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Pastor fought in Persian Gulf War

BY JENNIFER NEMER
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On Sundays, you'll find him behind the pulpit preaching God's Word. But before Pastor Bob Galey came to Oakland Woods Baptist Church in Clarkston, his life was quite different.

For 14 and a half years, Galey served as a gunner on a B-52 for the United States Air Force and during that time served in the Persian Gulf War.

With only five and a half years to go to retirement, Galey -- married with three children -- stepped away from it all to answer a call from God to preach, though it would mean losing 3/4 of his salary and medical insurance.

"I heard a plain voice from God saying, 'I took care of you in Saudi Arabia, I can take care of you now, too,'" Galey remembers.

But let's go back...

It was at age 9, growing up in Lubbock, Texas, Galey accepted Jesus Christ as his personal Savior.

He got away from the church, though, while in high school and joined the military in 1978 after graduation in 1977.

During his service, he was stationed in Carswell, Texas, became a gunner instructor in Merced, California, did a couple exercises in England, and would end his career at Wurtsmith base in Oscoda, Mich., where he was in charge of training every gunner that came on base.

It was when he met the woman that would become his wife, Bonnie, on a blind date in 1980, that God began having more of a presence in Galey's life again.

A lady strong in her faith, Galey joked, "She would have become the first Baptist nun if I hadn't rescued her." The two married four months after their first date.

Shortly after, Galey was transferred to California. He and his wife became very active in a church there, and rededicated their lives to the Lord.

Galey soon felt a calling to preach. When he originally talked to Bonnie about this, he recalled, "She said, 'she didn't get that (feeling) at all.'" Galey's pastor told him God would not give him a calling and not call his wife as well. So, Galey waited a year and a half until Bonnie said she felt convinced God wanted her to be a pastor's wife.

In February 1988, Galey was ordained in the ministry. He began pastoring a small church in California, but then received orders to Michigan.

While here, a six-member church 80 miles from the Air Force base in Oscoda wanted Galey to fill their pulpit.

"They couldn't pay me, but I had my Air Force salary to rely on, so Bonnie and I took the kids every weekend and drove to the church."

When war was on the horizon, Galey trained a man to fill his spot on Sunday mornings.



Pastor Bob Galey, of Oakland Woods Baptist Church in Clarkston, spent 14 and a half years in the Air Force and flew 27 combat missions in Desert Storm. Photo by Bob Flath.

Though he wasn't preaching in a conventional church every Sunday, Galey's preaching continued in Desert Storm.

His squadron commander even gave him the nickname "Preach" and a name tag which said, "Sgt. Preach Galey," to wear on his flight suit.

"Everyone called me 'Preach,' that was my handle."

In between flying, Galey conducted outdoor worship services where over time 56 men gave their lives to Christ. Three of the men Galey

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Teachers grapple with changing curriculum standards

(Note: The following is the first of a series on how local school officials develop new and revised curricula in light of changing standards and technology.)

BY DON SCHELSKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

It's no longer, "Read chapter 10 and answer all the odd-numbered problems."

School officials say changing professional standards -- not to mention state and federal regulations -- have affected the way they review and approve curriculum for today's students.

Administrators, teachers and parents now spend about three years researching desired outcomes and available resources before submitting a curriculum proposal to the Clarkston Community Schools Board of Education.

John Dilegghio, executive director of secondary education, and Geraldine Moore, executive director of elementary education, introduced teachers who serve as "subject area coordinators" at the Monday, March 24 school board meeting, and discussed the curriculum review procedures.

One of the biggest challenges, they said, was keeping up with changing requirements of the state core curriculum (on which the annual Michigan Education Assessment Program tests are based) and federal mandates such as the new "No Child Left Behind" pro-

gram.

"It's ever changing," Dilegghio said. "It's almost a moving target these days."

Even when a curriculum is in place, teachers often must adapt to changing standards.

"Some of the benchmarks that were in ninth grade are being moved to sixth grade," Moore said. "It's always a work in progress."

Over the years have come a change in expectations of student performance. In addition to learning facts, authorities increasingly want to see students use reasoning and application to relate those facts to real life.

Because of this, officials have developed a detailed plan of the expectations before looking for textbooks and other teaching tools.

In each subject area, Dilegghio said there first comes "content standards," which include "broad statements" of the knowledge students should learn. Then come "benchmarks," standards by which student learning can be measured at various grade levels.

The curriculum plan also includes "essential learnings" ("What the student needs to do," said Dilegghio) and "critical practices" ("What the teacher needs to do" to help the students learn).

The plan goes so far as to define the kind of learning desired in an individual exercise or unit. Those stages range from "awareness" to "mastery" with "reinforcement" thrown in, as well.

Dilegghio projected a table to include the above

elements in a given grade and subject area.

Is all that time and paperwork necessary? Dilegghio said it's intended to answer the big question: "What are we doing to best meet the needs of our students?"

A "teaching and learning council" with representatives of elementary, middle and high school personnel, attempts to answer that question before a new curriculum plan is presented to the school board.

When curriculum standards are finalized, teachers search for teaching materials, and it's more than standard textbooks. Moore said the day is gone when a teacher was told, "Here's the book; go teach it." Teachers now use computer software and other multimedia tools based on how they "fulfill benchmarks."

"The textbook is a tool," Dilegghio said, but, "It's one of many tools that can be used to teach the curriculum."

Sometimes, teachers will "pilot" a chapter from a candidate book to see how it works with students. "It's a lengthy process," Dilegghio said.

When new curriculum is approved -- or when changing standards require a mid-course adjustment -- all teachers must be brought up to speed. That, said Moore, is where staff development comes in.

"It's critical that we have the opportunity to work with teachers," Moore said. "We have to give them all the tools they need to meet the needs of the students."

(Next: The three-year study of Clarkston schools' mathematics curriculum.)

Briefly

Land Conservancy sets annual meeting

The North Oakland Headwaters Land Conservancy will hold its annual Spring Membership Meeting on Saturday, May 3. The event will be held at the Springfield Township Civic Center located alongside the Shiawassee River Corridor at 12000 Davisburg Road in Davisburg.

The morning begins at 10 a.m. and the public is invited to attend.

This year's program, "Gardening with Nature: Noah's Garden and Beyond," will be presented by Lillian Dean, Southeast Oakland County Water Authority's Coordinator of Healthy Lawns and Gardens. Lillian is well known for teaching the citizens of the county a personalized approach to ecological principles. She will answer questions like: How does the home gardener determine what to plant, where and how? What lessons have been learned from ecological gardeners? Where can the interested gardener go for help and inspiration? Lillian will present slides illustrating on-the-ground examples from Oakland County.

Celeste Watts, a certified National Wildlife Foundation Backyard Habitat Consultant will speak about "Creating Habitat." Since May 4 is International Bird Watching Day, Celeste will show how we can design our yards to attract a variety of birds and provide for them.

The program is free of charge and open to the public. Learn more about the NOHLC preservation initiatives and what citizens can do to work together for the conservation of our land.

Refreshments will be served, followed by a

tour of the Springfield Civic Center's unique rain garden. The garden incorporates the design and construction of a meandering dry bed, settling ponds and installation of native plants as part of the landscape architecture.

Nancy Strole, Springfield Township Clerk, will conduct the tour.

Incorporated in 1972, the North Oakland Headwaters Land Conservancy has worked in and for the community for 30 years, stewarding 41 parcels of land comprising almost 1,000 acres, some properties totally owned and some protected by conservation/scenic easements.

For more information about the work of the conservancy, please contact the NOHLC office at (248) 846-6547 or visit their website at www.nohlc.org.

Bowl-a-thon to benefit Relay for Life

In memory of Lindsay Rivard, granddaughter of Frank and Sue Kulha, Cherry Hill Lanes North will host a bowl-a-thon to raise money for the American Cancer Society's Clarkston Relay for Life.

The bowl-a-thon is set for April 6. Team sign-in is at 12:45 p.m. while bowling starts at 1:30 p.m. Cost is \$17 per person and includes three games of bowling and pizza/salad.

All proceeds will go to the American Cancer Society. Sign up your four person team by calling (248) 625-5011 or filling out a registration at Cherry Hill Lanes North in Clarkston.

Want to know what else is happening in the area? Go to Around Town on page 2 of the Millstream section

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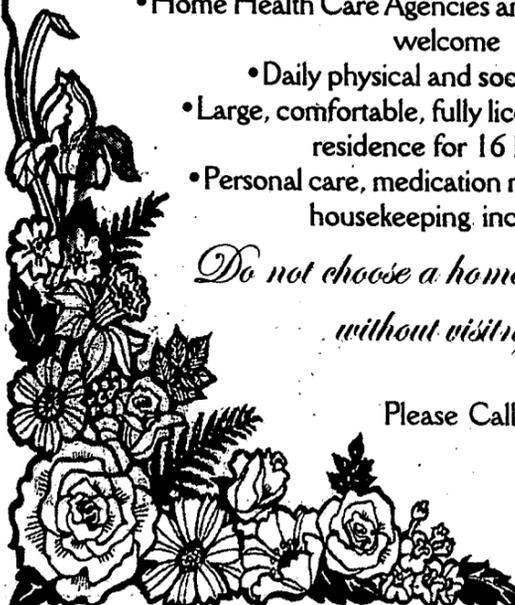
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The Second Front

Senior chosen for education at West Point

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

While most high school graduates will spend the summer relaxing, Bryan Kolano will be put through arduous activities.

That is because the Clarkston High School senior has recently accepted an appointment to the Military Academy at West Point. He will visit the academy on April 7-8 before officially starting on June 30.

"They have a reception day where everybody goes to the football stadium and they talk to the families. The parents get to say their last goodbyes and that is how we start," Kolano said.

Getting accepted to West Point has been a goal for Kolano for several years. The lifelong Clarkston resident came across their website and also received some help from the CHS counseling department.

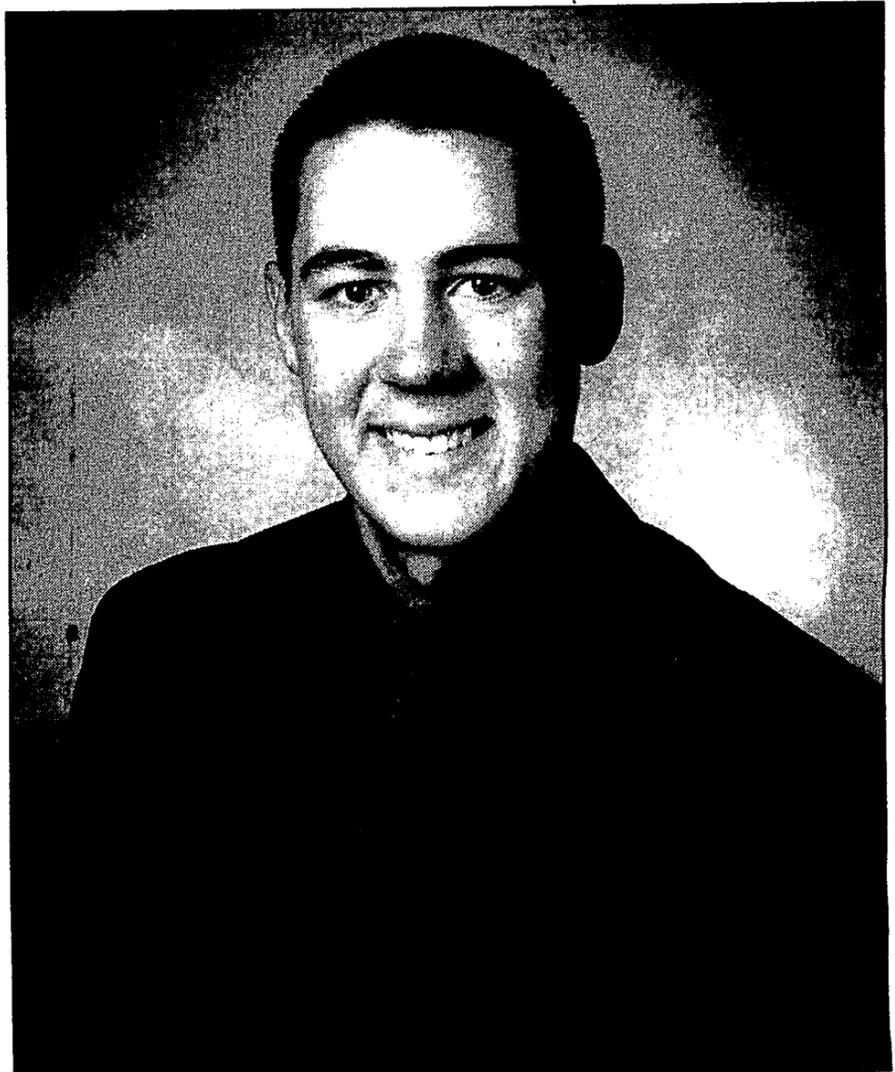
"I have wanted to be an army officer since ninth or tenth grade," Kolano said. "I wanted to serve the country and I wanted to go in as an officer so this seemed like a good choice."

