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Drug use still above national averages

But biennial survey of Clarkston teens shows some decline in alcohol use

BY ANNETTE KINGSBURY

Clarkston News Editor

There are some signs that drug and alcohol use is falling among Clarkston youth. But the results of a survey of last year's eighth-,10th- and 12th-graders were mixed and still show usage above the national averages in many cases.

The survey was conducted in February and March by Western Michigan University. It is administered every two years in Clarkston schools and asks students to anonymously report on their own usage of alcohol, marijuana, cigarettes and other illegal drugs.

Results released last week showed that alcohol use had dropped, as compared to two years ago, among eighth- and twelfth-graders, but was up among tenth-graders. Cigarette use was down for eighth-graders, but up for the older grades. Crack cocaine use was down across the board, but the use of other forms of cocaine was up among eighth- and twelfth-graders. Marijuana use was up in the tenth and twelfth grades.

Compared to figures reported in the National Senior Survey by the University of Michigan, Clarkston seniors were above national averages in their use of marijuana, alcohol, cigarettes and most other drugs. The only drugs where they measured lower than the national senior average were crack cocaine and smokeless tobacco. In most cases, Clarkston sophomores also registered higher than the national average for seniors.

The authors of the report note that "the North Central Region (which includes Michigan) tends to have drug usage rates which are either at or slightly above the average for the nation as a whole."

"This survey is a self-report; students say what they have done. That's how information is gathered," said Pat Brumback, Clarkston's Director of Student Support Services, in presenting the survey results to the board of education Nov. 10.

Schools to ban all tobacco use, all the time

On the same night as it heard the latest news on students' drug use, the Clarkston Board of Education heard the first reading of a policy amendment that will ban smoking on school property at all times.

The current policy bans smoking from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m., thereby excluding many athletic events. The complete ban will cover all school property and vehicles and was presented to end "current confusion of when and where smoking is allowed," according to assistant superintendent Dr. Michael LaBay.

The policy includes all forms of tobacco, including cigars, cigarettes, pipes, chewing tobacco and snuff.

Clarkston teen drug use

From the Michigan Alcohol and Other Drugs Survey				
	grade 8	grade 10	grade 12	national 122
any drug ¹	20.3	38.8	37.9	23.8
alcohol	32.7	52.5	56.9	51.3
cigarettes	26.8	41.5	46.2	33.5
marijuana	16.7	34.1	35.1	21.2
crack	1.8	0.0	0.4	1.0
other cocaine	1.6	2.6	3.7	1.3
inhalants	9.6	6.5	5.4	3.2
hallucinogens	7.3	8.0	~ -6.1···	4.4
smokeless tobacco	4.6	6.8	9.2	12.2
NUMBER TAKING SURVEY	460	207	249	NA

All answers are to questions regarding drug use in the last 30 days.

¹ Any drug use includes marijuana, crack, other cocaine, hallucinogens, heroin, tranquilizers, sedatives, stimulants and narcotics. All drug use is without doctor's orders.

² Senior statistics are from the National High School Senior Survey by the University of Michigan.

The survey is set up so as to be able to screen out respondents who give inconsistent answers. Students are also allowed out of the survey on their parents' request. Of seniors, nearly 65 percent of the class took part; of sophomores, only 42.4 percent; and of eighthgraders, 91.5 percent. A few of those respondents were deemed unusable and not counted in the report.

"As the use of alcohol has declined there seems to be a rise in the use of other drugs," Brumback said. "As we look at this information we are interested in knowing whether the efforts we are making toward prevention are effective."

Brumback noted that risky behavior continues to be reported in the survey, along with the attitudes that condone it. While the overwhelming majority believed that regular use of crack cocaine was risky, when asked how they perceive the riskiness of smoking a pack of cigarettes a day, only 57.8 percent of seniors said it was a "great risk." Only about half the younger students agreed. Only 28.5 percent of seniors said drinking five or more drinks once or twice each weekend was a "great risk." And small numbers reported they drink and drive or ride with drivers who have been drinking.

"There doesn't seem to be an attitude we would like toward smoking," Brumback said, also noting the risky behavior reported with alcohol. "We are very, very busy in preventive measures in the schools, there's no question about that. We'll use this data to decide what practices we should use."

School superintendent Dr. Al Roberts said that while the schools are logically involved in substance

abuse prevention, "Substance abuse is a community problem, not just a school problem." But he added, "It's kind of frightening for us in education when you can ask kids questions and they know the answers and then you see statistics like these."

Assistant superintendent Dave Reschke pointed out that in the last few years, the community has stepped up to the plate by forming local branches of Parent to Parent and Parent Network, as well as starting up the Clarkston Community Task Force for Youth. The latter formed largely in response to the survey given two years ago in the schools.

Cindy Dixon, administrative coordinator for the Task Force, said the numbers are still so high that no one should rest on their laurels.

"It reinforces what the Task Force has already been talking about—community awareness, community involvement in prevention, multiple strategies over multiple sectors."

Dixon noted, as did Brumback, that students reported very little use of drugs during the school day, but more on weekends and evenings, "when parents have responsibility for kids. That shows they need to be aware of where they are, who they are with. It's sort of like a broken record."

She said the Task Force will likely continue doing the kind of work it has already undertaken, such as education.

"In general we still have a problem. In general we know what the solution is. It's not a magical solution.

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The **New**s in Brief

Weather causes problems

Twelve accidents were reported Friday, most of them on I-75, in the wake of winter's first blast of the season.

The Oakland County Sheriff's Department reported seven accidents on I-75 in Independence Township, two on M-15, one on Sashabaw and two on Clarkston Rd. between 5:40 a.m. and 8:18 p.m. Cars spun out and hit guard rails, trees and other cars. No travellers required a trip to the hospital.

Mom saves child from pond

An Allen Rd. family is recovering from a scary experience Nov. 14 in which a 2-year-old wandered into a pond.

According to a report filed with the Oakland County Sheriff's Independence substation, the child's mother reported she was in the yard with her son working on something when she noticed he was missing. She found him face down in a pond. She pulled him out and called 911.

The boy was taken, unresponsive but breathing, to St. Joseph Mercy-Oakland, then transferred to Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital, where he was treated and released. His mother could not be reached for comment.

Springfield hearing set for Oak Hill Road project

The Springfield Township Board of Trustees voted Thursday to hold a public hearing at its Dec. 11 meeting to decide how to allocate more funds for the Oak Hill Road paving project.

Supervisor Collin Walls said estimates for the project from its engineer more than doubled from

three years ago, when the first set of plans were drawn up.

"The original plans had this as a \$162,000 project," Walls said. "We found out last week that the latest plans called for \$340,000. The road commission has recommended to us that we allocate our 1999 Community Development Block Grant Funds to this, and we need a hearing for that."

The plan calls for paving Oak Hill from Dixie Highway to the Spring Row Mobile Home Park.

Springfield, Clarkston allocate Block Grant money

At its Nov. 10 meeting, Clarkston's City Council allocated 1998 Community Development Block Grant funds in the amount of \$8,000 to the following: Lighthouse Clarkston, \$1,000; Clarkston Area Youth Assistance Camp Program, \$1,400; Independence Township Senior Citizens' Meals on Wheels program, \$1,000; downtown planning, \$1,000; sidewalk improvements, \$2,000; and low-to-moderate-income households, emergency repairs, \$1,000

Similarly, the Springfield Township Board of Trustees last week allocated its 1998 Community Development Block Grant Funds the following ways: \$2,500 for domestic violence, \$1,500 for crisis counseling, \$5,000 for recreational programs for the disabled and \$10,000 for assisting the elderly with food, medical expenses and other personal items.

This accounts for 50 percent of the \$38,000 the township received from the federal government for the year. The other \$19,000 will be split with 20 percent going towards planning and management and 30 percent for fire service.

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No more garbage?

Local man has a way to turn trash into coal, then burn it for fuel

BY ANNETTE KINGSBURY

Clarkston News Editor

Back in the Middle Ages, alchemists said they could turn common metals into gold. These days, the process may be working in the reverse.

With wealth unimaginable in earlier times, today's industrialized nations are having a problem with what to do with their castoffs—their trash. And a Clarkston man just may have a solution for them all.

Al Schaffer is president of a company called Entropic Technologies Corp. which says it has a way to turn municipal solid waste into synthetic coal suitable for burning in electric power plants. There is no incineration, no toxic smokestack. And about 85 percent of what now goes into landfills can be used.

So why isn't anyone jumping up and down to bring this new technology to market? According to Schaffer, a former executive with ANR Pipeline, parent company to Michigan Consolidated Gas, the answer has a lot to do with politics. The company was formed back in 1984 but just had its first demonstration project this month. Schaffer's been told by U. S. government officials that he'll have to go abroad to seek financing for his first plant.

As Schaffer tells it, the technology now owned by Entropic was invented in the late 1970s by a high school teacher in Lansing, who came up with the idea of using extrusion to turn solid waste into oil or gas. With a background in gas and coal, "When this new idea came along it appealed to me, if it works," Schaffer said. "So I took this to my friends at ANR and said 'Isn't this the same thing we're working on?"

A small group of people put some money together

to start research and development. "We worked on it for a year or so and found out it worked. You could turn waste into not oil, not gas, but coal."

The investors found, however, that in the age of incineration, no one was interested in their technology. So they decided to try to market it on their own.

They found some support from the city of Pontiac, which owns its own landfill and therefore has a ready waste stream. "It disintegrated for political reasons," Schaffer said. Likewise, there was little interest from Oakland County, which was working furiously on a solid waste plan of its own that included a new incinerator and several new landfills. None of those were ever built.

"We were determined to build a facility in Michigan" Schaffer said. "The environmentalists came along and we made presentations and they were all for our project. A lot of people were."

'I'm dedicated to seeing this through.'

> Al Schaffer, President Entropic Technologies



How does it work? A simple twin-screw extrusion machine that has been on the market for other uses for years. Garbage is separated up front, shredded, then heated to 550 degrees. Gasses generated from the process are collected and burned to produce the energy needed to run the machine. The remaining solids are extruded and become available to burn, but with much less toxicity than real coal or incinerators generate, Schaffer said.

"What kind of coal is it? High BTU, already cleaned up so it can burn in a modern furnace," Schaffer and

A Saginaw firm, APV Chemical Machinery, Inc., perfected the technology. "This same piece of material makes breakfast cereal for Kellogg," Schaffer said. It also makes solid rocket fuel. "It makes all kind of things by the ton, so it can do what we want to do by the ton, no question... We turn waste into coal in two minutes, and we open it up and show you how it works. No black box. It's mechanical; it works like a charm."

Entropic held a demonstration in Saginaw Sept. 8 for government officials from Guelph, Ontario and representatives from companies that do auto shredding, waste tire disposal and other solid waste.

"It was very successful, it was very well attended," said company spokesman Mark Battaglia. "The company and the technology has taken on a momentum that is heretofore unachieved. We have attracted some very powerful interests and you and the rest of the world are going to be hearing about us."

What the company is looking for now is financing to build its first plant. "Ontario has said to us you can build your system in Ontario as soon as we see a project up and running," Schaffer said. "We went to the federal government and the EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) said 'We can't order it installed until you have an operation up and running. Can we give you any money? No... We wasted it all on incineration, and it didn't work."

Jim Henderson, a permit coordinator and local government coordinator with the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, became very familiar with Entropic during the years it received research and development grants from the old Department of Natural Resources. Back then, the state was interested in helping develop new technologies to solve the problem of municipal solid waste.

"They (Entropic) were able to complete something that other people tinkered with," Henderson said. "I support new technology; I think we need it badly. We are crawling while technology is running."

Henderson said he isn't sure why Entropic hasn't been able to get off the ground, but cited the problem of financing. State funding is not available to take it to the next step, actual start-up.

Utility companies aren't interested, Schaffer said, because the technology doesn't produce a huge amount of coal. Large waste haulers aren't interested because nowadays they are buying up all the landfills, which have become the preferred method of waste disposal from a financial point of view.

So Entropic looks abroad, where it was steered by the U.S. Commerce Department. Schaffer isn't discouraged. He mentions how hard it was for Thomas Edison to get the light bulb on the market—he too had to build a demonstration project.

"They put up a town to use the product and they brought people from all over the world to look at it. And that's what we have to do . . .

"I stuck with it; why? I'm dedicated to seeing this thing through. I've brought a lot of people from around the world. We're on the way. It'll be successful."

Township pushes MDOT to sell excess land

BY EILEEN McCARVILLE Clarkston News Staff Writer

A move by the city of Novi has prompted the township to take action here.

During a special meeting Nov. 11, Independence Township's Board of Trustees supported a resolution, 5-0, that will join Novi's resolution asking that local municipalities be notified when excess property owned by Michigan Department of Transportation comes up

According to township clerk Joan McCrary, leftovers result when state highway projects like I-75 and M-15 don't use up all the land and MDOT doesn't need it for future expansion.

Novi officials recently discovered the situation when they found MDOT was selling a particular parcel in their community. That prompted them to challenge current policy by passing a resolution and notifying

other communities, McCrary said.

Current MDOT policy states "landlocked" parcels — those without access — may be sold without giving communities notice, although they get right-offirst refusal on those that are accessible.

"We think we should be notified about all of them," McCrary said, adding that it should be a statewide effort. "We want to put pressure on MDOT to change the policy." In addition to individual communities passing resolutions, she expects some statewide organizations such as Michigan Municipal League and

Michigan Township Association to adopt them as well.

The item has already been put on the agenda for MTA's annual conference in January. "MTA has a lobbying effort in Lansing and it's pretty powerful," McCrary said. With 1,300 townships represented, "That's a pretty big voice" she added.

According to Hugh McNichol, transportation planner for MDOT's project planning division, MDOT doesn't-usually initiate the sale of landlocked-parcels.

Usually someone like a homeowner or property owner finds out about the piece when he wants to expand his lot. Some of the other uses might be for neighborhood "pocket parks" or, most recently, sites for cell phone towers.

But the property owner would have to bear the expense of a road. "They would have to create an access road to get to their property," said McNichol, indicating why some of the parcels sit vacant.

If the resolutions have impact, they may be a "heads up" to MDOT that says, "This is an issue," McNichol said. "Either we would make a policy change to say we would routinely notify (communities), or the legislature would pass a law saying we had to include that, if we opted not to."

During the board meeting members estimated there are at least three landlocked properties in Independence: in back of the Shell station at I-75 and Sashabaw, at the corner of Sashabaw and Waldon, and northwest

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dispatcher disarms gunman

BY EILEEN McCARVILLE Clarkston News Staff Writer

A dispatcher is credited with saving a resident's life — as well as the local police chief's.

According to Clarkston Police Chief Paul Ormiston, he and three Oakland County Sheriff's Independence substation officers responded to a call on N. Main St. after the OCSD dispatcher told them the resident, a 48-year-old man, was barricaded in his home with a loaded handgun.

Ormiston was told the man shot a round into the ceiling while talking to his substance abuse counselor, who then contacted the OCSD. He was allegedly "highly intoxicated," which was later confirmed, Ormiston

While he and the other officers waited outside, OCSD dispatcher Donna Ling tried to calm the man

"We received the call from his counselor, whom he was apparently talking to on another line," said Ling. The counselor didn't hear the gun fire, she added. "He seemed to be very irritable. He was a little upset about the police. I tried to calm him down, saying the police were there to help him."

The man admitted to shooting off a round while he was cleaning the handgun, Ling said. But she didn't buy his story because, "For one thing, you don't clean your gun loaded and call your counselor while shooting it

She convinced him to lay the weapon down, upstairs where he was talking, because she was afraid he might shoot Ormiston, who was waiting near the house — or himself.

Then she thought a moment, and asked him if he had a cordless phone. Ling kept him on the line, soothing him as he walked downstairs while she kept up contact with Ormiston. Outside the door, he surrendered to police.

The man immediately recognized Ormiston, "So once he had seen the chief, he seemed to be pretty relaxed," she added. He was transported to a Davisburg treatment center, where he was treated for alcohol abuse and depression.

He was cited for discharging a firearm and will be arraigned within 15 days at 52-2 District Court. The charge is punishable by a \$500 fine or 90 days in jail. Police also confiscated other firearms, including several rifles, shotguns and handguns, Ormiston said.

The man told the chief the shooting was accidental. "But, kind of kidding around, he said, 'I intended to part my hair with it," Ormiston said.

Ormiston doesn't know if the man was planning to harm himself. Nevertheless, "We tend to take all those calls seriously," he said. "Sometimes suicide attempts are real and sometimes they're a call for help."

Meanwhile, he's praising Ling for her foresight, and writing letters to both her supervisor and the sheriff. Ormiston said Ling disarmed a potentially deadly situation.

'She got him to come out voluntarily, without any weapon ... Although this incident turned out to be nonthreatening, had he not come out and we had to go in, you never know what could have happened," he said.

