adult Space Camp in Huntsville offers three-day \$450 sessions

for adults 19 years and over and a five-day Teacher Space Orientation for \$750. A second U.S. Space Camp in Titusville, Florida, has programs for kids in grades four through seven. Students must have a teacher's recommendation and parent's permission to attend, but there are no course prerequisites or grade

Everybody who goes to Space Camp learns to build and launch a small rocket, becomes familiar with equipment used to train astronauts and has lectures and films related to the space program past and future, and to possible career paths.

They also go on a simulated space mission. Gina and her friends loved the experience. If you would like to try it, contact the U.S. Space and Rocket Center, One Tranquility Base, Huntsville, AL, 35807 or telephone (205)

Wheeling lights up the holidays

fabricate the major displays at Ogle-

The Anchor Room restaurant of-

country may be settling down for a ong winter's nap. But not Wheeling, West Virginia.

They have flipped the switch for the annual Festival of Lights, which includes 70 major lighted displays in downtown Wheeling and Oglebay bay. Civic and church groups join in

and sponsor theme displays. nowflakes and giant displays will fers "Dinner & Flights to the Festival live country music show. Price range light up downtown Wheeling through of Lights" through the end of Janu- \$15.50 to \$29.50 through Dec. 31. January 5. More than 900,000 multi- ary. For \$50, dinner, limo service and colored lights will glow in city-owned a 20-minute airplane ride is avail-

By NICKI and HAROLD CHODNOFF Oglebay Park daily through January able. Call (304) 527)0080 for other and on weekends through February. packages. You can drive seven miles through Once in Wheeling, try a Valley Oglebay Park from dusk till 11 p.m.

Voyager river excursion, which runs to see 300 acres of landscapes, histhrough the winter. Call toll free (800) torical buildings and tree groupings 237-1867 for prices. outlined or bathed in holiday lights. Victoriana is well preserved in The Festival of Lights is a com-Wheeling. Spend the night at a bed

munity effort. High school students and breakfast or go shopping at the Country music greats perform every Saturday night at Jamboree U.S.A., the country's second oldest For information on Wheeling, call

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the Moose is scheduled in Northville. and anyone wishing to entertain their kids will find it a joyful

Thomas and his Joyful Heart Band with special guest puppet Max the Moose will appear at the Northville Masonic Temple this Sunday, Dec. 8 at 4:30 p.m. The show is directed at kids age 2-7 as well as anyone who is young at heart. The concert will feature songs

from Marc's album "Max the Moose" as well as some seasonal favorites. "It will be a typical show," Thomas said of the Northville concert. "And there will be non-religious Christmas

A "typical show" might include an assortment of traditional children's music as well as Thomas' own songs. He selects songs which are positive. fun, and invite audience participation. And Max the Moose offers his own kind of moose fun.

Thomas, 35, is a native of Milford. While attending Michigan State University he often performed at coffee houses and open stages.

His love for children and music have become wedded in his programs directed at child and family audiences. He has performed at Detroit's Tastefest and the 1991 Michigan Festival in East Lansing. His performances at metro area elementary and nursery schools have received enthusiastic accolades. Marc was also a featured performer sponsored by All Kids Considered magazine at the Children's Activities Fair held at

Since attending the National Self Esteem Convention in Cincinatti. Ohio, Thomas has been incorporating his concern for child self-esteem

Tickets for Sunday's show are \$5 for adults or \$4 for children at the door. Advance tickets are discounted by 50 cents and are available by phone at 478-0738 or at The Gliffd dler on Main in Northville.



Marc Thomas and his friend. Max the Moose

Intown

CLASSICAL GUITAR: The Schoolcraft College Music Club will present classical guitarist John Holmouist from 1 to 2 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 11, in the college's Forum Building Recital Hall, F 530. The recital is free and open to the public. A gui-

tar workshop will follow the recital. Holmquist has earned critical acclaim for solo and ensemble work. He heads the guitar department at the Cleveland Institute of Music.

For more information call 462-4400. CHORUS CONCERT: The Plymouth Community Chorus announces the schedule for our upcoming Christmas concert entitled, "Christmas

Treasures". The concert will be held on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 6 and 7, at 8 p.m.; and on Sunday, Dec. 8 at 4 p.m. at Plymouth Selem High School on Joy

Tickets are available at the Gitfiddler in Northville, Sideways in Plymouth, or by phoning

The Plymouth Community Chorus is a 110-voice chorus with members from all over the Detroit Metropolitan area. Currently in its 17th year, the Chorus is under the direction of Michael

SCHOOLCRAFT CHOIR: The Schoolcraft College Community Choir, under the direction of Donald Stromberg, will present concerts of holiday music on two Sunday afternoons. The first, on Sunday Dec. 8 at 3 p.m. is at First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth, downtown at Church St. and Main. The Choir's second holiday offering will be Sunday, Dec. 15 at Livonia's St. Matthew's United Methodist Church on Six Mile Road, east of

In its 27 season, the 60-voice Schoolcraft College Community Choir is established through Continuing Education Services at the college. The ensemble is dedicated to performing music of the masters at seasonal and combined orchestral appearances. Members are experienced singers of all ages from communities throughtout the metropolitan area and from Schoolcraft's undergraduates.

There is no admission charge; donations will be accepted at intermission. For further information about the concerts or upcoming early January auditions; contact choir president Shari Clason at 348-2678. 349-8175 or the Continuing Education office at

VICTOR'S: Where can you find an active Hammond organ, great music and good food? Answer: Victor's of Novi. Call 349-1438 ahead to find out if nostalgic Connie Mallett will be on keyboard.

A graduate of the mid-life crisis, master of the Hammond and the venerable Novi Chamber executive director. Mallett charms her audiences at Victor's with such favorites as "Misty," "New York. New York" and "Moonlight Serenade." Her playing is smooth and familiar without being too-sweet: easy listening without the elevator.

PIANO MAN: Pianist Tom Altenburg is now performing nightly at the Country Epicure Altenburg, who has delighted audiences for Pan," will be presented at the Marquis Theatre

years in metropolitan Detroit, performs new and classic selections Tuesday through Saturday. Crowds are welcome to sing along beginning at 7

WEEKNIGHT JAZZ: Home Sweet Home restaurant, on Nine Mile just east of Novi Road, offers live jazz every Tuesday and Wednesday from 8

Performances are by the Buddy Budson Band with featured vocalist Eric Brandon. Often local iazz stars like Ursula Walker and Marcus Belgrave

sit in as well. There is no additional charge for the performances. For more information call the restaurant

CHURCH CONCERT SERIES: The First Presbyterian Church of Northville presents its 1991-92 concert series. The schedule is as follows: Handel's "Messiah," Northville's annual perfor-

mance. Sunday, Dec. 8 at 4 p.m. ■ Chamber music by members of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra with Treva Womble, oboe and Robert Williams, bassoon. Sunday, Feb. 2, at

■ David Lee Heinzman, organist and composer, in a concert of original music for organ. Sunday, March 8, at 4 p.m. Men and Boys Choir of Christ Church Grosse

Pointe, D. Frederick DeHaven, conductor, in a concert of English Cathedral Music. Sunday, May 17. at 4 p.m. Tickets to all concerts are \$8 each. Season tick-

Theater

ets are available at \$35 each.

"THE RENTED CHRISTMAS": The Northville Players will present "The Rented Christmas" Dec. 13-15 at Mill Race Historical Village, on Griswold

Show times are 8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 13; 2 and 8 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14; and 2 and 5 p.m. Sunday. Dec. 15. The performances will be in Mill Race's New School Church building. Tickets are \$5, available at Bookstall-on-the-

Main, 116 E. Main, 348-1167; or from Judy Kohl, "The Rented Christmas" is a Christmas play in two short acts. For more information call Judy Kohl at 348-2678.

"A CHRISTMAS CAROL": Warren Products and Anger Manufacturing present a Readers Theatre offering of "A Christmas Carol" at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 22 at MainCentre. Admission is \$1 at the door.

"A CHRISTMAS CAROL": Fairlane Assembly church on Six Mile will also presents "A Christmas Carol" Dec. 6, 7 and 8 for its "Christmas Celebration 1991. For more information call Douglas Webber at

PETER PAN: James M. Barrie's classic, "Peter

through Jan. 5.

This musical comedy recounts the adventures of the three Darling children when Peter Pan literally flies them away from their nursery to the magp.m. each night ical island called Never-Never Land, a place Country Epicure is located at 42050 Grand peopled with characters like Tinker Bell, the little River between Meadowbrook and Novi roads. For airy who speaks only with blinking lights and tinmore information call, 349-7770. kling sounds; the wicked Captain Hook, a leader of bloodthirsty and villainous pirates; and the tick-

ing crocodile, Hook's nemesis. All tickets are \$6.50, available at the door of from the Marquis Store, 135 E. Main St., Northville. Tickets also available by telephone at 349-8110 with Visa or MasterCard. Please no chidren under 4. Reserved seating and group rates for 20 or more.

Karaoke

WAGON WHEEL LOUNGE: Closet crooners can sing their hearts out at the Wagon Wheel Lounge on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays starting at 9 p.m.

The Wagon Wheel is on S. Main, across from the well and the Northville Community Chamber of Commerce office.

