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Volunteers aim to raise \$153,000

'Splash' park concept ok'd

BY DON SCHELSKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

If volunteers can raise more than \$153,000 in donations of cash and in-kind services, a new "spray park" will add to the amenities at Clintonwood Park.

The Independence Township Board approved the "concept" on Tuesday, March 18, with the understanding that trustees must give approval for construction when the money has been raised.

Mike Turk, township parks and recreation director, first brought the proposal to the board in February, but officials desired more specific details from contracted planner Dick Carlisle.

In addition to the spray park proper, those details included projected costs of a changing room and parking lot expansion. The new facility is proposed for a spot behind existing tennis courts at Clintonwood Park.

While professional engineering is needed for the final design, the project is proposed as a "community build," with hopes skilled trades and technical services will be part of the in-kind donations.

"I think projects like this bring the community together," Turk said. "The committee is ready to raise all the money."

Trustee Larry Rosso questioned how water runoff would be handled, especially in light of concerns about mosquitos and the potential spread of the West Nile virus. "I'm concerned about standing water," he said. "Is there a way to recycle the water into the irrigation system?"

Turk said engineers would design a way for water to run off via perforated pipe and pea gravel, which would help the water return naturally into the ground. No

Spray park to honor former camp counselor

BY DON SCHELSKE

Clarkston News Staff Writer
A committee of volunteers is planning a splash park to honor a former camp counselor who died last year.

ally and she was an inspiration."

Archie said her friends have been working to build a memorial building at Clintonwood Park. She said she always wanted to see a high school building at the park.



retention pond is planned.

The 3,200-square-foot facility would feature four or five above-ground spray "toys" (such as flowers or sea horses) and two to four below-ground sprays. A separate well is seen as preferable to running a water line from the Clarkston Road main, and a fence is proposed around the facility to keep geese and other animals off the concrete pad.

While Treasurer James Wenger called

it "a great idea," he questioned whether current economic times would affect donations. Because there is no set deadline for construction, Wenger suggested that solicitors get a firm commitment for contributions.

Turk later said the committee is excited about the potential community support, and he believes concerns about the economy should not adversely affect fund-raising efforts. While there is no deadline, he

would like to see the facility built in 2004.

"When the economy is bad, [people] tend to be more generous," Turk said. "In general people are very generous and very giving."

There will be ongoing costs for supervision and "minimal" maintenance of the spray park, and the projected \$8,960 cost could be covered by a user fee.

"I think it's very important to do that for safety reasons," Turk said.

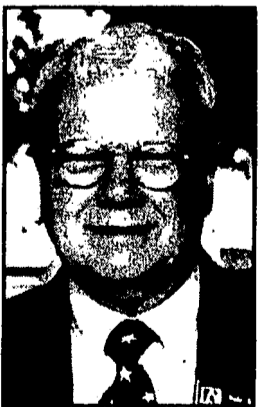
Assessment notice goof leads to more review meetings

BY DON SCHELSKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

While calling it "beyond our control," Independence Township officials have apologized for late assessment increase notices and have scheduled additional board of review sessions.

Officials have confirmed that "some" notices did not go out 10 days before the first meeting of the township board of review, as mandated by law.

The issue came to light at the Tuesday, March 18 township board meeting, where resident Steve Green said he received his assessment notice only five days before the first scheduled board of review meeting.



Dale Stuart

"We've all said 'the check's in the mail,'" Green said. "Well, this was in the mail but it didn't get to anybody in a timely manner."

A letter from Assessor David J. Kramer said additional board of review meetings are scheduled for 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday and Friday, March 27 and 28 at the township hall, 90 N. Main Street (not fire station #1 as was listed on notices of assessment).

Property owners must call (248) 625-8114 to schedule an appointment for the new board of review meetings.

"The township and the assessor's office apologize for the late notices, albeit beyond our control," Kramer wrote, "and welcome those individuals who need this opportunity to avail themselves of the additional meetings of the board of review."

The first meetings of the board of review were March 10-12, but Green said he did not receive his notice until March 5.

"This left me five days before the board met, and I

thought that was kind of strange," Green told the board of trustees, noting the short time frame to prepare an appeal. "How am I going to get all this information together in order to be able to meet with these people and make a factual presentation?"

Green said his notice came with a "permit" postmark from Livonia, and offered his "hypothesis" as to the township government's motive. "Why go to Livonia to mail this thing, other than perhaps to get it in people's hands as late as possible?"

After Kramer's letter was issued, Supervisor Dale Stuart said the delay was unintentional, caused by the failure of a contracted mailing service to meet their deadline.

"They just dropped the ball," Stuart said. "[Notices] were supposed to go out in a timely manner."

The solution of offering additional board of review meetings is "not perfect," Stuart said, but the town-

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Briefly

Stakoe introduces lake legislation

The use of Michigan road ends for lake access will be more clearly defined under legislation developed by State Representative John Stakoe.

House Bill 4141 protects the public interest by allowing access and guards adjacent property owners' rights, in accordance with a recent court ruling.

In January, the Michigan Court of Appeals concluded that road end lake access privileges are only for boating, swimming and fishing. The court further suggested that a legislative solution be introduced to better control road end activity.

"This measure clarifies and supports the court ruling," Stakoe said. "It provides for ingress and egress, but gives no riparian rights for permanent facilities at a public access site. By removing the pressure the current use puts on these areas, the general use for the public will be greatly enhanced."

The bill:

- Defines public access sites for ingress and egress only, which does not include installing boat hoists or docks, unless to aid public access, picnicking, sunbathing or lounging, unless allowed by property definition.

- Prohibits overnight mooring of boats at public dedicated access site.

- Requires signage indicating use-limitations of the site.

- Implements a misdemeanor crime for violating the public access limitation, punishable by up to \$500 a day the violation continues.

Essay contest winners announced

"When Our Freedom is Threatened" was the topic of the 2003 Optimist International Essay Contest.

The winning entries from the local contest were: First Place, Katherine Woloson (CHS); Second Place, Timothy Stapleton (CHS); Third Place, Michael Sorrentino (CHS).

Woloson's essay was submitted to district judging. She will compete with others from Michigan for a \$650 scholarship. The winner from that level will vie at the International Contest for a major college scholarship of \$5,000 (first place), \$3,000 (second place) and \$2,000 (third place).

All Clarkston area students from grades 9-12 were eligible to submit entries based on the topic, and point values were assigned by the independent (non-Optimist) judges as per criteria set by Optimist International.

Clarkston teachers receive grants from DTE

Clarkston students will benefit from grants awarded to their teachers by the DTE Energy Foundation.

Teachers Ellisa Crawford and Heather Smith will use their mini-grant of \$264 to fund a project on Michigan lighthouses and energy conservation in which their students will construct a model lighthouse using recycled materials and develop a complete electrical circuit for their model.

Also, Betty Anderson, Mary Hughes, Angela Comp, Jennifer Tipp and Pam Dunlavy will use a grant of \$1,693 to fund a program to learn about using light as a source of energy, energy conservation, refraction, reflection and color mixing.

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Jennifer Nemer

Writer enjoys reading

On a weekly basis, I'm in one or more of the local schools photographing events and interviewing students for a story.

However, Friday,

March 21, I was in two of the schools for something a little different, and a whole lot of fun.

For March Reading Month, I was asked to read to Ms. Ferguson's fourth grade class at Clarkston Elementary and Ms. Rathburg and Ms. Richard's first

grade classes at Bailey Lake Elementary.

I was honored to have been asked as a guest reader and thrilled to read to the kids.

They loved it, too, and had so many questions for me regarding my job. Some

also wanted to share their stories of when they had appeared in *The Clarkston News* themselves.

Others wanted me to take pictures of them for the newspaper.

I thought the latter was a great idea. Here they are!



Ms. Richard's first grade class at Bailey Lake Elementary (left) and Ms. Rathburg's first grade class (right)

celebrate reading. Guest readers Friday, March 21 included Clarkston Community Schools deputy superin-

tendent Dave Reschke and Dr. Seuss characters Thing 1 and Thing 2, among others. Photos by Jennifer Nemer.



The Clarkston Middle School Parent Teacher Organization welcomed guest readers Friday, March 21, in celebration of March is Reading Month. Here, Clarkston News Reporter Jennifer Nemer reads to fourth graders in Ms. Ferguson's class. Other readers included Independence Township librarian Claire Poynter, Independence Elementary principal Chris Turner, Clarkston Police Officer Fred Earnshaw, Independence Township firefighter Bob Pursley, Independence Township Fire Marshal Greg

Olrich, Clarkston schools superintendent Dr. Al Roberts, Clarkston Village Dental dentist Dr. Robert Bice, St. Joseph Hospital's Dr. Bill Pavlik, Red Wings executive producer Toby Cunningham, Independence Township Treasurer Jim Wenger, Clarkston State Bank President Dawn Horner, Clarkston Mayor Sharron Cattallo, Clarkston Middle School counselors Rob Albe and Joann Krajewski, and Clarkston Middle School principal Linda Foran. Photo by Amy Wilson.

Locals seek state grant to help replace boat launch

BY DON SCHELSEKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Although the state budget crisis presents some uncertainty, Independence Township officials believe a state grant is the answer for much-needed repairs to the Deer Lake boat launch.

The township board on Tuesday, March 18 gave permission to Parks and Recreation Director Mike Turk to apply for a Michigan Department of Natural Resources Waterways Fund Grant.

A report from the Hubbell, Roth and Clark engineering firm estimates a need for \$33,651 to remove, improve and expand the launch ramp. If the state grant becomes reality, Turk estimates the local match will be \$11,478.

If approved, the project has a three-year timeline, but Turk said a DNR staffer said it could gain approval for construction in 2004 because it is a relatively small project.

Turk believes he can find the initial

\$4,928 local grant in this year's budget because of an employee vacancy which will not be filled.

Regardless of the timetable of the financing, officials agreed that the need is now.

Turk said existing concrete launch pads are heaving and have corners broken off. Even if the corners are temporarily fixed, they will continue to be a problem.

"The slope is very poor," he said.

"When you back up, your vehicle is in the water with your boat."

"There's a pollution issue, too," Trustee Daniel Travis said, referring to potential oil and gasoline leaks from towing vehicles. "I think it's a safety issue. I think we need to do this."

The Deer Lake boat launch is a popular spot. Turk said about 150 access permits were sold last year, with an estimated 600 launches during the boating season.

Trustees protest governor's proposed revenue sharing cuts

In other news from the Tuesday, March 18 meeting of the Independence Township Board of Trustees:

All seven board members signed a letter protesting the cut in state revenue sharing proposed by Governor Jennifer Granholm.

Supervisor Dale Stuart said the latest proposal of a 3 percent cut was "better" than previously expected, but still "excessive" in proportion to levels for cities and counties.

Since the constitutional formula is expected to rise by 5 percent next year, Stuart said that equals a potential 8 percent cut on top of previous reductions of more than 20 percent.

"It is not equal 'sharing of the pain' to again

reduce state shared revenue [to townships] and hold others harmless," the letter said.

The Sashabaw Road special assessment district was on the agenda, but was removed at the beginning of the meeting.

"We're in the process of determining where the district should be," Supervisor Dale Stuart said later.

Officials are also researching federal law on right-of-way issues, which could lead to savings in the local match portion.

One of the latest protests concerns a potential new development in the Sashabaw Road corridor, which a spokesman for another property owner said should be considered when dividing the proposed local share.

Stuart later said, however, "We can't assess a hypothetical."

It's goose roundup time. In separate resolutions, trustees approved roundup, transfer and/or nest destruction to alleviate problems from Canada geese on Deer and Van Normal lakes.

Such activities are allowed by the Michigan De-

partment of Natural Resources when other attempts to deter the birds fail. Safety concerns cited included waterfronts and yards fouled by goose droppings, and safety of young children around vicious adult birds.

The board approved first reading of a rezoning request for the final phase of the Oakhurst planned residential development at Clintonville and Waldon roads.

Officials said the latest addition to the development will be 105 lots.

Trustees approved a new lease agreement for three photocopiers at a total cost of \$700 per month.

The new lease, requested by the parks and recreation department, would save money from the current total cost of about \$1,100 per month. Two photocopiers are located at the township complex, with the third located at the senior center.

Officials said the two photocopiers at township hall (one shared by the assessing department) produce about 790,000 copies a year.

— Don Schelske



Dale Stuart

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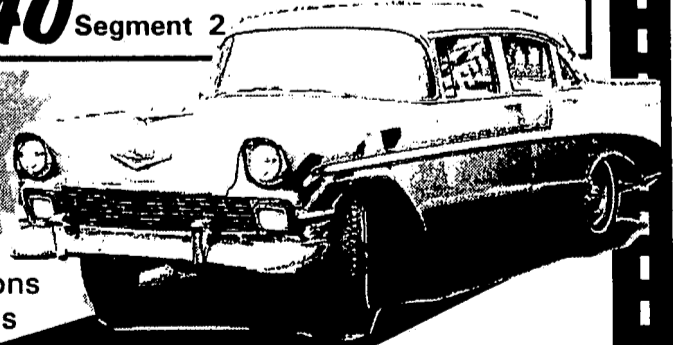
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Local therapist speaks on dealing with the Iraq war

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

Seeing our country go to war can have different effects on different people, according to therapist Stan Garwood from Garwood and Associates in Clarkston.

"As far as adults are concerned I put them into two categories: those who know somebody who is over in the Middle East fighting and those who don't," Garwood said.

The therapist, who is a graduate of the University of Michigan, says individuals who have family or friends fighting the war usually have a higher level of anxiety and frustration.

"They tend to follow it more closely and try to gather as much information as they can," Garwood said.

As far as those who do not know anybody in the war, they are also concerned about the loss of life. However they also worry about items like how the war affects the economy and in turn their jobs.

"They take a different approach. They see how this could effect them, like their company laying off individuals or how it affects our relationships with other countries," Garwood said.

With the amount of all news cable stations, one could watch war coverage 24 hours a day for seven days a week if they wanted. Garwood believes some people should limit their time watching the war coverage, while others should gather as much information as they can. It depends on your personal make-up.

"There are some people who feel less anxious when they have a high amount of information, while for some people the more information they have the more anxious they are," Garwood said.

One aspect of dealing with the war which Garwood believes is consistent is how to help children cope with the situation. Since it is virtually guaranteed that children will hear about the war, he feels it is important for parents to answer the questions in an honest manner.

He also believes parents should ask kids questions to help put their minds at ease.