Ling, also a shift leader who has been with the OCSD for 18 years, said it's common for her to receive these kinds of calls. But in this case, the situation was "a little more volatile because he already shot the gun off."

She asked him to give up the phone too.

Normally, a person surrenders, with or without the weapon, Ling said. If the man hadn't left the phone inside, the officers could have mistaken it for the handgun.

'General procedure is to go out with your hands up." But, in this case, she told the man, "We understand you have a cordless phone."

Bridge Lake Rd. residents win rebate

BY BRAD MONASTIERE Clarkston News Staff Writer

Some Springfield residents will be getting money back from the township.

A nice reversal for the residents, but the Springfield Township Board of Trustees said a rebate was the right thing to do.

Residents on 40 parcels along Bridge Lake Road will split a \$101,000 rebate from the township because a special assessment already paid for by residents for repaying the road won't be spent this

The Bridge Lake project is not expected to begin work anytime soon, according to township supervisor Collin Walls. The board voted 5-1 to rebate the interest the assessment has built up. Trustee Margaret Bloom abstained and treasurer Lois Stiles voted against it, saying it was too soon to give out rebates on the project.

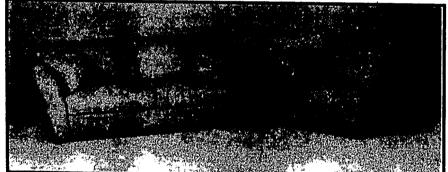
"It's the principle of the thing," township clerk Nancy Strole said at the board's regular meeting Thursday. "We should provide this return, pending whether the assessment project will move forward."

Trustee Denny Vallad said the township shouldn't keep holding money for a project that won't even get started for another five to six

"If we put this off, nothing will change," he said. "We should show some compassion for the people who paid for this work in advance and haven't seen anything happen yet."

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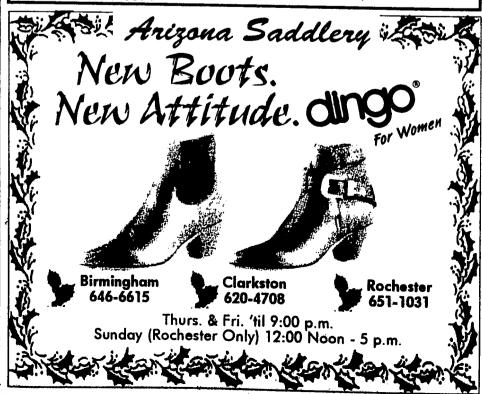
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Cluster sub OK'd by commission

A brand-new subdivision is just "a stone's throw away" from being built upon an old gravel quarry site.

At its Nov. 13 meeting, the Independence Township Planning Commission approved the final site plan for Indianwood Estates on the Lake Subdivision, at the corner of Indianwood and Dartmouth roads. Approximately 72 homesites will be built on the old Salem gravel pit mined by the former Burroughs company.

The development was approved with a cluster option, which enables lots to be configured so more natural features are preserved.

When preliminary plans were approved several months ago, some surrounding residents sounded off about extra dust from construction that would be taking place off Dartmouth and

Indianwood. Both are gravel roads.

Developer JAC Construction agreed to supplement any grading and cloriding done by Road Commission for Oakland County while the subdivision is being built. They also agreed to put in safety paths, provide screening by way of natural fencing, and work out an access agreement with the Independence Land Conservancy which owns a scenic easement next to the site.

Dan Travis joined other commissioners in praising the final plan, saying developers have turned an eyesore into an attractive place to

Johnson hints she'll run for House

BY ANNETTE KINGSBURY Clarkston News Editor

Oakland County Commissioner Ruth Johnson (R., Holly) has made it almost official.

In a press release issued last week, she said she will not seek another term as commission vice chairman in order to "prepare for a 'likely' bid for a seat in the Michigan legislature."

Should she decide to go for it, Johnson would be seeking the 46th District seat of Tom Middleton (R, Ortonville) who cannot run again due to term limits. The district includes Holly, Groveland, Brandon, Rose, Springfield, Independence and Highland townships.

Middleton has announced that he will be seeking the senate seat currently held by Mat Dunaskiss (R., Lake Orion), who has the option of serving one more term.

Johnson, 42, has been a member of the county commission since 1988 and has served as vice chairman since 1991. A resident of Groveland Township, she holds a teaching degree from Oakland University and a master's from Wayne State University summa cum laude in community development and clinical social work.

Before her election to the commission, Johnson worked at Children's Village as a clinical social worker and owned two small businesses, one of them a print

shop in Clarkston. A former resident of the Village of Clarkston, she student taught and was a long-term substitute in Clarkston schools. Her husband, Donald Nanney, is a Clarkston dentist.

The county commission is Johnson's first elective office. She had previously served in appointed positions in Groveland Township on the municipal solid waste board and board of review, as well as on the county recycling committee. There she led efforts to keep huge new landfills out of northern Oakland County, areas where residents depend upon well water. Her environmental work earned her the Theodore Roosevelt Conservation Award, which was given to her by President George Bush in 1992.

Johnson said some of the issues that are driving her to consider a run concern taxes, government intrusion and Oakland County's status as a donor county when it comes to state taxes.

"One thing I see happening is hidden taxes," she said. "They call them permits and user fees. I'd like to get rid of the hidden taxes."

When it comes to the state, Johnson said Oakland County is consistently in the top three counties generating taxes for Lansing, but in the bottom three in getting them back.

"Meanwhile there's a 10 to 15-year wait for community mental health services," she said. "I'd like to get our fair share."



Ruth Johnson

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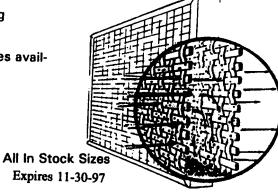
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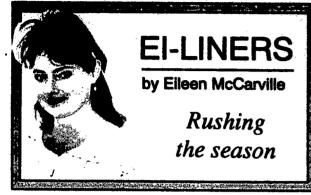




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"Christmas comes but once a year, but when it comes it brings good cheer."

Every year that little warm-and-fuzzy saying gets more meaningful. That's because my biological clock is ticking and I don't know how many Christmases I have left. That goes for Thanksgiving too.

Recently I noticed some tinselly decorations already appearing in local grocery store lots (I haven't even been to the mall yet). I used to snicker at all the businesses "rushing the season," putting out their displays the day after Halloween.

But now I'm jumping on the bandwagon - I guess I should say "sleigh" — too. Today I interrupted my son's Nintendo game to ask him the all-important question: "Is it too early to put up the tree?" He gave his response while his eyes rolled heaven-ward: "I think it's a bit too early, Mom," he said, dryly.

Nevertheless, a mother's decision supersedes her son's opinion because, as I write this, I'm getting ready to tear into the storage closet for the tree, the lights and the ornaments — hoping they're near the front. After all, as a parent I have earned poetic license.

And, while I'm at it, why not break open the Christmas tapes and have a cozy showing of "Miracle on 34th Street" tonight?

I guess the catalyst was the snow. As it fell in soft, white flakes Saturday, it beckoned the memories of holidays past. But my husband, like others who don't relish driving to work through the soft, white miracle, pointed out: "I'm not ready for this." Usually, this time of year we are looking at brown, barren ground and branches.

Call me a hopeless romantic. I continue to get choked up at every "rum-pah-pah-pum" in "The Little Drummer Boy" and, like one of Pavlov's dogs, salivate at the sight of fruitcake. The smell of turkey drives me mad and I can be seen braking my car at every creche

It's not so much the day that we celebrate, but the season. Certainly Thanksgiving recalls the pilgrims, the harvest, gratitude and freedom. And Christmas brings the birth of Jesus, the arrival of Santa Claus and the spirit of giving.

But gearing up is at least half the fun. And I'll never be too old to enjoy it.

Though it seems like a cliche, hearts are truly bigger and smiles are truly brighter for most at Christmastime. There's a special charge, a wonder and magic in the air, regardless of how you personally celebrate the holidays.

So, I can justify my anticipation. I have decided to rush the season. Won't you join me? If not, at least, as you go about your busy, hectic lifestyle, take time to smell the evergreens.

And have a cup of early eggnog for me while you're at it.



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Small victories don't mean fight is over

There was a little bit of good news in the drug survey report released last week by Clarkston schools.

Not a lot, but a little. While alcohol use seems to be down over the same report two years ago, it's still clear that some teenagers aren't getting the message about the dangers of drugs.

Nearly half the students surveyed in grades eight, ten and twelve still don't think it's dangerous to smoke a pack of cigarettes a day. Though they seem to have gotten the message that crack is dangerous, they still experiment with other forms of cocaine. Marijuana use is still widespread.

One reason for this, of course, is human nature. Young people are blissfully ignorant of their own mortality. They can't imagine life after 30, let alone think about the possibility of lung cancer 40 or 50 years down the road. They think they're smarter than the kids who kill themselves through substance abuse. They think they have a right to drink—hey, everyone else does.

As school superintendent Dr. Al Roberts said,

these same kids know the right answers to the questions. They say one thing, do another. Don't we all, on occasion?

They know they shouldn't drink and drive, but some still do. Some still ride with drivers who have been drinking. Many don't think so-called binge drinking five or more drinks in a row-is dangerous, even though students on college campuses are dying from it left and right.

What the survey shows, if anything, is that drug prevention is a work in progress. A skirmish may be won here or there, but fresh recruits come up year after year to continue the war. It's up to the community to continue to fight back.

That is being done admirably by groups such as the Clarkston Task Force for Youth, Parent Network and Parent to Parent, which seek to educate parents on strategies they can use. But it's a never-ending task. Here's hoping they can find new parents to join the ranks, faster than drug sellers can find new kids to enlist. AK



JIM'S JOTTINGS / by Jim Sherman

Growth in the 'Valley' faster than Oakland

Oakland county is experiencing considerable growth, commercial, industrial and residential, but so are many other areas of the country.

We were recently informed (through the Arizona Republic, Phoenix) of the expected increases in "the Valley." The "Valley," maybe 2700 square miles, includes Phoenix, Scottsdale, Mesa, Tempe, Glendale and Paradise Valley.

The "Valley," is a smog problemed, traffic plagued area that people are flocking to for reasons we question - but who are we to doubt?

Hazel and I spend a couple 2-week sessions a year in Carefree, AZ, 2,500 feet above "the Valley." It was in our October visit that we learned the latest projections.

Remember now, for two summer months temperatures average over 105 degrees for all day and it's just as costly to cool a house as it is to heat it.

Anyway, by the year 2000 (2 years) 225,000 new residents will settle there. 140,000 jobs will be created. 70,000 new homes and 20,000 apartments will be built.

The guy who gave out these figures, Gary Schlossberg, economist with Wells Capital Managment, gave these reasons for the growth: Broadening industrial base, proximity to large California market, ample skilled labor, favorable climate and moderate land and labor costs.

The only risk he mentioned was possible labor

Arizona and Nevada are the only two states to be among the top five for growth since 1950.

75,000 jobs will be added in the Valley in 1997 and 55,000-plus are expected in 1998. 96,000 people moved to the Valley in 1996, 90,000 will move there this year.

The AZ Republic mentioned some risks Mr. Schlossberger left out. A major deterent to growth should be concern for hist of white sings, it is

Another major concern is pollutants in the air - more people, more cars, more smog . . . and the push is on for electric cars and mass transit. From our 2,500 ft. advantage we see the brown crud shrouding the Valley every day.

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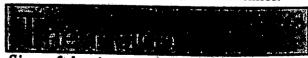
The Valley and most of Arizona (Tucson is the only major city with its own groundwater source) get their water from Colorado. Years ago Colorado's water was rationed to Nevada, California and Arizona. Until this year Arizona let California have a portion of their share. Arizona decided to take its full share and store the surplus underground.

Now Calif has to find a new source for water, so don't go there. Maybe the Colorado water will fulfill all Arizona's needs forever, but maybe not.

It isn't a 'risk' for detering AZ growth, but it should be considered . . . wages are in the \$7 to \$10 an hour for jobs here that start at \$14 to \$18. A gal we know who made \$45,000 a year in Michigan earns \$27,000 in the Valley.

Arizona is a great 9-month living state. It has great beauty - outside the Valley . . . The Grand Canyon, Sedona's red rocks, Flagstaff's mountains, Prescott's Michigan look, Roosevelt dam, Lake Mead, etc. It's a major retirement state, and we can see why.

But, if you plan to live there year around, get into the bottled water and facial mask business.



Sign of the times

During a recent Independence Township Planning Commission meeting, Joe Figa added the spin to a familiar theme after he and fellow commissioners approved a new Rite Aid. "It used to be every corner was a gas station or a bank. Now it's a drug store," he chira Steemanna, and a chira Steemanna, and a chira steemanna and a chira steema

15 YEARS AGO (1982)

A motion to revoke the controversial historic district ordinance for six months, while a select committee drafts revisions, is solidly defeated at the Nov. 8 Clarkston Village Council meeting. Listening to the city attorney's warning that to suspend an ordinance without a full repeal could be in violation of the law, the council votes unanimously to table the issue for further study.

It will be at least 30 more days before Independence Township and the Village of Clarkston award a cable TV franchise to one of two bidding companies: Multi-Cablevision and Omnicom, owned by Capital Cities Communication. Clerk Christopher Rose has been given a 30-day extension to hammer out specific contracts in order to get the best possible deal.

After two months of silence, representatives from Independence Township, Waterford Hills race track and neighboring residents are gearing up for negotiations in an effort to reach an arbitrary decibel limit all parties can live with.

25 YEARS AGO (1972)

When the Apollo 17 moon rocket lifts off Pad A at Cape Kennedy's Launch Complex 39, a representative from Clarkston will be there. Bob Hemming has been assigned to cover the event for the Clarkston News and will be among thousands of newspaper, radio and television reporters at the press site. "I hope to bring some of the color and excitement ... to the people of the Clarkston area on a more personal, and hopefully, a more local basis than is received in the national press," he says.

Recreation Director Tim Doyle announces the first national Clarkston Yo-Yo Championship.

Clarkston Board of Education completes the purchase of over 18 acres on Holcomb Rd., destined to become a future school site, reports assistant superintendent George Barrie. The property is purchased at \$2,000 an acre.

50 YEARS AGO (1947)

We would like to dwell on the fact that the way trucks "highball" on the main streets of small towns is just too, too dangerous. From the south end of Main St. heavily loaded trucks go so fast by the news office that we doubt if they could stop until they get to Waldon Rd. And from the north, we understand, some trucks do not even slow down until they are nearly to Robertson Ct. Perhaps strongly worded signs at the entrance to town would help. Even then, someone would complain this was a speed trap. However, it seems too bad that residents of small towns must live in constant danger of their lives because some truck driver, wishing to reach his destination a little quicker, forgets there is a value in a human life that cannot be counted ...

How about taking time to stop and enjoy a good laugh? Tonight at the Clarkston school the seniors will present "The Groom Said No." Miss Mary Campbell is directing the play.

60 YEARS AGO (1937)

"Romance In a Boarding House," a comedy in four acts by James C. Parker, is presented Nov. 19 by the Clarkston School. Starring are Mary Lindsay, Violet Coy, King McIntyre, Evelyn Walz, Lyle Walker, Charles Perry, Betty Chamberlain, Bettiann Comstock. Daniel Addis and Fern Grestad.

News from Clarkston School classrooms: Mrs. Strait: The Singer Sewing Machine Co. gives an interesting demonstration of the use from attachments. Included are suggestions for dress trims and Christmas gifts ... The seventh- and eighth-grade English classes are reading Henry Van Dyke's "The Other Wise man" to dramatize for a school assembly ... In the kindergarten and first grade we have three Thanksgiving borders. One is a picture of three angry turkeys chasing the cook. They hope to get rid of him before Thanksgiving Day.

Specials at Barnard's Food Market on the Dixie include boneless spring lamb roast, 25 cents a pound; beef rump roast, 23 cents a pound.

DON'T RUSH ME / by Don Rush

Some fish story

Just take a look at that fish Oxford's Hank Padubny and Chris Steensma are holding. Take a good look at it. That fish is older than I am.

That fish died about 36 years ago and has been an experiment in cryogenics since. If you're scratching your noggin on what you've read, what I'm trying to sav is: This fish has been in Steensma's freezer since 1961, when Steensma himself was only 19.

Boy, I thought I hung on to stuff for a long time. Hank and Chris came to the office last week, and thought they'd let the world see this "deep water roach" that was caught in Oxford, oh so many years ago.

For those of you out of the loop in angler-lingo am I) the deep water roach is a fancy name for blue gill. Or maybe blue gill is a hi-falutin' name for deep water roach. I'm not quite clear on the subject.

Needless to say, it's one big, ugly panfish. One, that would make me think twice about going into the



Hank Padubny, left, the deep water roach, and Chris Steensma.

water. You should see the teeth on this thing.