GETZIE'S PUB: Getzie's holds "Karaoke Nights" on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays starting at 9 p.m. The pub is on Main Street at Hutton.

NOVI BOWL: Novi Bowl on Novi Road above Eight Mile offers karaoke every Friday and Saturday between 8:30 p.m. and 12:30 a.m.

GATSBY'S: Gatsby's, on Grand River west of Novi Road, has added the karaoke attraction. The bar holds karaoke night Tuesday and Saturday every week, on Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. to midnight; and Saturday from 8:30 p.m. to 2 a.m.

Craft shows

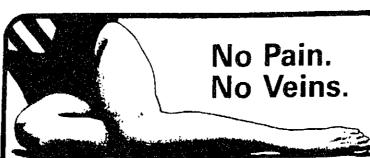
HANDCRAFTERS SHOW: The Handcraft ters Unlimited Christmas Craft Show comes to the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, Dec. 6; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 7; and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 8. Over 70 juried artists. Admission \$1.50. Lunch available. No baby strollers, please.

Literature

BORDERS: The following book signings and other events are scheduled at Borders Book Shop on Novi Road at I-96: Dec. 7 from 11 a.m. until noon Santa will visit

On Dec. 8 at noon guitarist-singer Anne Mon -Sat. 9-8 Shaheen-Herndon will perform Lighthearted Sun. 10-6 453-5500

On Dec. 14 from 11 until noon Santa wi



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about this year's Hometown News-

papers East All-Area girls basket-

ball team: They knew how to find

selected by the sportswriters of the

The Northville Record, Novi News.

Milford Times and South Lyon Her-

ald averaged 10 or more points per

game. As a testament to their offen-

sive abilities, four of five of our

selections shot better than 40 per-

SHELLY PIETILA, guard, South Lyon: Pietila was South Lyon's

creator on offense, slashing and

dashing her way through the lane

whenever the Lions needed instant

points. When the opposition col-

lapsed to double-team her, she dis-

hed off nifty assists to Nikki Bailey

with 164 assists. She also led the

team in steals (91) and second in

"Kids like Shelly come along once

in a great while. I've only had one

other guard who even begins to

compare with her. Her quickness

and her size gave her a chance to

see the floor a little better. She made

some real tough shots and did some

things that you can't teach kids to

do. She's always had a very intense

nature. That hurt her when she was

wunger, but she matured this year

She was able to control that inten-

sity a little bit better and yet she

never lost that spark." Shanks said.

According to Coach John Hoffman

KRISTEN KENNY, forward, Novi:

Kenny led the Wildcats in scoring

with a 10.1 per game average. Al-

though she took 50 more shots

than her nearest teammate, Kenny,

a sophomore, led Novi in field goal

percentage. Also a strong reboun-

der, Kenny averaged five a game

and was third on the team in the

vet to come.

ever coached.

Hoffman said better things are

"She's still learning when to

shoot the ball," he said. "Kristen is a

good player now, but she's nowhere

near where she's going to be by the

time she's a senior. By that time, I

think she will be the best player I've

Besides scoring, Kenny runs the

floor well, Hoffman said. She also

displays leadership qualities and

gets along well with her teammates,

Lyon: When the Lions needed a re-

bound, a post move for a score or a

sure free throw, they picked up the

proverbial phone and called

strides" in her play this season. Area

scoring average (14.2).

Pietila led Ron Shanks' squad

Here's a closer look at our first

cent from the floor.

Each of our first team choices, as

garners

NEWS SOORIS

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Northville duo makes area's second squad

as selected by the sportswriters of the The Northville Record, Novi News, Milford Times and The South Lyon Herald represent quality basketall players.

This squad features a blistering outside shooter, an intimidating inside defender a top notch point gurard. Four of our selections on the second team are guards. And for good reason.

Northville's Laura Apligian was the general for Coach of the Year Ed Kritch's Mustangs. She helped lead Northville to one of it's best season in recent memory.

South Lyon's Tanya Manson provided the Lions with a workhorse and excellent defender. Coach Ron Shanks described her as the squad's ace defender. Manson also demonstrated fine outside

team picks:

TARA SUTTON, guard, South Lyon: Sutton, a junior, was one of Coach Ron Shanks' longe-range threats. Sutton beat several teams with last-second three-pointers this season, including Brighton in overtime in the district semifinal

More importantly, though, Shanks said, was her improved dribbling and defense. She led the team with 44 triples. She was third on the team in assists (35) and points (203).

"Her outside shooting was a key pect of our offense. With Nikki inside we knew going in that teams would make it tough to get the ball inside, so we needed someone who could hit outside. I loved the threes, but her ball handling and her defense were just as important to us being a successful team," Shanks

come together," Kritch said.

TANYA MANSON, guard, South yon: Durable. That was just one of the words Shanks used to describe his number two guard. Manson scrapped and hustled all season for sists per game and was third on the the Lions. She had 36 steals for the team in rebounding with about four

"We made her our defensive ace every year for the last three years since we went to the man-to-man defense. She would attack the other team's point guard and she did a great job for us. She has tremendous endurance. She played a lot of hard minutes without getting in foul trouble. She has incredible energy, never gets tired and adds the three pointer occasionally. She also created steal opportunities for

year and made 13 of 45 three-point

LAURA APLIGIAN, guard, Northville: Hard work over the summer made this 5-foot-5 senior into an outstanding player in 1991.

her teammates." Shanks said.

"We've never had anybody make

Each of our second team choices, the strides she made from her junior to senior year." Kritch said

"She was on a roll at team camp this

summer and never looked back.

December 5.

Kritch said Apligian helped to focus the Mustangs throughout the season with her consistent play. "She was the person that brought our team together," Kritch

Apligian, a senior, was the point guard in Northville's fastbreak offense. She was adept at penetrating and then either passing or shooting the ball, Kritch said. Apligian also brought something else to the

"She really had the 'I hate to lose nentality," Kritch said.

Apligian led Northville in free throw percentage. She was second in assists and third in scoring.

STACEY NYLAND, forward Northville: An emergency appen dectomy sidelined Nyland in the Mustangs' season-ending loss t Salem in district play. The 5-foot-1: senior gave Northville an imposing force on the inside, Kritch said

"She allowed us to compete with our opponents' bigger players," he

Kritch described Nyland as "quick and agile" player. Nyland contributed offensively by 'cleaning-up" on the fastbreak. As a post player, she demonstrated strong moves to the basket and

player," he said. "Nyland is an extremely unsellish kid.

Nyland averaged 8.6 points and 6.7 rebounds for Northville. Nyland was third in steals and blocked

"She's what made the defense

CHERYL SCHEIDEMAN, guard Milford: Scheideman, a senior point guard and floor quarterback for Don Palmer's 10-10 Redskins, led the squad with 204 points, 2.3 as

rebounds per game. "I liked the way Cheryl finished the year. It was tough for her this year being one of just two seniors on the team and having to put up with the leadership role I put her in, but I liked how she closed the season. like her competitive spirit. She and I are a lot alike. We're both perfectionists. She's a good kid, and had a good year statistically," Palmer

Honorable Mention

Honorable mention players include Beth MacLean (Northville); Jeanette Lucy, Kelli Barton, Christine Edwards (Novi); Karen Sikorski, Amy Pietila (South Lyon); Jackie Le-Gris. Julie Cameron [Milford]: Brandy Taylor and Kristen Hoffman

Kritch named Coach of the Year

the 5-foot-10 Kenny made "huge Kristen Kenny followed Coach John Hoffman's instructions closely and made first team All-

Bailey's number. The 5-foot-

11-inch senior forward on Shanks

three-guard offense led the team in

scoring with 384 points for a 16

Elsewhere, she would toss in a

key hoop to spark a rally or quietly

keep the South Lyon basketball

machine going. Bailey was the

team's leading rebounder with 166

"Nikki was kind of an opposite of

Shelly in some ways. She gave us

much more balance. Nikki's much

more quiet. Her stability and her

steadiness were a real important

part of our team. She made teams

guard us close inside and outside

and was the inside scorer able to

win some games for us. A lot of peo-

ple took Nikki for granted. She's

lefthanded, which a lot of teams

didn't know, and she has good foot-

KAREN PUMP, guard, Northville:

The coach has a long tradition

with Northville High. As a guard for

played two years of varsity basket-

ball helping to lead his team to win-

game is another of his passions.

ball and baseball," Kritch said.

"My two loves have been basket-

The 35-year-old didn't exactly

"She absolutely had a sensational

team we've had."

ning seasons.

NIKKI BAILEY, forward, South work around the basket," Shanks

point per game average. From the

line, Bailey was 84-for-120.

year shooting the ball," said Coach

Ed Kritch. "Nobody (in Northville)

has ever come close to what she did

Pump shot an amazing 54 per-

cent from the field. The 5-foot-8

swing player led the Mustangs in

scoring with just more than 13

points per game. She also con-

nected on 12 three-point attempts

second on the team in that

"We didn't have a 'go-to' person

at the beginning of the year," Kritch

said. "She ended up being a dy-

The senior, who may attend Mid-

land's Northwood Institue next fall,

was dangerous from nearly any

shooting range went to about 20

Rebounding was another of her

strong suits as she led the team, av-

"She's a sneaky rebounder,"

Kritch said. "Karen has a very

strong upper body and holds her

spot on the court, he added. Pump's

namic go-to girl."

eraging nine per game

By SCOTT DANIEL Staff Sports Writer

Getting the pieces to fit on a team is one of the most important tasks for any coach. Without the proper blend of talented, determined and hustling players — and the right person pulling the switches — programs slide into mediocrity.