Kolano brought an impressive list of accomplishments to the application process. The senior carries a 3.72 grade point average, runs track and has been in marching band for four years. He also has worked stage crew for school musicals, co-founded a military history club and currently serves as secretary for the National Honor Society.

Outside of school, Kolano is busy being active with the Oakland County Sheriff Explorer's program, which is a training program for teens with an interest in law enforcement, in addition to serving as an usher at St. Daniel's Catholic Church.

Despite the high grades and the multiple activities, getting into West Point was never a sure thing for Kolano. The military academy receives around 13,000 applications each year of which around 3,500 get nominated while just 1,200 are admitted.

Kolano received a nomination from Congressman Dale Kildee after going through a long process which included multiple interviews with various U.S. Congressman and Senators. Kolano also



Clarkston High School senior Bryan Kolano is set to attend West Point Military Academy in June. Photo provided.

had to write more than 15 essays and go through a physical test.

"Congressman Kildee called me on my cell phone to congratulate me on my acceptance and I was pretty shocked. I must have said thank you about 300 times," Kolano said. "I got the call during the school musical and I told my friend Ben Kosbab and he was as shocked about it as I was. I then called my parents and they were both real excited. My mom was thrilled to death and also scared to death. My dad is proud and telling everyone he knows."

When Kolano started the process last year by e-mailing government officials, he made sure he had a back-up plan. He also made sure he had a back-up for his back-up a few times over. He applied and received acceptances to Purdue, Penn State, Michigan and Michigan State while also receiving ROTC scholarship offers from both the Army and Navy.

"But my number one goal was to get into West Point. I also applied at the Naval Academy and the Air Force but I wanted the military academy," Kolano said.

For someone who has not ever been away from Clarkston for a long period of time, there will be an adjustment.

"It will be hard," Kolano said. "I am a little nervous about cadet basic training. It will be stressful."

Kolano will leave behind some proud parents.

"I am tremendously proud of him," father Rick Kolano said. "It was an extremely arduous process and Bryan really rose to the occasion. It demonstrated his ability to identify a goal and go after it."

Kolano is preparing himself for the academy by working out everyday. He is planning on stepping his training up a notch after graduation and running nine or ten miles a day. The military academy has given him some basic instructions on preparing for the training.

After the six year program, Kolano is thinking about working for the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He said the current war in Iraq doesn't make him any more excited about starting at West Point, nor does it make him any less excited.

Smile of the week



Lynn Suchodolski is media specialist at Independence Elementary School. Photo by Jennifer Nemer

Building Department invites questions at special meeting

Got a question about building, remodeling or fixing up?

In observation of International Building Safety Week, April 6-12, the Independence Township Building and Planning Department will host a special evening.

cial evening.

The department will be open 5-7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 9 to answer questions on code related topics. For more information call (248) 625-8111.

Affirmative Action debate set to take place in Clarkston

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

A debate which has the entire country talking will be coming to the Deer Lake Athletic Club in Clarkston.

On May 1 Dr. Robert Sedler and Dr. Carl Cohen will debate Affirmative Action. The event is being put on by the North Oakland Republican Club.

"This is the public's only opportunity to view and hear both sides of this truly historic debate from two of the country's most eminent minds," North Oakland Republican Club president Jim Runestad said. "We expect a spirited debate because they totally disagree. These individuals are among the few who possess the expertise to debate this critical issue. These opposing professors are acknowledged experts of state and national stature, who command overwhelming knowledge of the issue and comprehend the tremendous stakes, which weigh upon the outcome of this case."

Dr. Robert Sedler, of Wayne State University, is an acknowledged expert on constitutional law and is an avid proponent of affirmative action. Dr. Sedler will argue on behalf of the University of Michigan's position.

He is a Distinguished Professor of Law and Gibbs Chair in Civil Rights and Civil Liberties at Wayne State University where he teaches courses in Constitutional Law and Conflicts of Law. Sedler was named a Gershenson Distinguished Faculty Fellow at Wayne State University. He also received awards from the NAACP and ACLU. He was the past Chairperson of the Michigan State Bar Constitutional Law Committee.

Arguing the case against the University of Michigan is Dr. Carl Cohen. Dr. Cohen has been interviewed many times by national media regarding his position as the catalyst that began the Supreme Court case. He is a professor of philosophy at the University of Michigan and has been a member of the faculty since 1955.

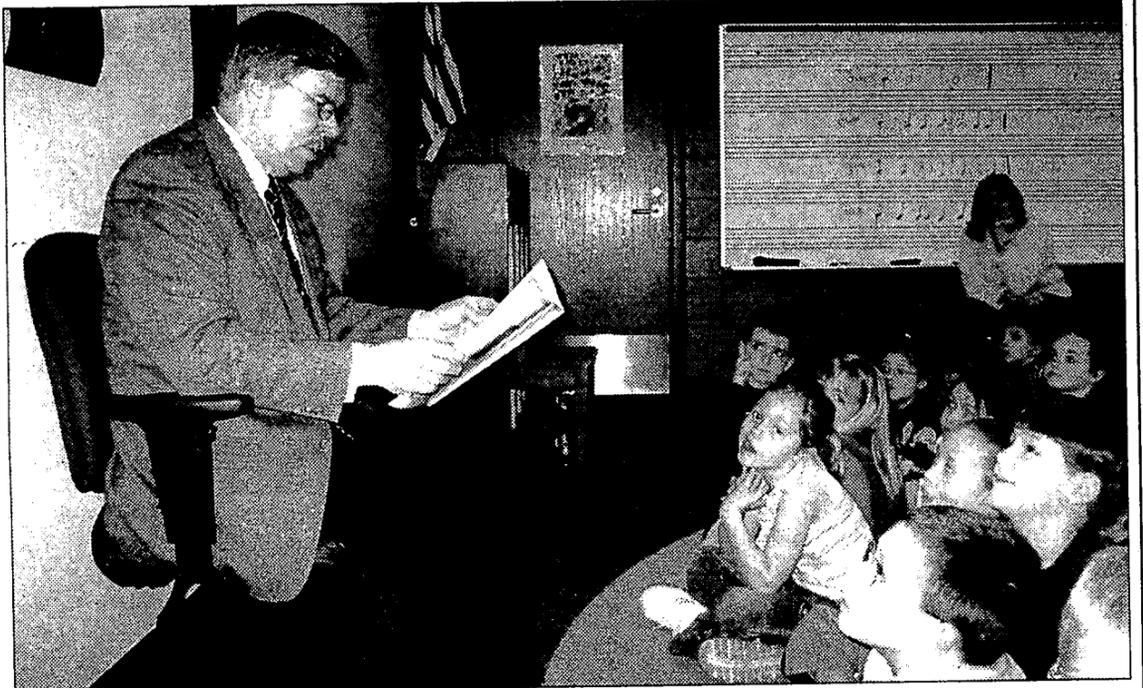
Dr. Cohen has served on the executive committee and Admissions steering committee of the College of LS&A and as chairman of the U of M Academic Senate, and SACUA. He was the past chairman of the American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan and served on the National Board of Directors of the ACLU. He has written extensively on moral and political philosophy.

"This is a confusing issue and the North Oakland Republican Club wanted to inform people about it,"

Runestad said. "Also these are two liberals and we love to hear what they have to say."

The debate is set for May 1 at 6:30 p.m. at the Deer Lake Athletic Club in Clarkston. Admission is \$20 in advance and \$30 at the door. There will be hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar. For advanced tickets contact Jim Runestad at (248) 623-8522 or go online to www.norc-us.org.

Reading to the kids



State Representative John Stakoe stopped by Independence Elementary Monday, March 31 to read to first and second graders for the last day of March is Reading Month. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

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Local expo set to be bigger and better in 2003

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

It's going to be a fun-filled April 5 in Davisburg. The Holly Area Chamber of Commerce is hold-



Angell and Marc Burnett at the 2002 Business Expo. Photo provided.

ing their 2nd Annual Business Expo, and it is expected to be bigger and better than the inaugural event.

Last year's expo was the first the chamber had held in a very long time, Diane Wozniak, chamber member and owner of Fountain Salon in Davisburg, said. Nearly 100 people attended the two-hour affair last June at the Davisburg Medical Center, which had been donated for the chamber's use.

This year about 500 people are expected to visit the expo that has moved to the Springfield Oaks Activities Center on the 4-H fairgrounds at 12451 Andersonville Rd. in Davisburg. The expo will run from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and is free to the public.

Approximately 50 exhibitors will be on hand, including Georgia Carpet, Saturn North, the Springfield Township Historical Society, Floral Images, Home Interiors, Discovery Business Systems, Sun Structures

and many more. And it isn't too late for businesses to sign up to exhibit their services.

Throughout the day, there will be entertainment such as a DJ and performances from Holly High School students; pony rides, games; raffles and door prizes; and the Fair Board Cafe will be open for refreshments.

Wozniak said the expo will have an exciting look as well, designed by Skyline Design, a premier expo design company.

Kim Scherman, executive secretary for the chamber, said, "This is a wonderful opportunity to let people know what businesses are in the area and to help get people into these businesses. It's also a fundraiser for the chamber."

The chamber serves the townships of Springfield, Rose, Groveland and Holly as well as the village of Holly. Call (248) 634-1900 for more information.

A time to pray

Our nation is at war. If there was ever a time to pray for the safety of our troops and for peace, it is now.

The National Day of Prayer will be hosted this year at the St. Daniel Catholic Community Cushing Center on Thursday, May 1.

This is a nondenominational event which brings together area churches, community leaders, civil servants and local families to join millions across America to acknowledge that "Righteousness Exalts a Nation."

This year's guest speaker is Mike Wendland, who will give encouragement from his personal life experience of prayer. A syndicated news columnist and former WDIV-TV investigative reporter,

Wendland has been leading Bible studies around the Detroit Metro area for more than 15 years.

Special music will be provided and a full breakfast will be served.

Reservations can be made at the Independence Township offices. Call Rita Burdick at (248) 625-5111. Reservations can also be made with the Clarkston National Day of Prayer committee. Call Stephanie Huber at (248) 625-7894. Seats are \$15 per person or pre-sold table of eight for \$100.

Doors open at 7 a.m. with the Boy Scout Color Guard opening the event at 7:25 a.m.

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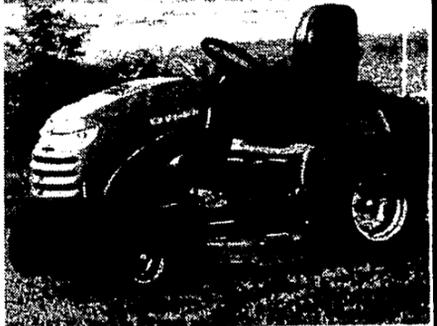
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Opinion

Just eat your stupid bacon

Our Canadian neighbors to the north have been annoying for some time now, but lately they have gone too far.

In opposition to the United States going to war with Iraq, they have booed our national anthem at hockey games, had their politicians call President Bush an idiot and bad mouthed their own Wayne Gretzky because he voiced his support for President Bush and our troops.

Now I have looked the other way on numerous Canadian transgressions due to the fact they allowed me to legally drink at age 19, but their latest actions are too much. If anyone tried to attack them who would be the first ones they call? Why, the United States, of course. If you can't back us up, Canada, at least you can keep your big mouth shut.

Everybody, except our one true ally Great Britain, complains about how arrogant and horrible the United States is until they need help. Then we are

the first ones on their speed dial to get military or financial help. I always thought Canada would not be one of those countries but I guess I was wrong.

I suppose I should have seen this coming. Canada has brought its fair share of annoyance to the United States by:

- using the state of Michigan as their own personal trash dump. Hey, if I wanted to live with trash I would move to Alabama.
- their bringing confusion to something as simple as bacon. Bacon is one of the greatest parts of life and should be respected. Isn't Canadian bacon simply ham? We don't find the need to have American bacon, do we? Leave our fatty foods alone!
- giving the National Basketball Association Steve Nash and his horrible haircut. If I wanted to watch hoops players with long, flowing hair I would turn on the WNBA. Who am I kidding, I would never watch that inferior brand of basketball.
- infiltrating our currency with their coins. We have enough coins already, we do not need yours. I firmly believe they are trying to take over our country and are beginning with the dime.
- giving us Warren and Wendy Whiner at last year's Winter Olympics. The Canadian figure skaters liked to whine so much they could have been named Bartles and James. Although they did become the first Olympians to complain their way to a gold medal.

• saddling us with Alex Trebeck on a weeknight basis. This elitist buffoon is a little too much for me to handle. It is real easy to look smart when you have the answers (or the questions as the case is on "Jeopardy") written on a card. I would like to see if he would be so smug if the answers were not given to him on a nightly basis.

With that being said, I do appreciate our Canadian neighbors for giving us good beer, Steve Yzerman and a lot of bang for our American dollar since their currency has plummeted in value.

(Kyle Gargaro is the editor of The Clarkston News. Any complaints about this tongue-in-cheek column can be e-mailed to KyleG44@aol.com.)