Legend has it Steensma caught the thing with his hands while he helped George Vandiwalker and Fred Ryder, Sr., dredge a pond at the corner of Metamora and Davison Lake Road, in Oxford (they were making an existing pond bigger). Ryder dumped a load of muck on to the ground and Steensma saw something flash, reflecting the sun. When he investigated he found the fish. "It was the only fish in the pond. Probably ate everything else.'

Fish in-tow, he high-tailed it to downtown Ox-

"I took it to Matt Mersino's gas station at M-24 nd East Street. He told me to take it to Hank's Bait Shop."

Enter Hank Padubny.

"We put it in a tank and kept it alive for two or three weeks. It was so heavy it didn't swim upright, it swam on its side."

The scaled-critter weighed two pounds and measured 10-1/2 inches (after being frozen for three decades it now weighs one and 3/4 pounds and is only 10-inches long). And, of course Steensma got some press for his catch.

"Yeah, I got my picture in the Pontiac Press (now the Oakland Press). Of course, I told them I caught it with a hook, line and sinker in Tan Lake. I didn't tell them I caught it with my hands."

(If any historian has that clip, please make a note to correct the fraudulent story told in '61.)

Steensma keeps his prize in a plastic bag, wrapped in a brown paper bag. "Every once in a while someone will want to see it so I bring it out and show them."

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By Eileen McCarville

Do you agree with the judge's decision about the English nanny?

CRAIG McGRATH, DAVISBURG: I think the initial sentence was excessive. I think the judge made a justified call to reduce the life sentence. But I believe the eightmonth sentence actually served was not adequate for the crime she committed.



HAROLD WILSON. CLARKSTON: I don't agree. I think she's guilty, I do.



ALANE BURNHAM CLARKSTON: If she's found guilty I think she should have served more time, definitely. She's not going to learn from that.

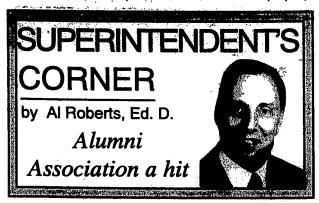


JODIE BOGGESS CLARKSTON: Basically I don't think there's enough evidence to prove she's guilty.



KORI KEIL **CLARKSTON: I kind** of think it was a good one, but I don't think one man should have. the power to make the decision. But, democratically, the jury had listened to all the evidence. I don't think she's as guilty as everyone thinks. don't think she's psycho.





Daily mail deliveries have been full of surprises since we first announced our desire to create a Clarkston Alumni Association. Not a day passes by without receiving a letter, a fax, or a message of some type from former students. As of today, our oldest "found" alumnus is a graduate of the class of 1930; but our largest response thus far seems to be from those who attended Clarkston High School in the 1960s and 1970s.

Apparently the class of 1960 was one fun group! Many have taken the time to write and they have shared stories of classmates, courses, and celebrations. Ron Morgan, a Fenton resident and retired police lieutenant, has taken on a new career, writing. Ron, who is married to Mary Ann Lehmann (another -CHS alumni) has published two books. "Southern Thunder: a Story of the Civil War" and "After the Storm: the Road from Appomattox" are his creations. Ron writes, "Here's part of what I remember about CHS. Our principal, Mr. Goedde, was seven feet tall and the first time I saw him (when I transferred from Ortonville) I darn near had a heart attack! I remember the dances in the old gym at lunchtime. A feller had to take his shoes off and he had to take care and not wear socks that had holes in them. If any gal saw a feller with holes in his socks, it would ruin his reputation as a dude." With stories such as Ron's, you can see why we anxiously await our mail.

Our Clarkston legacy is obviously rich with stories. If you or members of your family are alumni and have tales to share, please drop us a line. We would love to hear from you. You can send your name, maiden name (if applicable), address, year of graduation and other applicable information to:

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Clarkston, Michigan 48347-1050 If you wish to fax the information to us, please contact Barbara Johns, Public Relations Department, 248-625-2761.

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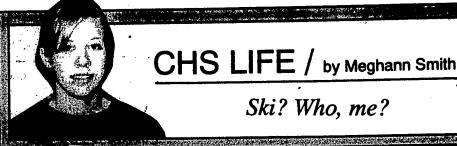
To stuff or not to stuff?

"Is it safe to stuff my Thanksgiving turkey?" This is a common question this time of year on the Food and Nutrition Hotline, says Sylvia Treitman, home economist for the MSU Extension, Oakland County. "The best advice we can offer is that cooking stuffing separately is the safest way to prepare your turkey."

Bacteria can survive in the stuffing if it has not been heated thoroughly. Even if the turkey itself has reached the proper internal temperature, the stuffing may not have reached a high enough temperature in all parts of the turkey to destroy bacteria.

If you choose to stuff your turkey, it is absolutely essential to use a thermometer to check the internal temperature of the stuffing as well as the turkey itself. When done the temperature of the center of the stuffing should be 165° F. The temperature of the turkey should be 180° F.

Call the Food and Nutrition Hotline for all your food and nutrition concerns and help with safe turkey preparation, Monday - Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.



I'm typing this article with mittens on, I'm positive I can see my breath, and I just spent 15 minutes scraping ice off my car before giving up and retreating back inside. You guessed right, it's officially winter.

If you haven't yet figured it out, I don't really enjoy winter, which leads me to believe I am living in the wrong state. A note to all of my acquaintances: if you neither hear nor see me for more than two days after this article is published, please call the police. Chances are my friends are holding me hostage in their ski bags.

Yes, that's another joyful tidbit to my story. My friends, all of them, are skiers or snowboarders. Or maybe even sledders; I'm not really sure. After all, what is it that you do at that Pine Knob place whose opening they are eagerly awaiting? I'm not saying any of these sports are bad, it's just that I don't actively participate in them.

I guess I can relate to the thrill of skiing; after all, I've gone a couple of times. And come on, who doesn't love icy hair, red noses and flying down death-defying cliffs with no control over these protrusions from your lower body.

Before digging myself into any deeper ditches, or larger ski bags, I should explain my passion for skiing. The first time I got to the top of a ski lift my

best buddy, who was going to instruct me on how to be an excellent skier, forgot to tell me how to snowplow. For you novices, like me, snowplowing is when you angle the ends of your skis towards each other while going down hills. In the whole scheme of things it doesn't make scientific sense. But it creates friction, which if I remember correctly from physical science class, does slow you down. In fact it slows you down greatly. I thought I was doing OK; I had flown past my friend and was now cruising down the hill at a rather high rate of speed. Then I came to a turn. And following the natural physics of roads, ski hills are icy at turns as well. Let's just say I looked like a sorry attempt of someone doing a flip off a jump, minus the jump, but somehow landing on their butt and, oddly, without skis. We won't mention what happened to my skis.

Following the trend of Michigan, the first snow-flake signified the end of all and any notion of a social life I might have had. However, this white Christmas my friends are determined to drag me, maybe even gag and bind me, to their beloved, powder-covered hill. They've almost convinced me to invest in ski equipment (they'd make great politicians I'm sure). I feel that I should make a public warning for all of you innocent bystanders, or byslalomers, be on the lookout for flying skis.



'Murphy' sets a bad example

Dear editor.

At a time when substance abuse ranks high on every list of concerns for the health and well-being of our youth, it is disappointing that CBS and one of its most engaging characters, Murphy Brown, would send such a strong pro-drug message as was seen in the November 5 episode.

While the series' opener admirably sought to raise public awareness of the issue of breast cancer, Murphy's recent portrayal of the need to turn to "medical marijuana" for relief of her chemotherapy side effects was a blatant effort to blur the issue of chemical usage and its obvious dangers.

We see Murphy yield to peer pressure, as her "friend" and colleague persuades her to try marijuana, despite knowing her past history of alcoholism. (Never mind that there are plenty of legal medications available to treat her distressing symptoms, including an FDA regulated oral form of marijuana's active ingredient.) Then, the same friend joins her in "toking up," obviously turning this medical treatment into a party. (If you delivered a prescription of insulin to a sick friend, wouldn't you encourage him by injecting yourself, too?)

The scene is laced with compassionate referencess to her illness, the need for hope in the midst of suffering, and large doses of canned, inappropriate laughter which implies social acceptance. Murphy demonstrates for her friend (and the viewing audience) the proper way to hold and inhale a marijuana cigarette, implying that he is pretty stupid and naive not to already know this. This gets a big laugh. Then under the influence of THC, Murphy's uptight friend is finally able to say what's really on his heart, again implying that chemical usage will make up for lacking social competencies and interpersonal communication skills.

So what message does this send to our youth? Besides the obvious, that one would surely want to be considered knowledgeable and sophisticated, not uncool and uptight like Murphy's friend, is the very mixed message of the entire legalization of marijuana movement; that an illegal and unapproved highrisk substance could now suddenly become

medicine."

Michigan, because it is a ballot initiative state, has been targeted by the pro-legalization of marijuana forces as another "test" case for medical marijuana. We have not heard the end of this story line. Clarkston Community Task Force for Youth

Enjoys 'Look back'

I can't tell you how good it is to get "our" paper every week. We are enjoying seeing many things too in the "50 Years Ago" segment. We both graduated in 1948 and it is fun to see some of the neat reminders. This past edition had about Ivan Rouse going to Detroit to play for Mr. Poole. Ivan was in our class and next year is our 50th class reunion, so we will include that item in our book.

Thanks for a great job!

Sincerely,
Mary Jo Longain
Tarpon Springs, Fla.

Loss of Basinger sad

Dear Editor,

The special interest group which produced negative campaign letters along with press releases and political signs on lawns led to the defeat of a man of integrity and professionalism. The loss of council member William Basinger was a sad day for the small village of Clarkston.

Slick political signs, negative newspaper articles and a lot of political glad-handing won't bring a good, solid, low tax budget, a beautiful park used by children of all ages all the time, a good full-time police department, a financed sewer system that allowed a FULL tax deduction, and most of all a functioning, low-cost government. Think about that citizens before it is too late!

Apologize indeed!

Thomas Goldner Clarkston

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- The Clarkston Community Women's Club will hold an auction Thursday, Nov. 20 at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Library. The event is free and open to the public and will feature crafts, a raffle and baked goods. For more information call Gail at 623-9462.
- St. Daniel Church will host an inspirational evening for women Sunday, Nov. 30 at 7 p.m. to kick off the Advent season. Speaker is Martha Goode, a former religion teacher and department head with the Archdiocese of Detroit, who will help participants make space for the real reason for the season during this Advent candlelight dessert which will include music.
- inspirational talk and fellowship. Call Kathy at 969-2286 or Frieda at 625-1750 for more information.
- Make your own Advent wreath, Austrian style, with a workshop at St. Daniel Church Nov. 23 at 1 p.m. Teacher is Regina Weiss, an art teacher from Austria, who will show you how to use fresh evergreens to make this traditional wreath. Call her at 620-1157 for more information.
- The sixth annual Holiday Happenings Craft Show will be held at St. Joseph School on M-24 in Lake Orion Nov. 22-23. Hours are 10-5 Saturday, 10-3 Sunday. Admission is \$1 and over 80 crafters will be exhibiting.
- Cranbrook House Auxiliary's Holiday Tables will be held Nov. 21-23. Twenty-one spectacular tables designed by local celebrities will be presented with period fashions. Tickets are \$8 in advance, \$10 at the door. Hours are 10-4 Friday and Saturday and noon-4 Sunday. Call 248-645-3147 for tickets.
- AIM is a non-profit self-help support group for those suffering with anxiety, panic, fear and depression. AIM can help you live a fear-free life. For information on weekly meetings in the local area, call 810-772-9818.

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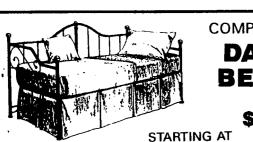
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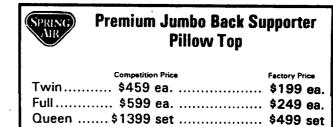
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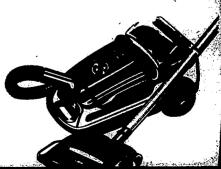
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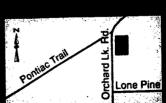
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Fifes have given Clarkston much

Dear editor.

"What will we do to occupy our Friday nights?" we wondered when our children were grown and no longer involved in organized sports.

The void was filled, however, when Dugan Fife, an amazingly talented freshman, started playing for the CHS varsity basketball team. Since then, we have become faithful and enthusiastic fans of the CHS teams, and of Dugan, Jeremy, Dane and Dan

Aside from the obvious athletic and leadership abilities displayed by the Fifes, they have shown what a tradition of family values, caring and mutual respect can do for children and for a community. Observing the Fife family at sporting events reveals three generations working together in loving cooperation. It gives a glimpse of devotion, commitment, dignity under fire, self-respect and fair play. Our town has been the lucky recipient of the Fifes' labors.

With notoriety and glory, the Fifes have gotten criticism, however unfair or unwarranted. They have shown composure beyond their years, and an understanding of the price of fame. Early lessons of tolerance and strength of character were learned to develop this kind of maturity. The Fifes possess amazing confidence, remaining unruffled under the worst kinds of scrutiny, always concentrating on maintaining excellence in their tasks.

The greatest thrill that the Fifes have given has been their phenomenal performance on the athletic playing fields. Each has offered inspiring athletic moments, showing distinction, both physically and mentally. Dugan demonstrates outstanding leadership and skill, Jeremy has been a player-coach since he was a starting high school freshman, and Dane dazzles with his incredible, spell-binding abilities. Dan is, of course, the quintessential coach and father, always the force behind his sons.

As fans, we have enjoyed sharing the cheering section with the Fife grandparents and wife and mother, Jan Fife, who never miss a game. Mr. Fife, Sr.'s favorite job seems to be to keep the refs in check, Mrs. Fife, Sr. steadfastly keeps careful tallies of the score, better than any official scorekeeper, and Jan Fife is always her sons' and husband's biggest

We want to thank the Fifes for the many years of enjoyment that they have given, and for the reaffirmation in the importance and strength of a family's commitment to its members and to its community. We will miss the boys at CHS when Dane graduates, and we truly hope that CHS's athletic department will continue to enjoy the leadership of Dan Fife for many years to come.

> Sincerely. Bob Hein and Debbie Fenwick

Implement well policy

This is a copy of a letter sent to Oakland County Executive L. Brooks Patterson. Dear Mr. Patterson,

The Board of Directors of the North Area Citizens Conference has voted unanimously to urge you, the County Executive, to implement forthwith the Well Task Force's program, adopted over your veto more than a year ago.

The Constitution of the United States and of the State of Michigan clearly prescribe that the foremost function of the government is to protect the health

and welfare of the citizens.

Over 200,000 people in northern and western Oakland County are on wells. Some of those wells contain dangerous substances such as arsenic, nitrates, volatile organics, pesticides and other harmful toxins. You have illegally failed to implement the Oakland County Board of Commissioners "Well Protection and Education Policy" that calls for the creation of a map and a warning and educational system: You refuse to let people know that their drinking water may contain poisonous substances that can cause serious illness, birth defects, and spontaneous abortions. We understand your opposition to the creation of a map and a warning and educational system is that this knowledge might depress real estate prices, harm big developers and lower property tax collections. This thinking is not only irrational, but is in straight contravention of our existing laws. It is particularly inappropriate that a high government official, a lawyer, and former county prosecutor should find himself in contempt of our existing laws and regulations for over a year.

This overriding issue has been poorly understood because the media (both televisions stations and newspapers) have not fully grasped the issues involved, and therefore the public is not adequately informed.

We urge that immediate steps be taken to implement the crucial well protection and education policies voted by an overwhelming majority of the commissioners.

> The Board of Commissioners of the North Area Citizens Conference H. Gleisner, President (Oxford)

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Obligaries

R.D. "Bill" Kelley

R.D. "Bill" Kelley, 87, of Clarkston, died Nov. 15, 1997.

Mr. Kelley was the owner and operator of Clarkston Lumber, and was a member of the Clarkston Rotary Club. He was also an avid bowler and hunter.

Mr. Kelley was born and raised in Clarkston and went to work to support his family after leaving eighth grade. He built his house on White Lake Road in 1939 and was married in 1941. He lived in the White Lake Road home until his death.

Mr. Kelley started in the lumber business in 1944 with Nor and Beardslee. He managed the company under a few different owners until 1955, when he bought the business. His son Terry worked for the company in 1963, when the name was changed to Clarkston Lumber. Mr. Kelley owned and operated Clarkston Lumber by himself from 1982 until his death.

He is survived by son Terry of West Branch; daughter Cindy (John) Jones of Clarkston; grandchildren Jeff, Kimberlie, Scott and Michael; great-grandson Justin; sister Doris Inman; and brother Art (Melva). He was preceded in death by his wife Florence and siblings Myrtle Perry, Mae Jones, Asa, Lee and Gordon.

A funeral service took place Tuesday at the Lewis E. Wint and Son Trust 100 Funeral Home. Interment was at Lakeview Cemetery. Memorial donations can be made to the Michigan Heart Association or the Rainbow Connection.