"It is important to talk to them at the level they are at. Obviously high school students are going to ask more insightful questions than elementary school kids," Garwood said. "When they are broadcasting death and destruction it can have serious effects on kids. It is

important for parents to reassure their children and also give them honest answers."

Garwood also believes the war can be an educational tool for older children.

Garwood and Associates have been located in Clarkston for 20 years, while Stan Garwood has been in the field for 35 years.

Township grapples with 'sensitive information'

BY DON SCHELSKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Independence Township officials will attempt to develop a "sensitive materials" policy that does not violate the Freedom of Information Act.

Trustee Daniel Travis has raised the issue of whether township officials might inadvertently contribute to potential "identity theft." He became concerned that trustees have received documents such as liquor license applications with information such as Social Security numbers, birth dates, home telephone numbers and bank information.

While it is standard procedure for trustees to review such documents, there is no standard procedure for handling such documents after the issues are decided.

"Of times these things end up in the wastebasket," Travis said at the township board's Tuesday, March 18 meeting. "There isn't a consistent way to deal with this issue."

Travis asked township attorney Steve Joppich for advice in the matter, and suggested that the town-

ship clerk's office mark such documents as "sensitive material" and ask for their return so the clerk's office can shred them when no longer needed.

A master copy of such documents should always be on file in the clerk's office, Travis said.

"It's not to deny any freedom of information requirement, but the idea is that we don't create a liable situation," he said.

Joppich said there are legitimate FOIA exemptions for personal information such as Social Security numbers, and concurred that the clerk's office is the best place to handle such matters.

"It's fine with me," Clerk Joan McCrary said. "We have to keep the copies anyway."

McCrary did ask about the criteria for "sensitive information," however, wondering if there would be specific guidelines or merely a "judgement call" system.

The answer to that question did not come easily, and Supervisor Dale Stuart said he and McCrary would attempt to answer that question before bringing a policy proposal to the board.


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Opinion

Madness lacks importance

I am the definition of a sports fanatic. I love to watch sports, play sports and read about sports.

As such, March is usually a great month for me due in large part to the NCAA basketball tournament. The tournament, which is dubbed March Madness, usually preoccupies all my free time. Filling out the brackets would usually bring me great enjoyment, while watching those brackets being shredded would bring me great frustration.

However, that is not the case this year. With the war in Iraq I have spent more time watching the Fox News Channel than CBS's Road to the Final Four.

With individuals dying in the Middle East, who makes it to the Sweet Sixteen seems pretty insignificant. Even the fact my beloved Central Michigan University Chippewas made their first tournament appearance since 1987 did not make me fully embrace the tournament.

It was not lost on me that while 18 to 23-year olds competed around our country to cut down the nets, individuals of the same age were putting their lives on the line to protect the freedoms that we value so much. How can you get angry or depressed when your team loses when there are so much more important events going on around the world?

Moore needs a clue

Flint native Michael Moore acted like a buffoon at the Academy Awards Sunday night. I did not watch the Oscars, since I think celebrities telling each other how important they are is irritating at best, but heard the replay on the Drew and Mike morning show Monday.

While receiving an award for a documentary Moore said, "We live in the time where we have fictitious election results that elect a fictitious president. We live in a time where we have a man who's sending us to war with fictitious reasons, whether it's the fiction of duct tape or the fiction of orange alerts."

Luckily some in the crowd had the presence of mind to boo this idiot. Sure he had the right to voice his opinion in America, but how about rallying around our troops and our commander in chief during this time in our history?

And what is fictitious about the terror alerts our country has? Sure some items, like the duct tape, can get comical at times but the threat is very real and needs to be taken seriously.

And speaking of fictitious let's talk about Moore's documentary, "Bowling for Columbine." Evidently, numerous items were staged and downright lied about in order for Moore to get his point of view across. Anyone interested in this topic should go to www.moorewatch.com for the specifics.

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Gargaro's World

Kyle Gargaro

Letters to the Editor

Local dentist praises work of Dr. Hunt

The article you wrote on John Foster brought back fond memories of Dr. Forrest Dale Hunt.

He was a great mentor as I started out in the dental profession in 1987. I had just graduated from dental school when I bought his practice and would not have had the success both as a dentist and as a person without his leadership.

Dr. Hunt taught me one valuable lesson when work-

ing with patients and others," Always tell the truth and you won't have to remember what you said the last time you spoke."

Dr. Hunt passed away a few years before John Foster arrived in Clarkston. It would have been nice if he too had benefited from his leadership.

Dr. Mike Hennessy
Clarkston

Guest Poetry

There is Another Way

Two little feet no longer dance
And tiny hands are still
A father's tears run down his cheeks
Bush ordered bombs that kill.

Two young men in a plane flown high
A direct hit from a gun below
Terror filled as they prepare to die
Why must this be so?

Oh Lord when will men learn your

Message clear
And turn to you for guidance
In their trouble and their fear.

Fill our leaders with your love
Let all weapons be still
Help us all to live as brothers
Seeking out your will.

By: Eileen Gatton
Springfield Township

New reporter reports for duty

OK, so who is this guy and what is he going to do to our wonderful community newspaper?

Fair questions. To answer them, however, I will have to violate the journalistic principle that says I should minimize the number of times I use "I" in this column.

For those to whom education is important, I have a bachelor's degree from William Tyndale College and a master's degree from Wheaton College.

For those to whom experience is important, I'm coming up on about 20 years in newspaper work. Most recent was the editor's chair at The Citizen (another Sherman Publications Inc. newspaper), then there was 10 years as editor of The Davison Index.

For those to whom local identity is important, I grew up in the Lake Orion area, had some good contacts in Clarkston during my Scouting years, worked for a short time in Hadley a number of years ago, and lived in Davison for about 13 years.

Little of the above tells you about "the real me," so I'll try to dig a little deeper:

I am, first, a disciple of Jesus Christ. While some may accuse me of wearing my religion on my sleeve, I think it's more accurate to say that my faith permeates my entire being. Everyone, after all, bases his or

her life on some kind of belief system, so I bear no shame in sharing (and attempting to live) mine.

I am also happily married to Nancy, whose patience and tolerance for my numerous foibles and faults continue to amaze me.

We also have a cat, Cookie. On a number of occasions, Cookie has written my column for me, and I've found it a bit disturbing to find that a number of readers appeared to enjoy her writing more than mine...

I may from time to time mention other personal interests, including volunteer work for the American Red Cross and a continuing interest (although diminished expertise) in instrumental music.

As a journalist, I strive for fairness and accuracy always. I believe pure human objectivity is a myth, which makes the previous attributes even more important. That doesn't mean I won't make mistakes, and even if I don't make mistakes I can't promise everyone will be happy with what I do. But I will promise my best efforts.

I am passionate about community newspapers, and I welcome the opportunity to make a contribution to the community covered by *The Clarkston News*.

While it is disturbing that people don't seem to read as much these days, it is encouraging that there is plenty of news to report. I can be both a cheerleader and a critic, and will encourage readers to do likewise as circumstances warrant.

Having well exceeded the quota of "I's," it's time to get back to "you." I'm looking forward to writing stories that will serve you and the community. See you around town...



Don Schelske

Want to write a guest column?
Contact Kyle Gargaro at (248) 625-3370.

Of current events. . .

So, by a show of hands out there, how many think less of Michael Moore since his Oscar performance? For those who share a disdain of the rotund, unshaven, unkept, baseball hat toting film director from Flint, check out this website: www.moorewatch.com
Ignore the plea to send money. I did.
* * *

Anne Goodwin, over Clarkston way, sent me the following e-mail:
* * *

I've said that if I could, I'd enlist today and help my country track down those responsible for killing thousands of innocent people in New York City and Washington, D.C. But, I'm over 60 now and the Armed Forces say I'm too old to track down terrorists. You can't be older than 35 to join the Army.

They've got the whole thing backwards. Instead of sending 18-year-olds off to fight, they ought to take us old guys. You shouldn't be able to join until you're at least 35.

For starters: Researchers say 18-year-olds think about sex every 10 seconds. Old guys only think about sex a couple of times a day, leaving us more than 28,000 additional seconds per day to concentrate on the enemy.

Young guys haven't lived long enough to be cranky, and a cranky soldier is a dangerous soldier. If we can't kill the enemy we'll complain them into submission. "My back hurts!" "I'm hungry!" "Where's the remote control?"

An 18-year-old doesn't like to get up before 10 a.m. old guys get up early just to show we can (and to steal the neighbor's newspaper and relieve ourselves).

If old guys are captured we couldn't spill the beans because we'd probably forget where we put them. In fact, name, rank, and serial number would be a real brainteaser.

Boot camp would actually be easier for old guys. We're used to getting screamed and yelled at and we actually like soft food. We've also developed a deep appreciation for guns and rifles. We like them almost better than naps.

The army could lighten up on the obstacle course,

however. I've been to the desert and didn't see a single 20-foot wall with rope hanging over the side. I can hear the Drill Sergeant now, "Get down and give me . . . er . . . one." And the running part is kind of a waste of energy. I've never seen anyone outrun a bullet.

An 18-year-old has the whole world ahead of him. He's still learning to shave; to actually carry on a conversation; to wear pants without the top of the butt crack showing and the boxer shorts sticking out; to learn that a pierced tongue catches food particles -- and that a 200-watt speaker in the back seat of a Honda Accord can rupture an eardrum.

All great reasons to keep our sons at home to learn a little more about life before sending them off to a possible death. Let us old guys track down those dirty, rotten cowards who attacked our hearts on September 11. The last things they'd want to see right now is a couple of million old farts with attitudes.
* * *

Thanks, Anne.
* * *

And, while I'm breaking my own new code of "Less of Moore is More . . ."

Mike needs to:

A) Publicly thank his lucky stars he lives in America where he has the right to preach his mean-spiritedness versus, Iraq where he'd be roasted alive.

B) Publicly thank his lucky stars that there are brave men and women from this country willing to lay their lives on the line for his.

C) Get off the "fictitious" election results. If Al Gore would have won the presidential election in 2000, it would have been by the same means that George W. Bush won.

D) Apologize to the President, our Armed Forces, the American public that has made *him* rich and to his Hollywood comrades -- who, for the most part lean left in the politics, but had the decency to tone down the rhetoric during an internationally broadcasted Oscar awards ceremony.

Mike can rest well, knowing that at least Saddam and his minions agree with him, and will use those statements to their own means.

Way to go, Mikey!

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Don Rush

Don't
Rush Me

Just jotting

Remember the crying, venom spewing and insults hurled at Governor Engler when he proposed a cut in grants to the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, museums and other so-called cultural organizations?

Engler was depicted as the lowest form of life, a man crueler than cruel, wicked, unmoral, without feeling and hater of the arts.

Now comes Governor Jennifer. She proposes the same cuts as her predecessor, but the reaction is the opposite. It's like, 'if she makes the cuts they must be necessary.' The Democrats blasted Engler, but now praise Granholm. The Republicans are silent, and probably feeling smug, because they are getting the Engler cuts they supported.

Ain't politics wonderful?

Which brings us to the environment vs recreation money Lansing sold us on supporting. We voters favored a bond issue 2-1, believing contaminated land and waters would be cleaned up.

Of course it didn't happen, except 'in very few cases. Communities of all sizes saw this money and found uses for it like shopping malls, parks, youth centers, pools, tennis courts, senior centers and rest rooms.

It has always been thus. We are a here-now collection of people, rather than safer-later reasoners. Future generations be-damned.
* * *

I made reading the 'Morning Friendly' Detroit Free Press a habit when Jim Fitzgerald became their backpage columnist over a quarter century ago, 1976.

He retired just before the big newspaper strike,

but I continued to take the paper, though finding fewer and fewer opinions I could agree with.

A few months ago I gave up reading *Blondie and Dagwood Bumstead* and became a fan of *Billy in The Family Circus* and *Hocus-Pocus*. I can relate to Billy when he says to his mother, "I have my sweater on now. Am I warm enough?"
* * *

Recently the dreaded St. Louis Blues hockey team was at Joe Louis Arena to take on the Detroit Red Wings. The Wings were blasting the Blues 6-0 when announcer Mickey Redman said something like, "Yeah, things are going very right tonight, but sometimes you can't put the puck in the ocean from the pier."

We can all relate to that. Sometimes it seems like things are just never going to go right.
* * *

Owners of car washes don't like you putting your car in drive as they wave you through. But at least they called me "sir" as they pounded on my car and yelled STOP several times.
* * *

I'd never heard of Wednesday being called the "hump" day of the week until a disc Jockey said it on a Kentucky radio station during my Florida trip.

I know about "Thank goodness it's Friday," Monday blues, Saturday night being the loneliest night of the week and Sunday being a day of rest, but the week having a 'hump' day escaped me.

It makes sense that Sunday would be a day of starting anew, since you're all rested, but it being up hill from there?

And, if Saturday is the bottom of the hill, wouldn't it be a lush valley or meadow, thus contradicting the 'lonely night' refrain?

Me thinks I've given this way too much thought.



Jim Sherman

Jim's
Jottings

A look back

in
The Clarkston News

15 YEARS AGO (1988)

- At least one local government official was unhappy with a March 22 decision to exclude township officials and announced candidates for office from COG meetings except when invited. Carol Balzarini, an Independence Township trustee and five-year member of the planning commission, had attended several meetings of the newly formed COG, Citizens for Orderly Growth, and was puzzled by the group's decision. She protested in a letter to the group after she was informed.

- Erosion of the retail commercial district downtown must be halted before it's too late, said one Clarkston business owner. Buck and Joan Kopietz, owners of Tierra Arts on Main Street for the past 15 years, are concerned about the number of businesses downtown. The numbers are decreasing at an alarming rate, they said. Another business, Aura Fine Art, recently closed up shop for good, Kopietz said.

- Despite objections from one board member, an on-call firefighter in Independence Township has been hired for full-time employment. Bob Pursley was to start as a driver-engineer March 19, filling the position of Jack Bailey, who has been unable to work for two months because of an injury.

25 YEARS AGO (1978)

- Almost eight years after a citizens committee examined police alternatives for Independence Township, a citizens advisory committee has been impaneled to reexamine the issue. Appointed last week by the Independence Board, the five person group will examine where the rapidly growing township will go for police services in the future.

- After a family quarrel last Wednesday morning, Donald Robertson, Clarkston resident, shot and killed his 37 year-old wife and then turned the gun on himself. Robertson died of a single gunshot wound to the head at Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital.