Gargaro's World



Kyle Gargaro

Letters to the Editor

Reader believes Jesus is always at war

In 1620, a collective group of persecuted Christians aboard the Mayflower entered the waters outside of Cape Cod. The men on that ship signed a social contract, known as the Mayflower Compact, in which they agreed to a government under God, and whose charter focused on the good of the whole. From her humble beginnings on that cold November day, through the entire course of her short history, the United States of America has remained that Nation so conceived.

America was then, and still remains a land of higher purpose. It is much more than merely soil, air and water and has a responsibility greater than only to herself. A land so blessed can't be so selfish as to turn a deaf ear, and a blind eye to oppressed societies. Justifying our abstinence from obligation by hiding under the infamous umbrella of value imposition, is not an acceptable behavior.

Freedom is not a Western value; it is the basic right of all men. Freedom originates from God, and he expects us to make good use of it; and that; whether we like it or not, spells duty. Everyday, American armed forces fight and die for the freedom of others, while defending their own. To deny this basic right to others - to recognize the danger to our fellow man only to cower from the fight - is akin to providing the oppression ourselves.

If we can understand that, then we can draw near parallels between what Jesus expects of our nation as a whole, and what our nation expects of us as individuals. America is, and will remain, mankind's last, best hope on earth. Freedom has been the basis for every war for territory, occupation rights, self-proclaimed ethnic superiority and religious persecution.

But America fights only for the right of her people,

and others, to be free. Men of immeasurable faith, from George Washington to George W. Bush, have led our country into some of the greatest battles for freedom the world has ever known. Those battles have been fought, and won, by men who understand the final objective of any conflict; that freedom must endure.

So we're asked; would Jesus go to war? Jesus is always at war. It would go against every principle for the Son of man, conceived in goodness, not to battle evil wherever it exists, in whatever shape it may take. Jesus fights this battle spiritually; combating temptation by being absorbed into the hearts of his children; and shining his light through their actions.

Americans fight this war by applying discretion; directing the appropriate diplomatic methods when possible; using force when necessary, while protecting the innocent at all times. It's His intent that men live in peace, irrespective of faith, with the expectation they will do right by each other.

Jesus died so that others may live. Evil must be defeated so that others may be free. Those who rule by force - those who kill their own people - only understand one thing; their own demise.

One day we will be called to justify our existence in His creation. Mankind will be judged, not by our deeds alone, but by our abhorrent silence in the face of evil. America must not be silent in the struggle between right and wrong. Military action has always been our last resort. We recognize the right for all societies to exist, but we can't abide by those who threaten the existence of others. Action otherwise is conduct unbecoming of an American.

Don Herbert
Independence Township

A look back was insensitive last week

Insensitive and unthinking would describe your decision to run the story of the tragic event re-told in the 1978 section of "a look back," in the March 26 edition

of The Clarkston News.

You can do better. Please try.

Zac Bell
Clarkston

A message to parents, spring breakers

I received a sad, and too often tragic, phone call last Sunday from a mom who had just found out her daughter was raped by two men, one a foreign national.

Besides the tragedy of the rape, we can't track HIV or criminal prosecution.

We've consoled parents who have had youngsters killed, severely injured, drugged or molested, and yet

they flock south.

You can have fun and be safe without alcohol, drugs or pills. Be buddies, stay away from drugs and alcohol. Bring chaperones and look after each other.

Be careful, moral and safe!

James A. O'Neill, M.D.
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Reader invites 'order of crow'

Well, well, well.

We have a convert, friends.

A new member of the club has stepped up from the rabble to join us and move forward.

Somebody who didn't agree with and or understand our motives now sees things differently. As always, it is only a matter of time.

No, no, no.

Oscar-winning documentarian Michael Moore did not apologize for his comments a few weeks ago. No, Barbara Streisand is not singing a concert in support of President George W. Bush. And, sadly, no, the Dixie Chicks are still embarrassed about being American.

Nothing quite like that.

What we have is an all-American male coming to grips with parenthood. From the swinging bachelor days, to wedded bliss, to the holy sacrament of bringing forth live. Another man is now a dad.

I know this, because last week I received a letter of apology from Dan Stanko of Leonard. And, rather than sum it up, I'll let Dan's letter stand on its own. He's a good writer and captured the moment of his story quite well. I think readers will enjoy it.

* * *

Dear Don,

If you would let me, I would like to make a public apology.

My wife and I for the longest time have been a couple of DINKS (Dual Income No Kids), not that there is anything wrong with that. I cannot speak for my wife (Laura) who has always been a good person with a heart. I, on the other hand am a different story. I would read your column about your family life, hear tales of woe from friends with kids and roll my eyes. I even had a dad tell me that if the song, "Butterfly Kisses" is played on the radio, he starts crying! I laughed when I heard this. (To myself of course, no sense in embarrassing him and making the guy feel like a fool.)

**Don't
Rush Me**



Don Rush

That all changed on March 13, 2003 at 7:14 p.m. when my wife gave birth to our first child. A six pound, three ounce baby girl, Danielle Lee.

One order of crow here, please!

As part of my public apology to parents everywhere, I would like to share this story (it's public humiliation, but that's okay because it's my humility I'm talking about.)

When the midwife showed me my child and told me to tell my wife what she had, I with tears of joy streaming down my face and with a cracked voice said, "It's a boy!"

The midwife said, "Huh?"

After a second look I said, "I mean it's a girl!"

My poor wife . . .

You see when I had looked the first time the umbilical cord was between the child's legs. (Cut me some slack people, I've never done this before.)

So to all the parents' out there -- I apologize for my ignorance. Until you have walked a mile (or around the house at 3 a.m. umteen times with a colicky baby) in parents shoes, please keep your yap shut!

The Good Lord has let my wife and I into that special club known as parenthood and we could not be more grateful!

Dan Stanko, Leonard

PS: please forgive any mistakes (no sleep will do this)

PSS: thanks to everyone at Troy Beaumont

PSSS: prayers are welcome (big time)!

* * *

Welcome aboard, Dan and Laura and congratulations. You will be witness to one of God's special gifts, watching a young child grow and blossom. You'll also be able to watch your kid eat dirt, pick her nose, play with her own body waste.

You'll laugh and smile with her and at her. You'll cry when she hurts and worry about whether or not you're raising her right. Hug her, and kiss her, squeeze her and tickle her.

Take lots of pictures and write down all the fun stories of her life -- save them not only for her, but for yourselves.

Comments for that old softy, Daddy Don can be e-mailed to: dontrushmedon@aol.com

A look back

in

The Clarkston News

15 YEARS AGO (1988)

• A tornado that touched down in Clarkston and Independence Township on Easter Sunday left behind minor property damage, downed trees and an angry fire chief. The tornado struck at about 6:35 p.m., about 10 minutes before Oakland County tornado sirens warned residents too late to take cover. "The people are getting to the point where they think the sirens are a joke," Fire Chief Gar Wilson said. "This is an early warning system and we've got to get it working as an early warning system."

• The field of candidates for superintendent of Clarkston Schools has been narrowed to three: Roy M. Bassett, Gary Haner and Dr. Timothy R. Jenney. The board of education met Monday night to plan strategy for visitations to the candidates' school districts for second interviews.

• A fire at Moon Valley Rustic Furniture on Easter Sunday was determined to be arson, according to reports at the Oakland County Sheriff's Department (OCSD). About 9:20 p.m. April 3, neighbors near the Dixie Highway outdoor furniture business in Independence Township noticed the fire and called the firefighters, said Capt. Steve Ronk of the Independence Township Fire Department. Firefighters doused the flames in about 10 minutes before much damage occurred. Damages to one building and a rack of pine logs totaled about \$1,500, said Ronk.

25 YEARS AGO (1978)

• Residents of Springfield Township voted raises for three township board members and approved the fiscal year budget at the annual meeting Saturday. Supervisor Collin Walls was awarded a \$2,900 increase, his salary of \$14,500 going to \$17,400. Calvin Walters, township clerk, received a \$1,400 increase over his 1977-78 pay rate of \$14,000.

• Jack McCall, director of police services for Independence Township, interrupted a 30-day sick leave to attend a township board meeting at which a couple of police matters were discussed. The board approved a contract for officers to provide traffic control during the Pine Knob Music Theatre's 1978 season, expected to run 118 to 120 nights.

• Several parents of students in the Clarkston school systems are talking about requesting more music, art and physical education courses in elementary and junior high schools. Parents for Curriculum Enrichment, a group of about five Clarkston residents, met recently to discuss the need for more "cultural education" in the Clarkston schools.

50 YEARS AGO (1953)

• The students and faculty at the Clarkston School were very fortunate on Monday, March 30 when they were able to hear a lecture by Marcel C. Phillips, Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Mr. Phillips opened his speech by telling about the history of the F.B.I.

• The Boots and Saddles Square dance was very well attended last Friday night, and all who were present had loads of fun. Milleur's orchestra provided fine music for both square and modern dances. They also played some novelty numbers and encouraged many of the dancers to get out onto the floor and really enjoy themselves.

• Next Monday is election day in the state, county and township. In the home election, there is apparently little interest as of now; in the county there remains the question of selecting three Circuit Court Judges on a nonpartisan ticket.

I know batteries expire, but grandpas?

Daughter Luan planned last Christmas' dinner at our house. Among the too-much food, she bought a box of ice cream cakes, shaped and colored like Santa Clauses.

"The three-year-old twins will love them," she said. She put the box in our freezer and promptly forgot it.

I spotted the box in late February and called granddaughter Karen (the family's major ice cream devourer) and asked if she would like the "Jolly Santas."

"They've probably expired," she said. I assumed at that time she meant we'd had them past the required "best if used before" wording now stamped on everything except toilet paper and air.

I rediscovered the ice cream cakes a week ago and again called Karen, and repeated my earlier question, knowing her retention of anything more than a few seconds is only for some of that god awful noise she listens to.

"Would you like these Jolly Santas," I asked?

She said, "They're probably too old!"

I told her, "I'm old and I'm good!"

She came back, "You're past expired!"

That causes me to wonder what my expiration date was, and how long I'm good for after that date? Our leaders obviously overlooked requiring doctors to put expiration dates on newborns. Surely our lawmakers could make the doctors do that, and in some way get a tax on baby age-labeling.

If there were such a requirement, I can only imagine the Congressional bickering over where the label

should be applied.

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Foods are not the only things that come with "best if" suggestions. Rechargeable battery makers tell users it is best to exhaust all the energy in it before recharging.

Never, I repeat, never does a battery wait until the project you're using them for is finished before it dies. My shaver battery is programed, I believe, to quit on half-done routines. Same for our handy, dandy battered hand vacuum.

I say, to heck with their suggestions. I say, recharge whenever. Don't leave a face half smooth and half rough. Don't leave the crumbs on the floor until a battery is recharged.

Re-volt!

No, that's not the right word. That's electricity, which is probably what I should have stayed with in the first place.

Though it would take a mighty long cord to power my flashlight.

* * *

Here's the rhyming weather forecast from the 2003 *Old Farmer's Almanac*:

Take it to the bank -- it's dank.

We're finally, sun-shinily!

Still mopping up, but jonquils are popping up.

We'll put our money on sunny,

But wise investors buy sou'westers

And:

What soap is to the body, laughter is the soul.

April snow stays no long than water on the trout's back.

The doors of wisdom are seldom shut.

Life happened because I turned the pages. I'm going to get Karen to explain that one to me.

**Jim's
Jottings**



Jim Sherman

Schools revise language of upcoming bond proposal

BY DON SCHELSKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

The proposed Clarkston school bond issue hasn't changed, but officials want it to have more complete information.

The board of education on Monday, March 24 voted to amend their "Resolution Setting Matters To Be Voted Upon" based on a recommendation from school attorney Bob Thrun.

"It does not change the intent or the content of the resolution," Deputy Superintendent David Reschke said.

If voters approve the \$83,735,000 bond issue June 9, it will extend the time needed to pay off bond debt, but will not raise property owners' millage rate.

Language to that effect is now included in all parts of the resolution relating to the proposed bond issue.

The school district already levies the maximum-allowed 7 mills for debt service, based on borrowing from the Michigan School Bond Loan Fund Program.

According to the district's 2001-2002 financial report, taxpayers are already paying off bond issues approved

by voters in 1993, 1995 and 1997. In 1998, the district refinanced bond debt to save interest costs.

The report showed the district to have bonded debt of \$117,771,841 in fiscal year 2002. Ballot language says the maximum time period to pay off the new bonds will be 26 years.

Unlike a standard property tax election, a bond proposal does not have a specific millage rate, since fluctuations in the bond market will affect the actual rate.

The district has proposed the bond issue to pay for planned additions and renovations to increase space for student learning, consolidate programs and services and complete capital needs projects at existing sites.

In addition to the proposed bond issue, the district will ask voters to renew the full 18-mill "non-homestead" property tax for local operations. That tax, created by 1994's Proposal A, is not levied on property used as a primary residence, but is charged to owners of property such as businesses and rental property.