Paul DeLongchamp

Paul L. DeLongchamp, 82, of Florida, formerly of Clarkston, died Nov. 1, 1997.

Mr. DeLongchamp was the owner and president of Precision Metal Spinning and Spun Metal Products in Clarkston from 1945 to 1972. He was a member of St. Daniel Catholic Church and was an organizer for the Davisburg Rotary Club.

He is survived by his wife Lois; daughter Diane (James) Clabuesch of Saginaw; sons David of Ithica and Daniel (Michele) of Sylvan Lake; grandchildren Timothy, Theodore, Jonah, Nicole and Kristen; and great-granddaughter Taylor Clabuesch.

A memorial mass was performed Nov. 7 at St. Jude's Catholic Church in Tequesta, Fla. with family member Bishop J. Keith Symons of Palm Beach officiating. Memorial donations can be made to the charity of your choice or to the Little Club Library, 9601 SE Little Club Way, Tequesa, Fla., 33469.

Joe Gibson

Joe H. Gibson, 84, of Clarkston, died Nov. 16, 1997.

Mr. Gibson was retired from GM and was a member of the VFW Post 1008 in Waterford.

He is survived by sons Larry (Lori) of Holly, Scott (Erin) of Davisburg and Brent (Wendy) of Clarkston; daughter Jo Ann (Jeb) Ball of North Carolina; grandchildren Jaron, Jacob, Janae, Brandon, Jordan, Kyle and Morgan; and sister Charlene Hawkins of Waterford. He was preceded in death by his wife Thelma

A funeral service took place Wednesday at the Lewis E. Wint and Son Trust 100 Funeral Home in Clarkston with Pastor Jim Combs officiating. Interment was at Ottawa Park Cemetery.

Colleen Jarvis

Colleen A. Jarvis, 61, of Waterford, died Nov. 12, 1997.

Mrs. Jarvis is survived by her husband Bruce; sons Dr. Douglas (Carol) of Indiana, Steven and Scott (Michelle) of Waterford; grandchildren Colin, Kassia, Evan, Amanda and Benjamin; and brother Robert Parke of Clarkston.

A memorial service took place Sunday at the Lewis E. Wint and Son Trust 100 Funeral Home in Clarkston with Donald Kevern officiating. Memorial donations can be made to the POH Boosters Club.

Elvira Lundgren

Elvira Lundgren, 96, of Clarkston, died Nov. 17, 1997.

Mrs. Lundgren was a member of the Waterford Golden Agers and Gloria Dei Lutheran Church.

She is survived by son Richard (Roberta) of Clarkston; grandchildren Doug of California and Jana Marie Rodriguez of Waterford; and great-grandchildren Joshua and Reychil Rodriguez. She was preceded in death by her husband John and brother Clarence "Dutch" Harting.

A memorial service will take place Saturday at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church in Auburn Hills with Pastor Richard Chilkott officiating. Memorial donations can be made to the church. Arrangements were made by the Coats Funeral Home.

Roberta Neilsen

Roberta M. Neilsen, 60, formerly of Clarkston, died Nov. 16, 1997.

Mrs. Neilsen was retired from the Birmingham YMCA.

She is survived by son Christopher J. (Rebecca) of Waterford; brother Jack Bernard of Waterford; sisters Bonnie (Robert) Lendrum of Clarkston and Frances (Larry) Thebert of Arizona; and many nieces and nephews.

A funeral service took place Wednesday morning at the Lewis E. Wint and Son Trust 100 Funeral Home in Clarkston with Rev. Nelson officiating.

LeRoy White

LeRoy R. White, 52, of Clarkston, died Nov. 14, 1997.

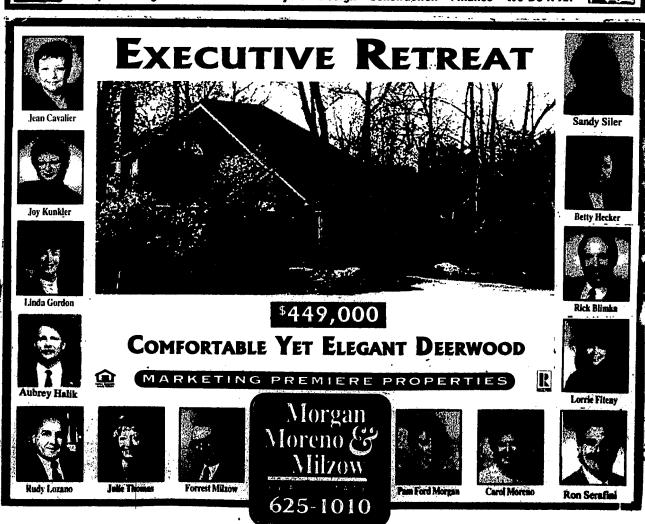
Mr. White was retired from GM Truck and Bus. He is survived by his wife Sue; daughter Leslie Ann; mother Adele; grandmother Emma Kelley; sisters Barbara Bigelow, Bonnie (Darelle) Desotell, Pat (John) Goodwin, Sally Martin and Cindy (John) Robertson; brothers Buddy (Linda) and Larry (Ruth); in-laws Alice Hartman and Franklin (Pearl) Hartman; sisters-in-law Sharon (Gary) Curlee and Claudia; and brothers-in-law Frank and Kevin Hartman. He was preceded in death by his father, Francis and grandmother, Margueritte Smith.

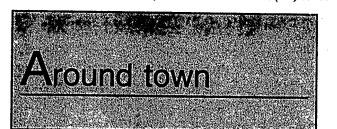
A funeral service took place Wednesday afternoon at the Coats Funeral Home in Waterford. Interment was at Ottawa Park Cemetery. Memorial contrubutions can be made to the Michigan Humane Society.

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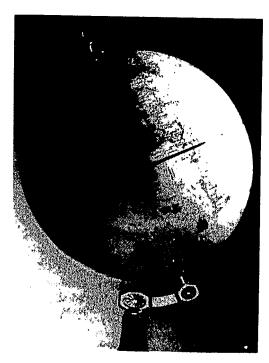
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More day care coming to Clarkston

BY EILEEN McCARVILLE Clarkston News Staff Writer

Although it has not yet received final site plan approval, a new Rainbow Rascals Learning Center is planned for the top floor of pediatrician Dr. James O'Neill's building on Main St. and will offer more than just a place to drop off kids while Mom and Dad go to

Rainbow Rascals vice president Doug Budden said the day care center will include a large outdoor playground as well as an "indoor playground" or gross motor room, where kids can frolic to their hearts' content. The area is valuable for inclement weather days, he added.

In addition, the 5,000-square-foot center will feature several classrooms and be stocked with ageappropriate toys. Education is the focus.

"It truly is a learning center, not only a day care, with accredited teachers in early childhood development — really built and designed for child care, not based in a church or house," Budden said. "All we do is child care. Plus, we provide a very convenient place

Rainbow Rascals operates several centers around the Detroit Metro area, including Auburn Hills, Dearborn, Grosse Pointe and Ann Arbor, and in several other states. It also provides child care for employees of Blue Cross/Blue Shield, Domino's Pizza and the Renais-

Budden is targeting the Clarkston opening for spring or summer, with hours Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. The center will accommodate 70-75 children, from the ages of six weeks to five years.

At the Nov. 13 Independence Township Planning Commission meeting, members mulled over two possible plans for parking and how to best pick up and drop off children. They tabled a decision, but seemed to favor the plan that includes more parking, over a second plan that would include a circular drive.

The 5885 Main St. building currently houses both the Clarkston Medical Group and Clarkston Ambulatory Care Center. Both will relocate within the new Mid-Oakland Medical Center as soon as it's finished. Holding up the process is discussion about whether to locate the Mid-Oakland emergency entrance in the front or rear, a decision also tabled by the commission last Thursday.

Township planner Dick Carlisle said he expects

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Mid-Oakland Medical to be open "sometime in the first part of the new year." After the relocation, the old building will be revamped and landscaping added before the day care center moves in.

In addition, another day care center, Little People's Place, will open on Citation Dr., across from the fire station. Final plans for the new, independently owned child care center, which includes a 4,800square-foot building and playground, were already approved by the planning commission.

Owner Jean Dasuqi, a Clarkston resident, has been providing child care in her home for the past 10 years. "I decided there was a need for more day care in the area and decided to expand," she said.

Like Rainbow Rascals, Little People's Place will be geared toward education. It will offer a full preschool program for 3- to 5-year-olds that incorporates the High Reach Learning Program. High Reach focuses on activities like learning the alphabet, shapes, colors, and encourages the development of small motor skills and self-esteem, Dasuqi said.

It will accommodate 76 children, from infants to five years and be open from 7 a.m. to 6:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Staffing includes a licensed teacher for 4- and 5-year-olds and a primary care giver for infants.

Construction is under way and Dasuqi expects to be open by March or April.

MDOT asked to sell excess land

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of the M-15/I-75 exit ramp.

But after some research, McCrary found there are actually 17 MDOT-owned parcels in the township and all are not left over from state highway projects. Surprisingly, some fall in neighborhoods like Thendara Park and Cranberry Lake subs.

"Maybe the neighborhood would like to have it," McCrary said. Land could also go for other uses like future school sites, she added.

According to the resolution, such property would also prove invaluable to communities that place aesthetics, nature and open space high on their lists.

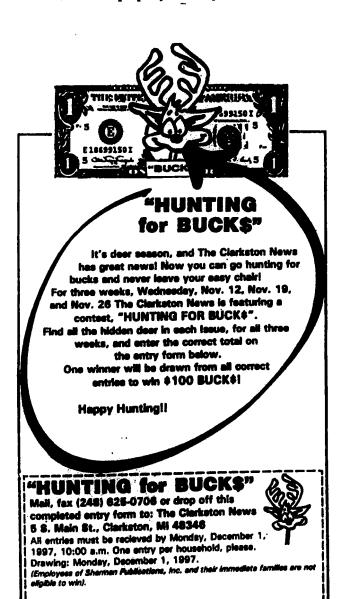
"MDOT holds a big wide apron over the area and it softens the impact with those trees," said trustee Dan Travis of excess property in Independence. Travis is

also an Independence Land Conservancy member and he and other township board members agreed the ILC might be interested in parcels for future scenic conservation easements.

The ILC's goal is to preserve land in the Independence-Springfield area. Among its many parcels are three around the M-15/I-75 exit ramp. The northwest parcel would be an important acquisition, Travis said. Uses could range from putting the property on the tax rolls, targeting it for community use, or just keeping it as open space, he added.

"Certainly we'd like to see all four corners protected," he said, adding the area would signal arrival into Clarkston. "What better way could there be to identify your community." he said.





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Born to be wild

Seventh-graders get the facts on endangered animals

BY EILEEN McCARVILLE Clarkston News Staff Writer

As legend has it, Pandora's box unleashed a legion of evils.

But when Joel Doehring opened one of his boxes, the only thing that came out was a relatively harmless little creepy-crawler.

"Pandora," an Emperor scorpion, was one of nine endangered species Doehring, president of Ann Arbor's Species Survival Center, presented to seventh-grade science students at Sashabaw Middle School Nov. 4.

Doehring brought vertebrates (animals with backbones) and invertebrates, which included both warmand cold-blooded species from across the globe.

The Center presently houses 26 different species and 200 animals and presents its endangered-animal program to public schools throughout Michigan, he said. Tuesday's event was funded by the Clarkston Foundation.

Doehring warned students to be careful because loud noises and sudden movements could disturb the animals, who are definitely not house pets.

"These animals come from Africa, South America, Australia, Asia, Europe — basically from all over the planet. We're not looking at cats and dogs. We're looking at wild animals," he said.

He dispelled some well-worked myths, including the phrase, "blind as a bat," as he showed off an 8-yearold Egyptian fruit bat, aptly named "Mango."

"Most bats can see better than we can," he said.

Like others of its species, this particular warm-blooded mammal is not a carnivore, but thrives on fruits. Mango loves bananas, Doehring said. Also, contrary to what some believe, bats are not primary carriers of rabies. They're eighth on the list.

"A cow is more likely to have rabies," Doehring said

The rest of the troupe included "Dundee," a bluetongued skink, "Bumble," a tiger salamander, a Hypostemus fish from South America and an Eurasian eagle owl named "Bobo." Sadly, Bobo is one of 500 such owls left in the world, Doehring said.

In addition, he presented four small invertebrates: the scorpion and a Chilean rose-haired tarantula, a giant millipede, and a few giant "hissing" cockroaches which, Doehring quipped, shush everybody — "even teachers."

Some of the animals' defense mechanisms were surprising. For instance, the South American fish grows bony fins which repel his predators because they can't swallow him.

The Chilean tarantula can defend itself with "fangs up front" and by using his legs to "kick" hairs from its abdomen, which are as painful to its enemies as porcupine quills. Doehring said.

Teachers Kerri Larson and Darlene Roche contacted the Center because they knew the experience would enhance the seventh-grade science curriculum. The presentation also clarified grouping species of the animal world.

"This is why we wanted to have them here. It was difficult to learn about classifications," Roche said.



There are only 500 Eurasian eagle owls left in the world. "Bobo" is one of them. While some students guessed his weight as 25-35 pounds, his body is only about 4 pounds, Doehring said, attributing most of the bulk to feathers.

Drug survey

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. . It's just broad-based community involvement."

Diane St. Peter, a therapist at Triad Associates and president of the Task Force, said, "What this basically does is show the community the schools are safe. It's a community problem, not a school problem, which is what the Task Force has been saying all along."

What the report should make parents think about, she continued, is "what kind of role modeling we give outside the schools," as well as the level of supervision children are given.

"They should really question themselves if their children have ever seen them drunk . . . Our children look at our behavior, not our words. And if our behavior says when we party we party hearty, why should we be surprised when they do the same thing . . .

"Now it's up to us as a community to clearly state these statistics are not acceptable."



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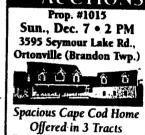
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Patterson offers new plan for well protection

County commission still favors its own, already adopted plan

BY ANNETTE KINGSBURY Clarkston News Editor

Oakland County Executive L. Brooks Patterson has fired another round in the war with the county commission over guaranteeing safe drinking water to county residents.

Patterson and the commission disagree on how to make sure residents know whether their well water is safe. Earlier, the commission enacted a new policy requiring the county to produce an alert map, showing known areas of contamination with such items as arsenic, but stopping short of requiring inspections. Patterson vetoed the policy, the board overrode him, but he has refused to implement it.

Last week Patterson issued his own proposal. It requires inspection of new wells or wells which require extensive changes or repairs, but does not address the issue of existing wells. The county health department would conduct the inspections.

However, the inspections would only check for nitrates and bacteria in the water, not the arsenic which put the whole controversy in motion. The health department would, however, produce a "map concerning groundwater contamination," the policy states, which would be available to residents on demand.

Patterson has said in the past that he feared a wholesale educational campaign regarding areas of contamination would be bad for property values.

Commissioner Ruth Johnson, who has led the fight for the commission's plan, said Patterson's proposal "doesn't help the 200,000 people who live here (already) on well water...

"We don't need another government imposed mandate. Government should give us easy access to information. We just simply need to let people know and we have not done that."

Johnson has argued that some municipalities have their own well programs in place already and there is no need for the county to override them. She's not in favor of testing as proposed by Patterson because "there are 85 different contaminants, and you can't test for all of them." She favors giving residents the alert map and letting them decide what to test for on their own.

Part of the disagreement seems to come over state funding. The state has a set of requirements for sharing costs on drinking water programs. But according to a letter from Flint Watt, chief of the Department of Environmental Quality's Drinking Water and Radio-

logical Protection Division, the county commission's plan would not qualify the county for the cost-sharing program. Hence, the costs of the commission's plan would be borne entirely by the county. Patterson's plan seeks to meet the state's requirements so costs can be shared.

But Johnson said it's not about money, it's about safety.

"We didn't look at it as generating revenue, we looked at it as helping people," she said. "They're testing for nitrates and bacteria and that's all and there's 83 other contaminants out there."

Johnson hopes the commission won't have to go to court to force Patterson to follow the law and implement the plan which was legally adopted. "That would be unfortunate because it would just take that much longer," she said. However, the commission chairman is already empowered by the commission to sue if necessary.

"I just can't figure this out," Johnson said. "Why would somebody not want to let people know their water is contaminated . . . It's the million-dollar question.

"Other counties are doing it. It makes good public health sense. It's common sense."

Reserve a place in history

Excitement is starting to build over the opening next fall of the new Clarkston High School. And leading the way is the Clarkston Foundation, which has come up with a fund-raising idea that should be popular and generate money for the fine arts.

The Foundation received the blessing of the Clarkston Board of Education Nov. 10 to launch an honorary seat sale in conjunction with the new school's auditorium. Money raised by the sale would be used to start an endowment that would fund grants for drama and performing and visual arts in future years.

The Foundation hopes to raise \$30,000 from the sale. The interest on that would be enough to provide around \$3,000 a year for grants, according to assistant superintendent Dave Reschke, the district's liaison to the Foundation.