- A quarter-million-dollar fund surplus apparently will be available for local government spending in Independence Township this spring. Public debate on how the money should be spent got under way at the township's annual meeting Saturday and will continue through a public hearing.

50 YEARS AGO (1953)

- Saturday night is the big night in Clarkston - at least for those who like talent. The Student Council of the school has been working real hard to make this talent show the outstanding program of the school year. The Student Council and Rotary are working together on this project.

- Evelyn M. McCrum recently completed a Navy Editor's training course and satisfactorily passed a written examination entitling her to wear a scroll superimposed by a quill designators badge which signifies a Navy journalist striker.

- The Clarkston Rotary Anns met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Leslie Greene. Mrs. Garnet Poulton and Mrs. W. H. Stamp assisted the hostess.

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Faded Ink

Police and Fire

Independence Township

Sunday, March 23, domestic assault and resisting and obstructing on Deerwood. A 50-year-old man was arrested for assaulting his wife and his 16-year-old son. Upon being arrested, he did not obey verbal commands from police, struggled with them and used threatening language towards them.

A malicious destruction of property was reported on Perry Lake. Car windows were broken out.

Failure to pay occurred at a gas station on Sashabaw. A Caucasian woman in a brown Ford Explorer did not pay for \$32.50 in gas. No license plate number was obtained.

Saturday, March 22, home invasion on Mary Sue. The back door to the residence was forced open. Nothing appeared to be missing.

Reckless driving was reported on White Lake. A couple, while attempting to leave a parking lot, honked their horn at three vehicles blocking the roadway. One of the drivers accelerated nearly hitting the couple's car. The driver verbally threatened them, spit at the woman and threw a coffee cup at their windshield, before speeding away. The driver was unable to be located by police.

A malicious destruction of property was reported at a business on Dixie. A vehicle parked in the lot had a window broken out.

A malicious destruction of property occurred on Klais. A mailbox on a post was pulled out of the ground and thrown onto the property of a neighbor, whose mailbox was also damaged. There are no known suspects.

Arson and malicious destruction of property happened on Allen. A plastic mailbox was burnt and melt by a fire set inside the box by an unknown person.

The interior contained no visible evidence of the type of accelerant used. The homeowner extinguished the fire after an unknown citizen made him aware of the fire.

A home invasion occurred on Harvard. Pry marks were found on the front and back doors of the residence. No entry was made.

A larceny of a handgun was reported from a residence on Tuson. The complainant suspects his son or his son's friends.

A larceny of a license plate occurred in the parking lot of a grocery store on Dixie.

A radar detector was stolen from a vehicle parked in the lot of a restaurant on Dixie. A window was smashed out to gain entry.

Thursday, March 20, larceny on Pine Knob. Scaffolding, valued at \$4,000, was taken from outside a home recently constructed.

Wednesday, March 19, domestic assault on Amy Drive. A 47-year-old man was arrested for assaulting his 74-year-old father.

A larceny from an automobile on Mann. Golf clubs and more, totaling \$2,000, were stolen.

Tuesday, March 18, larceny on Paramus. A snowblower and backpack leaf blower, totaling \$900, was stolen from a residential garage.

A 23-year-old man was arrested on Sashabaw for operating under the influence of liquor, a first offense. He registered a blood alcohol level of .133.

A 41-year-old man was arrested on Dixie for operating under the influence of liquor, a first offense. He registered a blood alcohol level of .17.

A 26-year-old woman was arrested on Oakview for operating under the influence of liquor, a first offense. She registered a blood alcohol level of .12.

Monday, March 17, a 28-year-old man was ar-

rested on White Lake for operating under the influence of liquor, a first offense. He registered a blood alcohol level of .14.

Springfield Township

Sunday, March 23, larceny at a business on Big Lake. Two women complained an unknown person stole money from their purses.

Saturday, March 22, malicious destruction of property on Dixie. Two juvenile boys admitted to throwing rocks and breaking windows to Bordine's Nursery. Their parents were contacted and advised.

A malicious destruction of property occurred on Southshore. Two pickup trucks did "donuts" in the complainant's front yard, causing deep ruts and possible damage to the sprinkler system. Damage is estimated at \$3,000.

Thursday, March 20, malicious destruction of property on Broadway. The complainant stated someone drove over the power cord of a rented submersible pump used to remove water from a parking lot. The cord was torn from the pump.

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Obituary

Carol Jean Vollmar

Carol Jean Vollmar, of Livonia and formerly of Clarkston, died on March 18, 2003 at age 64.

She was survived by children John (Rosemarie) and Kara (Robert) Sade; brothers Carl and James and seven grandchildren.

Carol was a resident of Clarkston, with a home on Snow Apple Drive, from 1969 to 1986. She was involved in many community activities while raising her family including: girl scout leader, volunteer for rape crisis hotline and volunteer craft teacher at the senior center. Carol moved to Sedona, AZ after leaving Clarkston, but returned to Michigan in 1996.

The Funeral Service was held Saturday, March 22 at the R.G. & G.R. Harris Funeral Home in Livonia. Pastor Brian Brewe of Victory Baptist Church presided.



Frederick W. Kravetz

Frederick W. "Grumpy" Kravetz, of Waterford, died on March 24, 2003 at age 65 after a short battle with cancer.






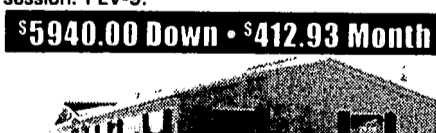
He was the husband of Cathy for 37 years; father of PJ (Paul) and his wife Beth of Davisburg; preceded in death by his parents Adam and Helen; brother of Adam, Jr. (Viola) of Waterford; brother-in-law of Paul (June) Amman of Goodrich, Bernadette (Chuck) Treece of Lapeer and Leo Amman of Pontiac. Also survived by several special nieces and nephews and two special "grand" children Andrew and Caroline Kramer.

Fred enjoyed working for General Motors for 40 years. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Clarkston and Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church. Funeral Mass is Thursday, March 27 at Our Lady of the Lakes

Catholic Church, Waterford. Arrangements entrusted to the Lewis E. Wint & Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Clarkston. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Michigan Cancer Institute.

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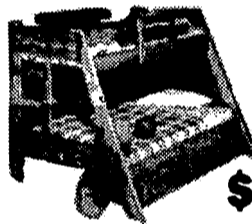
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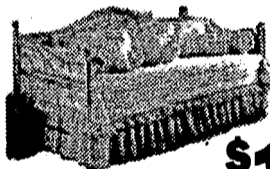
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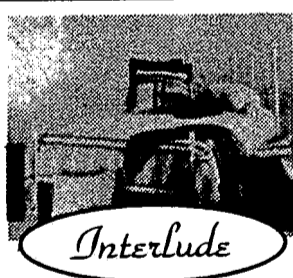
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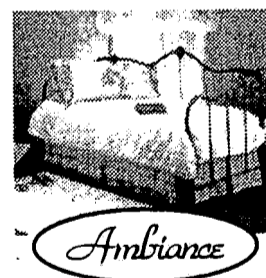
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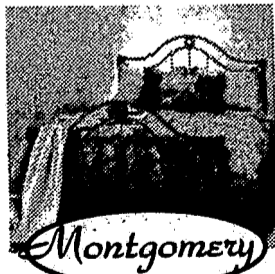
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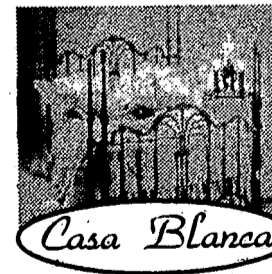
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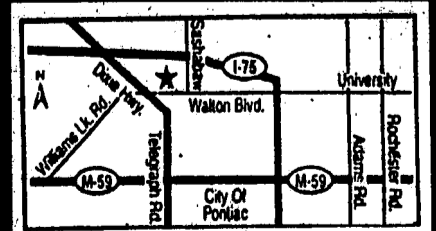
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Let's take a brief look at the June 9 election

The June election will give voters an opportunity to further shape the Clarkston School district.

The first and foremost issue on the ballot will be the selection of two new board members. While I can only speak for the boards that have served this community since 1996, I can say that the integrity, dignity and sincerity of these unselfish and generous individuals have made a difference. Readers may remember their names: Tom Howard, Barry Bomier, Bill Craig, Bill McGregor and Rick Crigger.

This June, Janet Thomas and Kurt Shanks will join the ranks of former board members who have contributed to the district and our students. Kurt has spent the last eight years and Janet has spent 28 years working to make our schools the best they can be. Parents, students, teachers, administrators and the community at large have seen them in action and can attest to their leadership, commitment and their ability to see the "big picture."

While they will be missed, a number of citizens have expressed interest in running for the vacant seats. I am proud to say that our community has no shortage of people who possess the talent, skills and desire necessary to be exceptional board members. Yes, there is a pretty steep learning curve, but the

good news is that candidates will receive as much assistance as they want. In fact, Kurt and Janet have offered to run a workshop for the candidates, and the remaining members of the board are very interested in helping with the transition.

In addition to selecting two new board members, the June ballot will ask citizens to vote on a non-homestead millage renewal and an \$83 million bond issue.



Clarkston Schools
Dr. Al Roberts

Non-Homestead Millage

The non-homestead millage issue is a difficult one for many people to understand. Frankly, some don't pay much attention to this because it doesn't impact taxpayers, unless they own non-residential property or run a business in the district. This non-homestead renewal will allow the district to continue to levy 18 mills on non-homestead property. If approved, homeowners will not see an increase in their property taxes.

Non-homestead property refers to business, industrial or rental properties as well as second homes in the school district. By law, all districts are entitled to levy 18 mills against such property and the state assumes that all 18 mills are collected. If a district's non-homestead millage rate drops below that level, those dollars are lost to the school system. As important, the district's per-pupil formula is negatively impacted. Next year we will lose more than \$1 million if our 18-mill non-homestead is not restored.

Bond Issue

Over the past month or so, facts about the pro-

posed \$83 million bond issue have been shared with various community and employee groups. On March 10, our board of education approved the ballot language and officially set the matters to be voted on.

I am convinced that the community will see the value of this plan and support our attempts to deal with overcrowding. I also believe that our citizens will understand the value of consolidating to make us more efficient and effective.


Furthermore, our community should be pleased that our plan focuses on capital improvements and long-term cost control. Perhaps, the best news in these economic times is that the tax rate will not change. Yes, if this bond issue is approved, it will not raise the current tax rate.

It is my sincere hope that readers will take the time to learn about the candidates running for school board and about the two other ballot issues. I encourage you to ask any question that you may have about the election.

You see, in my opinion, a community can only be as good as its schools, and good schools are only possible in communities that value education. In Clarkston, I know that value exists. Readers can be assured that we will work hard to earn the trust and support of the school community.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or concerns, or if you would like to set up a time for a group presentation. By sharing this important message, we ensure that our community will be well-informed voters.

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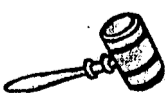

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GOB Gymnastics means fun for area youth

What started as a father's love of gymnastics, dance and children has now become a valuable part of Brandon and its surrounding communities.

GOB Gymnastics, Dance and Cheerleading is not just celebrating another successful year in 2003, they are celebrating the 10-year anniversary of the Brandon Township-based gym.

"I was in gymnastics and dance until I was 14 years old," said GOB owner Paul Frezza. "When I turned 14, I wanted to quit and play football, but the gym I trained at wanted me to coach, so at that age I began coaching younger kids in gymnastics at the Birmingham YMCA."

He also coached at Berkley High School. Years passed, and Frezza found himself opening his own gym.

"When my children were in school at HT Burt Elementary, the principal had asked for parents to volunteer in any way they could. At this point the school had no gym class, so I started coming in a few days a week to do some beginning gymnastics classes," he said. "I was working as a financial planner at the time, and found that I really still loved to coach and work with children. Plus I was filling a niche within the community."

After the success of the classes at the local elementary, Frezza circulated a flier asking for participants in a gymnastics club.

"The club started with about 60 kids signed up," Frezza said. "In a year, I had 300 kids sign up."

Inevitably, GOB Gymnastics was born. Now GOB teaches and trains about 500 students each week. They have grown from teaching basic tumbling, to teaching advanced gymnastics on apparatus, numerous forms of dance and also competitive cheerleading.

"We added dance in 1997 and it was a huge success," Frezza said. "We have classes in Irish and Gaelic dance, tap, jazz, ballet and a hip-hop class for high school aged students."

Most recently, GOB has added cheerleading to its repertoire. Cheerleading classes range from beginners to

advanced competitive cheer and are coached by Angelique Chaiser, a nationally-renowned cheerleading judge and competitor. Students range from high school students, all the way down to the next generation of cheerleaders.

Aside from regular classes, GOB also puts on summer camps for various activities. Camps range from day long ventures to two to three day clinics.