Hometown Newspapers' East Coach of the Year did indeed make all the right moves. Ed Kritch found the correct mixture for his Northville squad en route to a 16-5 The Mustangs finished fifth over-

all in the WLAA and second in the

plan on a coaching career. Kritch Western Division. Kritch is in his said he was coaching in a Northville eighth season as Northville's head boys recreational league when a friend asked him to take over a pri-The biggest thing you get out of vate grade-school girls team. coaching is the development of the

After two years at Our Lady of kids," he said. "Seeing them develop Victory, Kritch moved into the and become strong individuals gives me more satisfaction than anything else." The 16-win season for the Mustangs comes after a 13-8 mark in

Northville girls junior varsity slot. He led the JV Mustangs to a 17-win The following year, after the varsity squad managed just two wins,

Kritch became head coach.

cluding most regular-season wins "It's something that's evolved," and highest points per game he said of his coaching career. "I've evolved into a basketball coach. My "This team had a lot of firsts," personality lends itself to that." Kritch said. "I think this is the best Since taking the head position, Kritch has compiled a 100-73 over-

the Mustangs in the early '70s, he phy into his players. "I try to teach them to be prepared to succeed and give everything they've got," Kritch said, "then Kritch also played baseball for you feel great no matter what the Northville. He said the diamond

all record. He explained that he has

tried to instill a particular philoso-

The coach said winning is important, but it isn't his main focus. "Basketball has to be looked at as a piece of the pie," Kritch said. "(The girls) have a responsibility to themselves above and beyond anything else. When they loose that perspective, it's unacceptable."

Kritch says he keeps an opendoor policy with his players. "I pride myself on developing relationships with most of the girls." he said.

The coaching assignment has taught him many things, but most

of all to be patient, Kritch com-

mented. He said he is proud of all

the teams he has coached through

KARA MCNEIL, forward, North-

ville: One of the Mustangs true

leaders, this senior combined many

talents to help give the team its best

"She's a one-of-a-kind type

McNell came in second in scoring

for the Mustangs at 11.5 per game.

She placed first in three-pointers,

third in rebounds and assists. But

the 5-foot-7 forward's biggest con-

tribution may have been on

"She could defend on the inside

The rare commodity of quickness

or outside," Kritch said. "Kara is an

absolute complete desensive

made McNell a great defender, he

said. She led the Mustangs in ste-

als. That asset also paid off

"Her quickness was intimidat-

ing," Kritch said. "Many times she

would ruin one side of the other

player," Kritch said. "Kara was our

season in years.

Dennis Rodman."

Kritch said when he thinks back on this year's squad he will remember the high level they competed at in every game. He said the '91 team "never took a night off."

From a fans' persepective, the high-scoring Mustangs were probably his best team to watch. This team became dynamic at times," Kritch said. "I think they were the most fun to watch. They

played an exciting brand of Kritch said he wasn't sure how long he would continue to coach. He stressed that it's a year-around commitment that often takes him away from his wife, Candy, and

But, for however long he does continue, Kritch had this warning for Mustang foes.

their two daughters.

"Our kids come ready to play," he said. "They better know when they play Northville, our program is so good that they could lose to us on a given night, no matter who they

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NAME	GRADE	POSITION	SCHOOL
Karen Pump	12	G/F	Northville
Kara McNeil	12	G	Northville
Shelly Pietila	12	G	South Lyon
KRISTEN KENNY	10	F	NOVI
Nikki Bailey	12	F	South Lyon

NAME	GRADE	POSITION	SCHOOL
Laura Apligian	12	G	Northville
Stacey Nyland	12	F	Northville
Tara Sutton	11	G	South Lyon
Tanya Manson	12	G	South Lyon
Cheryl Scheideman	11	G	Milford

SECOND TEAM

WONDRABLE MENTION

Beth MacLean, Northville; JEANETTE LUCY, KELL BARTON, CHRISTINE EDWARDS, NOVI; Karer Sikorski, Amy Pietila, South Lyon; Jackie LeGris, Julie Cameron, Milford; Brandy Taylor, Kristen Hoffman, Lakeland.

By SCOTT DANIEL

two seniors for the entire season. Think it's going to be a long year? That was the scenario for Novi ally took off." Girls Basketball Coach John Hoff-

tough season for his Wildcats. way, however. No, they didn't win the land and Lakeland. state tournament, but the Wildcats

son if we could win three or four games, I would be happy. I just didn't

think that we were going to be able to The Wildcats tallied a 6-14 mark last year. Hoffman's first as coach. With three losses to start this season.

it looked as if the coach's fears of a long season would come true. Novi was blown off the court by Baseline rival Northville in the opener, 54-33. Offensive woes continued in the next two games as the Wildcats scored only 32 points against Walled Lake Western and 38

against Farmington Harrison. As a sign of things to come, Freshman Jeanette Lucy led the 'Cats against Garden City with 23 points en route to the team's first victory on

Against non-league opponent Redford Union, Novi's spirits again were put in the dumper. The Wildcats

"After that fifth game I pulled (senior captain) Tammy Snider aside and said I would like to win more for you," "Hoffman said, "'But, I don't know if it will happen." Then, all of a sudden, the kids started playing better and scoring more."

The Wildcats went on to win five of their next six games. The streak coincided with the start of Novi's Kensington Valley Conference schedule. The 'Cats dumped Lakeland to open that campaign, by a 34-29 marån. After a close loss to Hartland on conference games by defeating How-Ford in a non-conference contest.

Kenny led the way during the streak. "We were 4-1 in the league at that point," Hoffman said. The first time Okay, you're the coach. You get to around the conference and we were start two freshmen, a sophomore and playing for first place. That was un-

"The first half of the season, we re-

man coming into the '91 fall cam- Lyon for first, but came up on the paign. And, like you, he expected a short end of a 44-39 decision. The loss started another streak for Novi. A funny thing happened along the as they dropped games against Hart-

did manage a respectable 10-11 sea- winless in the KVC at the time. son. According to Hoffman, it was a ranked as the season's low point, "It was very successful," he said. "I 38-19 and, in the process, shot less thought at the beginning of the sea- than 10 percent from the field while

land and Lakeland losses, the coach said, was some bickering among players. Hoffman said Snider helped put the inlighting to rest by having a chat with her teammates.

their last six regular season games. They lost to a tough Farmington Mercy team to close the season out. Novi finished in fourth in the KVC with a 6-6 record. Again, Hoffman

skets. Hoffman said.

Lucy and Sophomore Kristen it is."

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comprehensible to me.

On Oct. 10, the 'Cats battled South

The loss to Lakeland, which was Hoffman said. Novi lost the game

"It might be the ugliest game I've ever coached," Hoffman said, "It was absolutely incredible how poorly we

A contributing factor to the Hart-

"We were a sinking ship," he said. "I didn't know if we would be able to right it. But Snider really held us together. She got us back on track and we had a successful rest of the

The Wildcats went on to four of said he was surprised with the out-

come of the season. "I figured we would lose a ton," he commented. I had no idea we could Freshman Jeanette Lucy played an important role in the Wildcats surprising season

Christine Edwards was chief among the team's 21 games. those. Lucy was second on the team 'She had flashes (of excellent In scoring, 10 points per game, and play)," he said. "She had good games from having an even more successful Edwards contributed with key ba- and bad games. But, more good than year, Hossman said.



"They didn't play like freshmen at The coach said the team had to go losses," he said.

"She didn't turn the ball over wolves," Hossman said. "We were go- centage and was third in rebounding. much at all," he said. "She never gets ing to take our lumps anyway. But, Losing Kenny to an ankle injury in frazzled no matter what type of game they just got better and better." the middle of the season may have

The play of fresmen Lucy and steady performer. She played in all of Wildca's in rebounding and was third in scoring. A hand injury early lineup," he said. in the season may have stopped Novi

"We didn't have her in a lot of our

"I basically threw them to the Sheled Novi in scoring, field-goal per-Forward Kelli Barton was another cost the 'Cats victories against How-

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keys to the 'Cats upstart season. Hoffman described Edwards as a key ingredient. The junior led the ell and Hartland, Hoffman said. "It's quite a bit to take her out of the

> Lucy, Edwards, Barton and Kenny, will return for 1992. Kate MacKenzle and Ann Soper will also add to what promises to be a bright year for Novi.

KVC, they will have to find the basket more often. The 'Cats averaged just "If we don't get better offensively,

THE HOLIDAYS ARE

A TIME FOR GIVING.

Final year for youth league at local field?

By SCOTT DANIEL Staff Sports Writer

When the crack of the bat is heard at Bosco Field for the first time next spring it will mark the beginning of Novi Youth Baseball's last season at

Sten Sahlberg, a member of the Board of Directors for the youth program, said a total of four fields, owned by Paul A. Bosco, have been donated since the early 1970s to the league. But he said the fields will no longer be donated after next spring.