"We don't know how the sale would go but we anticipate it will be a popular sale," Reschke said.

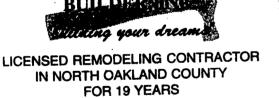
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Sherry Regiani, incoming president of the Foundation, said the new fund would not replace existing grants the Foundation already awards each year, but would be run very much the same way. Under the Foundation's current structure, teachers and librarians apply for grants to fund special projects they want to implement but which are not funded under their normal budgets. The Foundation reviews all applications and awards around \$10,000 a year in grants.

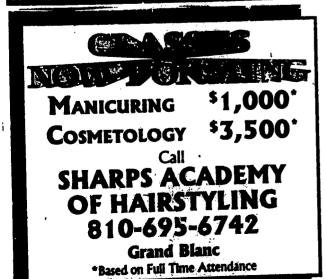
The sale is expected to start immediately, in time for year-end tax deductions. Seats are expected to be priced at \$200 each and sponsors will have their name engraved on a plaque that will hang in the new auditorium. They will also be invited to a special reception to kick off the auditorium and receive tickets to the first musical performed there.

For more information call the Foundation at 625-7500.





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Winter tax bills coming Dec. 1

Independence Township residents can look for an early Christmas present in their mail around December

Winter tax bills are scheduled to go out that date, and township treasurer Jim Wenger said he expects the bills to be on time, unlike last summer when a printer's error caused them to be late.

Taxes are payable Dec. 1-Feb. 17 this year because the actual due date, Feb. 14, falls on a Saturday and is followed by a legal holiday, Presidents' Day, on Feb. 16. Bills will still show the Feb. 14 statutory due date, but late charges will not be assessed until Tuesday, Feb. 18. The late penalty is three percent.

Independence residents will see decreases in their township and county taxes and an increase in Clarkston schools' debt retirement millage of 1.8 mills to cover the most recent bond issue. This is the first time the 1.8 mills will show up on tax bills because it was approved in June, too late to put it on the summer bills.

Independence residents in the Clarkston school district will have a total tax rate of 14.5334 mills. Township residents living in the Lake Orion and Waterford school districts will be levied 12.7334 mills.

A mill is \$1 for every \$1,000 in taxable property value. So if your house has a taxable value of \$100,000 and your millage rate is 14.5334, your tax bill would be \$1,453.34. Wenger notes that some property owners may have a different amount if they are in a special assessment district or have delinquent water or sewer bills.

Tax bills may be paid at the township treasurer's office, where hours are 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday-Friday, by mail or by using the drop box located at the front door of the township hall. They may also be paid at local branches of NBD, Old Kent, First of America or Oxford banks.

Wenger said credit or debit cards are not accepted as payment. "We get a lot of inquiries, but the cost is just too high to the taxpayers and we can't pass it along."

Wenger also wants taxpayers to know that the township hall will be closed for the Christmas holidays on Dec. 24, 25 and 26.

Thanksgiving services

Calvary Lutheran Church is hosting a Thanksgiving community service Tuesday, Nov. 25 at 7:30 p.m.

There will be a 100-voice choir made up of children and adults; dulcimer, flute and trumpet; and sacred dance to enhance the service.

Participating churches include Clarkston Community Church of God, Clarkston Free Methodist Church, Clarkston United Methodist Church, Episcopal Church of the Resurrection, First Congregational, St. Daniel's Catholic and Sashabaw United Presbyterian.



From left, Cara Forney, Jessica Williams, Takouhy Teberian and Danielle Carl rehearse for the fall production.

Drama Club presents 'The Stuck Pot'

Dress rehearsals were last week for the Clarkston High School drama club's production of "The Stuck Pot."

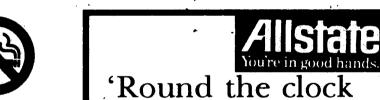
The play takes place at a girls' boarding school in Boston. Each year the parents arrange a debutante ball for their daughters which is also attended by boys from a neighboring school. When the girls find out that the boys hold a secret contest every year to see who ends up with the ugliest partner, they find their own way of getting even.

Starring in this falls' production, under the direction of teacher Jeff Tice, are Heather Whitfield, Sarah

Lester, Aaron McLeran, Jessica Williams, John Moniaci, Cara Forney, Danielle Carl, Takouhy Teberian and Heidi Brown.

Performances are scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Nov. 20, 21 and 22 in the CHS auditorium. Tickets are \$5. For more information call 625-0900.

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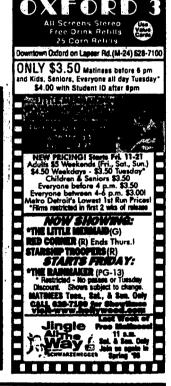
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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 10, a 15-year-old Clarkston boy will be petitioned to juvenile court after he was found in possession of two baggies of marijuana, a scale and \$160 cash in a Maybee Rd. parking lot. Deputies on patrol saw 15-20 juveniles in the lot and stopped to investigate. The youth was turned over to his father.

A Holly woman left an M-15 gas station without paying for \$13 in gas after she offered a check which turned out to be no good.

A Golfview resident said she received a bill from Montgomery Wards when she doesn't have a charge there. The store said someone opened an account using her personal information.

A 1987 Dodge Caravan was reported stolen after it was loaned to a friend by the owner on Dixie Highway Nov. 2 and never returned.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, for the second time in a week, three bottles of cognac were reported missing from a store on M-15.

A 19-year-old Waterford man was arrested on an outstanding warrant in a Waldon Rd. parking lot after a caller informed deputies he was there. He was turned over to Utica Police on a traffic violation.

The owner of a 1988 Chevy Cavalier reported



WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, medical on Lakewood.

Carbon monoxide investigation on Pinedale.

Injury accident on Dixie. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13, medicals on S. River and At the high school.

Fuel Spill on Dixie.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14, injury accident on

Medicals on Maybee, Allen Rd. and N. Holcomb. SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, three injury accidents on I-75.

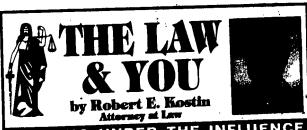
Medical on Drayton.

Investigation of a gas log fireplace on Rama Ct. SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16, vehicle fire on I-

MONDAY, NOV. 10, a N. Main resident reported a stolen lawn table.

SUNDAY, NOV. 16, three-car, non-injury accident on Main near Washington. A Bay City man was cited for failure to stop at an assured clear distance ahead.

Medical on E. Church. One to St. Joe's. Four-car non-injury accident on Main near Robertson Ct. No citations were issued.



DRIVING UNDER THE

cohol.

While the purpose of this column is to explore the legal aspects of everyday life, it would be an omission to neglect the moral implications of drunk driving. Doing so puts innocent people at risk for serious injury that has the potential to completely disrupt the lives of victims, family, and friends alike. Thus, each of us has a moral obligation to drive in as safe a manner as possible, and that means not mixing driving with alcohol. Those who choose to ignore this obligation, at the very least, risk breaking the law. Aside from the consequences associated

with this criminal offense,

victims of drunk driving may

raise liability questions in civil court that exact further penalties

Bad things happen. We may not want them to, but some times they do. in order to protect yourself, your family, your financial circumstances, and your property, it is important that you know what your rights are if you or a member of your family are ever injured in an accident To schedule a consultation, calt 620-1030. Our office is conveniently lo-cated at 11 North Main Street. HINT: Many states have passed "dram shop" laws that

that the car broke down on Ellis Rd. When he returned about two hours later, the window had been broken and his CD player and radar detector had been stolen.

A Clintonville Rd. resident reported some four checks had been stolen from his home and used to purchase \$2,726 worth of goods. He said a credit card was also missing.

A 22-year-old man was taken to Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital after he tried to go around a vehicle turning left on Sashabaw and hit it. He was also ticketed.

One person was injured when a car turning left on Dixie hit a second car and caused it to hit a tree.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, a White Lake Rd. resident reported the theft of a gun from his apartment. There were no signs of forced entry.

A wallet containing ID but no money was stolen from an unlocked truck parked in a Sashabaw Rd. parking lot.

A 12-year-old Clarkston girl reported she was threatened by a 14-year-old Clarkston girl on Marshbank.

Rocks were thrown at a 1985 GMC truck parked overnight at an M-15 business. The headlights were broken and the body dented.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13, a 20-year-old Clarkston woman was arrested at her home on Maybee on an outstanding felony warrant for writing three bad checks within 10 days.

A delivery truck leaked fuel in a Dixie parking lot after the driver hit a wall and punctured a hole in the gas tank. He was ticketed. The fire department responded to try to contain the fuel, then an environmental clean-up company took over.

A wallet containing credit cards was found at an M-15 gas station.

The owner of a 1997 Toyota was backing out of a Sashabaw barking lot when the car was kicked by a passing pedestrian. The pedestrian left the scene but returned while a deputy was there and was issued a ticket. He said he would pay for the damages and said he kicked the car because it got too close to him and he is trained in the martial arts.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14, stereo equipment valued at around \$2,000 was stolen from a 1988 Mustang parked inside a garage on Maybee. Someone who was apparently wearing gloves broke a padlock on the garage then pried a lock on the car. The owner said it was the second time he had been similarly victimized.

A door was pried at a business on Maybee but nothing appeared taken.

A deputy trying to open a car door for the lockedout owner in a Dixie parking lot around 12:30 a.m. accidentally broke a window on the 1995 Saturn.

Breaking and entering of a construction trailer on Staghorn. Someone cut the lock and stole over \$3,000 worth of power tools.

A 74-year-old Clarkston man received minor injuries when he ran in front of a car on Maybee Rd. The driver of an oncoming car swerved to avoid the man but brushed him and knocked him down. After checking to see that the pedestrian was OK, the panicked driver fled the scene. His vehicle was later located, thanks to witnesses, and he was ticketed for leaving the scene of an accident.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, two tires were slashed on two cars parked in a Deer Hill driveway overnight.

Three car/deer accidents were reported on M-15. SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16, two teens, ages 16 and 17, were ticketed for possession of alcohol after deputies were called to a fight on Sashabaw Rd. Both teens possessed alcohol, cigarettes and rolling papers and were ticketed, then turned over to their parents.

Doors were pried at a Maybee Rd. business but nothing appeared missing. A tracking dog traced the culprit to an apartment on Marshbank.

A window was broken on a 1995 Ford Explorer parked in the M-15 Park and Ride lot and a few personal objects were taken. A pliers was found on the floor of

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 17, a window was broken on a 1992 Chevy S-10 parked on Sashabaw and a stereo, planner, briefcase, textbook and 10 checks were stolen.

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Section B

League champs!

Wolves head into districts with OAA Division I championship

BY BRAD MONASTIERE

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Clarkston 50 Rochester Adams 35

The storybook regular season has ended, but there are more chapters to come.

Completing a stunning turnaround, the Clarkston varsity girls basketball team walked off the Rochester Adams floor Friday night with a 50-35 win and a share of the OAA Division I championship.

After a 1996 season that saw the team end up 2-10 in league play and in last place, Clarkston finished 1997 10-2 in the league, in first place, tied with Rochester.

First-year Clarkston coach Ann Lowney said the players could not be more deserving of the title "League Champions."

"I never won a league title as a player, so it should mean a lot to them," she said. "I hope they have these memories forever, because they really deserve it.

"They have put in so much extra work over the season. Staying late to shoot free throws. The kids did everything I asked them to do. They were great and I couldn't be happier."

Senior guard Tiffany Honey, the only three-year varsity player on the squad, said winning the league meant the team learned how to win this year.

"For the seniors, it was our last chance to do it," she said among smiles and cheers after the game. "It's just the best feeling in the world. Last year, we came in here and got killed by Adams. But we knew we could win this. We worked so hard through the season and we learned how to beat other teams."

Indeed, learning to win is one of sport's tougher



Senior Georgia Senkyr dribbles upcourt during the first quarter of Friday's championship-clinching game at Rochester Adams.



The 1997 Clarkston varsity girls basketball team is all smiles after winning the OAA Division I title with a 50-35 win at Rochester Adams. The Wolves finished 17-3 overall and 10-2 in the league, tied with Rochester.

skills to master. There's winning the close games with big plays in crunch time. There's also putting a team away with a shot of killer instinct. This team displayed all of those skills against the Highlanders in the game.

Clarkston (17-3 overall) jumped out to a 13-6 lead at the end of the first quarter. Adams then made a run thanks to crashing the offensive boards and staying patient on offense, pulling to within 18-16 with 3:00 left in the first half.

Honey helped the Wolves cap an 8-2 run to end the half with a running bank shot from six feet out at the buzzer for her only two points of the game. Lowney said Honey's shot brought momentum into Clarkston's dressing room.

It worked, because Clarkston started the second half with an 8-0 run, thanks mainly to sophomore center Lori Wild, who had her best game of the season. In the 8-0 run, she converted two offensive rebounds for scores and made a backcourt steal which turned into an easy layup for senior Georgia Senkyr.

Wild finished with 16 points and 16 rebounds in a game where she completely dominated Adams' big front line.

"Lori is so dam good, that when she gets going and is aggressive, she's almost impossible to stop," Lowney said. In the first six minutes of the third, Wild piled up six points, three rebounds, one steal and one assist

Senkyr played another great game, with eight points and eight rebounds, but her best work came without stats. She put the clamps down on Adams' Dianna Sorentino, enhancing her reputation for being one of the county's top defensive stoppers.

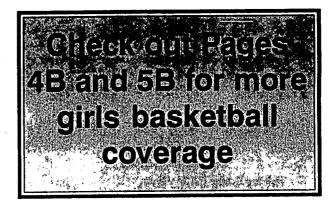
"A great all-around game," Lowney said of Senkyr's performance.

Junior guard Deana Kanipe scored 11 and showed her defensive presence with seven steals. Her ballhawking in the backcourt was a disruption for the Adams offense all game long.

At the end of the game, Clarkston sported an allsenior lineup which included Kelly Hanna, who made the most of her time. She made 3-of-4 free throws and rose up to block a Sorentino shot in a play that brought the large Clarkston crowd to its feet.

After the final buzzer, the team huddled together for some postgame pictures before going to a team party at Muskies in Auburn Hills, dancing the night

Wednesday, it's back to work, as the team opens the district playoffs with a game against Lapeer West at 8 p.m. at Lapeer East High School. The other district semifinal, Lake Orion against Lapeer East, will be played at 6 p.m.



Hockey team looks to improve on smashing debut

BY BRAD MONASTIERE Clarkston News Staff Writer

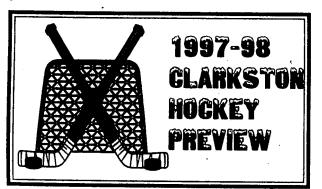
In its first season of play, the Clarkston hockey team found grand success on the ice.

As a first-year team with no conference affiliation, the Wolves skated to a 15-7-1 record in 1996-97. The team made it to the regional finals before losing to Hartland 5-2.

Clarkston opens its second season Saturday with a home game against Waterford Kettering. Game time is 8:20 p.m. at the Lakeland Ice Arena at the corner of M-59 and Williams Lake Road in Waterford.

Expectations are higher for this team overflowing with talent at every position. Coach Rick Rowden said with last season's experience, the team will be better prepared to go to war together this season.

"Last year was a feeling-out process for the players and the coaches," he said. "We treated our games as 22 good practices for the state tournament. Being in a league this year will help us a lot. But when we're all together, we can play with anybody. We have great chemistry and the kids really enjoy being together."



Having league membership is the biggest change on this team for 1997-98. Clarkston will be part of the nine-team North Division of the Suburban Prep Hockey League. The Wolves will be joined by first-year teams from Waterford Mott, Waterford Kettering and Troy, and holdovers Bloomfield Hills Andover, Bloomfield Hills Lahser, Birmingham, Southfield and Royal Oak.

"Being in the league will give us more incentive to win all of our regular season games," Rowden said. "This helps us get our goals for the season in line. First, to win the league, then districts and so on."

The Wolves return 16 players from last year team that was ranked as high as eighth in the state during the season. Up front, Clarkston has four forward lines loaded with offensive firepower and the grinders that make every team successful.

Look for the bulk of the scoring to come from the lines of Bret Postal-Bill Kalush-Anthony Facione and Adam Leech-Josh Babe-Ryan Peters. Facione was second on the team in scoring last year with 22 goals and 41 points, while Peters finished with 20 goals and 34 points.

Last season's leading scorer - sophomore Andy Cote - should return from suspension Dec. 20 against Royal Oak. Cote had 33 goals and 18 assists for 51 points a year ago.

The team also boasts of a number of quality



The 1997-98 Clarkston hockey team

newcomers, starting with forwards Derek Hool, Jason Stoecker and Steve Janowiak. This line gives Clarkston a physical style on the ice, mucking it up in the corners to set up the snipers for opportunities in front of the net. The rest of the team's forwards are Ben Gray, Jon Bemis and Jay Manojlovich.