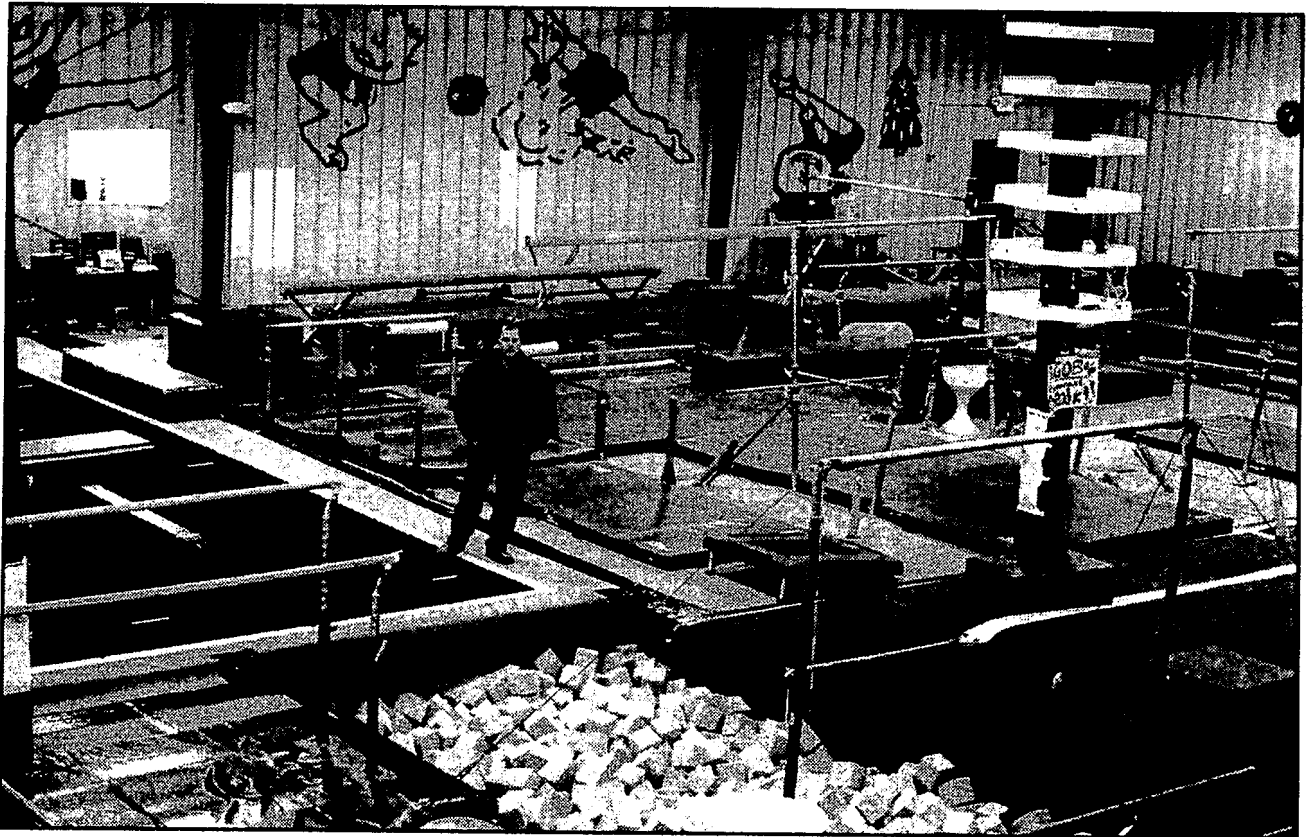
"The summer camps are exciting for the kids," Frezza said. "They really enjoy them."

GOB is a facility where gymnasts, dancers and


cheerleaders can start young, and continue to grow within the school. The coaching staff nurtures children from the very beginning until the time they leave for college. They also offer summer camps and preschool classes.

"Do not wait to grow up," said Frezza. "Start to cheer at an early age."

GOB Gymnastics, Dance and Cheerleading is located at 142 Harbor Pointe in Brandon Township. Call coaches Paul or Julie Frezza at (248) 627-6317.






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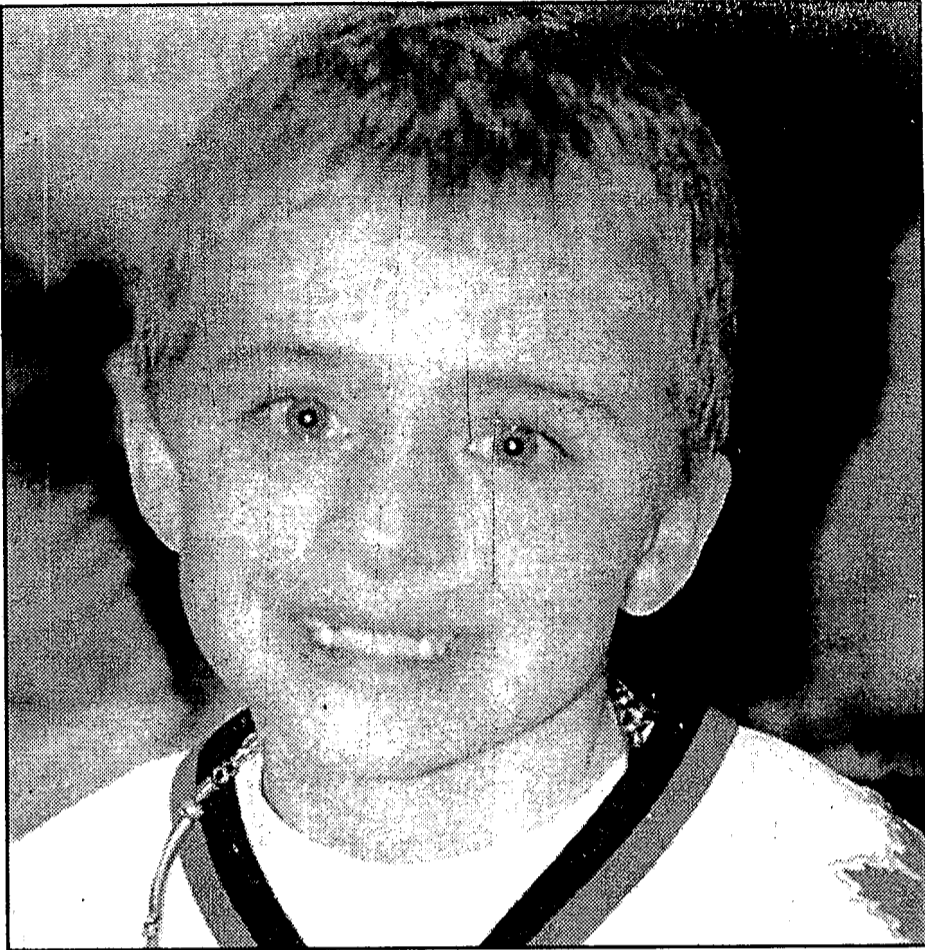
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Brock Sommers, a student at Andersonville Elementary.

Independence

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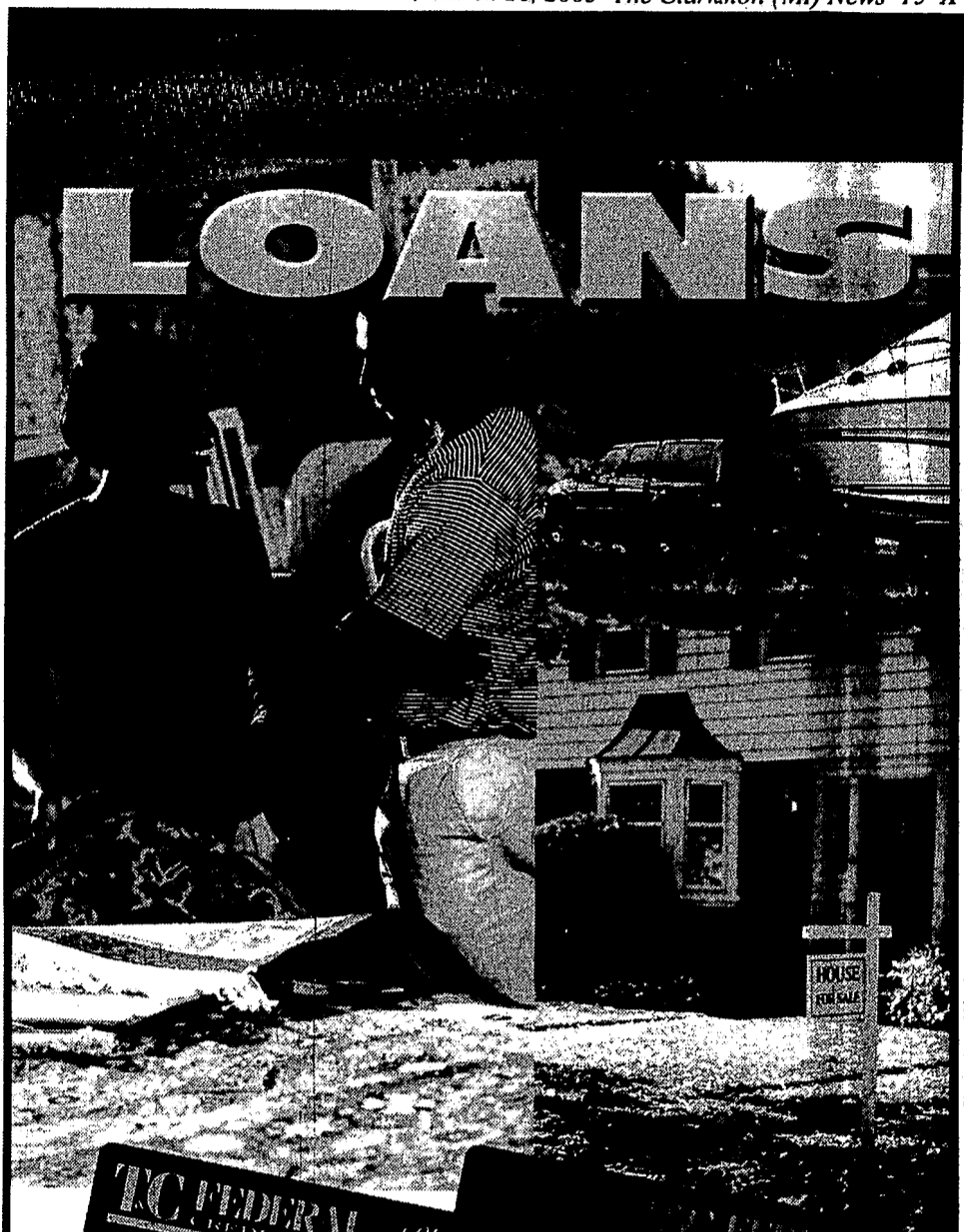
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Added Don: "You blend technology with good, old-fashioned personal service."

Dad and son enjoy keeping up with the community in which they grew up. Both longtime Ortonville residents, Don attended the former Ortonville High School and Wayne grew up in the Brandon school district. Wayne received a bachelor of science in marketing from Purdue University.

They've both put in time on commu-

nity bond issues. Don worked on passing the bond issue for the current Brandon High School and Wayne helped with successive bond issues like the new pool. Wayne has been active in the Brandon All-Sports Boosters and is a member of the Ortonville Chamber of Commerce, the Lions Club and Clarkston United Methodist Church.

They also raise Christmas trees. Wayne has been active in local theater, and Don is a member of a barbershop chorus in Flint. They enjoy seeing old friends and customers and meeting new

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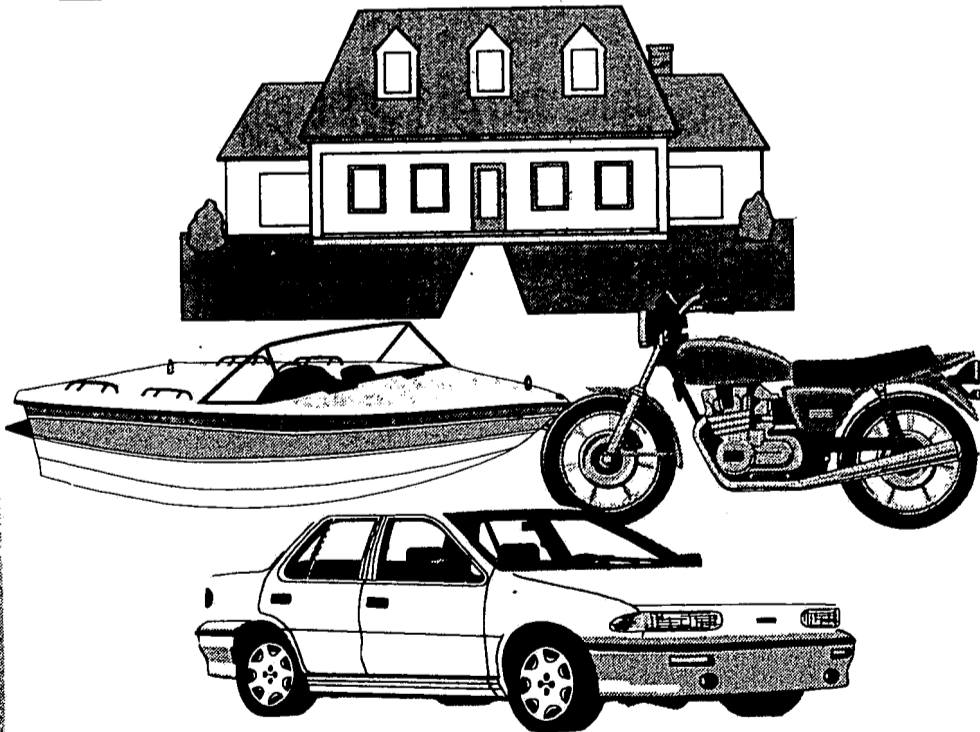
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Sports

All Clarkston All The Time

Clarkston hoops season ends with overtime loss

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

The Wolves basketball team gave all they had against Carman-Ainsworth, but it wasn't enough to capture the Class A boys basketball quarterfinal game at Saginaw Valley State University. Clarkston fell in overtime 68-60.

"It was a really classic type of game," Clarkston coach Dan Fife said. "It was the underdog against the heavyweight. Carman-Ainsworth showed the character of a senior team."

Clarkston was led by Chris Johnston who scored 32 points. The Wolves played Carman-Ainsworth to a 12-12 tie after the first quarter, but trailed 34-25 at halftime.

Then came the motivational halftime speech.

"At the end of the first half I knew we had to get their focus back because I could see they were panicking and were frustrated. I got on them a little bit at halftime but I could tell I wasn't changing their minds," Fife said.

Enter Dane Fife who came into the locker room and offered his advice.

"Dane came in. I didn't ask him, but he came in and really made an impact," Fife said.

Clarkston pulled within five at the end of the third quarter and took the lead in the fourth. However, the Cavaliers rallied and put the game into overtime. They outscored Clarkston 10-2 in the extra session to advance.

"It was like a boxing match. We knocked them down but they got right up and came back strong," Fife said.

The loss ended a magical run from the Wolves who started the season 2-5 before winning 16 of their final 19 games. They finished the season with an 18-8 record.

Clarkston was a young team this year with only two players having varsity experience. Matt Orris and Justin Whetstone were the only seniors on the team.

"I really credit the seniors for sticking with me



The Clarkston basketball team ended their season with a loss to Carman-Ainsworth last week. File photo.

and the system after our start. If the older kids bail on you then you have no chance," Fife said. "They were able to turn it around and that is a credit to them. The kids grew up in a hurry. They made it a really fun season for me. I really enjoyed going to practice everyday."

Fife is looking forward to next year with a wealth of experience returning. However, he said the key will

be how the players respond to the season ending loss.

"Losing a game like that can affect you in different ways and we will be able to tell in the next couple of weeks. Will we roll up our sleeves and get to work to get better or will we get complacent and comfortable by the winning at the end of the season? Championships are not won during the season, they are won out of season," Fife said.

Clarkston High track girls reach All-American status

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

Six girls from the Clarkston High School track team had an impressive showing at the Nike Indoor Track and Field Nationals Meet in Maryland.