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Community Ed. gears up for summer camp season

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

It's time to start thinking about summer. And for you kids, that means summer camp.

The Clarkston Community Education Youth Enrichment Department will be offering a variety of summer day camps for children this year -- from golf, theater, sports, art, science, soccer, ceramics, magic, and more.

Youth Enrichment Programmer Jeanne Santala-Rose said, "You want it, we probably have it."

"Our popular Math and Reading camps will once again be offered. These are for children who have completed first through fifth grades that need to apply a little extra attention to these special skills," she said. Sessions run Monday through Thursday for two weeks beginning July 7 and July 21.

"Science camps have been popular in the past, and we will be offering Rocket Camp and Moving with Science for children in elementary school through middle school," Santala-Rose said.

New this year is a camp for preschoolers called The Garden. "This will expose the children to great activities that will get their little hands dirty as they learn to explore the world around us."

For those with an artistic side, Community Education will hold theater, ceramics, magic and art camps. "No particular skill level is required, only a desire to learn more about a particular method."

In the way of sports, there will be soccer camps for girls, boys, co-eds, preschoolers with parents, and for conditioning and goalies. "We also offer golf and some camps that have a variety of different sports all rolled into one," Santala-Rose said, who added "These camps are taught by some of our favorite Community Education teachers who are delighted to come out in the summer to spend time with your kids."

Registration has already begun. Camps fill quickly, so register soon.

Pick up a schedule brochure at the Community Education office on Waldon, across from Clarkston Elementary, call (248) 623-4321, or visit www.clarkston.k12.mi.us/cec for more information.



As part of last year's All American Girl Adventure Camp through Clarkston Community Education, Abigail Bass sips some imaginary tea at a Victorian Tea Party. File photo.

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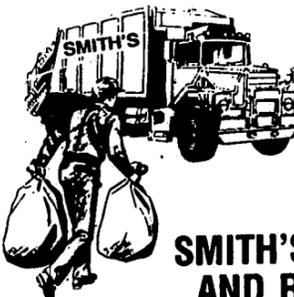
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Sunday, March 30, an unknown person stole 22 cartons of cigarettes, valued at \$1,180, from a gas station on Sashabaw. There were no signs of forced entry. A door had been left unlocked.

A 26-year-old man was arrested on Maybee for operating a vehicle under the influence of liquor, a third offense; marijuana use and possession; driving with a suspended license, a second offense; and refusing a breath/blood test.

As the result of a traffic stop for defective equipment, a 22-year-old man was arrested on two outstanding warrants and cocaine use and possession, and a 26-year-old man was arrested for four outstanding warrants.

Saturday, March 29, malicious destruction of property on Golden Aspen. Juveniles are suspected in damaging lights and a shed at a residence.

An 18-year-old man and a 17-year-old man were found parked behind a grocery store on Sashabaw and in the possession of marijuana. There were both cited and released to their parents.

Friday, March 28, a simple assault and battery occurred between an intoxicated man and woman at a business on Deerhill. There were no injuries.

Thursday, March 27, malicious destruction of property, trespassing and threats on Cobden. The complainant stated 10 to 20 boys were in his front yard threatening to fight and threw an object, breaking the kitchen window.

A 22-year-old man was cited for window peeping and soliciting without a permit on Old Cove. The man, of Iowa, was selling magazines door to door and said

he peered into windows to see if anyone was home. Two other men, of the same age, were also cited for soliciting without a permit on Fox Creek.

Wednesday, March 26, larceny of two cell phones, totaling \$350, at a cellular store on Dixie.

An unknown man was caught attempting to steal 30 DVD's at a grocery store on Dixie. When approached by a manager, he dropped the merchandise and ran.

Tuesday, March 25, an employee at a store on Maybee reported someone stole his bike, valued at \$300, while he worked.

A larceny of two leaf blowers was reported from a home on S. Eston. The leaf blowers were under a deck behind the home.

A woman on Stonewood reported someone stole silverware at the time she moved into her new home.

Three males stole an unknown amount of change from a newspaper box at a gas station on Sashabaw.

A resident on Timber Cove Circle stated someone stole diamond earrings, worth \$5,000, from her home.

Various tools were stolen from a construction site on Waterplace.

Monday, March 24, a 40-year-old man was arrested on Dixie for operating under the influence of liquor.

An unknown person entered an unlocked vehicle parked on Smokey Hollow Lane and smeared fecal matter on the passenger seat and ceiling. The complainant stated this was the second occurrence since the fall. There are no suspects.

Construction equipment, valued at \$3,000, was stolen from a home under construction on Watertower.

An unknown person or persons broke a gate hasp and security light at Bailey Lake Elementary.

Springfield Township

Sunday, March 30, a complainant on Andersonville stated someone made threatening phone calls to her home.

Saturday, March 29, an 18-year-old Waterford man was caught trespassing, after he jumped a locked fence to an automobile lot.

A 23-year-old man was arrested, during a traffic stop on Dixie, for operating under the influence of liquor, a first offense, and marijuana use and possession.

Wednesday, March 26, a suspicious circumstance was reported on Dixie. A 12-year-old girl stated she was at the school bus stop at the end of her driveway when a full size white van drove up to her. The unknown Caucasian male driver said, "Come here little girl," before she ran home for safety. The Oakland County Sheriff's Department conducted an area search for the van, but could not locate it.

Tuesday, March 25, a 25-year-old woman was arrested on E. Holly for operating a vehicle under the influence of liquor.

Monday, March 24, larceny of construction equipment on Farley. Someone broke into a shed and took a generator. There are no suspects.

Juveniles are suspected in maliciously destroying an irrigation computer on a golf course on Big Lake, valued at \$4,200.

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Are we really listening?

There's a great exchange from an old television program, in which two partners are reflecting on the events of the day. One expressed his desire to escape the mental stress.

"I think it would be a lot easier just to be stupid," he said. "Oh, the old ignorance is bliss thing," his partner replied.

The first man responded, "No, I think it would be a lot easier just to be stupid."

How about the classic exchange in which one person says, "I think the two biggest problems in the world are ignorance and apathy."

"Oh, I don't know about that," his friend replied, "and I really couldn't care less."

These conversations are not ha-ha funny, but they are ironic in these days. While we live in an era of improved mass communications, we seem to have lost something in the area of personal communication and understanding.

Parents have trouble communicating with their children. Spouses have trouble communicating with each other. Neighbors ask for new ordinances or file lawsuits before trying to work out problems with each other.

Even professional communications organizations (I have worked for several) have communication problems within their ranks. It would be interesting to learn who created the metaphor, "on the same page."

Then comes issues such as those we now face with the war with Iraq. Even with the benefits of

past history and current technology, we still seem to have problems with understanding the realities of life.

For example, what's all the controversy about the war "not going as well as expected?" Can anyone document a press conference in which a Pentagon official predicted the Iraq conflict to be a tv mini-series?

No, officials were careful and explicit about the potential of a long, tough conflict. On the other hand, many military strategists say the progress of coalition forces exceeds that of previous campaigns.

And how about these financial traders? Granted, the name should have been changed to the New York Paranoid Stock Exchange years ago, but the joy-one-day-and-gloom-the-next roller coaster rivals that of any amusement park.

Then there are the war protesters. The issue is not that there would be public opposition to war (the First Amendment applies to all), but it's difficult to understand the double standard.

It's wrong for the United States and other nations to engage in war, but it's OK for Saddam Hussein and others to engage in terrorism both within and without their own country?

Further, because the cause is peace, it's OK to disrupt the peace (e.g. lying down in the streets of New York City) to promote the cause of peace? Right.

While there are complicated issues, there are some clear standards of right and wrong. There can be healthy debate about those standards, but if people aren't willing to listen and comprehend (or if we demand it all in CNN sound bites with on-screen graphics), we'll have even more problems.

With or without Saddam Hussein.

Reporter At Large



Don Schelske

Optimists host successful oratorical contest

The Clarkston Area Optimists recently held their Oratorical Contest.

This year's contest was the biggest ever with 30 participants from Clarkston and Sashabaw Middle School.

The winners of this year's contest for the boys were: first place, Andrew Schreiber; second place, Adam Weightman; third place, Matt Keagy.

The winners for the girls were: first place, Danielle Angeli; second place, Colleen Gemborys; third place Tessa Harkley.

The first place winners will go on to participate in the zone contest at Clarkston Middle School on Saturday, April 5 at 9 a.m.

They will compete against participants from other area optimists clubs.

Girls who participated in the event included: Britany Noble, Lindsay Lipe, Taryn Huienza, Kristin Boozer, Alyssa Swindlehurst, Jessica Colombo, Elle Kuhta, Katie VanderVeen, Danielle Angeli, Heidi Bretz, Jayme Wilson, Andrea Bush, Maria Frenberg, Colleen Gemborys, Hope Rogers, Wendy Roberts, Jilian Locricchio, Megan Salada, Samantha Stolnicki, Megan Valley, Beth Hyde, Kristy Crofton, Jill Lekse, Sarah Choi, Mara Livezey, Michelle Cardinal, Kelsie Thams, Kathryn Giroux, Sopia Angelis, Laura Grunis, Axelle Black and Tara Hartley.

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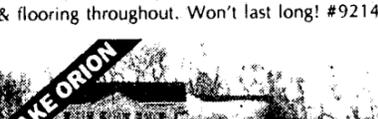
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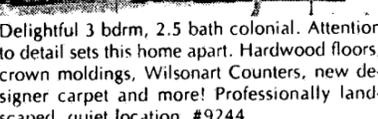
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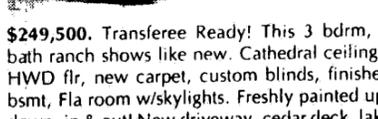
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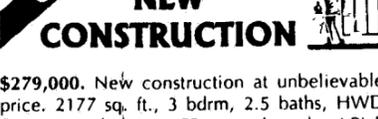
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Rochester, Michigan... Bank repossessed cars and trucks are among the most hunted-for bargains in the automobile industry. Unfortunately for John Q. Public, they're also the hardest to come by.

Banks often unload these repos to car dealers at rock bottom prices, allowing dealers to resell them for retail value. But bargain seekers can take heart. This week **Auto Liquidators of North America** has selected **Huntington Ford** in Rochester Hills, Michigan to be the official liquidation site for 228 of these incredible bargains.

This Monday, March 31st thru Saturday, April 5th, hours: Monday & Thursday 9 a.m.-9 p.m., Tuesday & Wednesday 9 a.m.-8 p.m., Friday 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m.-3 p.m. **Huntington Ford** of Rochester Hills will have 228 bank repos, lease returns and other used vehicles for thousands below normal values and pass those savings on to their customers.

"These have been acquired at incredible savings from banks (repos), factory auctions and other sources," Mark Tracey, owner of **Huntington Ford** said. "Our creditors have asked us to sacrifice this inventory immediately - regardless of loss of profit. If that means selling these vehicles for near or below wholesale, then that is what we will do."

Every bank repo and other pre-owned vehicle will be available for just a \$29 fee* and then start making payments. "It's that simple," said Tracey, "To make these bargains even easier, we'll mark the payments right on the windshield. Just pick a car and pick a payment. You won't find a faster,

easier way to get a great deal on a pre-owned vehicle."

Almost every type and price range of vehicle will be available, from luxury to 4x4s to basic transportation. "With pre-owned vehicles near an all-time high, chances are we will have what you are looking for in stock and ready to drive home," Tracey said.

Auto Liquidators of North America has flown in extra sales and financial staff from three states to assure **Huntington Ford's** customers prompt, courteous service and the best financing available. Tracey said, "We will have over \$5 million in financing available for this event. So chances are we can arrange financing for just about anyone who is employed, regardless of past history."

All trade-ins will be accepted with a minimum \$2000 guaranteed value and customers are encouraged to bring their title or payment book to expedite immediate delivery of these vehicles.

"The opportunity bargain-hunters have been waiting for is here, Monday through Saturday in Rochester Hills. Every bank repo and other used vehicle is just \$29 and then start making the payments. Customers won't find a faster, easier way to save big money on a great used vehicle," Tracey said.