Defense was a concern for Rowden last year, but figures to be the most improved position on the team this season. Team MVP D.J. Thomas returns with his steady play from the blue line. He is paired up with Brian Welbourn, a more physical player, for a potent defensive tandem.

"We've got a solid four guys who can do everything for us," Rowden said. "Ronnie Wells and D.J. are solid fundamentally and can move the puck well."

First-year player Tom Newman teams with Wells on defense that makes up for a lack of size with toughness in the corners. Other defensive pairings that figure to see action include Jim Brewer and Steve Zulinski and Dan Newman and Jake Gaines.

Clarkston's goaltending might be as strong as any grant the state, with three quality netminders. Senior Ryant-Hogan returns as the starter, with Steve Badger and Pat Cook backing up. Both proved very capable of stepping in and delivering good performances for the team. Between the three goaltenders, Clarkston allowed two goals or less in nine of the team's 23 games last season.

"It's Ryan's job to lose, but all three are very good," assistant coach Glenn MacDonald said. "They all work well together and make each other better."

In the North Division, Rowden sees Royal Oak and Birmingham as top contenders for the league crown, along with the Wolves.

"The first two weeks will tell us where we stand," Rowden said. "We've got a nasty non-league schedule that will toughen us up for the playoffs." 'We have great chemistry and the kids really enjoy being together.'

Coach Rick Rowden

1997-98 Clarkston Hockey Schedule

Nov. 22	Waterford Kettering	8:20
Nov. 26	at Brother Rice	6:45
Nov. 29	Hartland	8:20
Dec. 5	at Southfield	3:20
Dec. 6	Birmingham	5:20
Dec. 7	Waterford Mott	4:20
Dec. 9	B.H. Lahser	3:30
Dec. 20	Royal Oak	2:20
Jan. 8	at B.H. Andover	8:00
Jan. 10	at Troy	7:30
Jan. 11	Windsor Massey	4:20
Jan. 16	Southfield	3:30
Jan. 17	at Waterford Kettering	2:20
Jan. 18	Davison	4:20
Jan. 21	at Livonia Churchill	6:00
Jan. 24	at Birmingham	7:00
Jan. 25	at Waterford Mott	4:20
Jan. 28	at Royal Oak	8:00
Jan. 31	B.H. Andover 1	1:30 a.m.
Feb. 4	Port Huron Northern	3:30
Feb. 7	at B.H. Lahser	8:45
Feb. 11	at Cranbrook	7:00
Feb. 14	Troy	8:20
Feb. 16	at Marysville	4:00
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*-the games at Mott and Kettering will be played at Lakeland Arena

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CHS grad sets state powerlifting record

BY BRAD MONASTIERE

Clarkston News Staff Writer

What started as a hobby could evolve into some national recognition for Clarkston's Patrick Rouse.

Rose, 23, is making a name for himself in the state powerlifting circuit, as he set four state records in three weightlifting events at the State Powerlifting Meet in Roseville Oct. 18. He deadlifted 550 lbs., bench pressed 335 lbs. and did 570 lbs. in the squat press. Each of those marks is a state record for the age 20-23 group. His three-event total of 1,455 lbs. also set a new record.

With his fine performance, Rouse qualified for the national qualifier meet in Warren in December. The national meet will take place July 18, 1998 in Chicago.

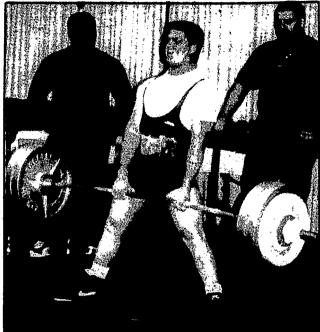
Rouse said he enjoys the competitive aspects of powerlifting, and the satisfaction out of seeing the strength he has.

"Those meets have a very friendly atmosphere, but they are very competitive," Rouse said. "I have a sense of accomplishment when I lift. After my big lifts, it sometimes feels like I can move a big mountain if I

Rouse, a 1992 graduate of Clarkston High School, started bodybuilding during his high school days, and enjoyed it so much, he decided to give it a go competitively. He said he puts in 10 hours per week working out in the gym, but "There are a lot of house outside the gym you have to put in also.

"It's very important to make your tendons strong and be flexible," he said.

By doing so well at the regional level, Rouse confidently said he expects to break some national powerlifting records in his age group in this his last year



Patrick Rouse shows off his deadlift form at a recent competition

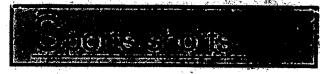
as a junior (20-23 age group). He said he has given Olympic competition some thought, but there are different lifting events in the Olympics than what he competes in now.

"In the Olympics, you have the clean-and-jerk, which is not my type of lift," he said. "I have given it some thought, and with my prime age of 27-32 still a few years off, I might give it a try.'

Rouse works out in World's Gym in Rochester on Walton near the Oakland University campus.

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Andrea Jones signs to play at Northern Michigan

Andrea Jones, a senior at Auburn Hills Oakland Christian High School and Clarkston resident, signed a national letter of intent Tuesday to play basketball at Northern Michigan University.

Jones, a 5-foot-10 forward, is in her fourth season on the varsity team at Oakland Christian. Her team is 19-1 and currently ranked first in the state in Class D. She was rated as one of the state's top 100 players by the Detroit Free Press.

Andrea is the daughter of Frank and Geri Jones of Clarkston.

Football team hands out 1997 awards

At its banquet Nov. 11, the Clarkston varsity football team handed out the following postseason awards:

Offensive MVP: Brad Phalen.

Defensive MVP: Ryan Kulka.

Coach's Award: Dane Fife, Jeff Long, Nate Skipton.

Unsung Hero: Dan Neubeck.

Heart Award: Mike Maitrott.

Most Improved Player Offense: Erich Poley. Most Improved Player Defense: Klint Powell.

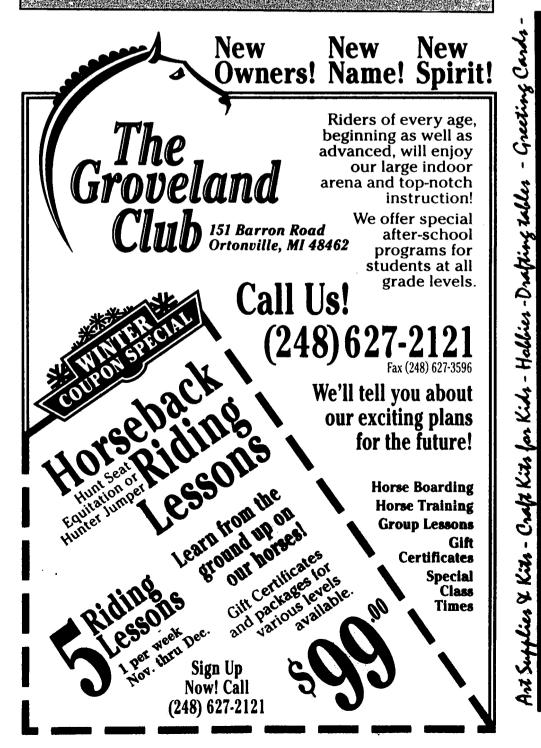
Scholar Athletes: Mike Little, Brad Bailey, Kevin

Mason. Hog of the Year: Mike Underwood.

All-OAA: Fife, Phalen, Long, Underwood, Nick Upchurch.

Honorable Mention: Kulka, Maitrott.

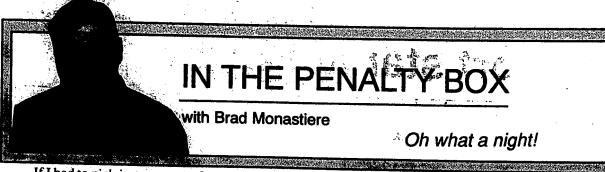






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If I had to pick just one game from the many I've covered since I've been in Clarkston to be my favorite r most memorable, I would pick Friday's girls basketball game between Clarkston and Rochester Adams.

I wouldn't pick it necessarily for the game itself, a 50-35 Wolves win. There was no last-second heave from half court that won the game. There were no free throws with less than a second left that decided it.

My reasons have almost nothing to do with the game itself, rather everything surrounding it. With the win, Clarkston clinched the OAA Division I title, sharing it with Rochester. The win finished an amazing regular season for this group of hard-working athletes and a coach who always believed in them.

First of all, coach Ann Lowney has to win some kind of Coach of the Year award. To quote Vince Vaughn from The Lost World, "Close the entries, the competition's over." The job Lowney has done with this team could be made into a textbook on how to coach a winning girls basketball team. In 1995 and 1996, Lowney guided Birmingham Seaholm to OAA Division II titles, so you know this is no accident. If she doesn't win any Coach of the Year honors, well, she's got mine.

I remember the first Troy game, a slim 44-39 win for the Wolves. Lowney was so upset at the way the team played, she could barely talk to me after the game. As the girls trudged off to their cars for the night, they could all sense the endless running sure to be in store for them at the next day's practice.

Instead, Lowney gathered the team in the health room not for a film session or a private talk, but for cake and ice cream. This did wonders for the team mental state. It's one thing to like the coach you play for. It's

another when you would be willing to walk on hot coals for her. To be a championship team, that's how the relationship between the players and the coach has to be. This team has that.

Another compliment to the team can be found in the scores of the games through the season. Clarkston played six OAA I opponents, two times each. Against four of those teams, the scoring differential between the first and second meetings improved. For instance: Clarkston lost by two to Troy Athens the first game and won by two in the second. Clarkston won by four against Adams the first time and by 15 the second time. Clarkston lost by three to Rochester the first time and won by 16 the second. The only two teams Clarkston didn't improve like that were Troy (plus-5 to plus-4) and Waterford Kettering (plus-10 both times). In the first six games of the league schedule, the Wolves were a plus-18. The second six games, a plus-55. That speaks for itself.

After the team beat Adams to win the league, players, coaches, parents and fans gathered on the court, enjoying the celebration. Everyone was hugging, posing for pictures and letting yells of joy fly into the air. Ledidn't want to leave. I was so happy for these girls and what they've accomplished. I was at their first practice at 6:30 a.m. Aug. 11. I've seen the constant running, the joking, the free throw shooting practice they put in. All for a moment like that. The celebration carried long into the night with music, dancing and happiness, all very well-deserved.

No matter how far Clarkston goes in the playoffs, this team has accomplished a lot this year and has much to be proud of. But the most fun could be yet to come. Stay tuned, fans.

Basketball notebook

Switchback

What a difference a year makes.

On Nov. 14, 1996, Rochester Adams went into Clarkston with a chance to win the OAA Division I. Adams won the game by 16 points, 38-22.

On Nov. 14, 1997, Clarkston went into Rochester Adams with a chance to win the OAA Division I. The Wolves won the game by 15 points, 50-35. Coincidence?

Scouting the opposition

Wednesday, the Wolves will face the Lapeer West Panthers in a second round District 31 game at Lapeer East High School at 8 p.m.

The two teams met back on Sept. 2 when Clarkston ran away with a 57-32 victory at Lapeer West. Clarkston's leading scorers in that game were sophomore Lori Wild with 14 points, senior Jenny Bauer with nine and junior Corinne McIntyre with eight.

Junior guard Deana Kanipe did not play in the game because she had not moved into the Clarkston school district, and was not eligible. Kanipe led the team in scoring in 14 of the 18 games she played in

In that first meeting, West only made eight field goals, four from 3-point land. The Panthers shot 4-for-16 from the free throw line as a team.

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Honey to be a two-sport star at Northwood

BY BRAD MONASTIERE

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Clarkston High School senior Tiffany Honey isn't following in the footsteps of two-sport athletes like Bo Jackson, Deion Sanders and Charlie Ward.

She'll make a path of her own.

Monday afternoon, Honey signed a national letter of intent to Northwood University to play softball and basketball. She will be a preferred walk-on for basketball as part of the deal.

"This is a dream come true for me," Honey said, surrounded by friends, coaches and teammates at Monday's announcement. "Growing up, I always hoped I could play sports in college. I couldn't ever imagine myself not playing sports. But I'm very excited to be going to Northwood."

Northwood is a Division II university in Midland that specializes in business education. The Timberwolves · originally recruited Honey for basketball, but she was so intent on playing softball, she sought out Northwood coach Suzanne Brown to express her interest in playing. Honey was impressed with the success Northwood's nationally ranked softball program has had in recent years, and after talking to Brown on her visit Oct. 26, made her decision.

"I had a rough time making my decision," Honey said. "But I talked to Mr. (Dan) Fife and Mr. (Neal) Sage my counselor and they helped me out a lot.

"I made my visit and I really liked the campus up there," she said. "I wanted to go to a small, private school and I was really impressed with their academics."

Clarkston softball coach Al Land said Honey



Clarkston senior Tiffany Honey is joined by friends and family at her college announcement Monday afternoon at CHS. Honey will go to Northwood University next year to play softball and basketball.

won't have a problem taking her skills to the college benefit to her."

said. "Tiffany will be in a comfort zone up there, and I determination. think she'll do well because of that. She can play the

Tiffany's mother Tammi said she is proud of what "Can she play at that level? Most definitely," he her daughter has done because of her work ethic and

"She's a real go-getter," Tammi Honey said. "She outfield as well as the infield and that will be a real knows what she wants and likes proving people wrong. A real spitfire." Continued on Page 6B

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The 1997 Clarkston Chiefs cheerleading teams won several awards at the Suburban Football Association Supercheer dance competition at Ferndale Oct. 11. Pictured is the varsity team, who took first place with "Greased Lightning." Pictured (front L-R) are: mascot Lauren Struble, (second L-R) Becca Kullis. Ashlei Jo West, Stephanie McEvoy, Rachel Traver. Courtney Cook, Carrie Krull, Jaclyn Fahrner, Stacey Coburn, (third L-R) mascot Mikaela Parrish, Kathy Granzow, Lindsay Granzow, Lindsay Walker, Lindsay Whitehead, Kathi Wiegland, Courtney Barker, (fourth L-R) Kim Wilson, Megan Gaines, Sarah Haffner, Nicole Papadelis, Amanda Sawyer, Nicole McLeod, Vanessa Poley, (back L-R) Danielle Webb, Johanna Larson, Lauren Bendes, Ashley Wilson, Kayla Baker and Lindsey Hawley.

Tiffany

Tiffany's father Bill coach her through many of her early softball years dating back to when she was 10 years old. He said her drive to succeed is one quality that will serve her well at college.

"You don't have to push her. She pushes herself," he said. "She's her own worst critic and that fire inside her will make her be successful."

Honey will play her fourth season on the varsity softball team this spring. She hit leadoff the last two

From Page 5B

years and is a real catalyst for the team at the plate and on the basepaths.

On the hardwood, Honey is the only three-year varsity player on the girls basketball team. She is one of the team's captains and sparks the Wolves with her free throw shooting, 3-point shooting and nugged defense.

Northwood's basketball coach Erica Leady was a teammate of Ann Lowney, the Clarkston varsity coach. a few years ago.

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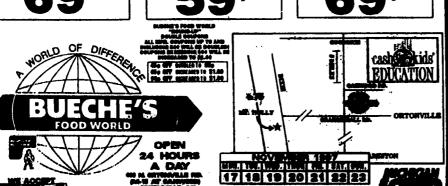
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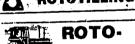
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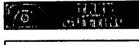
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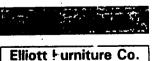
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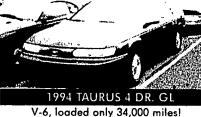
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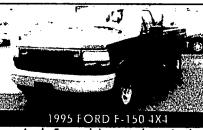
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066-CRAFT SHOWS & BAZAARS

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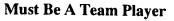
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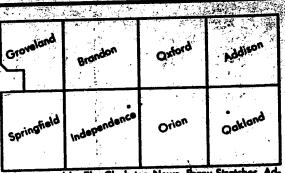
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PUBLIC NOTICE Because the People Want to Know

INDEPENDENCE: TWP. CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ORDINANCE AMENDMENT At a regular meeting of the Township Board held on November 4, 1997, the Board authorized a Second Reading and Adoption of a text amendment to the Township's Zoning Ordinance No. 83

The motion to approve this amendment was offered by Travis, supported by Wallace, the vote on the motion was as follows: Ayes: McCrary, McGee, Rosso, Stuart, Travis, Wallace, Wenger. Nays: None. The motion carried. This ordinance amend-

ment is effective January 15, 1998.