"The girls ran real well," track coach Jamie LaBrosse said. "This puts us in good shape going into the high school season. We should be able to compete at a state level."

Two of the runners LaBrosse was proud of were freshmen Lyndsey Smith and Beth Hoekstra. Smith placed fifth in the freshman mile, while Hrekstra took ninth place.

"It was really fun," Hoekstra said. "I ran faster than I expected. I just tried to listen to coach and he told me to take the last two laps hard so I gave it my all."

The fifth place finish for Smith was good enough to earn her all-American status.

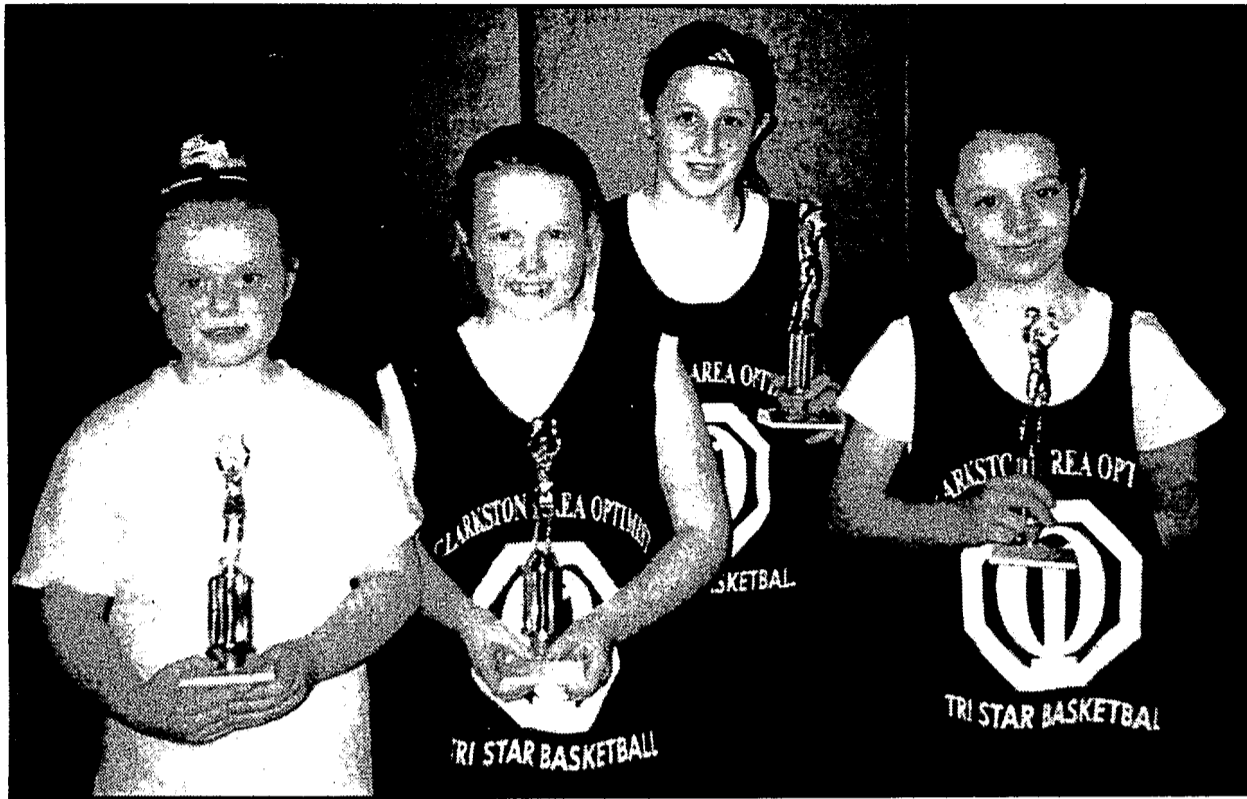
"I was expecting to run a 5:30 but I ran a 5:22. I gave it my all and was not going to leave without being an all-American," Smith said.

In addition to the freshmen, Ann Eoltman, Mo Kuhta, Liz Mengyan and Gillian Nordquist also participated in the meet. The group finished third in the 4xmile



From left, Ann Eoltman, Mo Kuhta, Liz Mengyan and Gillian Nordquist, pictured with coach Jaimie LaBrosse, ran in the Nike Indoor Track and Field Nationals Meet in Maryland. Photo provided.

Sharp Shooters



Those who placed first, and qualify to represent Clarkston at the Optimist's State Tri-Star event at Charolette Middle School on April 19 include the following girls: Haley Durrant, Megan Hastings, Karrissa Ogans and Taylor Hasselbach. Photo provided.

CHS ski teams receive numerous honors

Members of both Clarkston High School's boys and girls ski teams were named to several postseason teams recently. A list of all the honored athletes are as follows:

•**All-Divisional Team:** (girls) Jackie Bland, Jamie Collier, Lindsay Mozer, Mo Weiland, Pam Wylie; (boys) John McNew, Ryan Parrott, Alex Rosengren, Brandon Rosengren, Kevin Vahlbusch.

•**All-OAA Team:** (girls) Collier, Mozer, Weiland, Wylie; (boys) McNew, Parrott, Alex Rosengren, Brandon Rosengren, Vahlbusch.

•**All-SEMSL Team:** (girls) Weiland, Wylie; (boys) McNew, Parrott, Alex Rosengren, Brandon Rosengren, Vahlbusch.

•**All-Region Team:** (girls) Bland, Mozer, Jody Piechura, Weiland, Wylie; (boys) McNew, Parrott, Alex Rosengren, Brandon Rosengren, Vahlbusch.

•**All-State First Team:** (girls) Weiland; (boys) McNew, Brandon Rosengren.

•**All-State Third Team:** (girls) Wylie.

•**All-State Honorable Mention:** (boys) Parrott, Alex Rosengren, Vahlbusch.

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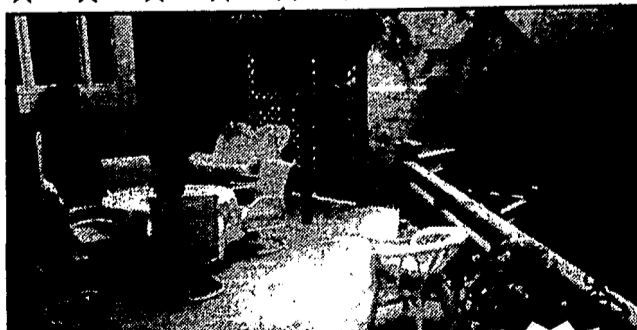
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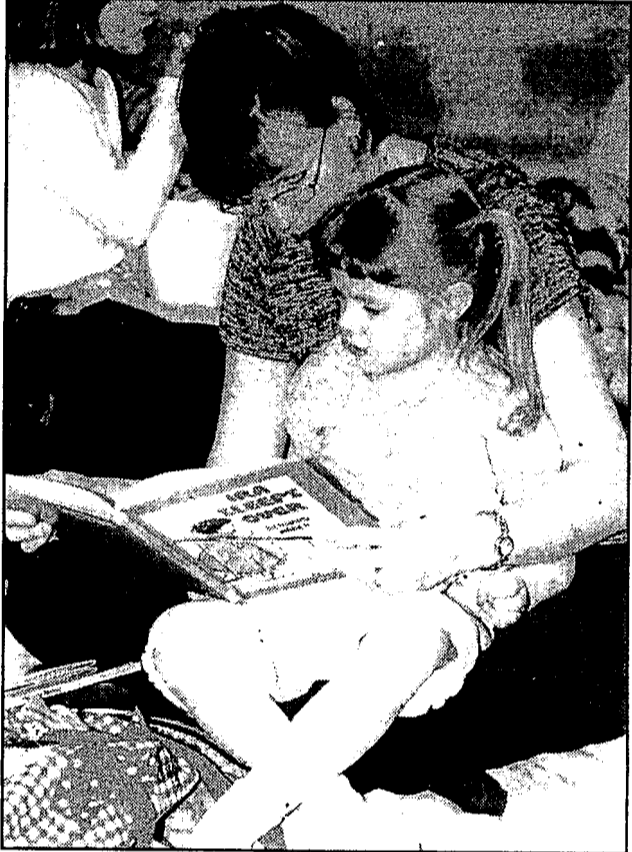
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Photos by Jennifer Nemer



Sierra Douglas, 7, relaxes with a good book.

Sharp Shooters



Those who placed first, and qualify to represent Clarkston at the Optimist's State Tri-Star event at Charolette Middle School on April 19 include the following girls: Haley Durrant, Megan Hastings, Karrissa Ogans and Taylor Hasselbach. Photo provided.

CHS ski teams receive numerous honors

Members of both Clarkston High School's boys and girls ski teams were named to several postseason teams recently. A list of all the honored athletes are as follows:

- All-Divisional Team:** (girls) Jackie Bland, Jamie Collier, Lindsay Mozer, Mo Weiland, Pam Wylie; (boys) John McNew, Ryan Parrott, Alex Rosengren, Brandon Rosengren, Kevin Vahlbusch.
- All-OAA Team:** (girls) Collier, Mozer, Weiland, Wylie; (boys) McNew, Parrott, Alex Rosengren, Brandon Rosengren, Vahlbusch.
- All-SEMSL Team:** (girls) Weiland, Wylie; (boys) McNew, Parrott, Alex Rosengren, Brandon Rosengren, Vahlbusch.
- All-Region Team:** (girls) Bland, Mozer, Jody Piechura, Weiland, Wylie; (boys) McNew, Parrott, Alex Rosengren, Brandon Rosengren, Vahlbusch.
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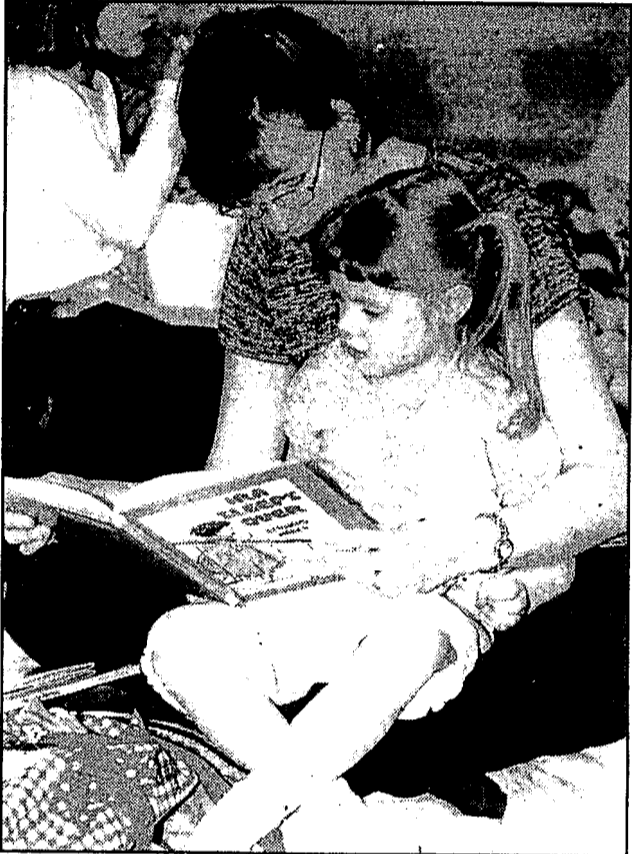
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People Poll

What are your picks for this year's Oscars?



"Lord of the Rings for special effects. I liked the walking tree."
—Missy Tharp



"Chicago or The Hours (for best picture), though I haven't seen them yet."
—Mary Tharp



"Lord of the Rings would've been a good pick for everything."
—Cindy Benson



"Chicago was awesome and all the people that were in it."
—Carol West

The Clarkston News'

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Young works to keep schools safe

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

For five years, Chuck Young walked the halls of Clarkston High School as the Oakland County Sheriff's Department police liaison, but after a series of devastating occurrences on the job, Young decided to step away.

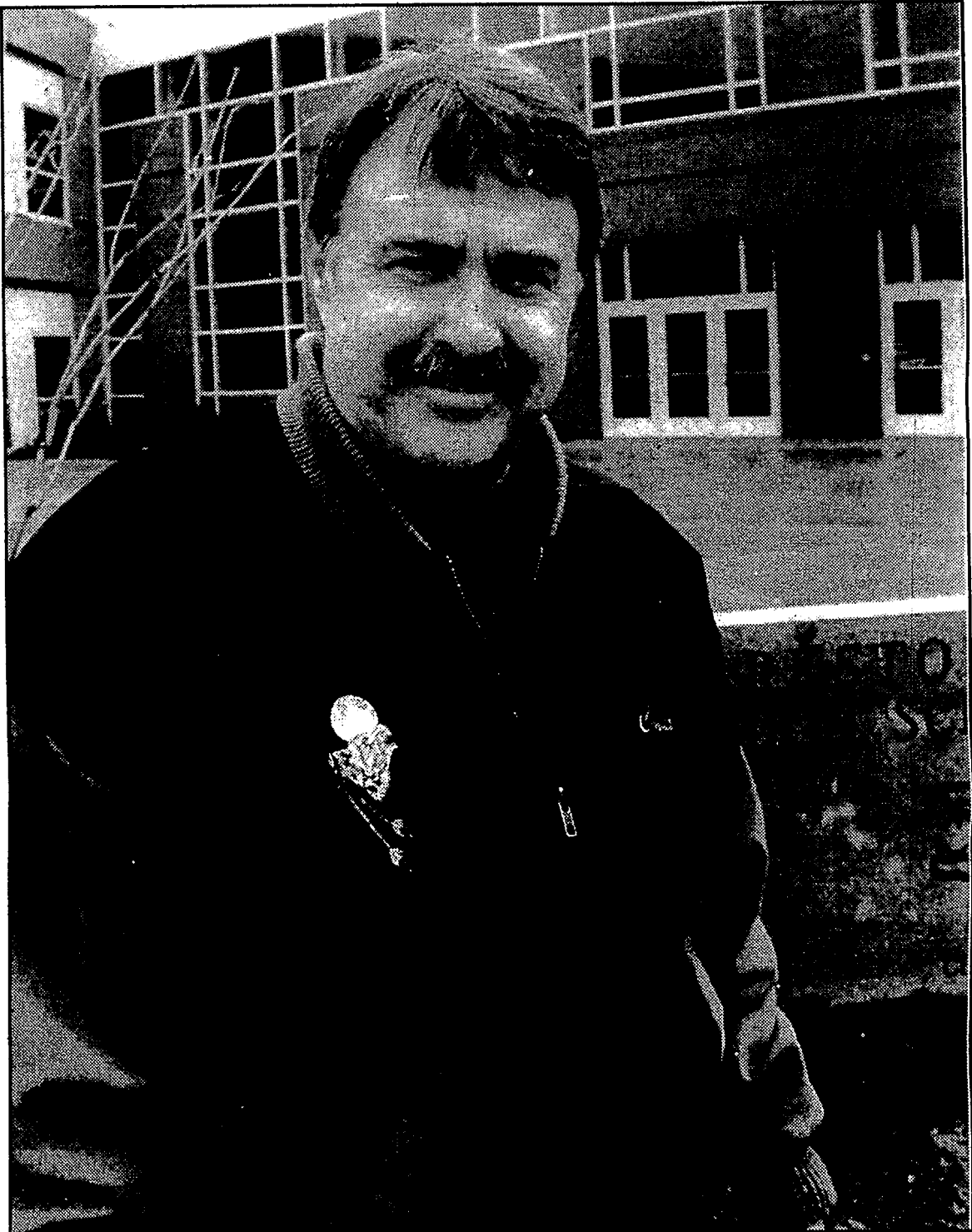
Now he, with the help of Sandy Blomquist, a Clarkston Middle School teacher, has formed PIECES, Inc., (Problem Identification in the Educational Community by Empowering Students), a nonprofit organization geared to increase awareness about, preparation for, and prevention of school violence.