After the mega sale ends from Saturday, April 5th at 3:00 p.m. Mark Tracey will send many of these vehicles to auction. Any questions can be directed to **248-852-0400**. **Huntington Ford is located at 2890 S. Rochester Rd., Rochester Hills, MI 48307.**

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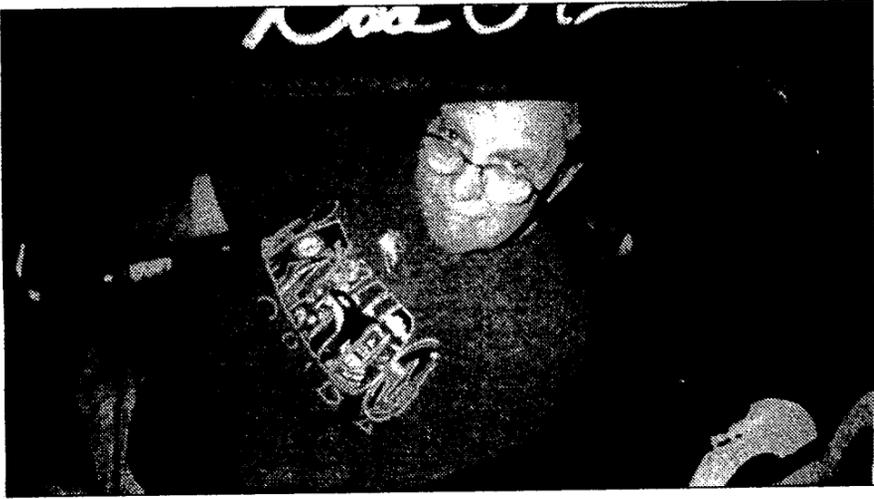
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Obituary



Steve William Rowland

Steve William Rowland, of Mt. Dora, Florida, died peacefully on March 14, 2003 at age 59 after a short but courageous battle with lung cancer.

Steve is survived by his loving family: Nancy, wife of 42 years, son Steve, daughter Sheri, grandchildren Blain, Clay, Jonathan, Katherine, Alison, Sydney and Dylan and countless wonderful friends.

To know him was to have lived a richer and more interesting life. He will be deeply missed. A private family memorial was held on March 16 in Mt. Dora, Florida.

Mary Margaret "Marge" Franz

Mary Margaret Franz, of Clarkston, died March 30, 2003 at age 68.

She was the mother of Ric (Sandy) of Troy, Peggy (John) Kruger of Rochester Hills and Debbie (Dee) Ruelle of Clarkston; Nana of Rikki Franz, Jason Thomas, Kelly (Rob) Conklin, Adam Thomas, Sarah and Carrie Kruger, Ryan, Amanda and Drew Stepke; great-grandma of Devon, Noah, Mikhayla and Nialla.

A funeral mass was held April 2 at 11 a.m. at St. Anne's Catholic Church, Ortonville. Arrangements entrusted to the Lewis E. Wint & Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Clarkston. Memorials may be made to Cranbrook Hospice.

Intern is proud of women

Last week in my Sociology class we had a discussion on the role of women in today's society.

I was surprised how many women in my class, including my female professor, felt discriminated against.

This is not because I believe that there is absolute equality between men and women. I am aware of issues such as sexual harassment, glass ceilings, pay differentials, etc. However, I have never in my life felt there was something I could not do because I was a woman.

I began thinking about other women my age and of course looked towards my friends since I know them best. Of the five girls I am still close with after high school graduation, all are well on their way to success.

There is Cara, my best friend since fourth grade. The day I met her she told me she was going to be a veterinarian, and now 16 years later she is in the West Indies studying to do just that.

There is Nichole who is in a Masters program at Wayne State University studying to be a Counselor and Art Therapist.

Andrea, after graduating from University of Michigan, is halfway through Law School at the University of Detroit with a job already awaiting her

when she finishes.

Christine is just one troubling Statistics class away from an Education degree at Oakland University. She would then like to go on and become a Speech Pathologist.

Tara graduated from Oakland University and is living in Chicago taking the prerequisites for Dental School.

These accomplishments did not come easy. There were financial difficulties, learning disabilities and courses so hard that at times they seemed impossible. Even still, through all the phone calls and e-mails there was never once when anyone said, I cannot do this and it is because I am a woman.

I do realize that we are just a small percentage of the population. There are many places in this world, even in our own country, where women are not blessed with the opportunities that my friends and I have been. Pro-feminist groups like The National Organization for Women are in desperate need and are helping women to make huge advances.

As for my class, I guess I just wish the conversation had focused on how far we have come, rather than how far we have to go.

There was a time when Cara could not have been a vet, nor Andrea a lawyer. The fact that I am able to voice my opinion in this paper shows that times are changing.

I am proud of myself. I am proud of my friends, and I am proud of all women who take advantage of the opportunities given to them.

Another View



Jillian Quinlan

Award winning illustrator comes to Independence Township

BY JILLIAN QUINLAN
Clarkston News Intern

Award-winning Michigan illustrator, Gijsbert van Frankenhuyzen and his wife Robbyn will be at the Independence Township Library on April 14, from 7 pm-9pm.

The couple will be discussing their latest book, *Adopted by an Owl*. The book, which was illustrated by van Frankenhuyzen and written by his wife, is a true story about Jackson, a great horned owl they rehabilitated. In return, the owl spent his life on their farm and watched over their family.

The Friends of the Independence

Township Library and the Clarkston Farm and Garden Club will host the event.

"The Garden Club went to his home last year and toured the place. It is a farm, a beautiful setting. He took us on a walk through the woods and pointed out different animals," Gene Molzon of The Clarkston Farm and Garden Club said. "The landscape was beautiful. However, not everyone could go so when we heard he would be in the area we decided to bring him here."

Van Frankenhuyzen was art director of Michigan Natural Resource magazine for 17 years. He is also noted for his mural work at Fort Mackinac on

Mackinac Island, Fort Michilimackinac and the Natural History Museum at Michigan State University. He currently travels throughout Michigan as an artist and educator. His programs range from hands-on painting seminars to wildlife rehabilitation.

Van Frankenhuyzen's illustrations can also be seen in the books: "The Legend of Sleeping Bear", "The Legend of Mackinac Island" and "The Legend of the Lady's Slipper," all of which will be for sale at the library the night of the event.

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had the opportunity to baptize in the Red Sea.

Throughout the Persian Gulf War, Galey flew 27 combat missions. He relied on the Lord to keep he and his fellow crew members alive during each and every mission.

"I put God in a box. I prayed, 'I want to take off today with these men and land with these men today.' I didn't want to just say bring us home safely, because I could get shot down, be taken a prisoner of war and still return safely."

The Lord did keep Galey safe during the war, but there was still some bumps he'd go through along the way. In fact, three times Galey's aircraft was hit.

"When your life is on the line you really understand the meaning of prayer and rely on it. It gave me a tremendous amount of freedom and peace to let God be God."

On one particular mission, a missile went through the wing of the plane Galey was on, ripping a hole, of what Galey explained was the size of two basketballs

side by side.

"That incident redefined what a problem is for me. When you've got a hole in your wing and you're 80 miles north of Baghdad, that's a problem. What color to paint the sanctuary is not a problem. It made me appreciate the definition of a problem."

Galey credits the fantastic flying skills of his pilot, Randy Long. "He saved my life."

Overall, Galey said, "What was most important about my time in Desert Storm is what God did. I believe the reason I was there was not just to take Iraq out of Kuwait, but I was there to lift up God."

After the war, Galey returned to Oscoda and to his church.

"When I returned (the congregation) had placed yellow ribbons on everything. It was very emotional."

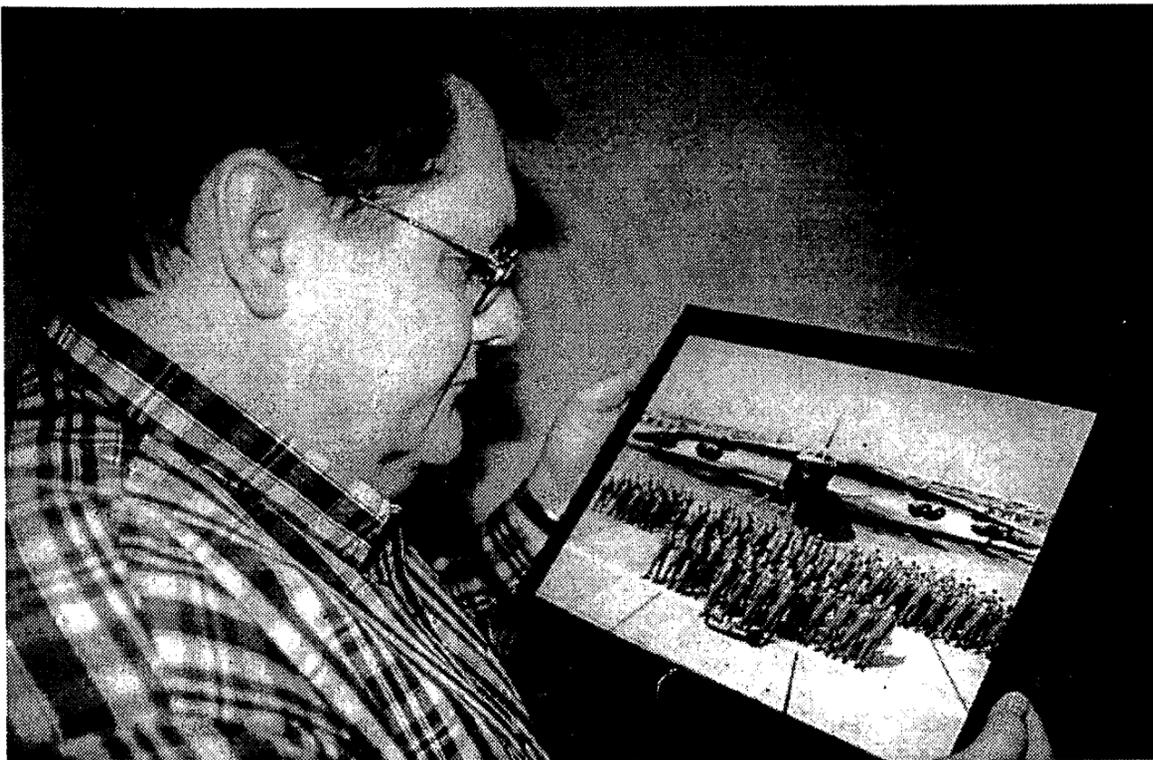
In two years there, Galey's church grew to 150 people from its original six, and a 6,000 square foot addition to the building was needed and built.

The Air Force gave Galey the chance to take any assignment he wanted, but it was when Galey decided to step away from the military to stay with the church.

In 1994, he was asked to fill the pulpit at Oakland Woods Baptist Church. Though it was difficult to leave his church, he felt God wanted him in Clarkston. Oakland Woods then had 34 people in its congregation, which averages 210 on Sunday mornings nowadays.

Looking back, Galey -- whose two sons are following in their father's footsteps and have joined the military -- feels the decision to go into full time ministry and step out of the Air Force was best.

"It was God's choice for my life. It was a calling. You can't walk away from a calling. Bonnie and I don't have any regrets."



Pastor Bob Galey has two sons who are following their father's footsteps and have joined the military. Photo by Bob Flath.

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Things are looking up for Clarkston High School Junior, Angela Regiani. Most recently, Regiani and the troop of dancers from Rochester performed at a pre-Oscar charity event. For the rest of the story see the next page.

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People Poll

Where are you receiving your war coverage and has the media been dousing its viewers with a news overload?



"CNN. There has been way too much coverage. I think there are a lot of things we don't need to know about or need to see." --Cathi Waterbury



"I try to get my news in bits and pieces and not all from the same source. I try to keep a balanced approach. I have mixed opinions about the media. There's good the media can do. They can certainly keep people on their toes. But, I'm not sure about at what cost is it?" --Sharon Thomas



"FOX. They tell it like it is more than CNN. I agree it is an overload. I think they interrupt regular programming way too often and many times for something very minor." --Darwin Johnson

By Jennifer Nemer

The Clarkston News'

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On the road to stardom

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

It won't be the last time you'll hear the name Angela Regiani.

The Clarkston High School junior dreams of becoming a famous performer someday. And it just so happens things are going her way.

Most recently, Regiani was one of a team of dancers from Deborah's Stage Door for the Performing Arts in Rochester Hills to grace the stage at Hollywood's The Reel Awards, a 12th annual Oscar kick-off event that brings together the best celebrity impersonators from around the world for a night of music, dance and comedy.

The show, in which ticket sale proceeds go to benefit several children's charities, was held March 20 at The Henry Fonda Theatre. Among the celebrities there were Lainie Kazan, co-star of "My Big Fat Greek Wedding" and longtime television game show personality Monty Hall.

Regiani and the 35 other dancers from Deborah's Stage Door provided the musical entertainment for the evening with four different numbers including "Lady Marmalade" and "Diamonds are a Girl's Best Friend."

"It went very well," Regiani said, who spent March 17-24 in California, much of it for intense rehearsals.

"I was nervous, but it was an excited nervous," she said, admitting she typically gets butterflies before a performance. "When you stop becoming nervous, it's a bad thing."

Regiani said several major networks and well-known television show crews were there filming including

MTV, Entertainment Tonight, HBO, E! Entertainment Television, and more. "They were all there."

"It was a really good opportunity to work with real professionals in the business and get a feeling of what it is like to put on a real show instead of a local show. It was a great experience."

The 17-year-old plans to have a career in stage work. "I'm what you call a triple threat; a dancer, singer and actress."

She's debating between performance art colleges like New York University, Merrymount Manhattan in New York or the University of Calgary in Canada to study music theatre design. Afterwards, she'd like to get a master's in musical theatre writing.