TEXT AMENDMENT TO ZONING ORDINANCE

DUTIES OF BUILDING OFFICIAL AND BUILDING PERMIT **APPLICATION**

An ordinance to amend Ordinance Number 83, as amended, An ordinance to amend Ordinance Number 83, as amended, the Zoning Ordinance, for the purpose of amending and adding to the provisions of the Ordinance providing specifications and requirements with regard to duties of the Building Official and applications for building permits and certificates of occupancy.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS TO AMEND THE INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP ZONING ORDINANCE, AS AMENDED:

Saction 1 of Ordinance

Section 1 of Ordinance Section 31.02 of the Zoning Ordinance shall be amended by deleting certain language and amending certain language so as to read as follows:

Section 31.02. Duties of the Building Official. The Building Official shall have the authority to issue permits and make inspections of buildings and premises in order to carry out his or her duties as provided in this Ordinance. The Building Official shall not approve any plans and/or issue any permits for

excavating or construction until he or she has inspected such plans in detail and found them to be in conformity with this Ordinance.

- Applications for permits shall be in accordance with Section 31.03, below. A permit shall be issued by the Building Official if the application conforms in all respects with this ordinance, and with all other applicable ordinances, statutes and regulations. Private contracts, covenants and restrictions, in and of themselves, shall not be a basis for denial of a permit. Where the Building Official determines to deny an application for a permit, he or she shall state in writing the reasons for such denial.
- The Building Official shall not have authority to grant exceptions or variances to the strict terms of this ordinance, and in the event of the issuance of a permit in violation of this ordinance, such issuance shall not, in any respect, waive any provision of this ordinance. A person shall not have the right to rely upon the issuance of a permit as a basis for violating the terms of this ordinance.

Section 2 of Ordinance

Section 31.03 of the Zoning Ordinance shall be amended to read as follows in its entirety: Section 31.03. Permit.

Permits Required. It shall be unlawful for any person to commence excavation for or construction of any building or structure, to make structural changes or repairs of or in any existing building or structure, to move an existing building or structure or to engage in grading, stripping of top soil, excavation or road-construction activities without first obtaining a permit from the Building

Permits For New Use Of Land Required. It shall be unlawful for any person to change the current use of land (whether presently vacant or occupied) without first obtaining a permit from the Building Official.

Permits For New Use Of Buildings Or Structures Required. It shall be unlawful for any person to change the use of an existing building or structure without first obtaining a permit from the Building Official.

Permit Requirements - General. No permits shall be issued until an application has been submitted in accordance with the provisions of this Ordinance, and all other applicable ordinances, statutes and regulations, showing that the construction proposed is in compliance with the provisions of this Ordinance and with the Build-

Application Requirement. As a condition to the issuance of a building permit, and prior to undertaking any grading, stripping of topsoil, excavation, change of principal use, moving of buildings, road construction or modification by any private person or entity, and/or any construction requiring a building permit, an application shall be submitted to and approved by the Building Director in accordance with this section.

Prior Grading Plan. If the Township has approved a grading plan in connection with the same project, the Building Official may waive the requirement for a new permit for grading, stripping or excavation in conformance with such approved grading plan.

inclusions in Applications. The applications shall include a grading application and a building permit application which shall together include a written statement on the forms provided by the Building Department together with a plot plan.

inclusions in Piot Plan. The plot plan shall show the following, taking into consideration the Development Design Standards contained in Chapter 8.1 of the Township Ordinance Code. The preparation of the plot plan shall be by a registered land surveyor or registered civil engineer if required by the Building Director where needed in order to make relevant decisions.

Legal description of the property accompanied by a statement affirming that the property has been surveyed and that the boundary corners of the property have been marked by placing permanent point at each corner of the property.

North point and scale of not less than one inch one hundred feet.
The name, address and telephone number of the

person responsible for the preparation of the plan. The dimensions of all lot and property lines: includd)

ing bearings and distances, and showing the relationship of the subject property to abutting proper-

Two-foot contours or spot grade elevvations at 50' on center for the entire property, as existing, and for a distance not less than 50 outside the entire perimeter of the property. In the case of a building site that is heavily wooded, and that has sharp topographical features, the Building Official may. in his or her discretion, modify the requirements of this provision, however, sufficient information must be provided for use in making and confirming grading and drainage determinations. The terms of the reduction in requirements shall be stated in writing, signed by the Building Official and the building permit holder, and the original shall be maintained in the Township file.

Existing finished grade elevations of all existing buildings or structures on or within a minimum 50' of the property. A distance greater than 50' may be required if reasonably determined to be necessary

by the Building Director.

The location and dimensions of all existing and/or proposed drives and parking areas.

The location and dimensions of all existing and/or proposed rights-of-way and/or easements on the property and all abutting streets, roads and/or

The location of all existing or proposed underground utilities and utility leads (including water, sanitary sewer, well, septic field and storm water). Proposed finished grade of all buildings in tenths

of a foot, the site itself, and the entire perimeter of the property including property corners. The boundaries of wetlands and/or flood plains, as

governed by applicable law and ordinance, including natural feature setback, all of which shall be subject to field verification.

The point, area, ditch, or enclosure to which all storm water shall drain.

The proposed method of rear yard drainage. The general location of rear and side yard drainage and swales, and the direction of drainage indicated with arrows. Proposed swale inverts are to be provided at a maximum 50-foot interval where grades are critical and such detail is necessary in the opinion of the Building Official.

The location of existing and proposed buildings on the property, including setback dimensions to front, side and rear property lines, and tie dimensions from the proposed building to any adjoining building on or within 20' of the property.

The location of existing and proposed free stand-

ing signs and lighting structures.

The location and dimensions of existing or prop-

osed pedestrian walks or paths. All required zoning setbacks shown and labeled. Such other or additional information concerning the property, or adjoining properties, as may be essential for determining whether the provisions of this ordinance shall be met, as required by the

Building Director.

Waiver of Duplication. If, and to the extent, substantially the same information, review and approval have been previously provided as required by the Township, and a change of circumstances has not occurred, the Building Director may waive all or a portion of the requirements in paragraphs (5)-(8), above, upon a determination that compliance with the waived portions would serve no purpose.

Walver For Activity Not Involving New Buildings Or Additions. When the proposed activity does not involve construction of a new building or structure, or an addition to a building or structure, the Building Director may waive one or more of the inclusions in the plot plan upon a determination that furnishing such material for each of

- the provisions to be waived would serve no purpose. Following Foundation and Backfill. Following the installation of footings or foundation walls, and after backfilling such walls, but prior to commencement of any additional work, the builder shall, by certification of a registered engineer or surveyor, or by other means deemed reliable by the Building Official, demonstrate to the Building Official that the footings or foundation walls property and that the grade for the brick ledge or other basis for determining final grade is set to proper elevation, both according to the dimensions and elevations as indicated on the approved plot plan.
- Prior to the inspection to determine location and elevations of the footings or foundation walls, all property lines shall be identified with the surveyed property comers in place and visibly identifiable.

The builder or his agent shall be present on the property at the time of inspection with a copy of the

approved building plan and plot plan. 12. No Substantive Change; Exception. No substantive changes from the approved plot plan shall be permitted for individual homes, condominiums or commercial structures; however, this provision shall not prohibit the submission and approval of an amended plot plan. For changes which contemplate an altered grade, such as a request for a walk-out basement where none is shown on the approved plot plan, a proposed revision of the plot plan shall be submitted with a letter from a registered engineer or surveyor, bearing his or her seal, certifying that: (1) the change has been reviewed and is consistent with regard to drainage on the individual building site, in the general area, and with regard to the

drainage plan approved for the land which includes the building site (if such a grading plan exists); and (2) that such change does not create significant grade differential with surrounding properties resulting in steep slopes or necessitating construction of retaining walls, provided, where the change does create a significant grade differential with surrounding properties, the engineer may include the change and certify as part of the letter that the differential has been reconciled with surrounding properties.

Prior To Issuance Of Certificate Of Occupancy. Prior to the issuance of a certificate of occupancy, the Building Official shall inspect the site to confirm that construc-tion has been completed in accordance with the plans for the property. If the Building Official has a material question based upon such inspection, the Building Official may require as-built certifications as follows:

Builder Certification: A certification that construction has been completed in accordance with all of the plans and specifications submitted for issuance of a building permits as the same may have been expressly amended and approved by

the Building Director; and/or

Surveyor/Engineer: A plot plan certified by a registered surveyor or engineer that he or she has completed a survey of the building foundation, and certifies that it is located as shown on the approved plans, that the garage foundation, brick ledge or other basis for determining final grade are set in accordance with the approved plans, and that drainage will be in accordance with the approved plans (subject to any changes in accordance with sub-paragraph (12) above).

14. Obligation To Comply with Ordinance: Waiver Regarding This Section.

With the exception of the authorization contained in paragraph (b) of this subsection (14), in no event is the Building Director, Building Inspector and/or

other official of the Township authorized to alter or Officery the terms of this ordinance, and any permit issued or other action allowed in violation of this ordinance shall not be binding upon the Township, and the Township shall have the absolute right at all times to expect and compel full conformance with this ordinance.

If the Building Official determines with respect to an acreage parcel, taking into consideration the size and topography of the parcel, location of existing and proposed improvements, and any other relevant factor, that providing any of the information required in this Section would serve no useful purpose, the Building Official may Issue a written waiver with respect to the necessity of providing such information. Such waiver shall identify the information that is not being required, and shall be signed by the Building Official and the building permit holder. The original of such waiver shall be maintained in the Township file.

15. Stop Work Order. The Building Director shall be authorized to issue a stop work order to any person and/ or entity in violation of this ordinance, and to any person involved in the removal of vegetation, e.g., grubbing, on any property if it is determined by the Building Director that plans and/or other steps or precautions need to be taken in order to assure that erosion and/or drainage problems do not result from the activity. In the event of the issuance of such a stop work order, all persons and/ or entities performing the work directed to be stopped in the stop work order shall cease and fully and completely desist from all activities, to the extent directed in the

Notwithstanding Issuance of a Certificate of occupancy for any property, any and all final grading and/or landscaping shall be undertaken and maintained in a manner which does not alter the drainage pattern for the site unless a proposed revision of the plot plan shall be submitted as provided in subsection (12), above.

Section 3 of Ordinance Except as provided above, the Zoning Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 4 of Ordinance

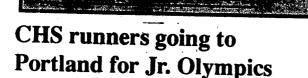
The effective date of this Ordinance shall depend in part on whether the ordinance is requested to be submitted to the Township electors for approval. A notice of intent to make such a request must be submitted within seven days of publication of the or nance. If such a notice has not been timely submitted, this ordinance shall take effect on the 15th day of January, 1998. If a notice of intent is timely filed, a petition requesting the submission of this ordinance to the Township electors must be filed within thirty (30) days of publication of the ordinance. If such a petition has not been timely filed, this ordinance shall take effect on the 15th day of January, 1998. If such a petition has been timely filed, this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon the final determination by the Township Clerk that a majority of the registered electors in the Township have voted to approve it, or on the 15th day of January, 1998, whichever date is later. A petition requesting submission of this ordinance to a vote of the electors must be signed by a number of registered Township electors equal to not less than 10% of the total vote cast for all candidates for governor at the last preceding general election at which a governor was elected.

CERTIFICATION The foregoing ordinance was duly adopted by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Independence at a meeting held by the Board duly called and held on the 4th day of November, 1997.

Charter Township of Independence By: Joan E. McCrary, Clerk

Introduced: October 7, 1997. Adopted: November 4, 1997. Published in the Clarkston News on: November 19, 1997. Effective: January 15, 1998.

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David Sage, Matt Haver and Dan Burke, all sophomores on the Clarkston boys cross country team, will be going to Portland (Ore.) Dec. 13 for the National Junior Olympic cross country meet.

The three quialified after the Midwest Regional Meet in Dayton, Ohio Saturday. Sage finished second overall with a time of 16:42. Haver took 12th at 17:17 and Burke finished 35th at 18:25.

As a team, the three took first at the Michigan Meet in Detroit Nov. 8.

HOW TO WARM TACO SHELLS

Tacos are made two ways; with corn tortillas and with flour tortillas. Ortega corn tortillas are generally used i.. crisp tacos; Ortega flour tortillas are generally used in soft tacos. Both kinds of shells taste best when they're warmed before filing.

To warm soft tacos in a microwave oven, wrap a stack of tortillas in waxed paper. To make them even softer, lightly sprinkle each one with water before wrapping. Microwave on HIGH (100%) power for 45 seconds. To heat in a conventional oven wrap tortillas in aluminum foil. Sprinkle tortillas with water, if desired. Bake in preheated 300°F oven for 15 minutes.

To warm crisp taco shells, place shells on large microwave-safe plate. Microwave on HIGH (100%) power for 1 minute. For crisper shells, rearrange; heat for additional 30%econds. Or, place taco shells on baking sheet. Bake in preheated 350°F oven for 6 to 8 minutes



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Wrestling club starting up

It's that time of year again, when the Clarkston Wolves Wrestling Club will strap on the headgear and get going for the 1997-98 season.

The program's membership night will take place Tuesday, Dec. 2 at the Sashabaw Middle School cafeteria at 7 p.m. Registration is \$40 per child and \$20 for any additional siblings. Parents should bring a copy of the child's birth certificate and sizes for practice Tshirts and sweatpants.

The club is for kids ages 6-14. Wrestlers ages 8 and under start practice Dec. 4 from 6:30-7:30 p.m., while ages 9 and up will go from 7:30-9. Practices are held at the upper gym at SMS.

For more information, call 620-3248.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE

POSITION AVAILABLE

The Charter Township of Independence Parks and Recreation Department is accepting applications for a Recreation Programmer. A person in this position is responsible for the administration of all youth and adult athletics. The salary range for this position is \$27,000-\$31,000 annually plus a full fringe benefit package. There will be some night and weekend hours with this position.

Applicants should possess a Bachelor's Degree with a major in recreation or sports administration or related field. Resumes will be accepted until Wednesday, November 26, 1997 and should be submitted to Ann Conklin; Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department; 90 N. Main Street; P.O, Box 69; Clarkston, Michigan 48347.

PUBLIC NOTICE Because the People Want to Know

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING The Planning Commission of Independence Township,

Oakland County, Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on: December 11, 1997 at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Board Room, 90 North Main

Street, Clarkston, Michigan 48346, to consider the following: FILE # 97-1-056 Bridge Lake Properties, Inc., Petitioner REZONING REQUEST FROM: R-1R (Rural Residential)

TO: R-1A (Single Family Residential) Intended Use: Considering seven single family residential building sites Parcel Identification Number: 08-33-251-001

Common Description: 20 Acres, South of Maybee West Side of Waterford Rd Any further information regarding the above Public Hearing may be obtained at the Township Planning Office during regular

office hours 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, or by

Joan E. McCrary, Clerk

Tell us your story ideas 625-3370

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday, December 3, 1997 at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Annex Board Room, 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, MI 48346 to hear the following cases:
Case #97-0123

Donald Coppersmith, Petitioner

APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO

CONSTRUCT 180 SQ FT SHED

Algonquin Blvd, Lots 1-7, R-1A Sunny Beach C.C.

08-12-328-051 Case #97-0124 Diane Zalovaka, Petitioner APPLICANT REQUESTS REAR YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 20' FT TO

CONSTRUCT SUNROOM Circle Dr, Lots 15-18, R-1A Sunny Beach C.C.

08-13-183-032 Case #97-0125 Craig Thornton, Petitioner APPLICANT REQUESTS EXTENSION OF

VARIANCE GRANTED ON OCTOBER 2, 1996

Andersonville Rd, Lots 13 & 14, R-1A

Oakview Sub 08-31-479-017 Case #97-0126

Brian Pendley, Petitioner APPLICANT REQUESTS FRONT YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 4' PLUS REAR YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 18' TO CONSTRUCT GARAGE ADDITION ON NON CONFORMING LOT OF RECORD

Rockcroft, Lot 58, R-1A Lakeland Vale 08-33-304-002

Case #97-0127 Terence Warner Jr, Petitioner APPLICANT REQUESTS REAR YARD

SETBACK VARIANCE OF 34' TO CONSTRUCT ADDITION TO NON CONFORMING STRUCTURE ON NON CONFORMING LOT OF RECORD (DOUBLE FRONTAGE LOT) Thendara Blvd, Lots 2 & 3, R-1A Thendara Park C.C.

08-12-306-041 Case #97-0128 William Peters, Petitioner APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE FOR

2448 SQ FT (2nd) ACCESSORY BUILDING Allen Rd., Acreage, R-1R 08-08-300-010

Robert Harlow Petitioner APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE FOR PLACEMENT OF NEW HOME, SEPTIC, PLUS SIZE AND PLACEMENT OF ACCES SORY STRUCTURE ALL TO BE CONSID-**ERED**

Indianwood Dr & Baldwin Rd, R-1C 08-01-200-021

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT THE ABOVE REQUESTS MAY BE EXAMINED at the Independence Township Building Department during regular hours each day, Monday through Friday until the date of the Public Hearing. For Further Information call (248) 625-8111.

Case #97-0129

Respectfully submitted, Joan E. McCrary Township Clerk Katherine A. Poole Secretary



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phone at 625-8111.