Sahlberg said the program could be in trouble for the 1993 season. "When the Bosco Field disappears. there's going to be nowhere," Sahlberg said. "As I understand it, we've got one more year for sure. We tust don't know what is going to happen

About 450 youngsters play in the baseball program each year. Novi Youth Baseball League conducts a two month season for teams and is a

member of Pony-Ball of America. "A lot of people think that it's parks and rec, but it's not," Sahlberg said. Parents think Paul Bosco gets a tax break, he doesn't. He's under the

Acording to Novi City Manager Ed Kriewall, Bosco has plans to develop the site, which is located at the corner of Eleven Mile and Beck roads. The diamonds and storage area at the site comprise just more than 32 acres. which has a cash value of \$253,800 or nearly \$8,000 acre, according to city assessor's records.

Formal plans haven't been submitted to the city for a project at Bosco Field. Kriewali said the site is zoned for single-family residential

Bosco couldn't be reached for comment by presstime. Kriewall said the city has a tight timeframe for finding a solution to the problem.

In order for new fields to be ready for the 1993 season, he said, a parcel would have to be purchased by the middle of next year.

construction by late summer to have them ready for the following spring,"

Rec Briefs

Motorcars on display: Historic racing vehicles and exhibits honor ing the Motorsports Hall of Fame inductees are on display daily at the Novi Civic Center Atrium. Admission is free.

Bronze plaques and other displays honoring the 27 Hall of Fame inductees are also on display. The charter class includes Cannon Ball Baker, Jimmy Doolittle, A.J. Foyt, Don Garlits, Phil Hill, Bill Muncey, Barney Oldfield and Richard Petty. For more information, call 349-RACE.

Travel Coaches Needed: Northville Junior Baseball is looking for travel coaches for the 1992 season. Interested parties should contact Bob

Basketball registrations: Registrations for boys winter basketball leagues are now being accepted by the Northville Community Recreation Department. League play is held on Saturdays and practices take place on weekend evenings. Registration deadlines are: sixth-seventh grade — Dec.

11; eighth-ninth grade - Dec. 11. Returning teams will receive first preference and games are played on Sundays. Team fee is \$275 plus referee fees and non-resident fees. For more information, call 349-0203.

Handball, Racquetball: If you enjoy handball, racquetball or paddleball, open court time is being offered by Schoolcraft College. Courts can be scheduled for doubles play. Gloves, paddles, racquets, balls and lockers For more information, call 462-4413.

College Periscope

Michigan State Junior soccer player JENNIFER SCHUERMAN, a graduate of Northville High, recently helped her squad close out the fall campaign. Schuerman played in 15 of the team's 20 games and scored a goal and an

ROBERT DUDLEY, a Northville High graduate, will be on the field for Bowling Green University when they play Dec. 14 in the California Rasin Bowl. Dudley, a sophomore, is a defensive lineman for the Ohio college.

JON COHEN, a 1989 graduate of Novi High, was honored last week as Spartan Athlete of the Week by the Michigan State sports information department. Cohen won three events in MSU's swimming victory over

STEVE COHEN, a 1990 graduate of Novi High, qualified for the NCAA Division III swimming championship for the second straight year in the freestyle

Northville High graduate JIM STORM has been named WCHA Player of the

Week for the first week of November. The Michigan Tech University left wing

Junior defender HEATHER SIXT, a Northville High School graduate, scored her first goal of the season in Michigan State University's recent 2-1

had four goals in a win and tie against Northern Michigan earlier this month. Storm, a 6-2, 200-pound sophomore, has scored six goals in the team's Freshman CHRIS LEMMON shot a 77-76 — 153 to finish as the No. 3 golfer

for Michigan State University at the Old Dominion/Seascape Collegiate Golf Tournament earlier this month. The former Northville High School All-Stater helped the Spartans finish 15th out of 17 teams with a 604 team score.

BRIAN DEAL EXANDRIS, a 1990 graduate of Northville High School, was a member of the Albion College men's golf team this fall. In five matches, the sophomore sported an 85.8 average for 18 holes. His low round of 80 came on Sept. 23 at Kalamazoo Country Club. The Bulldogs placed third in the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association this season

The University of Michigan Women's Soccer team defeated Illinois 3-1 in the final of the Big Ten Women's Soccer Club Tournament on Nov. 2-3. The Wolverines outlasted a field of eight teams including Indiana, Northwestern, Ohio State, Penn State, Purdue and Marquette. The U-M team includes Northville natives NEYSA COLIZZI, SHANNON LOPER, MICHELLE McQUIAD

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	Medvecky (Hartland)68	S. Pietila (South Lyon)14.3	Wagner (Hartland)5	RECREA
	Shaw (Brighton)64	Bessert (Hartland)14.3	Short (Hartland)4	
FINAL KVC STANDINGS	King (Howell)54	Moss (Brighton) 12.0	Soper (Novi)3	
South Lyon	Maher (Howell)50	Militello (Howell)12.0	Hoffman (Lakeland)3	MONDAY VOLLEYBAL
Brighton	Lockwood (Hartland)38	Treesh (Hartland)11.4	Field goal percentage	VOLLEYBAL
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Shaw (Brighton)775	Johnston (Hartland)18	Needham (Brighton)13.4	O'Brien (Howell)425	Yours
Nelson (South Lyon)767	Interceptions	K. Hoffman (Lakeland)8.0	S. Pietila (South Lyon)422	Can't Touch
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Stacy (Lakeland)281	Team offense	Snider (Novi)5.8	Lucy (Novi)664	Mr. B's No Stars
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	Howell18.5	Snider (Novi)4.9	T. Sutton (South Lyon)630	Division II
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Williams (South Lyon)597		S. Pietila (South Lyon)7.0	Soper (Novi)571	Volley-Dawgs
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Peevy (Brighton)243	BASKETBALL	Manson (South Lyon)2.1	Howell49.3	Hawk Tool
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Borashko (Novi)176	OVERALL STANDINGS	Three-pointers		
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Roberts (Milford)116	Hertland 14-6	Moss (Brighton) 22		Getzie's

Bosco Field up for housing development?

Moss (Brighton)

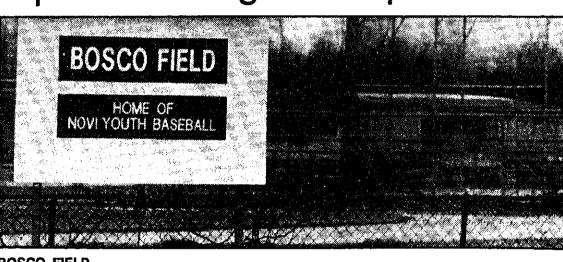
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Hoberts (Milford) Murray (South Lyon) ... Cowerts (Lakeland) Achenbach (Lakeland) ...

The city manager said a big problem with buying the land is simply the price. Kriewall said about 10 acres would be needed for the fields and parking areas.

"It will be a priority for the parks and recreation commission to address this issue," Kriewall said. If affordable land can't be found in time to meet the deadline, he said arangements would be worked out with the school district to hold the

"I don't think (the program) is going to die," Kriewall said. "It's time to make provisions for it ourselves."



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AIDS virus discussed locally

The story of a Florida dentist thought to have exposed several of his patients to the HIV virus has turned an everyday visit to the dentist's office into an emotional experience.

And local health care workers have felt the effects.

There has been a lot of sensationalism," said Novi oral surgeon David

His partner, Mark Azzopardi, agreed.

"We didn't know, at first, how it was transmitted," he said. Now they know the acquired im-

mune deficiency syndrome virus is transmitted through blood. AIDS is most often transmitted through sexual contract or the shar-

ing of contaminated hypodermic needles by drug abusers. But since the Florida dentist was reported to have allegedly infected patients, the spotlight has focused

on health care workers, too. Partners at the Novi oral surgery office agree they are more at risk in being exposed to the virus than their

patients. "We are much more likely to get it

than the patient," Bloom said. All four partners recently tested negative for the virus. They were required to undergo testing for insurance policies.

Bloom said he is confident of the practices used in his office to protect patients and doctors from the spread of disease.

"Nothing is left to chance," he said. "If we're not giving them hepatitis there is no way we're giving them

Hepatitis is a highly contagious infection that causes inflammation of the liver.

Steam heat cleaning of surgical instruments is one precaution doctors at Novi's Oakland Oral Surgery take to prevent the transmission of the HIV virus between patients.



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Oral Surgeon Edward Royal cleans instruments at his Novi office

During operations, they treat every patient with the care they would use when treating an HIV-infected patient, following the guidelines of the Infectious Control Commission. Although Bloom and Azzopardi

have been tested for the virus, they

shy away from mandatory testing of health care workers.

"You can test negative today and, theoretically, a person could become infected and test positive the next week," Azzopardi said.

Bloom argues that mandating

AIDS testing for health care workers would save far fewer lives than mandating alcohol breath tests for drivers.

"I want Breathalyzers when 60,000 die from auto accidents each year," Bloom said.



KATHRYN HOPPE



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Health, fitness column launched

The Novi News launches a new health and fitness column this week. To be written by a variety of health and fitness experts on a rotating basis, and coordinated by the University of Michigan Health Care Centers which has offices in Northville, the topics will range from fitness to medicine, from dentistry to counseling.

The writers who will be contributing regularly will include:

Kathryn Hoppe, D.D.S

Northville Professional Park 18600 Northville Road #300 Northville, 348-9800

"Running helps me stay fit, have extra energy, be happy and deal with stress more effectively, says Dr. Kathryn Hoppe, who ran recently in the 26.2-mile Columbus Marathon.