Regiani has been dancing for 15 years and has been a student with Deborah's Stage Door since she was 11.

Through the dance studio she has performed at the Thanksgiving Day Parade's Hob Nobble Gobble, the Woodward Dream Cruise, many charitable gala events, and has travelled nationally for competitions. She and the dance company were also awarded America's Top Dance Group on the Emmy nominated Showstopper American

Dance Championships television show.

Mom Sherry Regiani said of her daughter, "I'm really proud of her. She's worked very hard and done an awful lot this year. She has worked her heart out."

This summer, Regiani will attend a summer camp at the University of Southern Florida in Tampa for a theatre dance and vocal program called the Broadway Theatre Project, directed by Ann Reinking, famed jazz choreographer Bob Fosse's wife. The program will be in Fosse style and is typically for college students and professionals. "Very few high schoolers do this," Sherry Regiani said.

Out of 2,000 applicants, only 150 people are chosen for this program. About 50 those people are returning participants from the prior year, and Regiani was chosen.

Sherry Regiani said Angela was also accepted to the American Theatre Dance Workshop at Hofstra University in Long Island, New York. Because of the Broadway Theatre Project, Regiani decided to decline attending the American Theatre workshop.

She wrote a letter saying she would not be able to attend, but her mother said, "She received a letter back saying her video audition was so strong, they would really like to have her there."

And during her senior year, she, as the recipient of the Co. Dance Scholarship and Assistant Teacher's Award, has the opportunity to travel the country to 20 different Co.

Dance Convention workshops where she will help demonstrate dances to participants. Her travels will be all-expenses paid and Regiani will also receive a per diem.

Out of more than 700 students, Regiani was chosen for this honor, Sherry Regiani said.

Regiani said it is an amazing feeling to touch someone through performance.

"It allows people to get away from the world, to forget their worries and just enjoy an evening of entertainment."



Clarkston High School Junior Angela Regiani was a featured dancer at The Reel Awards, an Oscar kick-off charity event that celebrates the world's best celebrity impersonators. Photo provided.

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Around Town

The walking program at Clarkston High School has been discontinued for the season. The program will return again next school year.

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.

In memory of Lindsay Rivard, granddaughter of Frank and Sue Kuhla, Cherry Hill Lanes North will host a **bowl-a-thon** to raise money for the American Cancer Society's Clarkston Relay for Life April 6. Team sign-in begins at 12:45 p.m. Bowling starts at 1:30 p.m. Cost is \$17/person and includes three games of bowling, pizza and salad. Prizes have been donated by Stir Crazy restaurant, Star Theatres, Buddy's Pizza and Mesquite Creek. Sign up your four person team by calling (248) 625-5011, or by filling out a registration form at Cherry Hill Lanes North, 6697 Dixie

Hwy.

Project Healthy Living returns to Clarkston on Monday, April 7 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Sunrise Assisted Living of Clarkston, 5700 Water Tower Place, at the corner of White Lake and Dixie. Free and low cost medical services are available to persons 18 and over. Free services include blood pressure, vision, glaucoma, height and weight, podiatrist, oral/dental, EKG's, bone density, breast exams, cholesterol screening, diabetes screening, Ask the Eye Doctor and a pharmacist will be on hand to answer questions.

Want to know more about serving on the Clarkston Board of Education? Join current board members April 7 at the Administration Building on Clarkston Road at 7 p.m. for an informative night on the **roles and responsibilities of a school board trustee**. There are two vacant seats up for election Monday, June 9.

Clarkston Community Education is offering an **open swim** at the Clarkston High School pool on Mondays and Wednesdays from 2:30-4:30 p.m. Students will receive a discounted rate of \$2 at the door. The pool will also be open on April 11 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Chil-

dren under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

The Clarkston Eagles will hold an all-you-can-eat **spaghetti dinner** April 12 from 5-8 p.m. A DJ begins at 9 p.m. This is a benefit for the Eagles' Parker Bates Scholarship Foundation. Cost is \$6/adults and \$4/children. Dinner includes salad and a roll. The Clarkston Eagles hall is located at 5640 Maybee Rd. in Clarkston. Call (248) 625-9838.

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. Nominations can be forwarded to the Chamber office at 5855 S. Main St., Clarkston, MI 48346 or online at www.clarkston.org. They 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. 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 non-residents. 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.



The Clarkston Eagles will hold an all-you-can-eat spaghetti dinner April 12 to benefit the Eagles' Parker Bates Scholarship Foundation. Pictured is last year's scholarship recipients with scholarship committee members. File photo.

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Milestones



Stacey and Terry Egres

Stacey Lynn Filarski, formerly of Davisburg, and Terry Michael Egres, of Lake Orion, were wed Saturday, Feb. 15 at the And I Do Wedding Chapel in Clarkston.

The attendants were Timothy Egres, brother of the groom, and Jennifer (Basinger) Hoder, friend of the bride. Following the ceremony the couple was joined by close family and friends at MacPhee's restaurant in Ortonville.

The bride is the daughter of Carol Diederich of Hawks and Donald Filarski of Lake Panasofkee, Fla. The groom is the son of the late Margaret and the late Theodore Egres of Lake Orion.

The couple reside in Orion Township, and are planning a Hawaii honeymoon in the late fall.



Christine and Brian Miller

Christine Marie Bykaylo and Brian Douglas Miller were married Saturday, July 27, 2002 at St. Daniel Catholic Community in Clarkston by Rev. Msgr. Robert Humitz.

The bride, formerly of Sterling Heights, is the daughter of John and Natalie Bykaylo of Sterling Heights. She is currently employed with Pulte Homes of Michigan.

The groom, formerly of Clarkston, is the son of Jerry and Linda Miller of Clarkston. He is currently a superintendent with Pulte Homes of Michigan.

The couple now reside in Macomb.

At school . . .

Yanin Garcia, of Clarkston, a senior majoring in paper engineering/process at Western Michigan University, will travel with a team of eight students to a beach near Kitty Hawk, N.C., to celebrate the centennial of flight.

The teams are assembling a hang glider with a paper sail to compete against nine other colleges and universities around the U.S. April 5 in an event sponsored by the U.S. Department of Energy as part of the 100th anniversary celebration of the Wright brothers' first successful flight.

Competing teams will gather at Nags Head, N.C. to hang glide from atop an 80-foot dune using gliders made primarily from recycled paper products.

The teams are competing for a \$15,000 first-place prize.

Kristina M. Pope of Clarkston was named to the Saginaw Valley State University Dean's List for the fall semester.

Got a Milestone in your life?

Share it with the community. Send your information and picture to The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main St., Clarkston, MI 48346. (It's FREE!)

In service . . .

Heather Danhouser joined the United States Army Reserve under the Delayed Training Program.

Danhouser, currently a student at Clarkston High School, will report to Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C. for active duty on August 5.

She is the daughter of Celia Simmons of Clawson and David Danhouser of Clarkston.

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Please bring this ad to receive a gift of appreciation for visiting us on Sunday.

CHS 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 and fourth in their heat in the 4x800. Their finish in the 4xmile was good for all-American status.

"There are not many athletes that get all-state honors, much less all-American honors," LaBrosse said. "There was a lot of competition and they all performed great. It was a beautiful facility and a great trip. I want to thank those who sponsored us including Runnin' Gear and the Cardiology and Vascular Associates in Rochester Hills. I also want to thank the parents who arranged the entire trip."



Beth Hoekstra and Lyndsay Smith ran the freshmen mile in the Nike Indoor Track and Field Nationals Meet. Photo by Kyle Gargaro.

Wolfpack competes in tournament

The Clarkston Wolfpack's 10U AAU basketball team had a great showing in the Sterling Heights Wizards Tournament.

They opened up on Saturday morning with a win against the Waterford Wave team. Ciara Schultz led the team with six points as they defeated the Wave 14-9.

The team then went up against a tough Legion team that handed them a defeat but they bounced back and beat another Waterford Wave team 20-14. In that game they were led by Dana Pappas who tossed

in eight points.

In the last game they rallied from a 17-7 deficit to tie the game before losing 20-19. Taylor Frizzell was the leading scorer in the game with eight points.

The Clarkston Wolfpack, bottom row from left, Ashley Reynolds, Kelsey Lang, Megan Hastings, Ciara Schultz, middle, Dana Pappas, Liza DiAntonio, Ashlee Chumbler, Taylor Frizzell, Mikaela Parrish, Taylor Hasselbach and coaches Kalicia, Stu Hastings and Todd Hasselbach. Photo provided.



Wolves soccer starts season with win

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

The Clarkston girls soccer team started their season with a high powered offensive output.

The Wolves notched a 6-1 road victory against Holly in the season opener. Clarkston led 4-0 at half-time before cruising to the win.

Taylor Hosner and Kristen Mercado each scored two goals for the Wolves.

Kelly Boskee and Jenna Przybycien added one goal each.

"We were aggressive to the net and really passed the ball well," Clarkston coach Tami Mitchell said. "It was a good way to start the season. We settled down quickly."

Clarkston was set to play Groves on Tuesday, April 1 before playing their first game at home on Friday, April 4.

Athlete of the Week — Sara Horne

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

Clarkston High School junior Sara Horne finished in Michigan's top three for her weight class at the recent power lifting competition.

In doing so, she qualified for the national competition.

A total of 70 schools participated in the Michigan tournament.

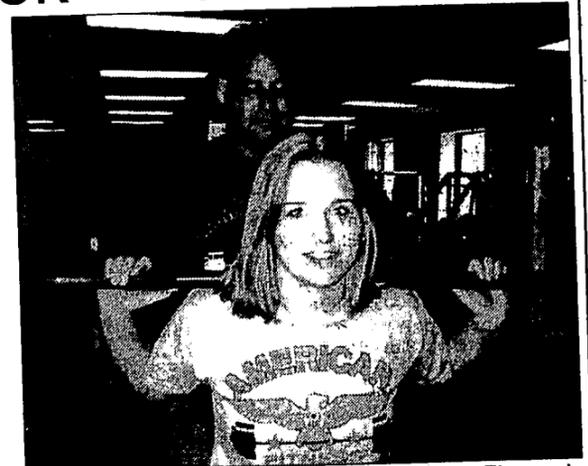
Horne is the only female on the Clarkston team and the only member of the team to finish in the top three. She has won seven competitions this season competing against older competition.

"It is quite an accomplishment," father Tim Horne said. "It is amazing what she has done. It is a really tough and demanding sport."

Tim use to compete in power lifting and helped turn his daughter on to the sport.

"It is a family thing. I have been doing this for as long as I can remember," Sara said.

While Sara started off training at home, she now does her work at American Fitness in Waterford. She



Sara Horne with her father Tim at American Fitness in Waterford. Photo by Kyle Gargaro.

currently bench presses 145 pounds, while the Michigan record is 150 pounds.

"That is one of my goals for next year, to break the record," Sara said.

Resident looks for golfers

A local resident is looking for women for a fun, relaxed ladies golf league at Springfield Oaks Course in Davisburg. The league will golf early Wednesdays starting May 7. If interested, call Rosemary at (248) 628-9256 before Monday, April 7.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

**DECEDENT'S ESTATE
FILE NO. 2003-287 720 DE**
Estate of Wayne E. Rentola, Deceased
Date of Birth: May 23, 1921
TO ALL CREDITORS: The decedent, Wayne E. Rentola, Deceased who lived at 1892 Creyts Wixom, Michigan died February 3, 2003.
Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Christopher T. W. Rentola, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, of to both the probate court at 1200 N. Telegraph, Pontiac, MI 48341 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date
Christopher T.W. Rentola
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**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF OAKLAND
NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

**Decedent's Estate
FILE NO. 2003-287, 373-DE**
Estate of Samuel Gene Jerdon, deceased
Date of Birth: August 26, 1953
TO ALL CREDITORS: The decedent, Samuel Gene Jerdon, deceased who lived at 6950 Dixie Hwy. Independence, Michigan died January 29, 2003.
Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Nathan Michael Jerdon, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, of to both the probate court at 1200 N. Telegraph Rd., Pontiac, Michigan 48341 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date 4-2-03
Nathan Michael Jerdon
c/o 21 S. Main Street
Clarkston, Michigan 48346
(248) 625-2916
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21 S. Main Street
Clarkston, Michigan 48346
(248) 625-2916

Clarkston churches and service clubs join forces

Habitat for Humanity of Oakland County may be able to build another home for a needy family this year thanks to the efforts of some Clarkston area churches and service clubs.

St. Daniel Catholic and Clarkston Community Church are leading the effort to establish a Clarkston Habitat Coalition. The two churches decided to take on the project after cosponsoring a build in Pontiac with DaimlerChrysler last fall.

"It was a wonderful opportunity for our parish family of St. Daniel's to reach out in service and

love for others and partner with another church and members of the community," Father Bob Humitz of St. Daniel Catholic Church said. "It was a tremendously rewarding experience."