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CALVARY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

6805 Bluegrass Drive, Clarkston (W. of M-15, just S. of I-75) 625-3288 Sunday Worship: 8:30 am & 11:00 am Nursery Available Sunday Church School 9:45 a.m. Staff: Pastor- Bob Walters Music - Ingar Nelson Christian Ed. - Karen Zelle

ST. DANIEL CATHOLIC CHURCH 7010 Valley Park Dr., Clarkston (W. of M-15, S. of I-75) 625-4580 Pastor: Magr. Robert Humitz Saturday Mass: 5:00 pm Sunday Masses: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 am Nursery Available: 9:00 & 11:00 am Religious Education: 625-1750 Mother's Group RCIA

Scripture Study

Youth Group

5628 Maybee Rd., Clarkston, MI (810) 625-7557 Pastor: Bob Galey Located between Sashabaw & Clintonville Rd. Sunday: 8:30 am - Early Worship

9:45 am Sunday School 11:00 am Worship 4:30 pm Adult Choir 6:00 pm Worship Wednesday: 5:45 pm Preschool Choir 5:45 pm Children's Choir 7:00 pm Bible Study & Prayer 7:00 pm Mission Organizations for

Preshool & Children

7:00 pm Youth Activities **CLARKSTON COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD** 6300 Clarkston Road Clarkston 625-1323 Sunday School 9:30 am Morning Worship 10:45 am Mid-Week Service Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

ARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (A Stephen Ministry Church) 6600 Waldon Road, Clarkston 625-1611 Sundays: Worship 9:00 am & 11:00 am Church School 9:00 am & 11:00 am Pastors: Doug Trebilcock, Tracy Huffman, Jon Clapp

Support Director: Don Kevern Music: Louise Angerme Youth Education: John Leace

THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH 5449 Clarkston Rd., Clarkston 394-0200

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SASHABAW UNITED PRESBYTERIAN 5300 Maybee Road, Clarkston Worship 11:00 am Nursery Provided Charles Mabee, Pastor Phone 673-3101

DIXIE BAPTIST CHURCH 8585 Dixie Highway, Intersection I-75 625-2311 High School 625-9760 Pastor James Todd Vanaman Sunday School 10 am - Church 11 am AWANA Wednesday 6:45 Wednesday evening service 7:00 pm **Education Ministry** K-3 - 12 with supervised care

CLARKSTON FREE METHODIST CHURCH Corner of Winell at Maybee Road Roger Allen, Pastor Phone: 623-1224 Mike McArthur, Assistant Pastor 9:00 am 1st Worship Service 10:05 am Sunday School 11:15 2nd Worship Service 6:00 pm Vespers Wednesday Family Program 7:00 pm

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE . RESURRECTION 6490 Clarkston Rd., Clarkston Sunday 9:00 am - Nursery Provided William McDonald, Priest 625-2325

Thaw Thanksgiving turkey safely

"Turkeys must be kept at a safe temperature while they thaw," warns Sylvia Treitman, home economist for the MSU Extension, Oakland County. "Turkey should not be thawed by leaving it out on the counter."

Even though the center may remain frozen, the outer layer may become warm enough to grow bacteria and put you at risk for food poisoning.

There are 3 safe ways to defrost a turkey.

Refrigerator Method

(Place turkey on a tray to catch drips)

Keep turkey in original wrapping

Allow 24 hours for each 5 pounds of turkey

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE

OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN NOTICE OF HEARING TOWNSEND LAKE AREA SEWER IMPROVEMENTS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:

1. As a result of the addition of certain parcels of property to a special assessment district previously created by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Independence, the Township Board of the Charter Township of Independence has tentatively declared its intention to make the following improvements in the Charter Township of Independence:

Townsend Lake Area Sewer Improvements The improvements shall consist of the acquisition and construction of sewer improvements along Corunna and Harding Avenues in the

Charter Township of Independence; and to assess the cost of such improvements to the lands which will be especially benefitted thereby. The estimated cost of the improvements, the amount to be specially assessed, the amount to be a general obligation of the Charter Township of Independence and the special assessment district are as follows:

\$320,000

Estimated Cost Amount to be assessed against lands in the special assessment district Amount to be a general obligation of the

Charter Township of Independence DESCRIPTION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT The Townsend Lake Area Sewer Improvements Special Assessment District shall consist of the following parcels located along Corunna and Harding

Avenues and Whithorn Drive in the Charter Township of Independence which have the following tax identifica-

tion (sidwell) numbers:

08-33-304-004	08-33-330-002
	08-33-331-019
08-33-304-008	***************************************
08-33-327-033	08-33-331-018
08-33-328-018	08-33-331-017
08-33-328-022	08-33-331-016
08-33-328-021	08-33-331-015
08-33-328-023	08-33-331-014
08-33-328-019	08-33-331-013
08-33-328-017	08-33-331-021
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08-33-355-001	08-33-331-009
08-33-355-002	08-33-331-024
08-33-355-010	08-33-331-023
08-33-355-011	08-33-331-022
08-33-329-005	08-33-327-035
08-33-329-006	08-33-327-036
08 99 990 001	08-33-927-045

2. Maps showing the location of the improvements and the special assessment district, plans, specifications and a cost estimate for the improvements are on file with the Township Clerk for

3. The Township Board will meet in the Township Hall Annex located at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, on Tuesday, the 2nd of December, 1997, at 7:30 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, to hear and consider any objections which may be submitted by any interested person with respect to the making of the improvements and to the assessing of part of the cost thereof to the aforesaid special assessment district.

If the record owners of land constituting more than 20% of the total land area in th 000880 SP file written objections to the improvements with the Township Board at or before this hearing, then the improvements shall not be made without petition of the record owners of land constituting more than 50% of the total land area in the proposed special

assessment district. 5. If the Township Board approves the making of the improvements, a special assessment may be levied against the properties that benefit from the improvements. Act 185 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1973, as amended, provides that the special assessment must be protested at the hearing held for the purpose of confirming the special assessment roll before the Michigan Tax Tribunal may acquire jurisdiction of any dispute involving the special assessment. The hearing for the purpose of confirming the special assessment roll will be held, if at all, at some time in the future pursuant to notice given as required by law. Appearance and protest at such hearing is required in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the Michigan Tax Tribunal. An owner of or party in interest in property to be assessed, or his or her agent, may appear in person to protest the special assessment, or may protest the special assessment by letter filed with the Township clerk at or prior to the time of the hearing, in which case

appearance in person is not required. THIS NOTICE IS GIVEN by order of the Township Board Joan E. McCrary, Clerk Charter Township of Independence Cold Water Method

Keep turkey in original wrapping or leak proof bag

Put turkey in large pan and cover with cold tap water

Change water every 30 minutes with fresh cold tap water

Allow 30 minutes per pound to thaw Cook immediately after thawing

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN

NOTICE OF HEARING TOWNSEND LAKE AREA WATER SUPPLY IMPROVEMENTS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: As a result of the addition of certain parcels of property to a special assessment district previously created by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Independence, the Township Board of the Charter Township of independence has tentatively declared its intention to make the following improvements in the

Charter Township of Independence: Townsend Lake Area Water Supply Improvements The improvements shall consist of the acquisition and construction of water supply improvements along Corunna and Harding Avenues and Whithorn Drive in the Charter Township of Inde-

pendence; and to assess the cost of such improvements to the lands which, a will be especially benefitted thereby. The estimated cost of the improvements, the amount to be specially assessed, the amount to be a general obligation of the Charter Township of Independence and the special assessment district are as follows:

\$185,000 **Estimated Cost** Amount to be assessed against lands in

the special assessment district \$185,000 Amount to be a general obligation of the

Charter Township of Independence DESCRIPTION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT
The Townsend Lake Area Water Supply Improvements
Special Assessment District shall consist of the following parcels located along Corunna and Harding Avenues and Whithorn Drive in the Charter Township of Independence which have the following tax identifica-

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08-33-304-004	08-33-330-002
08-33-304-008	08-33-331-019
08-33-327-033	08-33-331-018
08-33-328-018	08-33-331-017
08-33-328-022	08-33-331-016
08-33-328-021	08-33-331-015
08-33-328-023	08-33-331-014
08-33-328-019	08-33-331-013
08-33-328-017	08-33-331-021
08-33-328-020	08-33-331-010
08-33-355-001	08-33-331-009
08-33-355-002	08-33-331-024
08-33-355-010	08-33-331-023
08-33-355-011	08-33-331-022
08-33-329-005	08-33-327-035
08-33-329-006	08-33-327-036
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08-33-327-045 08-33-330-001 2. Maps showing the location of the improvements and the special assessment district, plans, specifications and a cost estimate for the improvements are on file with the Township Clerk for public examination.

3. The Township Board will meet in the Township Hall Annex located at 90 North Main Street, Clarkston, Michigan, on Tuesday, the 2nd of December, 1997, at 7:30 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, to hear and consider any objections which may be submitted by any interested person with respect to the making of the improvements and to the assessing of part of the cost thereof to the aforesaid special assessment district.

4. If the record owners of land constituting more than 20% of the total land area in the proposed special assessment district file written objections to the improvements with the Township Board at or before this hearing, then the improvements shall not be made without petition of the record owners of land constituting more than 50% of the total land area in the proposed special assessment district.

5. If the Township Board approves the making of the improvements, a special assessment may be levied against the properties that benefit from the improvements. Act 186 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1973, as amended, provides that the special assessment must be projected at the hearing held for the purpose of confirming the special assessment roll before the Michigan Tax Tribunal may acquire jurisdiction of any dispute involving the special assessment. The hearing for the purpose of confirming the special assessment roll will be held, if at all, at some time in the future pursuant to notice given as required by law. Appearance and protest at such hearing is required in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the Michigan Tax Tribunal. An owner of or party in interest in property to be assessed, or his or her agent, may appear in person to protest the special assessment, or may protest the special assessment by letter filed with the Township clerk at or prior to the time of the hearing, in which case appearance in person is not required.

THIS NOTICE IS GIVEN by order of the Township Board. Joan E. McCrary, Clerk Charter Township of Independence

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The Independence Township Building, Planning & Zoning Services Department is accepting applications for CLERK position. Please submit resume and employment application to the Building Department, 90 North Main St., Clarkston, Mi 48346.

An employee in this classification must be knowledgeable in computers, possess good communication and writing skills and be familiar with general office practices.

Specific duties include but are not limited to: computer use

and word processing, record keeping, filing and general correspondence, clerical support for staff, counter and telephone interacwith public, builders and developers.

Current wage for an employee of this classification is \$10.14 per hour plus a full benefit package in accordance with AFSCME Union Contract provisions.

Applications will be accepted through Wednesday, November 26th, 1997. Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

PUBLIC NOTICE

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CLARKSTON

CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON

SUMMARY MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING NOVEMBER 10, 1997

Meeting called to order by Mayor Catallo at 7:03 p.m. Newly elected Council Members were sworn in as follows: Two-Year Terms: Daniel Colombo, David Savage, Walter

One-Year Terms: Anne Clifton, Douglas Roeser. Minûtes of October 27, 1997, approved as presented. Agenda approved as presented.

Bills in the amount of \$31,066.68 approved for payment. City Council authorized tree trimming up to the budgeted amount upon approval by Councilman Roeser

City Council authorized the allocation of \$500 from the Eastern Michigan University granted to the Clarkston Area Youth Assistance program.

A committee consisting of Savage, Mayor Catallo, and Pappas will meet with Anne Conklin regarding the Beach Lease. The 1998 Community Development Block Grant Funds in the

amount of \$8,000 allocated as follows: Lighthouse North Clarkston Area Youth Assistance Camp Program \$1,400 Independence Township Senior Citizens "Meals on Wheels" Program \$1,000 Independence Township Library, Purchase of Large-Print \$ 600 Downtown Planning \$1,000

Sidewalk Improvements \$2,000 Low to Moderate Income Households, Emergency Repairs \$1,000

Meeting adjourned at 8:52 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Artemus M. Pappas

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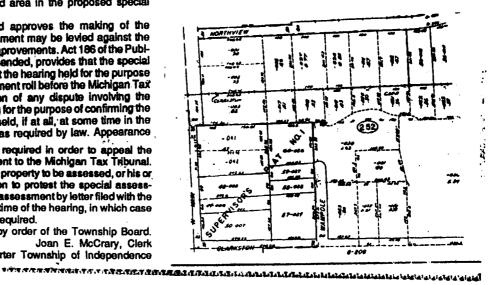
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CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON BOARD OF ZONING APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1997 7:30 P.M. PUBLIC NOTICE

On Thursday, December 4, 1997, at 7:30 p.m. the City of the Village of Clarkston Zoning Board of Appeals will hear Case B-65, a request from Timothy Birtsas for a use variance of Parcel No. 08-20-252-003 for proposed construction of a four-unit residential structure on that site.

James Schultz, Chairman Zoning Board of Appeals



MILESTONES



Mr. and Mrs. James Moyer

Serb-Moyer wed in Virginia

Christine Marie Serb and James Garrett Moyer were married May 31, 1997 at the Mount Vernon United Methodist Church in Danville, Va.

Mother of the bride was Sharon Serb, formerly of Clarkston. Grandparents of the bride were Ruth Ushman of Waterford and Elvira Serb of Farmington Hills.

Christine is a 1989 granduate of Clarkston High School. She has a bachelor's degree in accounting from Stetson University and a master's degree from Virginia Tech. She currently works as a senior tax consultant with Ernst & Young.

The parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. James Moyer of Danville, Va. He has a bachelor's degree from Mary Washington College and a master's from Virginia Tech. He works as a senior auditor with Ernst & Young.

The couple will reside in Virginia.

Eberhardt-Diokhane marry in Senegal

Kelly Eberhardt, daughter of Larry and Carol Eberhardt of Clarkston, was married to Ibrahima Diokhane in Touba, Senegal on July 11, 1997.

Kelly is a 1988 graduate of Clarkston High School and a 1992 graduate of the University of Michigan. She is currently a microbiologist at Rockerfeller University in New York City. She is attending Hunter College and will receive her master's in December.

Ibrahima, a resident of New York City since 1980, manages his business of selling African drums. The couple resides in Brooklyn, N.Y.

Reunions

● The Clarkston High School Class of 1977 has had tremendous response to it's reunion, scheduled for Nov. 28 at Deer Lake Racquet Club, and it's not too late to join in the fun. Reservations can still be made until Friday, Nov. 21 by calling Jill Vedder at 810-558-4119. In addition, you can show up after 9 p.m. without a reservation for a \$20 fee at the door.



Hauler-Delasko

Raymond and Joyce Delasko announce the engagement of their son Ryan Joseph to Catherine Renee Hauler. Both currently attend Central Michigan University. The bride-to-be is a graduate of Rockford High School and is the daughter of Gregory and Mary Susan Hauler. The prospective groom is a Clarkston High School graduate.

New arrivals

● Emma Elizabeth Alexander was born on Oct. 28, 1997 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Pontiac. She weighed 7 lbs., 11 oz. and was 19 1/2 inches long. The parents are Steve and Julie Alexander of Clarkston, and grandparents are Richard and Virginia Beardsley and Doug and Brenda Alexander, all of Clarkston.

● Doug and Kim (Beardsley) Colling of Oxford announce the arrival of a daughter. Peyton Kay Colling was born October 1, 1997 at Crittenton Hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces and was 21 inches long. She has a brother, Parker. Grandparents are Richard and Virginia Beardsley and Charles and Sandra Verch, all of Clarkston, and Gerald and Barb Colling of Arizona. Great-grandparents are Anna Shrout of Kalamazoo, Minne Bare of Kalamazoo, Luella Lougheed of Clarkston and Courtland and Margaret Colling of Waterford.

It's a girl and the first for Dr. Rick and Aimee Baker of Davisburg. Olivia Carron Baker was born August 27, 1997 at Crittenton Hospital in Rochester. She weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces and was 21 inches long. Grandparents are Ralph Baker of Rochester,



Betty Alexander of Memphis, Tennessee and Ted and Joanne Carron of Richmond, Virginia. Greatgrandmother Ruth Brockway lives in Romulus.



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Kelley-Seddon

Joe Seddon of Lake Orion and Lois Seddon of Clarkston announce the engagement of their daughter Lesley to Jon Kelley, son of Bob and Nancy Kelley if Clarkston. A June 1998 wedding is planned.



Clarkston man honored by Alma

Alma College graduate John Acton of Clarkston is one of two recipients of the 1997 George A. Hebert Distinguished Service Award. The award, established in 1961, honors outstanding loyalty and service to the college. Acton, a 1956 graduate, is a retired teacher turned principal. An active member of Alma's Alumni Board for eight years, he is now assisting with Alma's Cherished Ever Campaign, a fund drive to raise \$33 million. Acton taught in Troy for 37 years, 25 of which he spent as a principal. He retired in 1993. His wife Paula is also an Alma grad. He is pictured (back left) along with co-winner Dr. Sil Fortino of Okemos (front, left), Susan Garvey of Plymouth and Dr. Tom Auer of Traverse City.

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