Hoppe, a Northville dentist, needs the extra energy to keep up with her busy schedule. In addition to a fulltime dental practice, she is active with the Northville Chamber of Commerce and serves on their activities committee. She's also a member of the Kiwanis-Early Birds, Friends of the Library and the Redford Road Runners (a running club).

"Northville is a great area to live in," she says. "I just want to do my part to support community activities." She also takes a number of speaking engagements at health fairs, career days and in childrens' classrooms to provide good dental health awareness.

Hoppe is active in professional dental associations and societies at the city, state, and national levels. She graduated from the University of Detroit School of Dentistry in 1978. She also keeps active in advanced dental training as well as the latest in cosmetic dentistry.

Hoppe's column will discuss topics such as the latest in dental technology, cosmetic advances and information on fluorides, gum disease and sports mouth guards.

Jacque Martin-Downs, M.A., C.S.W. Northville Counseling Center 115 Center Street Northville, 347-3470

Being a mother of teenagers pro-

Tips for Fitness

vides Jacque Martin-Downs with unique training and qualifications to counsel families with teenagers. "Some of my knowledge comes from war zone training of parenting a 15and 17-year-old," she said. "I find it enhances my training in family systems therapy. While it's rewarding to be a parent, it does have its ups and downs."

Currently specializing in substance abuse counseling, Martin-Downs was appointed the student assistance coordinator for the Community Commission on Drug Abuse for more than 65 school-based educational support groups in 14 Wayne County districts.

Martin-Downs began her career teaching preschool, elementary school and adolescents. She completed her master's degree in social work from the University of Michigan. She has a strong personal interest in blended families and relationship issues.

She's looking forward to writing for this column because she enjoys sharing her professional expertise. She teaches seminars on codependency and was a frequent guest on WMUZ radio's Solo Flight.

Martin-Downs' columns will discuss issues such as positive parenting and dealing with children's problems, as well as traits of healthy

Randy Step

Running Fit/Fitness Source Novi Town Center 43255 Crescent Blvd. Novi, 347-4944

Originally a licensed funeral director, Randy Step decided to make a career of his avocation, running and exercise. "Being a funeral director gave me a strong appreciation for the quality of life during the short time we're

here," said Step. Now owner and president of Running Fit and Fitness Source, Step said, "People are constantly telling me how exercise has changed their lives. I'm excited to be able to help people get involved with an exercise program."

Running Fit sells running shoes and equipment in two stores in Ann Arbor and one in Novi. Fitness Source sells top quality exercise equipment in its Ann Arbor and Novi stores. The Novi Running Fit and Fitness Source stores are located side by side in the Novi Town Center, next to Border's Bookstore

With athletic credentials including more than 25 marathons of 26.2 miles each, Step finished in the top 20 percent of competitors in the Hawaiian Ironman Triathlon for two consecutive years. The Ironman consists of 2.5-mile ocean swim, a 212-mile mountainous bike ride and a 26.2-mile marathon. Step completed all this in less than 11 hours.

Step will write articles with information he believes can change your life and make exercise a time of day you look forward to.

Peg Campbell

University of Michigan Health Center 650 Griswold

Northville, 344-1777

As director of community and public relations for the six University of Michigan Health Centers in five geographic locations, Peg Campbell belongs to a lot of groups and community organizations.

"I get doubly involved in the Northville area because I live and work here too," she said. Campbell is coordinating the health and fitness weekly column as a public sevice.

"I'm always glad to spread the word on health and fitness because I believe everyone has a lot to gain from it. I hope this column will help people in their daily lives."

Campbell's background is in public relations and marketing. Her Northville activities include a posiPartnerships in Education and chairperson for their public relations committee. She's the newsletter chairerson for the University of Michigan Alumni Society in Northville. She's a member of the Northville Chamber of Commerce, Business and Professional Woman, Rotary. Friends of the Library, Northville Historical Society and the Novi Chamber of Commerce.

As a cross-country skier and runner, Campbell's logged more than 25,000 miles in the past 15 years. "Physical activity just makes you feel good," she said.

Raymond Hobbs, M.D. University of Michigan Health Center

650 Griswold Northville, 344-1777

Originally from Westland, Dr. Raymond Hobbs graduated from Churchill High School in Livonia and completed his undergraduate and medical training at the University of Michigan. "I went to school and received most of my medical training in this geographic area," he said. "However, during the last 10 years I've been in other places and am very happy to be back."

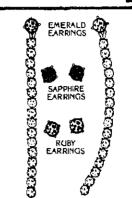
Hobbs did his internal medicine residency training at Henry Ford Hospital and Wayne State University. He received additional training in pathology and kidney disease at Yale University and the University of Texas in San Antonio. He was in private practice in Coldwater, Mich. for seven years before relocating to the Northville area this fail.

Hobbs is board-certified in internal medicine and certified in geriatric medicine. He was chosen Michigan Gerlatric Clinician of the year in 1990. In his spare time Hobbs enjoys classical music, Tae Kwon Do Karate, cooking and backgammon. He is a candidate correspondence chess master through the United States Chess Federation.

He and his wife Shirley have three children, Erica, Raymond and



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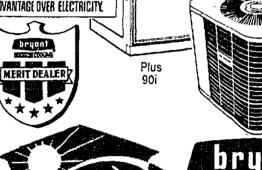
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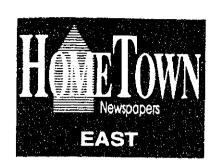
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Home-buying program eases qualifications

By James M. Woodard Copley News Service

A new financing program makes it possible for many low-and moderate-income families to acquire their own home.

The plan, called the Community Home Buyer's Program (CHBP). allows a qualified family to borrow up to 97 percent of the price of a home. For example, a \$160,000 home or condo could be purchased with a down payment of only \$4,800 plus closing costs. Those closing costs, including loan points, typically add up to about 2 percent of the loan amount, or \$3,104 in the above example.

The innovative program concept was conceived by Fannie Mae, the large congressionally chartered organization that buys home mortgage loans from primary lenders. There are some restrictions. But it's a plan that's working for an

increasing number of first-time and other home buyers.

Fannie Mae has allocated \$10 billion for this and other mortgage loan programs for low-and medium-income families for use through 1994.

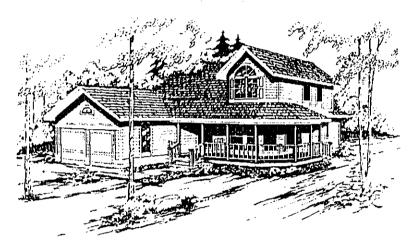
For starters, the basic CHBP program provides a 15-year or 30year fixed-rate mortgage for up to 95 percent of the home's purchase price. These loans require less family income to qualify and less cash for closing than a conventional mortgage loan.

Families cannot earn more than 120 percent of the median income in their area. The purchased home can be a single-family detached home, townhouse or condominium

The program also allows for another interesting possibility called the "3/2 Option." This per-

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HOME DESIGNS



The Madera is old-style country with modern interior

By James McAlexander Copley News Service

A wide wraparound porch, complete with railings and posts, gives the Madera the appeal of an oldstyle country home. But don't be fooled. The interior of this oneand-a-half-story home is totally contemporary.

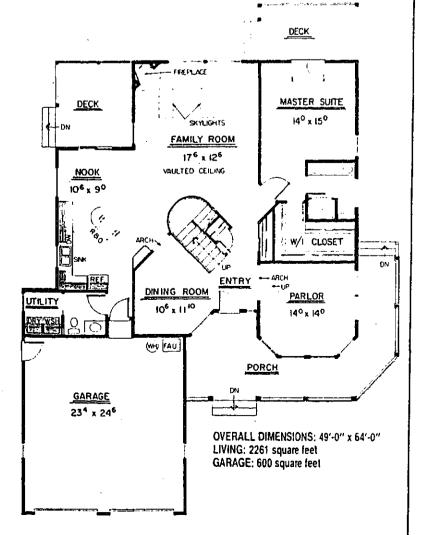
Just inside the front door, a Ushape stairway with polished Colonial wood dowel posts and banister leads upstairs, visually separating the dining room from the family room. Due to its unconventional placement in the center of the room, a bridge at the top connects the stairway to the two upstairs bedrooms. The stairs and bridge create lofty perches for watching and joining the action below and are great for family announce-

A Colonial fireplace and a long mantel for family photos and heirlooms is located off the large family room. Three walls of multi-paned windows flood the area with soft

light. The kitchen, nook and family room run together. Sliding-glass doors fill the nook with light and offer easy access to the wood deck for leisurely meals outside when the weather is inviting.

A small utility room is tucked behind a bathroom handy to the double garage as well as the house. The master suite has a large walk-in closet and a private deck for those sunny afternoons. The upstairs bedrooms share a bath. An extra vanity, which provides makeup space outside the bathroom, will be a sure hit with

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Dawn Buda goes over wallcoverings with a client.

Photos by BRYAN MITCHELL

PRIME

Northville resident's decorating is featured in national publication

By Rick Byrne Copy Editor

When it comes right down to it, your home really is your castle. And as such, you should have the freedom to decorate it any way you want.