Representatives from 10 area churches and clubs attended the group's first meeting in February to hear Kim Hale, Executive Director of the Oakland County affiliate, describe Habitat for Humanity's mission and focus. Among those attending were: St. Daniel Catholic Church, Clarkston Community Church, Calvary Lutheran, Sashabaw Presbyterian, Church of the Resurrection, Clarkston Area Optimist Club, Clarkston United Methodist Church, Our Lady of the Lakes, Clarkston Adult Education and C.E.L.C.

"We feel Habitat is a worthy mission and believe it would be healthy for our area churches to do ministry together in the name of the Lord," Greg Henneman of Clarkston Community Church said. Henneman also said he hopes the Clarkston group will unite to build a house together this year and every following year.

"We are delighted that the Clarkston group is planning to support our organization in such a significant way. We have so many needy families, I'm grateful to know that one more will be able to get a decent home soon."

The Clarkston Habitat Coalition will be held a second meeting on Monday, March 31 at 7 p.m. at The Church of the Resurrection in Clarkston. All interested Clarkston area churches and service groups are invited to attend.

Habitat for Humanity of Oakland County is a non-profit organization that provides simple, decent housing to families in need. Homes are built using volunteer labor and donations from generous organizations and individuals. Homes are sold at no-profit and no-interest by Habitat to qualified applicants. Habitat for Humanity of Oakland County has completed 35 homes to date. All donations to Habitat for Humanity of Oakland County are tax deductible. For more information, call the Habitat office in Pontiac at (248) 338-1843.

Teens participate in hunger strike

BY JILLIAN QUINLAN
Clarkston News Intern

The weekend of March 14-15 Clarkston and Waterford teens went without food for 30 hours in an effort to help world hunger.

This was the 12th annual World Vision 30 Hour Famine in which more than 600,000 teens nationwide participated, 11 of which were from Waterford Community Church.

The local teens were able to raise \$1,228 for World Visions African famine relief.

During the fast, the participants stayed busy by volunteering at the Grace Center of Hope in Pontiac and touring the Crisis Pregnancy Center. The weekend concluded with a celebratory meal at Old Country Buffet.

"I am really proud of the kids. I don't think many American teenagers have gone that long without food. They really felt what hunger was. I think it made a lasting impression on their lives, and I hope no matter where they go they are thankful for where they are and what they have," Paul Corp, the Youth Minister at Waterford Community Church said.

World Vision is a Christian Humanitarian Organization that serves the world's poorest children and families in nearly 100 countries. They work to maintain health, education, agriculture, water, sanitation and small business projects that are helpful to people in the community. World Vision hopes to transform the lives of children and families in need without regard to their religious beliefs, gender, race or ethnic background.

Check out The Clarkston News picture pages on pages 22 and 32.

PUBLIC NOTICE
Because the People Want to Know
INDEPENDENCE TWP.

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The Independence Township Planning Commission, Oakland County, Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on: **Thursday, April 24th, 2003 at 7:30 p.m.** At Independence Township Library, 6493 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, Michigan, 48346 to consider the following:

FILE #2002-013

Tom Althoff, Vision Development, Petitioner
REQUEST REZONING

From: 09-2 (Office service Two)

To: PUD (Planned Unit Development)

Proposed Sashabaw Car Wash

Parcel Identification Number: 09-27-201-022

1.35 Acres, (Old Larson Building)

Common Description: East Side of Sashabaw Road, South of Waldon

Intended Use: Drive Through Car Wash

Any further information regarding the above Public Hearing may be obtained at the Township Planning Office during regular office hours 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, or by phone at (248) 625-8111.

JOAN E. MCCRARY, CLERK

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Joan E. McCrary, Clerk

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SUMMARY

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

MARCH 24, 2003

Meeting called to order at 7:04 p.m. by Mayor Catalo.

Minutes of March 11, 2003, accepted as presented.

Agenda accepted as presented with additions of Madison Court, Depot Parking Lot, and Miscellaneous Matters to be discussed by Hubbell, Roth and Clark.

Meyland reported on the Board of Review meetings.

Acting Chief combs reported on police arrests of drunk drivers. Combs reported that there are no speed signs on west bound Clarkston Road, and this was reported to the Road Commission for Oakland County. Combs also has reported on the timing of the light at Waldon and Main Street.

The Police Reserve program allows the accompanying of duty officers on patrols two to three times per week.

Resolved That the City Council approve the Police Department leasing a third motorcycle from Harley Davison providing that insurance rates continue to be a reasonable and normal fee, and that the required training be taken.

Gary Tressel of Hubbell, Roth and Clark will contact the County regarding no turn on red signs at Washington and Main Street.

Resolved That the Sewer Fund billing be updated from a DOS program to a Windows program at a cost not to exceed \$1,700, and an annual Software Support fee of \$651.

City Attorney Ryan instructed Pappas to have the Building Inspector inspect the property at 160 North Holcomb to determine if legal action should be taken for interior inspection.

Tressel reported that he had been contacted by a property owner on Madison Court to extend the right-of-way of Madison Street south; this was not recommended due to setback requirements.

It will take approximately one week for repairs to the City's parking lot on Depot Road, May 12 to 15 is tentatively set for this work and for repairs to the settlement that has taken place on Depot Road.

Tressel reported that the Road Commission has been asked to reconsider the Road commission's funding participation for West Washington and South Holcomb with regards to the paving and curbing.

Tressel informed Council that there will be a meeting on April 2 at Washington and Main Street with the firm representing MDOT in upgrading the traffic signals. Also to be discussed is parking on the south side of West Washington at M-15.

City Council requested that Tressel have the questionnaire resulting from the Detroit Water and Sewer Department meeting on the 50-year Master plan prepared by the City Engineer.

The next construction meeting with Ingles Construction Company and the City Engineer will be held on March 26 at 2:30 p.m.

Tressel will contact MDOT to determine why the cobra lighting at Waldon and Main Street has not been removed.

Tressel informed Council that water lines running parallel to sewer lines are normally required to have a ten foot distance between them. Water lines crossing sewer line perpendicularly require a one and one-half foot distance.

Drainage problems at Madison Court were discussed and the consensus was that this problem always existed, but was increased by the driveways and covering of natural drainage. Tressel briefly discussed the drainage at Robertson Court.

Meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Artemus M. Pappas, Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICE
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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday, April 16, 2003 at 7:30 pm at the Independence Township Library, 6493 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, MI 48346 to hear the following cases:

Case #03-0018 Donald and Leah Mattise, Petitioners
APPLICANTS REQUEST FRONT YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 16' TO CONSTRUCT DECK (REPLACEMENT) ON NON CONFORMING LOT OF RECORD

Lakeview Blvd., and Clarkston Rd., Lots 35-37, R-1A
Sunny Beach Country Club Sub No. 2
08-13-151-044

Case #03-0019 Michael Hooper, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE BETWEEN STRUCTURES OF 4' TO CONSTRUCT ADDITION

Cecelia Ann Ave., Lot 60, R-1A
Sunshirte Acres
08-35-176-010

Case #03-0020 Anthony Contor, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS FRONT YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 28' FROM FUTURE ROAD RIGHT OF WAY TO CONSTRUCT ATTACHED GARAGE AND 2110 STORY ADDITION

Whipple Lake Rd., Part of Lots 46-48, R-1A
Supervisors Plat No. 2
08-02-452-022

Case #03-0021 A.A.C. Pine Knob Enclaves, L.L.C., Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO ALLOW OFF PREMISE TEMPORARY SIGN (2nd SIGN ON PROPERTY)

Waldon Rd., Sashabaw, and 1-75, REC Zoning
08-22-400-008

Case #03-0022 Valley Turf Inc., Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO ALLOW MOBILE DESIGN OFFICE (TEMPORARY MOBILE OFFICE TO BE ON SITE PERIODICALLY, SEVERAL MONTHS AT A TIME, FOR TWO TO THREE YEARS)

Dixie Highway, C-3
Michigan Equipment Rental and Sales Inc.
08-32-226-016

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

Respectfully submitted,

Joan E. McCrary,

Township Clerk

Beverly A. McElmeel

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Bethany Gozdziwski, a graduate of Clarkston High School, has received a varsity award for her performance as a member of the Albion College women's swimming and diving team during the 2003-03 season.

Also, Erin Hearn received her third-year varsity award as a member of the Albion women's basketball team. Hearn, a graduate of Notre Dame Prep, played in all 27 games, averaged 3.3 points and .8 rebounds per game.

Church Happenings

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.

Davisburg United Methodist Church's Circle of Love presents "**Binding Together**," a women's prayer breakfast featuring inspirational quilter Jackie Trute.

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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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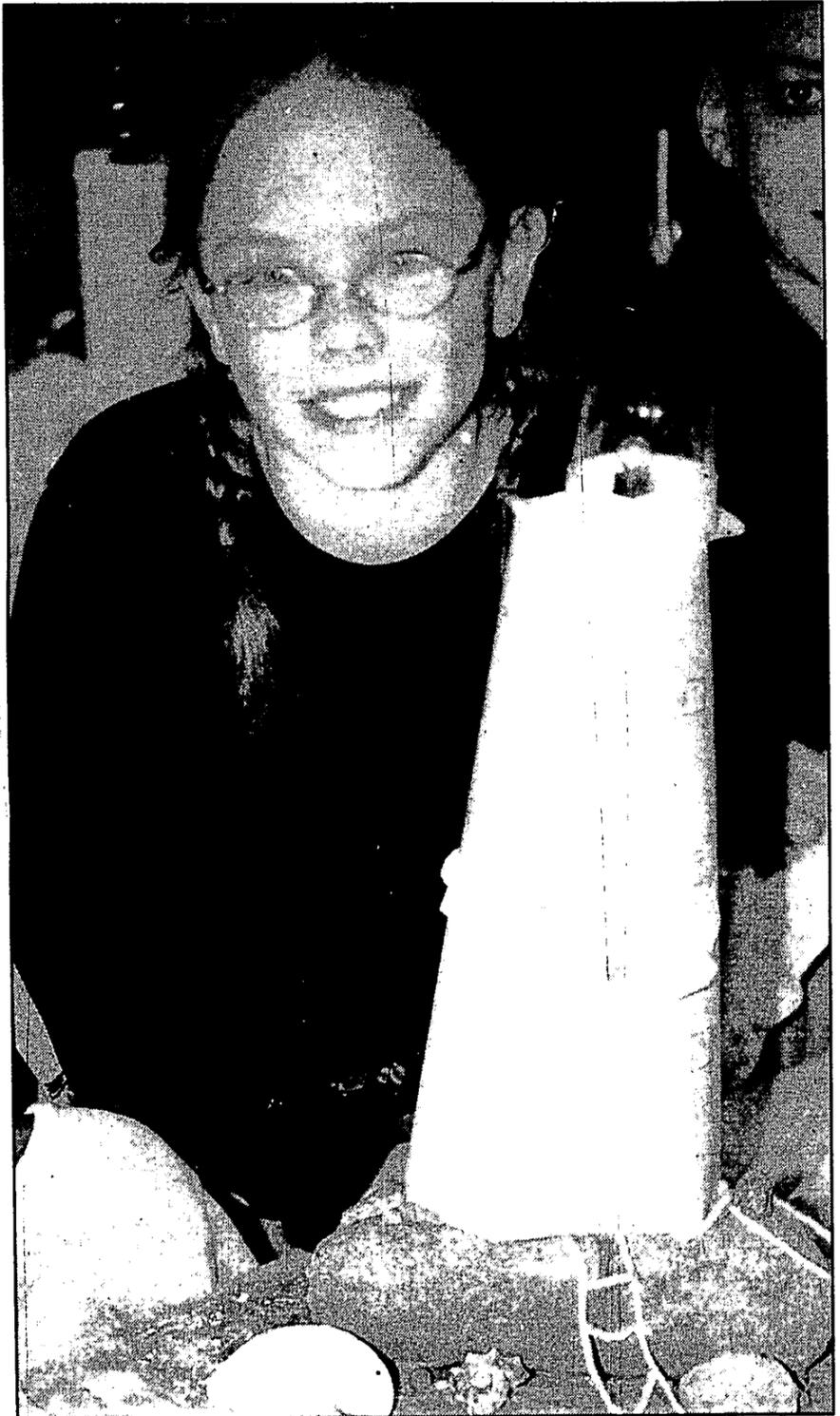
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Out of 116 lighthouses in Michigan, the students represented 28. They featured their work at Pride Night, Thursday, March 27, an event showing parents and families what the kids have been doing this school year.

"We worked very hard on our lighthouses," fourth

grader Ashelea Cantu said. "We brought in seashells and rocks from home and added some as details to identify them to the real lighthouses. They don't look the same either. Everyone's lighthouse has special differences."

--Jennifer Nemer



Students proudly display their lighthouse work at Andersonville Elementary School's "Pride Night," including (clockwise from left) Alyssa Landis with her Rock of Ages lighthouse; Eric Gibson, with his Spectacle Reef Light and his feature article on the lighthouse; Hailey Bellant with her White River Lighthouse; and Anton Harbor lights up his Copper Harbor model.