Three years ago, a young Clarkston girl collapsed during a school day at the high school from complications with an eating disorder. The fire department was told to come to the front of the building, though the girl lay in the back, Young remembers. After unloading their equipment, it was decided the best way to reach the girl was to have the fire truck in the back of the school. All the equipment was loaded back onto the truck, which was then drove to the rear of the building. Unfortunately, the girl lost her life.

Because any extra minutes in an emergency situation can mean life or death, Young said, "I took it to heart it was my fault. It weighed heavy."

He then mapped out the high school, dividing it into sections to find the closest entrances for emergency purposes and better response time in the future.

In another instance, a young man, a sophomore at the high school, got into a fight with a senior boy. Young talked to the men about what had occurred and tried to smooth out the situation. Since it was during the time school let out for the day, the younger of the two boys ended up missing his bus. So, Young drove him home. Along the way, he continued to lecture the boy, encouraging him and offering him guidance. Young dropped the boy off, but unfortunately,



Chuck Young, a former detective with the Oakland County Sheriff's Department and police liaison to Clarkston High School, has developed PIECES, Inc., a nonprofit organization geared to increase awareness about, preparation for, and prevention of school violence. Photo by Bob Flath.

the boy's parents were not home at the time and he used the opportunity to commit suicide.

"I felt totally responsible for him. Did I miss something?" Young asked.

In his 19 years with the OCSD, Young saw the deaths of 16 children; from murders to suicides to accidents to illnesses. But, Young felt he could have saved them all.

Depression set in, nightmares began and a suicide attempt was on the horizon.

Young went on a leave of absence to seek help for what has since been diagnosed as Post Traumatic Stress Disorder. Now, after a year and a half, he is feeling healthy and is ready to get back to work.

It was on his leave, Young, a Clarkston High School graduate and lifetime Clarkston resi-

dent, began working on PIECES, building on much of the safety measures he had already developed while at the high school.

Through this organization, Young works with schools to build a complete and comprehensive emergency response plan which includes communica-

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Around Town

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Career Connections, a partnership between the Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce and Clarkston Community Schools, will host the third annual **young person's seminar** on April 1 from 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. This year's seminar is entitled "Future Leaders" and will host author, motivational speaker and business coach Sadie Bolos. The day will consist of large and small group activities. Tables of seven to eight students each will have a local business leader as their facilitator. This all day seminar is free to students, but available on a first come, first serve basis. Students must pre-register at the Chamber or the Clarkston High School counseling office in order to participate. The event is open to male and female students who are currently in the 11th and 12th grades. For more information, call the Chamber at (248) 625-8055.

The **Widowed Support Group** will meet Thursday, April 3 at 7 p.m. The topic for the evening is "Spring—a time for spiritual connection," facilitated by bereavement counselor Alicia Brown. All meetings are held at the Independence Township Senior Center in Clintonwood Park on Clarkston Road. There is no registration and meetings are free. Recently widowed men and women, of all ages, are invited. Refreshments will be served. Any questions, or if anyone would like to be on a mailing list, call the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home at (248) 625-5231.

Clarkston's North Sashabaw Elementary Parent Teacher Organization is holding a school wide **rummage sale** within the cafeteria/gymnasium Saturday, April 5 starting at 9 a.m. Admission is free. There will be 75 tables full of many treasures. Food and beverages will also be on sale. Tables are still available for rent at \$10/6 ft. table. Register at the school office, located east of Sashabaw at 5290 Maybee Rd. For more information, call (248) 673-4492.

Davisburg United Methodist Church Circle of Love presents "Binding Together," a **women's prayer breakfast** Saturday, April 5 at 9:30 a.m. Inspirational quilter Jackie Trute is the featured speaker. On the menu is pecan and marmalade French toast, assorted sweet rolls, fruit, coffee, tea and juice. Cost is \$7. A \$2 donation from each ticket will go to the Detroit Annual Conference, Goods for Haiti. Davisburg United Methodist Church is located at 803 Broadway in Davisburg. For more information, call (248) 634-3373.

Springfield Township Parks and Recreation will be holding **Easter crafts** for children 10 years and younger on Tuesday, April 15 from 4:30-5:30 p.m. at the Hart Community Center, 495 Broadway in Davisburg. There will be two crafts for each child to do. Preregistration is required before the event. Cost is \$5/person. For more information, call (248) 634-0412.

Nominations are being sought for the **18th annual Clarkston Community Awards** to recognize the important contributions others are making to our community. Categories include: Citizen of the Year, Person of the Year, Business Person of the Year, Adult Youth Volunteer and Community Preservation. Three new categories have been added this year: Community Beautification, Community Enhancement and Community Collaboration. Nominations can be forwarded to the Chamber office at 5855 S. Main St., Clarkston, MI 48346 or online at www.clarkston.org. Nominations must be received by April 18. The 18th annual Clarkston Community Awards Breakfast will be Wednesday, May 21 at Liberty Golf Club. Tickets for the event will be \$15/person or \$150/table of 10. Tickets may be obtained by calling the Chamber at (248) 625-8055.

Join the Easter Bunny and Springfield Township Parks and Recreation for the **5th Annual Easter Egg Hunt** on Friday, April 18 at Mill Pond Park, 495 Broadway in Davisburg. Children will collect bright, colorful candy or toy filled eggs. Children must bring their own Easter basket. The Moonwalk will also be available



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(weather permitting) for the children to enjoy. Door prizes, snacks and punch will be provided. Hot Shots Photography will also be on site to take pictures for a fee. Egg hunt for ages four years and younger is 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and egg hunt for ages five to 12 is from 2-4 p.m. Cost is \$3/child for Springfield Township residents and \$5/child for nonresidents. Registration is required before the date. Egg hunts will be held rain or shine. For more information, please call (248) 634-0412.

Join Springfield Township Parks and Recreation for **Teen Flashlight Easter Egg Hunt** on Friday, April 18 from 8-9:30 p.m. for ages 13-18 years old. Hunt is held at Mill Pond Park, 495 Broadway in Davisburg. Teens must bring a flashlight and something to put their eggs in. Door prizes, pizza and beverages will be provided. Cost is \$6/person. Registration is required ahead of time. Egg hunt is held rain or shine. For more information, call (248) 634-0412.

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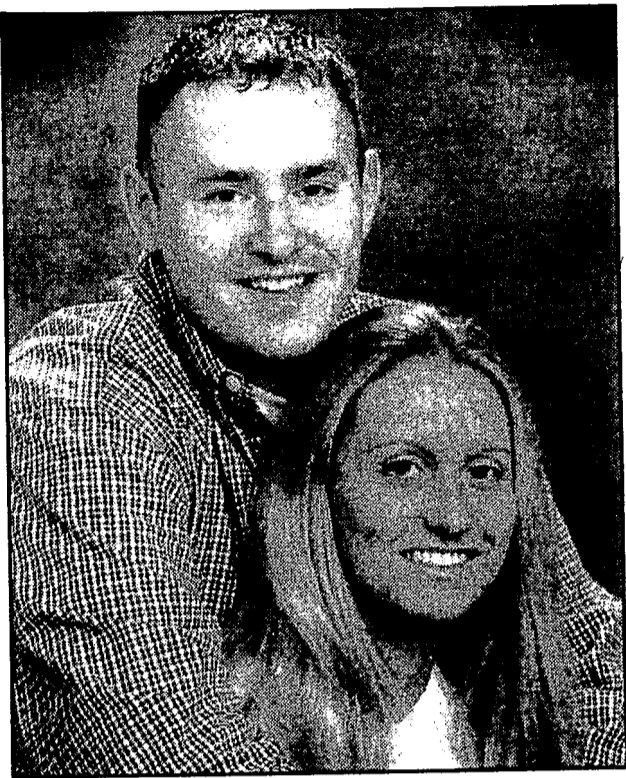
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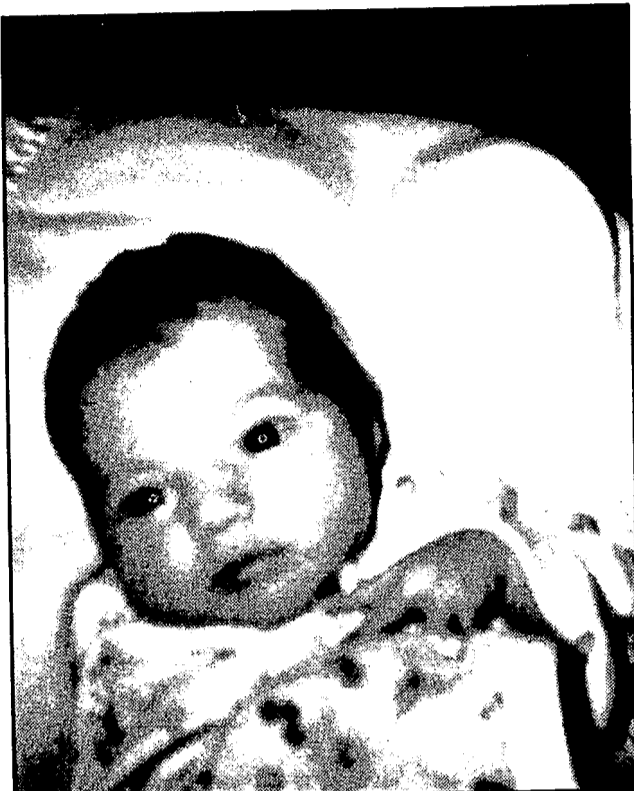
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Milestones



Kelly O'Driscoll and Adam Haviland

Mike and Dorothy O'Driscoll of Sandusky announce the engagement of their daughter **Kelly O'Driscoll** to **Adam Haviland** of Flint. He is the son of Joanne and Howard Comstock of Jamestown, N.C. and Dick and Sue Haviland of Clarkston. The bride-elect is a graduate of The University of Michigan-Flint and currently attends Michigan State University for her masters in social work. Her fiancé is a graduate of Oakland University. He works for Lakeside Contracting in Highland. A June 21 wedding is planned.



Briana Michele Ginn

Brian Ginn and Thelma (Flores) Ginn of Laredo, Texas announce the birth of their daughter **Briana Michele Ginn**.

Briana was born February 7, 2003 at Doctor's Hospital in Laredo. She weighed 6 lbs. and 9 oz. and measured 19 in. long.

Proud first-time grandparents are Theodore and Michele Ginn of Clarkston as well as Josephine Flores of Laredo and great-grandparents Don and Gerry Seeterlin of Waterford.



Lisa Harkins and Bryan Storts

Lisa A. Harkins and **Bryan Storts** announce their engagement. Harkins, of Lake Orion, is a 1996 Lake Orion High School graduate and 2000 graduate of Baker College. She is an interior designer for Standhardt Design, Inc. in Royal Oak, and is also the vice president elect of the Royal Oak Rotary Club. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Charlie and Mary Harkins of Lake Orion. Storts, of Lake Orion, is a 1991 graduate of Lake Orion High School and is employed with General Motors Truck and Bus in Pontiac. He is the son of Rod Storts of Oxford and Diana Laduc of Waterford. A June 2004 wedding is planned at Beaver Creek Golf Links.

At school . . .

Joe Vilella was named to the Dean's Honor List for the fall semester at New York University's College of Arts and Science. He is the son of Joanne and Dan Vilella of Clarkston.

Jennifer N. Cusumano pledged Albion College's Beta chapter of Alpha Chi Omega sorority during the 2003 spring semester. The Clarkston High School graduate is a first-year student at Albion, and is the daughter of Cosimo and Josephine Cusumano of Clarkston.

Clarkston's **Wanda Diamond**, **Elizabeth Skrisson**, **Matthew Christie**, and **Gregory Mausolf** were named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester at Lawrence Technological University.

Rita Daris, a 2002 Clarkston High School graduate, will present a project at the 32nd Conference on Senior Engineering Design Projects at Western Michigan University on Tuesday, April 15. She is the daughter of Marie and Fred Daris of Clarkston, and plans to receive a bachelor's degree in Industrial Design in April 2003.

In Service . . .

Navy Hospitalman **Lindsey M. Armstrong**, whose husband, Michael, is the son of Sherri Gibson of Clarkston and James Strong of Waterford, recently graduated from the Basic Hospital Corps School at Naval Hospital Corps School, Great Lakes, Ill.

Navy Hospitalman Apprentice **Michael T. Armstrong**, son of Sherri Gibson of Clarkston and James Strong of Waterford, recently graduated from the Basic Hospital Corps School at Naval Hospital Corps School, Great Lakes, Ill.

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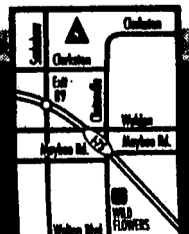


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Religion

In times of war...pray, trust, look

Today is a sad day.

War has begun and there is always "the unknown" associated with it. I don't know anyone who wants war, but nevertheless; here we are.

Even the Bible tells us there is a time for war in Ecclesiastes 3:8. As a matter of fact, there is a time for everything under the sun. So, what do we do in times of war?