The problem is that if you use the decorator at the store to help, you're more likely to get what the decorator wants than what you want. That's not to say that decorators don't care what you want. Most really do want to help you christen your castle.

The problem is that most are limited in what they can offer in terms of product lines.

That's why Dawn Buda of "Designer's Choice" figures she has an advantage over other decorators. "We do everything," said Buda. "What we don't

have here, we can get. People are not limited in their choices in working with us. It's not like going store. where you can only deal with what they've got. If you see something you like, we can get it for you." A longtime Northville resident, Buda inherited her

ideals from her father, who ran an interior design firm in Northville for 35 years. "The business really started with my dad," she

said. "He did wallpaper and drapery. At that time, I worked in wallpaper, and it kind of evolved as I went

Buda took a stab at design school, but after a year

and a half, she realized she was learning more by working in the field than she was in the classroom. So she went back to work, and 25 years later she's going stronger than ever.

So strong, in fact, that one of her recent designs was featured in a special edition of House Beautiful magazine called Home Building. The New York magazine, a Hearst publication, has a circulation of over a quarter of a million readers.

The eight-page color spread, which was shot nearly a year ago, took nearly a week to shoot. Home Building hit the newstands in September, and is supposed to sell through December, although copies are getting

hard to find already. "It was really exciting, as a designer, being featured in a magazine," said Buda. "It's still hard to believe it's in there, even though I'm proud of it and I think

it's beautiful." The featured home was one where the designer really got to strut her stuff. Beginning with only the floor plan of a 4.200-square-foot home which was being built in Northville. Buda discussed everything with the clients.

"It was two years in the making from the time we started to the time they moved in." she said.

During that time, Buda worked with carpenters.

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Buda relaxes in her studio. One of her interior designs is featured in Home Building a publication

by House Beautiful.

New home buying program eases qualifications

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mits the buyer-borrower to put up only 3 percent of the purchase price. The other 2 percent can come from a non-profit government mortgage housing agency, or as a gift from friends or relatives.

These unsecured funds quite unique are sometimes called 'sleepy seconds' by lenders. The extra 2 percent, added partnership to the basic 95 percent-ofvalue loan, gives the buyer the opportunity to finance mortgage 97 percent of the purchase

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builders and wallpaper hangers to create the complete home. The result is elegant, yet homey.

"It's very country French. with an understated elegance," said Buda. "And it's very colorful. The only thing they limited me to was coior. and I am a colorful designer, so they were very good clients. There are mauves, blues, teals, greens and raspberries. It all flows nice ly from room to room, and complements very nicely. that's what's most impor-

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"It was a fun home to

parties, and access to the from Northville to Plymouth deck through French doors. has allowed expansion and The living room and kitchen flexibility. are joined by a see-through "I grew up in Northville,

and I've been there all my life." Buda said. "There were some problems with city planning, or we'd still be in Northville. I still operate on think five designers worked an appointment-only basis on this home instead of just in my home in Northville, but our retail store is in Plyeight-page spread in House

be a total loss if it didn't sattomers. With a nice staff of three designers, we can handle more people. But even these designers keep busy with customers tant," said Buda. "I couldn't referred to them." have picked better people to There's a full-service stu-

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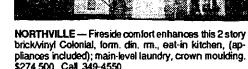
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9. Please evaluate my Wallace Nutting print, copyright 1909. It measures 12 inches by 15 inches and depicts a rural scene. The title is "An Eventful Jour-

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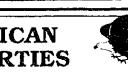
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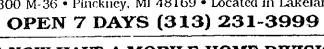
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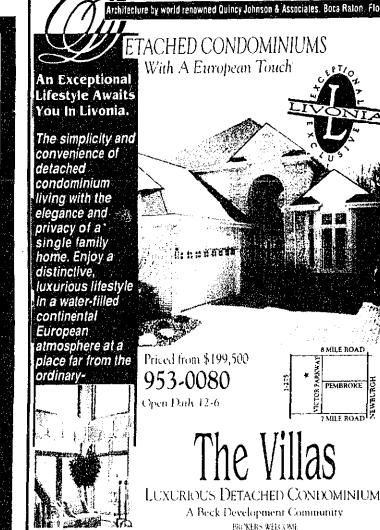
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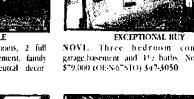
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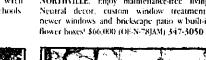
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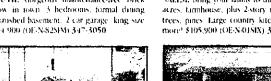








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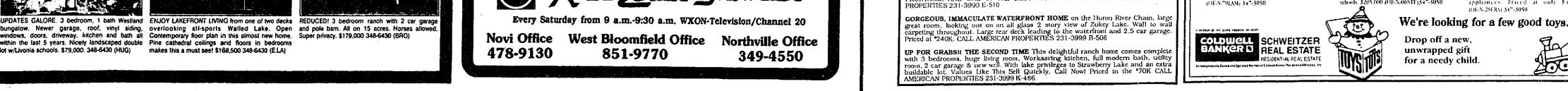




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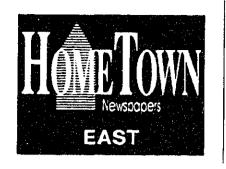
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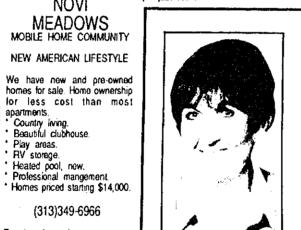
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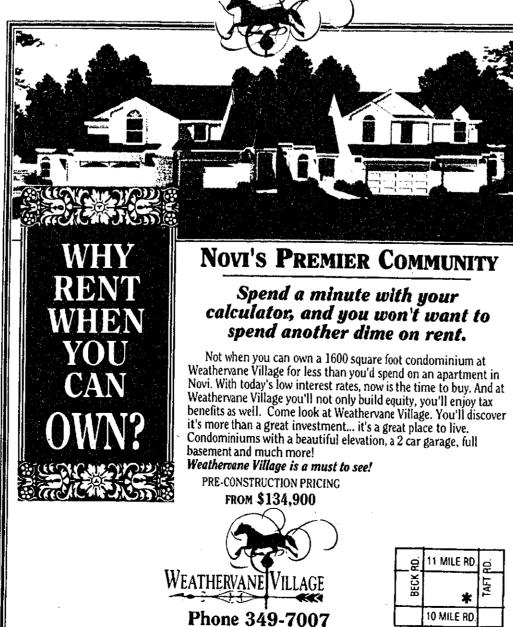
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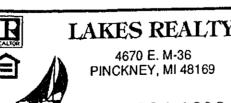
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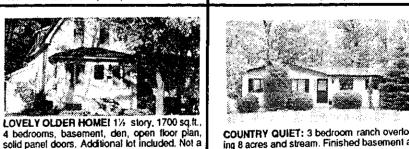


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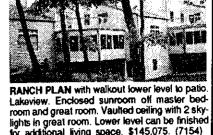
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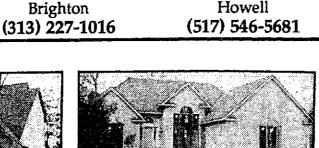
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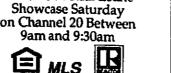
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Spectacular surroundings and luxury homes make Oxford Estates a unique find in Farmington Hills

Some of the biggest news in the suburban development scene is the recent introduction of Oxford Estates, an exclusive new 73-home community nestled among 40 wooded acres in Farmington Hills.

Oxford Estates features lovely. custom-designed homes in a variety of floor plans including ranches, 1 1/2's and colonials from three of Michigan's most prominent builders: Encore Custom Homes, Kimron Construction and The Selective Group - all of whom are wellknown for their quality construction and

dedication to detail. "When we began looking for a home," we were immediately drawn to Oxford Estates, " said Sam Pinkerton a pharmacist and drugstore owner. "The homes here are extremely well built and that was our primary concern in buying a home. Everything at Oxford Estates is first-rate. And, of course, we were very impressed with the natural beauty of the

property." What helps set Oxford Estates apart

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from other communities is indeed the beauty of its property. Its lush wooded areas, ponds, hills, and ravines are among the last of its kind and are protected by the City of Farmington

Hills Woodlands Committee. "What really caught our eye was the landscape at Oxford Estates," said Joanne Tolstedt, a resident of Oxford Estates whose husband is a Ford Motor Company executive. "We've relocated many times and this is by far the most beautiful place we've fived. Here you can take a walk in the woods right in your own backyard. We also like the fact that Oxford Estates isn't too large of a community; there's a special feeling of intimacy here. We've enjoyed getting to



know our neighbors -- many of whom are transferees like us," added Tolstedt.

While offering a secluded feel, Oxford Estates is centrally located near shopping centers, restaurants and excellent Farmington Hills schools-including new Hillside Elementary. There is also a variety of recreational spots – from clubs to theatres – located conveniently nearby.

able to take advantage of living in a

"Living here really is having the best of both worlds," said Wendy Bratt, sales coordinator of Oxford Estates, "You're

lovely, new home in an old, heavily treed, private setting. In fact, many of our homes are built on cul-de-sac lots which help add to the feeling of

privacy here." Homes in Oxford Estates range in price from \$300,000 to \$500,000 in an area of homes that are priced in excess of \$1,000,000. Two model homes have been decorated by Harriet Brandt of Candle Lite II Interiors and are currently on display.