First we pray.

The Bible says, "Is any one of you in trouble? He should pray;" and again it says, "The prayer of a righteous man is powerful and effective." (James 5:13,16) Prayer has an effect.

Pray for the president, our fighting men and women in uniform, and for the civilians caught in the middle. Pray that the war will be over quickly to minimize the destruction. The Spirit of God is active in our world, so let us come together and pray that His will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Second, we must trust in the sovereignty of God.

This war did not catch God off guard. Our God cannot be surprised. In times of difficulty, we need to lean not on our own understanding but on God's.

Remember what the Apostle Paul wrote in Philippians? "The Lord is near. Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds



Out of the Woods
Pastor Bob Galey, Oakland Woods Baptist Church

in Christ Jesus." (Philippians 4:5b-7) That kind of peace can only come from the knowledge that God is on His throne.

And third, we can look for the good that will come from this war.

I know that sounds strange but the Bible again reminds us in Romans 8:28 of that very fact. "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose." It doesn't say in all things except for war. It says in all things.

I hear there are hundreds of our military men and women getting baptized in the desert. I also have seen a report that church services are full and thousands of our combat troops are rededicating their lives to Christ. Some would call this "foxhole religion" and say that it doesn't last. I would say to them that God's word will not return to Him void and that His grace is not without effect.

Finally, I would like to share a personal note. I was a gunner on a B-52 and flew 27 combat missions during Desert Storm. Being an ordained minister at the time, my commander gave me the nickname "Preach." He even gave me a name tag that I wore on my flight suit that said, "Sgt. Preach Galey." In between flights, I had the privilege of seeing 56 men give their lives to Christ and was even allowed to baptize three men in the Red Sea.

God can do something good in any circumstance. I've lived it and so can you.

As a community, let us pray, let us trust God, and let us keep our eyes toward the heavens for the good that God will work in this time of war.

Bob Galey is the pastor of Oakland Woods Baptist Church, 5628 Maybee Rd. in Clarkston. He can be reached by calling (248) 625-7557. For more information on the church visit www.owbc-sbc.com.

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Club 5529 in Clarkston will host alternative Christian rock band **Bleach** with opening bands Huddle and Stasis Friday, April 4. Doors open at 8:30 p.m.; show starts at 9 p.m. Cost is \$8 at the door for general admission seating.

Club 5529 is a state-of-the-art dance club and venue offering great music, dancing and fun, and is open every Friday night from 8:30 p.m. to 2 a.m. for young adults 18 and older. The club features a coffee bar, "blue room lounge," billiards room, and an expansive dance floor.

Club 5529 is located inside the Clarkston Christian Association, at 5529 Sashabaw Rd. Call (248) 618-2240 or log on to www.5529music.com for more information.

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Using her artistic talents to share God's Word, Trute will present her program Saturday, April 5 at 9:30 a.m.

Many of Trute's quilts have been juried into contests and have appeared in magazines and on television including "Quilting with Kaye Wood" and "Michigan Magazine."

The cost for this program is \$7. A \$2 donation from each ticket will go to the Detroit Annual Conference, Goods for Haiti. On the breakfast menu is pecan and marmalade French toast, assorted sweet rolls, fruit, coffee, tea and juice. For more information, call (248) 634-3373.

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Traditional worship & music
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Sunday Prayer Times: 8:30am & 5:30pm

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Christian Education Classes 9 am & 10:15 am
Evening Praise & Worship 6:00 pm (Nursery & Child care provided)
Wednesday Family Program 7:00 pm

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Phone 673-3101

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(248) 625-4644
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Home of Clarkston Christian School
Pastors: Greg Henneman, Bonita Laudeman
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Sunday: Worship 9:30 & 11:00 am
School of Discipleship 11:00 am
Nursery Care at all services
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Sunday: Youth Ministries 5:00-7:00 pm
www.clarkstonchurch.com

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Staff Pastor - Senior Pastor Jonathan Heierman
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Sun: 9:15 am Sunday School & Adult Bible Fellowship
10:30 am Worship Service
5:00 pm Choir Practice
6:00 pm Evening Service
Mon: 6:30 pm Awana
Wed: 10:00 am Morning Prayer Partners
7:00 pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study

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6490 Clarkston Rd., Clarkston
Sunday 8:00 am & 10:00 am Service
Nursery Provided
William McDonald, Priest
625-2325

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Pastors: Fred & Karen Wherritt
Sunday: Worship Service 10 am (Contemporary Praise)
Children's Ministry 10 am
Sunday Morning phone: 623-2596
Wednesday: Bible Study & Prayer 7 pm
Children & Youth Ministry 7 pm
2nd Wednesday of each month is Ladies Meeting only

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Worship location: 4453 Clintonville Rd. at the corner of Mann Rd., 1/2 way between Maybee Rd. and Walton Blvd.
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 451 Clarkston, MI 48347
Office Phone: (248) 922-3515
Sunday Morning Phone: (248) 425-4279
Website: www.northoakchurch.org
Pastor Steve I. Brown

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Dr. James G. Keough, Jr. Minister
Sunday Worship: 10:00 am, 7:00 pm
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Pastor: J. Todd Vanaman
Sun: 10:00 am Sunday School & Adult Bible Fellowship
11:00 am Morning Worship Service
6:00 pm Evening Worship Service
Wed: 6:45 pm AWANA
7:00 pm Teen Meetings & Adult Bible Study
Nursery available for all services.

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Plans after graduation: Massachusetts Institute of Technology or Michigan Technological University to study physics and engineering
Athletics: swimming for four years
Honors: Scholar Athlete, Presidential Scholar nominee, Who's Who Among High School Students, National Honor Roll
Clubs/organizations: National Honor Society, Clarkston Teen Council, Japanese Quiz Bowl
Favorite high school memory: Being on the



varsity swimming team as a freshman, looking up to the seniors as "gods" and us winning the division even though we were a first year team.

Cheerleader receives scholarship

Kristina Badgley, daughter of Dan and Karen Badgley, is one of 12 high school senior cheerleaders in the state of Michigan to receive a scholarship from the Michigan Cheerleaders Coaches Association (MCAA). The award is given for scholastic accomplishments and community involvement. Kristina is on the Clarkston Varsity Cheer Team. She plans to attend Michigan State University in the fall to major in education.

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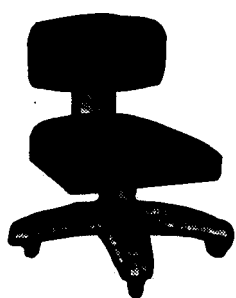
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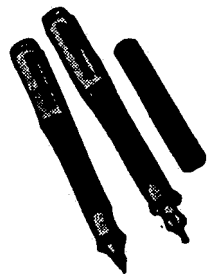
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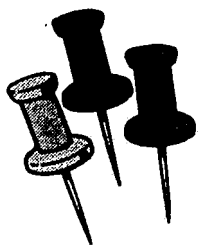


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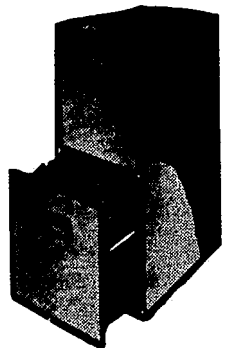


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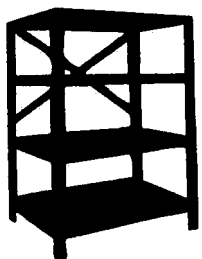


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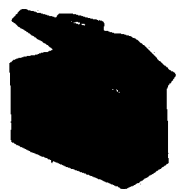
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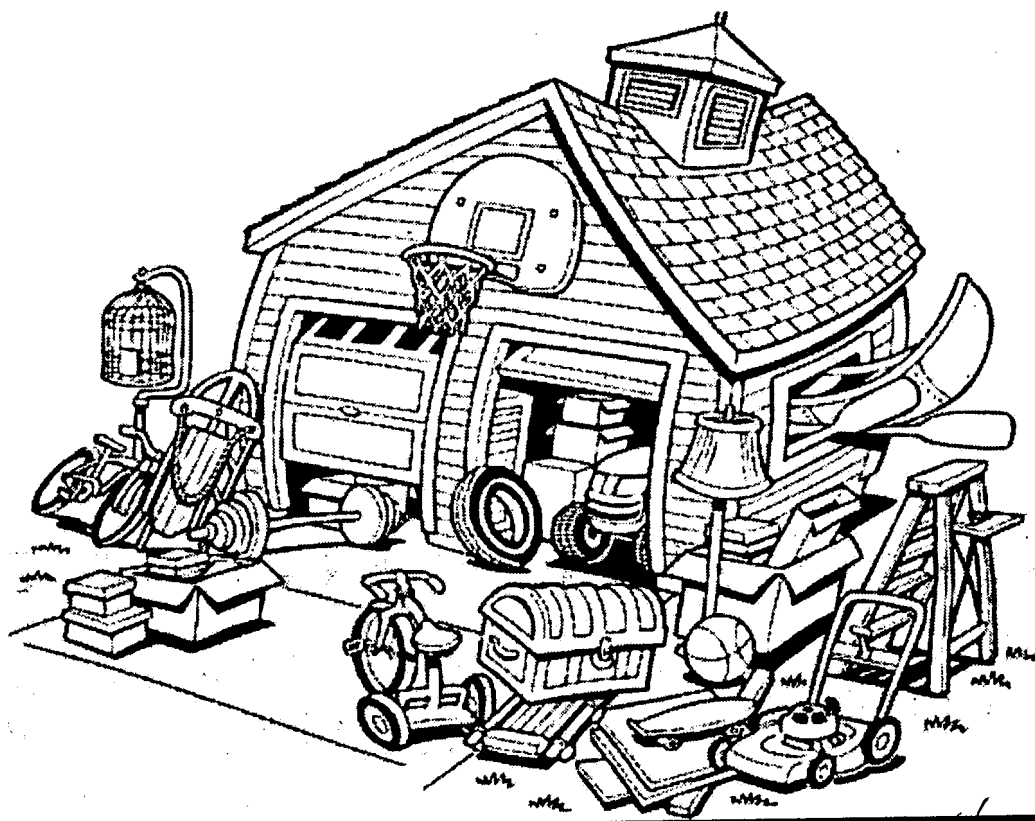


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Seminar aims to help future

BY JILLIAN QUINLAN
Clarkston News Intern

Career Connections is hosting its third annual young person's seminar entitled "Future Leaders" on April 1 from 7:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The last two seminars were focused towards young women and featured women business leaders. This year, however, the focus is towards both male and female 11th and 12th grade students.

The event will host Sadie Bolos, an author, motivational speaker and

business coach. There will also be several group activities with local business leaders serving as facilitators.

"This will be a high-quality, high-caliber seminar. Also, students will get to know 10 to 15 business leaders from their community which will be a great help as they go on," Penny Shanks of the Clarkston Chamber of Commerce said.

Career Connections is a partnership between the Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce and the Clarkston Community Schools. Its purpose is to

help students K-12 learn more about careers. This way they can choose a career rather than find one by chance.

The event is free to students, but is on a first-come first-serve basis. The 150 available spaces are going quickly, and students must pre-register at the Chamber or the Clarkston High School counseling office.

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FILE NO. 2003-

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Date of Birth: October 21, 1932
TO ALL CREDITORS:

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Nina R. Dennison who lived at 796 Tyrone Waterford, Michigan died March 7, 2003.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Shannon L. Bradley named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at 1200 North Telegraph Pontiac, MI 48341 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

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Learn about some high quality natural areas in northwest Oakland County while helping the North Oakland Headwaters Land Conservancy by becoming a volunteer nature guide docent.

Training will be offered on Saturday, April 12 at 1 p.m. at a conservancy owned natural area during which prospective docents will learn about the area so that they can participate in guiding the public at schedule times while explaining the mission of NOHLC in protecting and saving high quality natural areas in perpetuity.

NOHLC is preparing the 2003 schedule for docent guided nature walks at one of the conservancy's saved parcels, the 40 plus acre Kimball Nature Preserve located near I-75 in Clarkston. This preserve protects a portion of the Clinton River headwaters, wetlands, mature lowland and upland hardwood forest, along with a diversity of native plant and animal species.

Call the NOHLC office for more information at (248) 846-6547.

Stakoe and Middleton team up for coffee hours

State Representative John Stakoe announced he will hold regular coffee hours with County Commissioner Tom Middleton beginning this week.

The informal get-together will take place every fourth Friday of the month, beginning on Friday, March 28 at 8 a.m. at Pete's Coney at 6160 Dixie Highway in Clarkston.

"The involvement of residents is vital to our system of government," Stakoe said. "I welcome the opportunity to hear from people at any time. Knowing how busy people are, I want to offer as many occasions as possible for people to share their ideas and concerns about state government."

Do you have a story idea for The Clarkston News. Call us at (248) 625-3370.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
TOWNSHIP BOARD
AGENDA
7:30 p.m.
TOWNSHIP LIBRARY

DATE: April 01, 2003

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call
4. Opening Statements and Correspondence
5. Approval of Agenda
6. Public Forum - Individuals in the audience have the opportunity to address the Township Board on an issue that is not on the agenda limiting their comments to not more than three minutes.

Consent Agenda

- a. Minutes
- b. Approval of Purchase Orders
- c. Approval of Accounts Payable Check Run
- d. Second Reading and Adoption of a Rezoning Request Approval for Amendment of Oakhurst P.R.D. Phase X - Middlesboro, parcel 08-24-200-003, northeast corner of Clintonville Road and Waldon Road.

Unfinished Business

1. Fire Records Management
- New Business
1. METRO Act
2. M.M.R.M.A. Risk Insurance Membership Renewal
3. Cross-Connection Control Program Contract Proposal
4. DPW. Building Addition
5. Adjournment

Items removed from Consent Agenda for action or discussion will be moved to the last item under Unfinished Business.

Only those matters that are listed on the agenda are to be considered for action. A majority vote of the Board members may add or delete an agenda item.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Charter Township of Independence will hold a Public Hearing on the proposed Final Project Plan for Water System Improvements for the purpose of receiving comments from interested persons. The hearing will be held at 7:30 p.m., April 15, 2003 at the following location:

Independence Township Library
6495 Clarkston Road
Clarkston, Michigan 48346

The purpose of the proposed project is to upgrade the local municipal water system to meet new arsenic standards, provide iron removal and sequestering, and implement disinfection. The project would also increase overall system reliability and capacity.