Have A Jolly Holiday Season





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"Designing Women" at their new store in Milford are (I-r) Terry McNeiece, Jayne Kelly and Peggy Studzinski

They've got clothing designs on you

By PAMELA DEAR Special Writer

"Who has the time to go to the dry cleaners? Women are looking for easy care," said Jayne Kelly. Kelly is joined the staff. founder of Designing Womenapparel bouttque located at 239 N. bringing in dressier knits, Kelly sai Main in downtown Milford. The shop opened Oct. 18 of this year.

We offer casual clothes that can cross over to the evening," Kelly said. Pretty much we are gearing ourselves toward easy care and washable clothing. We have washable knits and washable rayons and washable silks, getting a more dressier look into the shop."

"We will do what needs to be done to accommodate your sizing needs," Kelly emphasized. "Fifty percent of our customers are able to fit into what we've got and take it out of the store and the other 50 percent are so excited they don't have to accept this fit as it is and we'll custom order it for

Designing Women stocks merchandise in sizes S through XL and will custom-make sizes XS to XXXL. It manufactures its own line of clothing under the label Body Socks. In fact, Designing Women is a division of Body Socks Inc., a Howell-based wholesale company which has been owned for the last five years by Kelly, the wife of a physician and mother of

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worked for the company for about four years, creating clothing designs and, more recently, Anne Wilk, who has designing experience with several companies in Chicago, has

"We started out doing fashionable Fashion Architects, a ladies' casual sweats, and it snowballed from there. "I had an exercise company and because I lived in Howell and we were in a rural area, there was a need to provide clothing to my classes as well as myself so I could run around doing my errands to and from class and look somewhat pulled together. It just came as a result of that."

Body Socks Inc. is presently located in a converted home, but the company will soon move into a building in the downtown sector of Howell. The new location at 108 E. Grand River Ave. will open Dec. 2, with the manufacturing and business headquarters located on the upper level and the boutique on the lower level.

"I felt that because I had a personal sewing background, why not offer sizing for people, and if we know something is going to shrink, why not preshrink it, or else cut it so if it's laundered it will still fit the person so their monies aren't wasted," Kelly said. Women can come in and say, 'I love this pair of pants. I don't want pockets. I need an extra couple of inches in length, and I'd like it in this fabric, and we'll do it."

iness with Terry McNeiece and Peggy Studzinski. McNeiece, a Howell resident and mother of five children, maintains all the books while Studzinski, a Dearborn resident and mother of one daughter, will soon assume the managerial position at the Milford location. Studzinski has an extensive retail background with work experience at Saks and Lord &

Kelly, McNelece and Studzinski feel that Designing Women is unique because it offers some special fea-

the shop provides group outiliting, which is dressing small or large groups that require a coordinated look.

"We've done professional offices who are looking for something as an alternative to a uniform look," Kelly said. "We've also done large choruses like the Sweet Adelines, where they have 85 members who need color coordinates so they can be identified as a group when they travel.

"It's really convenient for them be-

Tabletop Trees

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Money Management

Start planning now for early retirement

If you dream of calling it quits be- how much you can expect to receive fore the traditional retirement age of when you retire, you should ask your 65, you'd better start planning early, company benefits counselor to figure advises the Michigan Association of this amount for you based on the job Certified Public Accountants.

The first step is calculating how much money you will need in retire-tirement income will be one of the ment. A rule of thumb is that you will require about 70 percent of your cur-including IRAs, Keoghs, and 401(k) rent gross income to maintain the standard of living you now enjoy.

How will you obtain that 70 percent goal? The keystones of most people's retirement plans are Social Security, an employer pension, Individual Retirement Accounts (IRA). Keoghs, 401(k) plans and personal investments.

If you plan to retire early, you should be aware that the youngest age at which you can collect Social Security is 62. You should also know that your age at retirement affects the size of your Social Security benefit. If you begin to collect at 62, your monthly check will be permanently set at 80 percent of the full benefit. You receive your full benefits only if you wait until you are age 65 or older to retire.

The maximum monthly benefit a retired worker could expect to receive in 1991 is \$1,022. For an estimate of how much you can expect to receive in your monthly benefit check, call the Social Security Administration at 800-234-5772 and ask for Form SS-7004, the Request for Earnings

and Benefits Estimate Statement. Pension payments vary from company to company. To get an idea of tenure you anticipate.

Another important source of retax-favored investment vehicles plans. Although IRAs no longer provide a tax deduction for everyone, they still allow you to defer taxes on interest or dividend income in your plan. Keogh plans provide similar tax advantages for the self-employed.

CPAs recommend employees take full advantage of 401(k) plans whenever possible. The salary you contribute reduces your current taxable income and tax is deferred on investment earnings. Bear in mind that IRAs. Keoghs and 401(k) plans all come with stringent withdrawal restrictions that discourage you from suddenly deciding to use your retirement savings to take a long vacation. Your retirement nest egg grows quicker in these tax-favored investment plans since the earnings in these accounts are not taxed until

When you add up your Social Security benefits, company pension amounts, and personal savings, you'll probably realize why the dream of an early retirement often remains just that - a dream. But with a careful plan that includes a lot of saving and some sacrifices during your working years, it can be done.







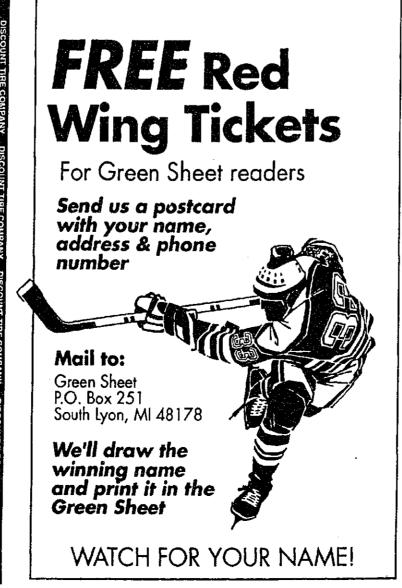
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Business Briefs

THOMAS N. SCHRODER, a Northville resident and president of Comerstone Building Inc., Novi, is one of the builders whose idea homes will be displayed during Homerama Holiday 1991 from Dec. 6-22 in the Riverbridge Subdivision, east of Novi Road on Nine Mile in

A plan book that highlights each home is included in the \$5 admission to Homearama Holiday 1991. Detroit Edison, Standard Federal Bank and Consumers Power offices offer discount coupons that are good Monday through Friday. Discounted tickets also can be purchased at AAA Michigan in Metro Detroit and Flint.

SUE SLACK has been appointed Vice President of Administration and Finace for the Center for Creative Studies (CCS) effective Sept. 1. Dr. Josephine Kelsey, president announced today. "Sue Slack brings with her a level of commitment and administra-

tive ability that will enhance the efficiency and effectiveness of CCS," said Dr. Kelsey.

Prior to joining CCS, Slack served as Executive Directior of the University Cultural Center Association (UCCA) where she had complete responsibility for an organization dedicated to physical development, maintenance and promotion of Detroit's cultural center. Before that, Slack was director of the Neighborhood Organization and Development, in Detroit.

"I am pleased to remain in the (University) Cultural Center, the area I consider, in every way, the heart of Detroit and I look forward to this new opportunity and challenge at a great institution," said Slack. She will be responsible for non-academic administrative functions at CCS, reporting directly to Dr. Kelsey.

Slack received her bachelor's degree from Western Michigan University. She also holds a master of social work from the University of Michigan and a master of business administration from the Advanced Management Program (AMP) at Michigan State University. Slack is a member of the Beta Gamma Sigma National Honors Society in the field of Business Administration.

Slack currently resides in Clarkston with her family. The Center for Creative Studies, supported in part by a grant from the Michigan Council for the Arts, is located in Detroit University's Cultural Center with branches in Grosse Pointe, Plymouth, Southfield and Novi. The College of Art and Design offers the bachelor of fine arts degree in 18 visual arts majors. The Institute of Music and Dance provides instruction in vocal and instrumental music, and in five dance

PATRICIA C. BOSS of Northville, leadership consultant and executive director of Michigan Association of Student Councils, has been named field director for Michigan. She joins 56 other educators from each state, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands as a part of an educational network to assist the Horatio Alger Association of Distinguished Americans in the implementation of its scholarship program which awards over \$300,000 annually to outstanding high school seniors.

Founded in 1947, the association, whose members represent all professions in American society, seeks to identify students who exemplify the traits of the character in the novels of Horatio Alger — integrity, determination, preseverance, initiative, and hard work — in overcoming adversity in their lives. These students are designated National Scholars and receive \$5,000 scholarships to assist with their education at the university or college of their choice. In addition, the scholars are guests of the association at its black-tie gala held in Washington, D.C., in the spring.

Chosen because of her dedication to the education and welfare of students, concern for the encouragement and inspiration of young people, and confidence that, indeed, young people can make a difference by participation in public and community service, Pat Boss will assist the Association in strengthening its Youth Seminar series in

Boss is a nationally known leadership consultant who brings to both staff and students an understanding of the skills and process of learning to be a leader. She was a classroom teacher for over 25 years and recently accepted the position of Acting Director of the Michigan Association of Student Councils. The latter organization is an affiliate



SUE SLACK

of the Michigan Association of Secondary School Principals. The Horatio Alger Association's educational programs carry the message to high school youth that America is still the land of opportunity for all. Such programs are held in secondary schools across the nation during which Association members are present to inspire patriotism and encourage students to secceed in America's free enterprise

TOM SCHRODER

For more information, call Patricia Brown, Director of educational development at the Horation Alger Association (703) 684-9444.