Project construction will involve installation of new well sites, pressure booster stations, elevated storage, new transmission water mains, iron and arsenic removal treatment facilities, and iron sequestration and disinfection at existing facilities.

Copies of the plan, detailing the proposed project, will be available for public inspection on and after April 1, 2003 at the following locations:

Independence Township Hall -
Clerk's Office
90 North Main Street
Clarkston, MI 48346

Department of Public Works
6050 Flemings Lake Road
Clarkston, MI 48346

Hubbell, Roth & Clark, Inc.
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Bloomfield Hills, MI 48303

Written comments will be accepted up to and including seven (7) days after the date of the Public Hearing and should be sent to:

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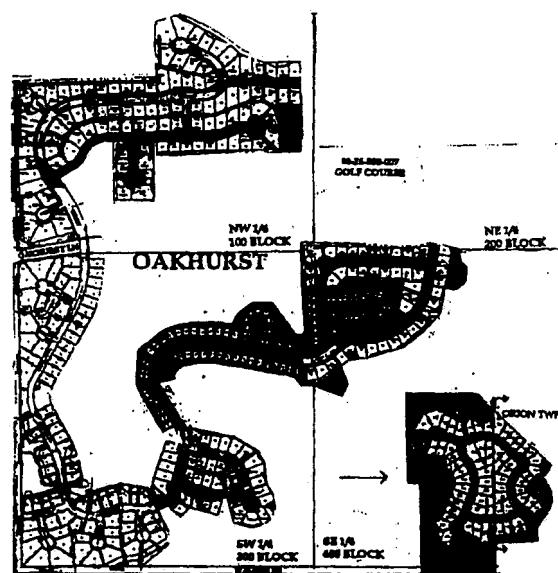
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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE

At a Regular meeting of the Township Board held on March 18, 2003 the Board authorized a First Reading of a Rezoning Request for Amendment of Oakhurst P.R.D. Phase X - Middlesboro, parcel 08-24-200-003, northeast corner of Clintonville Road and Waldon Roads as follows:



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Township Clerk

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SYNOPSIS

TAKEN BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE

Supervisor Stuart called the March 18, 2003 meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Library.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Present: Kelly, McCrary, Rosso, Stuart, Travis, Wagner, Wenger.

Absent: None

There is a quorum.

1. Approved the minutes of the Regular Meeting of March 4, 2003 as submitted.

2. Approved the payment of the revised list of distributions in the amount of \$6,029.00.

3. Approval of Accounts Payable Check Run in the amount of \$424,458.10.

4. Approval of agenda as amended.

5. Approved motion of Spray Park concept in Clintonwood Park and permission for committee to proceed with fund raising.

6. Approved motion for consideration of Investment Policy revision.

7. Approved motion of First Reading of a Rezoning Request for Amendment of Oakhurst P.R.D. Phase X - Middlesboro, parcel. 08-24-200-003, northeast corner of Clintonville Road and Waldon.

8. Approved motion of Resolution for Goose Round-up - Van Norman Lake.

9. Approved motion of Resolution for Goose Round-up - Deer Lake.

10. Approved motion to lease copiers for Parks and Recreation.

11. Approved motion, authorizing Mike Turk to apply for grant - Deer Lake Boat Launch.

12. Approved motion to enter into Closed Session at 9:01 p.m.

13. Approved motion to reopen The Regular Meeting at 9:35 p.m.

14. Approved motion to proceed to condemnation DTE-Sasabaw Road.

15. Approved motion to adjourn at 9:37 p.m.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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Safety

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tion and coordination efforts of school personnel and local emergency response teams, assessment of facilities, review of the school's current safety plan and practice drills, development of a transportation emergency plan, lockdown training and drills, and much more.

Equally important is violence prevention planning to "avert a tragedy from happening in the first place."

Young -- who has attended several training seminars dealing with safety issues for schools; teaches a leadership skills program at N.A.M.M.A. Karate school; and is in the process of obtaining his bachelor's degree in law enforcement -- has developed a copyrighted survey to get feedback from students and learn of the problems and safety issues which need to be addressed.

"Research is clear in that safety plans and violence prevention programs must be custom-made to specific cultural realities for each district, or even perhaps each individual school," Young said.

All of the services PIECES offer can be paid through the Safe and Drug Free Schools' money or possibly Title monies, Young said, who was recently selected as a Regional Independence Level One Agent of the National Security Alliance's Kid-Safe Network Division, a nonprofit child safety and danger awareness organization.

"I'm not doing this to make money. All I want to do is make sure these kids are safe. I'd do anything for them."

For more information, Young can be reached through PIECES, Inc., P.O. Box 802, Clarkston MI 48347-0802. Call (248) 625-0945 or email piecesinc@yahoo.com.

Miscellaneous facts

•270 kids take guns to school every day, according to studies from the American Psychiatric Commission on Violence and Youth.

•The U.S.S.S. Safe School Initiative indicates bullying is the significant factor in two-thirds of school attacks.

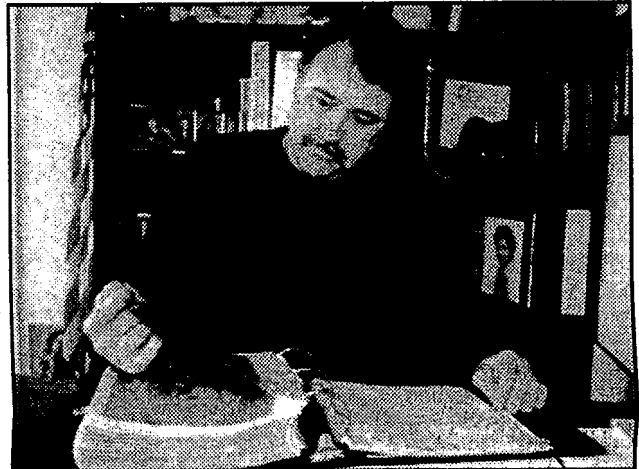
Fatal school shootings

•There are more than 30 fatal school shootings by students. The first occurred Jan. 29, 1979. Brenda Spencer, 16, of San Diego, Calif., opened fire on an elementary school from her home with a sniper rifle. The principal and a custodian were killed, nine students and a police officer were wounded. Her motive was she hated Mondays.

The most devastating school slaughter in U.S. history occurred April 29, 1999. Eric Harris, 18, and Dylan Klebold, 17, of Columbine High School in Colorado killed one teacher, 11 classmates, wounded 23 students and faculty and committed suicide. Their motive was a grudge against athletes and popular girls.

•There are more than 14 fatal school shootings by adults. The first occurred May 18, 1927. Andrew Kehoe, at Bath Elementary School in Michigan, killed one teacher, 37 students and wounded 43 students with a bomb. He killed himself and a school board member with another bomb. His motive was losing his farm to high taxes.

Most recently, on May 29, 1998, Michael Grammig, 19, killed himself and a speech teacher at Stranahan High School in Georgia. His motive was the two sweethearts had broken up a few days before.



Former Detective Chuck Young works at his desk. Photo by Bob Flath.

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180 REC. EQUIPMENT

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1999 ARCTIC CAT 136 Mountain Cat 600 EFI loaded, \$3,000. 1998 Sno Pro P/V 440, \$2,800. 3-place enclosed trailer, \$1,800. Call after 5pm. 810-664-8608 !!!LZM15-2

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USED CHEVROLET engines 5.7, 4.3, Buick V-6, 3.4 & 3.8. 351 Windsor rebuildable cores. All excellent running engines. 248-628-3756. !!!LX12-4

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250 CARS

1996 CHEVY MONTE Carlo, red, 2 door, power windows, power locks, power sunroof, CD player, new tires, 96,000 miles, excellent condition, \$4800 obo. 248-628-0982. !!!LX14-4nn

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1986 CHEVY CELEBRITY, 4 door, runs good, \$1250. 248-693-2950 after 6pm. !!!LX15-2

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1993 STEALTH RT, 5 speed, CD changer. New clutch and timing belt. \$6750 obo. Trades considered. 248-393-6321. !!!RZ9-12nn

1997 CHEVY LUMINA, 4 door, teal green, 82,000 miles, \$5000 firm. 248-693-7112. !!!LX12-4nn

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1992 FORD CROWN Victoria. Grandma's car! Loaded. Less than 30,000 miles, \$4000. 248-705-5278. !!!CX35-2

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2001 BONNEVILLE, immaculate condition, loaded, silver, 75,000 highway miles, service records, new tires, one owner, non-smoker. Owner moving - must sell! \$11,900. 248-681-6795. !!!CZ31-12nn

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1995 OLDS ACIEVA, 4 door, automatic, needs motor, decent car, \$300. 248-620-6304. !!!CX36-2

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1998 CHRYSLER Concorde LXi, champagne beauty, 1 owner, loaded, 78,000 miles, \$6995. 248-693-0257. !!!LX15-2

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1993 GRAND AM, highway miles, looks & runs great. Must see! \$1,500. 248-410-2385 !!!LX15-4nn

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1987 MAZDA RX7, 2 door, turbo. Silver color. Loaded. Moonroof. Stored winters. Mint condition. 112,000 miles. \$4500. 248-693-2635 !!!RMZ14-4nn

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1996 BUICK REGAL GS, good condition! 3800 engine. Black with leather interior, power sunroof, chrome wheels, 160,000 miles, \$3500. 810-603-0181. !!!CZ27-12nn

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1999 TAURUS SE, 4 door, dark blue, V6, A/C, mag wheels, tape deck, full power, excellent condition, 75,000 miles, \$4,800. 248-628-4965 !!!LZ8-12nn

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260 VANS

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270 TRUCKS

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FORD ESCAPE 2001. Great condition. 4X4, fully loaded. Yellow. 24,000 miles. \$16,500 obo. 248-693-1059 IILX6-12nn

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1977 FORD F150 pick-up, Super Cab, clean, classic, all original 460 V8, A/C, power steering and brakes, 8-foot bed with cap, full tow package. Must see and test drive, \$4,750. 248-447-0947. IILX32dhtf

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1972 CHEVY C-10 Custom Deluxe, 350 automatic, green & white, good body, nice interior, \$2200. 586-752-3673. IILX15-2

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2001 EXPLORER SPORT Track, 4WD, loaded, white/beige leather. Premium sound, 6 CD changer, moonroof, trailer hitch. One owner, non-smoker. \$17,500. 248-310-9220. IILRMZ15-4nn

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2000 FORD RANGER XLT 30,000 miles, 4 door step side, off road package, like new. \$15,800 810-721-8506. IILZ28-12nn

1984 4X4 ARIZONA BRONCO. Professionally maintained. \$2500. New aluminum steps. Call 248-693-1750. IILRX13-4nn

1992 CHEVY SUBURBAN 2500 Series, 4x4, loaded, excellent condition, 160,000 miles. Runs perfect. \$7400. 248-628-9158. IILZ9-12nn

2001 EXPLORER XLT, 6 cylinder, 4x4, 16,000 miles, 4 door, gold exterior, tan interior, power windows, locks & seat. Delay wipers & lights. A/C, am-fm cassette/CD, plus more. \$10,900. 248-628-1938. IILZ12-8nn

1999 GMC YUKON 4X4 tan with tan leather interior, power everything, \$19,000. Please call 248-628-7867 IILZ14-12

1998 JEEP WRANGLER SE, 4WD. Hard and, soft tops. 44,000 miles. Like new, must see. Loan value \$11,725, asking \$11,500. Call 248-391-6192 or 248-866-0706 IILRMZ-8nn

1994 FORD F-150 extended cab, 6 cylinder, 147,000 miles, cap & bedliner, good condition, \$3300 obo. 248-627-7173 after 4pm. IILZM31-4nn

1996 JEEP CHEROKEE, selling for parts. Automatic transmission, 4.0 engine/60,000 miles, \$750: 248-394-1611 IILX36-2

1990 CHEVY ONE ton flatbed, 4x4, w/ plow, 76,000 miles, many new parts, \$5,000. 248-625-6818 IILZ36-12nn

2001 CHEVY BLAZER ZR2, 2-door, 28,000 miles. Loaded. \$14,800. 248-628-0366 IILZ14-4nn

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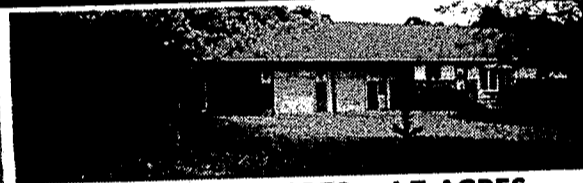
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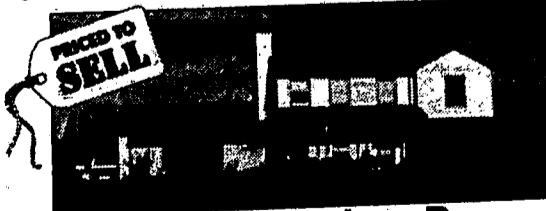


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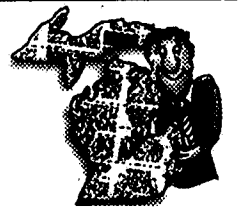
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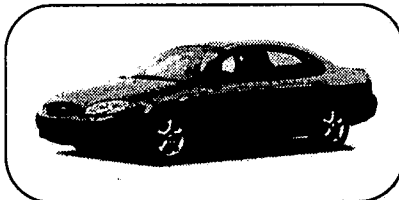
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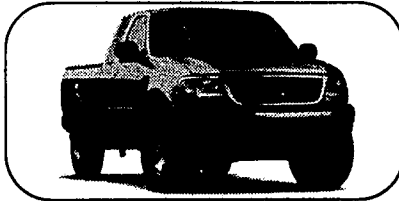
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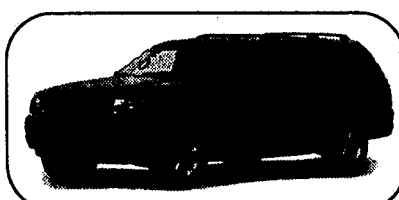
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(Photos clockwise from right) Callie Skene, 7, paints a plaster flower, with mom Karen, as fellow seven-year-old Sara Myszewski looks on. Third grader Evan Trout, with mom Nancy, admires his creation during the math and science session of the night. Michael Morgan blows a bubble from his math and science project. Brendan Greenlee, 6, reads with his grandma, Lynn Knutson, during the Drop Everything And Read (DEAR) Time. Whitney Bedor, 11, and sister MacKenzie, 7, cuddle close and read in the school library.



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