DAN GUIDO, a former reporter for this paper, was recently named by Congresswoman Barbara-Rose Collins as her press

A former journalist with more than a decade of experience. Guido, 33, was selected due to the strength of his professional experience, his familiarity with the congresswoman's district and his working knowledge of Capitol Hill. Guido, a resident of Annapolis, Maryland, was born and raised in the Detroit area.

"I am pleased to have someone of Dan Guido's experience and ability on board. I am sure he will be a great asset to my staff and should prove to be very helpful in establishing excellent lines of communication between myself and the people of my district," Congresswoman Collins said.

A 1980 journalism and political science graduatate of Central Michigan University, Guido is completing a master's degree in international relations started at the University of Florida. Upon graduation from CMU, he relocated to Florida where he worked for three daily newspapers, co-owned and edited a weekly newspaper and was managing partner and editor of a Central Florida city magazine. He bagan his career as a college intern for Sliger Home Newspapers, working as a floating reporter at the Northville Record, Novi News, Brighton Argus and The South Lyon Herald.

Congresswoman Collins represents the 13th Congressional District, which includes a substantial part of Detroit. She is an active member of the House Public Works and Transportation Committee, the Post Office and Civil Service Committee, and the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Family.

CHARTER CARE CORP. has announced that Karen Eslinger is the new director of nursing at the Charter House of Novi, a convalescent and nursing center. Eslinger, a Farmington Hills resident, was the

assistant director of nursing at the Charter House of Farmington Hills. Charter Care Corporation owns the 112-bed Charter House of Farmington Hills, 21017 Middlebelt, and the 144-bed Charter House. of Novi, 24500 Meadowbrook, Both homes are long-term care facilities.

CONGRESSMAN CARL D. PURSELL has announced that a local procurement assistance center has been awarded grants to fund ongo-

Business Development Center in Livonia will receive \$77,500. The grant comes from the Department of Defense Procurement Technical Assistance Program and is matched by local contributions. The Livonia center, operated by Schoolcraft College, has assisted more than 1,000 firms since its start in 1985. Part of the school's Business and Industrial Services, the center provides assistance to businesses from Wayne, Livingston, Washtenaw and Oakland counties. "Created by Congress in 1985, the procurement technology assistance program is an attempt to help local companies obtain federal

contracts," Pursell said. "Both of these centers represent what can be accomplished when the public and private sectors work in partnership," the congressman

ALEXA GORDON has been named to the faculty of Lawrence Technological University.

Gordon, a resident of Novi, will be a lecturer in the University's College of Management. Gordon holds a master's degree from Eastern Michigan University, and a bachelor's degree from Wayne State University. Gordon is also an organizational development intern at Alan Davenport and Associates, Inc. in Ann Arbor.

Lawrence Tech, founded in 1932, is among Michigan's largest independent universities. Lawrence Tech offers more than 30 day and evening programs at the associtate, baccalaureate and graduate

PAM PAWLAK, a Northville resident, has been promoted to Secretary to the Assistant Dean of Learning Resources at Schoolcraft College. Pawlak will work with Library staff, telecourse instructors and the academic option/humanities coordinator at the College. Schoolcraft College is located at 18600 Haggerty Road, between

Six and Seven Mile roads in Livonia.

GMAC FINACIAL SERVICES announced recently that Christopher J. Rutkowski, director of strategic planning and development, will succeed Mr. Mangan as director of corporate finace and liability risk

Christopher J. Rutkowski earned his B.A. at Harvasrd University in 1978 and his M.B.A. at the University of Michigan in 1981. He joined the central office staff of General Motors Corporation in 1981 as an analyst. Following services in several adminstrative and management positions, he transferred to GMAC's headquarters in 1987 and was appointed assistant manager of strategic planning. He was named directgor of strategic planning and development in October 1990.

ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTING & TECHNOLOGY has recently expanded its Northville office. The Florida-based company offers a broad range of planning, management, scientific and engineering

ECT opened the Northville office in the Fall in 1990 with Gus George as office manager, and Abby Gustaf as the office administrator/coordinator. This midwest regional office offers a broad range of environmental and ecological consulting services. Along with the current seven employees, three additional employees joined ECT's Northville Office this summer: Dirk Mammen, Jeff Surfus and Richard

Mammen returned to Michigan to join ECT from Denver, where he was the environmental divison manager with ATEC Environmental Consultants. Mammen was formerly teh manager of environmental assessment department with Testing Engineering & Consultants in

Surfus came to ECT from A.T. Kearney Inc., of Redwood City, California. Surfus has conducted small and large-scale investigations for the U.S. EPA, and is familiar with RCRA and CERCLA/SARA

Steele is a professional geologist and transferred to ECTs North ville office from the Tampa, Fla., ECT office. Steele is a project manager specializing in underground storage tank assessments and

For more information, call the ECT office at 349-4333.

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costume lewelry and accessories cent. This card is renewable. which are especially designed by Despite the sluggish economy, the tage because, since we manufacture are two of the artists on staff. Purse and then have it not last for them or able range." According to Kelly, a maker Cindy Cole customizes purses not fit properly," Kelly said. "Even three-piece knit ensemble with in different styles and sizes with a though there are already several la- pants, skirt and cardigan can be purchoice of fabrics, which again can dies stores in Milford, I think our ser- chased in the \$90 to \$100 price

Sundance, a line of denim clothing we offer."

Designing Women also maintains school-age children.

shopper plan. Once a customer has satisfied with the comfortable, washise it is difficult for 85 women to spent \$150, she tan buy a frequent able and casual clothes. "It's hard for find a store which has sizes from ex-shopper card for a \$10 fee and then moms to invest in a casual wardrobe. the subsequent purchases for the Our clothes are a reasonable invest-The boutique also carries a line of next year will be discounted 15 per-ment," she said.

vice is different enough that we can range. Aside from the Body Socks label, complement one another with what

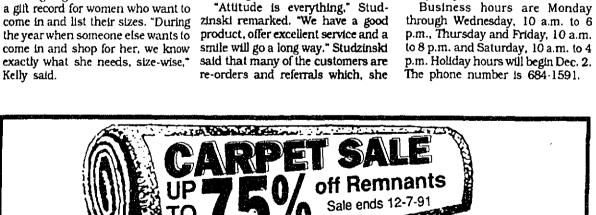
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The store also sponsors a frequent feels, indicates that customers are

"Our customers are at an advancolor and materials to complement partners are optimistic about their our own goods, we have eliminated a the clothing. Carolyn Easton of Fowenterprise. "People can't afford to lot of the middle men," Kelly said. "We lerville and Janey Payne of Milford spenda lot of moriey on their clothing can keep our prices in a more afford-

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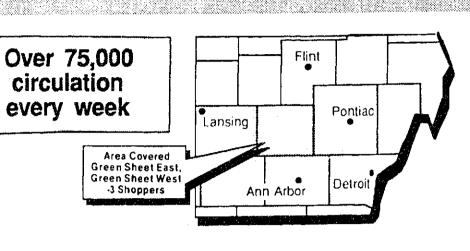
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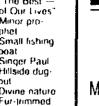
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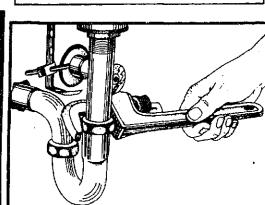
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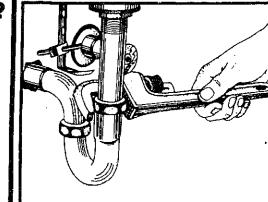
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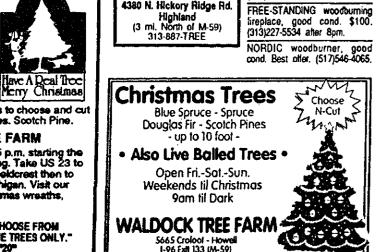


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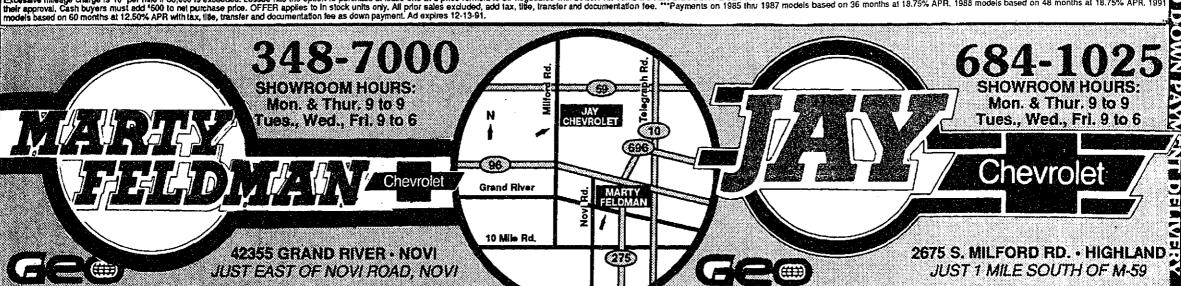
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