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100 FREE

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PUREBRED NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND, 2 years old. Needs good home. 810-678-8114 IILX16-1f

FREE BARN WOOD. 248-628-4478, leave message. IILX16-1f

FREE: CLEAN FILL dirt. You pick up. 248-628-7791 IILX16-1f

WEIDER WEIGHT MACHINE. Several stations. Free to good home. 248-625-7562 IILX16-1f

FREE: ELECTRIC cooktop Jennair w/ downdraft & grill bay. 248-625-0724 IILX16-1f

FREE: KING Waterbed mattress, semi-waveless, 1 year old, 248-693-8036. IILX16-1f

FREE KITTENS: 3 GOLD/WHITE male kittens. 10 weeks old. 248-393-2356 IILX16-1f

110 GARAGE SALE

VENDORS WANTED: Lake Orion Downtown Lawn & Garden Fair, May 17th. Call Becky at 248-693-9742 for more information. IILX16-4f

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HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

FLEA MARKET: 8x10 space to rent. \$40 donation. St. Joseph's Church, Lake Orion. Sat. May 17. Call Mary 248-693-3197
 LX16-2

CLARKSTON CLOSE-Out Sale, April 4th and 5th (raindate, April 11th and 12th). Wholesale apparel, household, cheap! 5363 Westview (off Maybee, between Sashabaw and Clintonville Rds.) IILX37-1

ESTATE SALE- April 3, 4 & 5, Thursday, Friday & Saturday, 10am-4pm. Beds, barrister's bookcases, chairs, spinning wheels, pie safes, sideboard, medical instruments, too much to list. 92 South St., Ortonville. IILX36-2

KEATINGTON MOVING SALE, fine and casual furniture, pictures, and home accents. Thursday, Friday, Saturday. 248-391-1431 IILX16-1

SCHOOL WIDE RUMMAGE Sale- Saturday, April 6th, 9am-3pm, Clarkston Elementary, 6595 Waldon Rd. between Sashabaw and M-15. IILX37-1

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE. Collectibles, Hoosier cabinet, Lionel train accessories, Beanie Babies, Pico system with games, Clothing: ladies, boy's 4-5, 4-6, 10-14, and girl's brand names size 4-5. Toys, books, household items, and lots of goodies. Thursday-Friday, April 3-4, 9am-4pm, 600 Sebek Blvd., off W. Drahtner. IILX16-1

RUMMAGE SALE: Paint Creek Methodist Church, 4420 Collins Rd. off Orion Rd, by Paint Creek Cider Mill (Goodison). Friday, April 11, 9am-4pm, Saturday, April 12, 9am-noon. IILX16-2

GARAGE SALE: Baskets from the Workshop of Gerald Henn, girls clothing 8-14, pictures, wooden bar stools, misc. April 3-4, 8600 Crosby Lake Rd. off Andersonville Rd., Clarkston. IILX16-1

GARAGE SALE: Motorcycle, tents, kitchen, crafts, miscellaneous. 6532 Dvorak (off Maybee by Sashabaw), Thursday & Saturday only, 9am-4pm. IILX37-1

120 CRAFT SHOWS

SPRING CRAFT SHOW, Saturday, April 5th, 10am-4pm. Gingellville Community Center, 1801 Waldon Rd., Orion. Free Admission. Between Joslyn & M-24. For info, 248-814-7613. IILX32-2

VENDORS WANTED: Lake Orion Downtown Lawn & Garden Fair, May 17th. Call Becky at 248-693-9742 for more information. IILX16-4f

VENDORS NEEDED: Ortonville Country Market, Saturday, July 12 thru September. Downtown Ortonville. Antiques, crafts, produce, flowers, etc. Call Karen Featherstone, 810-614-0859. Sponsored by Ortonville DDA. IILX31-2dhf

D&D PROMOTIONS

Waterford Spring Craft & Art Show

●OVER 150 EXHIBITORS●
 Sat., April 5th, 10am-4pm
 ●WATERFORD MOTT H.S.●
 Corner of Pontiac Lk. Rd. & Scott Lk. Rd., N. of M-59.
 \$2.00 Admission
 For more info: 248-627-3363
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 May 3, Clarkston H.S.
 ZX32-1c

HUGE INDOOR SALE, Sunday, May 4th, Gingellville Community Center. 9am-4pm. \$10 for table. Call Cheryl 248-391-3227 or Joyce 248-391-1091 IILX16-2

130 HOUSEHOLD

PETITE FRENCH COUNTRY TV armoire. Recessing door, 2 drawers plus VCR shelf with a pull-out swivel TV shelf, \$275. 810-678-8288 IILX32-2

QUEEN SIZE BEDWALL, oak finish, \$485 obo. 248-625-5331. IILX36-2

SOLID MAPLE Hutch w/ drawers, good condition, \$250. 248-625-8052 IILX37-2

MAPLE TABLE, 48" round, four chairs, \$200. Sofa and chair, off-white/green stripe, \$150. Coffee and end table, \$25. Hide-a-bed and chair, tan, \$100. 248-625-5040. IILX37-2

A BED, brand new pillow top mattress set. Still in plastic. Never used, \$269. 248-931-1127. IILX13-4

SEWING MACHINE- Sears Kenmore with sewing table, about 15 years old, good condition, \$75. 248-625-7255 IILX37-2

MOVING SALE: Two china cabinets \$75 each. Buffet \$60. Two microwave stands \$25 each. Five bookcases \$20 each. Quilt rack \$15 each. LazyBoy sofa \$100. Two LazyBoy recliner swivel rockers \$50 each. Round table & three chairs \$50. Call 248-391-0512. IILX32-2

6PC. QUEEN bedroom set, with Premium pillowtop mattress, lots of storage, \$1400 obo. 5pc sectional with sleeper, \$250. 248-391-1364. IILX15-2

LARGE BLACK LEATHER chair, never used. Paid \$700, now \$300. 25" antique console TV w/ swivel base, \$200. Leave message. 248-814-1142 IILX16-2

DREXEL BOOKCASE 78X31X16 oriental teak \$100. Antique school desk & chair \$75. 248-656-5151 IILX16-2

DARK GREEN JACUZZI, Kohler toilet, two sinks, brass faucets, all \$195; 12' solid oak vanities, \$20 per ft.; 30" mirrored bi-fold door, \$35; five dark wood blinds; 3'x8' mirror; 6' Marbelite counter sink, \$45. Evenings, 248-625-9616. IILX37-2

ETHAN ALLEN 5pc. bedroom set, 1970's, \$350 obo. 248-627-5376. IILX32-2

ORIENTAL FURNITURE pieces, wicker, rattan and Drexel Heritage pieces. Numerous framed prints. 248-961-4194

BED, a Cherry Sleigh, still boxed, never used. \$279. 248-931-1127. IILX14-4

LEATHER-LOOK VINYL sofa and loveseat, hunter green, four years old, \$400. 248-673-2109. IILX37-2

7 PIECE ANTIQUE dinette set with buffet server, darkwood \$750; 10 piece hardwood (green) bedroom set; dressing table with mirror, chair, bench, rocking chair, dresser with mirror; bedset with nightstand. New furniture: couch (fall colors), matching chair, includes 10 pillows. 313-600-2897 IILX15-

LITTLE TIKES twin race car bed, excellent condition, \$200. 248-391-4023. IILX16-2

COUCH, 84" TRADITIONAL, light blue. Excellent condition, \$250. 248-625-5548 IILX37-2

MATCHING END TABLE, baker's rack, coffee table, southwest style. \$200. 248-628-1724 IILX37-2

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150 ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES

FOR SALE TO best offer: Lenox Holiday fine china serving for 10 plus serving dishes; Hummel figurine collection, Enesco Precious Moment figurine collection, Longaberger basket collection with fabric liners; Department 56 North Pole Village, includes some retired pieces. 248-628-1473 daytime. IILX16-2

PINE HARVEST TABLE, 4 swing-out hinged drawers, Canadian origin, approx. age 1820-1850. \$2400. 248-693-1200 or 248-693-6550. IILX11-tfc

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1940'S CHIPPENDALE-style mahogany buffet, very good condition, \$650 obo. 248-328-0453. IICZM37-2

COLLECTIBLE BEARS: Boyds, Cottage Collectible, Ross, Brass Button. Large selection, excellent condition, very reasonable. 248-666-1912 after 5pm for appointment. IICZM37-2

ANTIQUES/PAINTINGS WANTED! Buying artwork, paintings, prints, photos, pottery, figurines, glassware, lamps, etc. One piece or many! Call me before you clean out the attic or have a garage sale! Call Steve at 248-627-3270. Please leave message. IICZM31-4

FOR SALE: ANTIQUE furniture from Victorian era. Pictures & vintage clothes, fainting couch, 4 walnut chairs trimmed in Burwood-newly caned & refinished, 5 piece wash basin set, variety of tea cups & saucers and more plus two 8 place settings of dishes, pattern Priscilla Rose and Petti Point trimmed 22K gold, many extra pieces. 248-693-6992 IILX15-2

160 APPLIANCES

MAYTAG WASHER/DRYER, stacked, full sized, must sell, \$785 obo. 248-625-5331. IICX36-2

BOSCH LAUNDRY pair, electric, white, front loading, 2 years old, stackable or under counter, like new. \$650. 248-922-0737 IICX37-2

3 YEAR OLD DRYER, older washer. Best offer. 248-693-4624 IIRX16-2

FOR SALE: Magic Chef gas range, almond & black, 4 years old, \$100. 248-236-9777. IILX16-2

GE PROFILE REFRIGERATOR with icemaker, almond, \$200 obo. 248-620-1374. IICZM37-2

170 GENERAL

NEW PRO 9640 Weider home gym system. \$125. 248-393-2143 IIRX16-2

MOVING SALE: 1940 Ford Deluxe two door sedan \$18,000. Blackhawk frame machine (air) \$600. Arbor presses- 100 ton & 30 ton \$350. Big Champion air compressor \$200. Bolens snowblower \$300. 1950 Pontiac Sedan Delivery (many NOS parts) \$2500. 10'x12' Sunroom \$125. Call 248-391-0512. IILZM16-2

FOR SALE: 8 ft. Mesh Uniden Satellite Dish, with receiver, \$600 obo. 810-796-2348. IILZM15-2

SNOWBLOWER & BLADE for Sears tractor. VGC. Cheap! Make offer. 248-628-0860 IILZM31-2

FIREPLACE INSERT, 6 bar mirrors, Necchi sewing machine. 248-693-2100 IILX15-2

DOES YOUR LITTLE LEAGUE. Service Organization, Church or School group need a fund raising idea? Call Don Rush at 628-4801, 8-5 weekdays. IILX9-dhtf

2002 GEHL 4835 Skid Loader, 57hp diesel, 44 hours, \$19,000; 1999 Cub Cadet 26hp diesel 4x4 tractor, front bucket, 3pt. rear, like new, \$14,500. Both stored inside. Call Paul, 248-969-9245. IIRMZ14-4

SPRING PLANTING: Clay greenhouse pots. Traditional reddish. 1 1/2 inch top/2 inches high in lots of 61, \$9.50 or 20 cents each. 628-2064 or 628-4801. IILZ12-dhtf

WE BUY TREES: Spruces, Maples, & ornamental. 16'-30' tall. 989-843-6043 IILZM16-4

ELECTRIC WHEELCHAIR, 1 year old. Paid \$8000; asking \$4000 obo. Extra battery & tires. 248-628-2829. IILX16-2

WOODEN STORAGE SHEDS. Custom built at a do-it-yourself price. Free workbench with every order. 248-225-7913 IILX16-1

ELECTRIC HOSPITAL Bed, with lift & mattress, \$250. Roof antenna with TV rotor control, \$75. 248-236-9592. IILX16-2

KENWOOD COMPLETE home stereo system, wood speakers, \$200. 13" Color TV, \$50. Kenmore window A/C, \$100. Ethan Allen dresser, \$50. Patio umbrella, table, 4 padded swivel chairs, \$225. Torso Track exerciser, \$50. Computer with printer, \$50. Black leather loveseat, \$125. Antique dining table (no chairs), \$150. Windsurfer, \$100. 248-814-6646. IILX14-2

TWO 10" Table saws, one with stand. Portable air compressor, 1-1/2 hp, 3 gallon tank, like new. 810-721-8508. IICX37-2

PORTABLE QUARTER PIPE skate ramp w/ grinding rail & platform. \$499. 248391-9369 IILX16-2

LUMBER FOR SALE: L-Joists, \$.80 per foot. Vinyl gable vents, white, \$5.00. Fireplace mantles, 9x16x60, fiberglass, \$50.00. Treated lumber 2x4x12, \$3.00. 2x10x12, \$10.00. 2x12x16 \$15.00. 3/4 plywood, \$18.00. 1x4x12 \$2.00. 2x4x16 Cedar, \$6.00. 4x4x12 Cedar, \$15.00. 1x4 thru 1x12, pine boards, good for shelving. Furring strips, \$1.00. 8x8 wood storage shed kits, new in box, \$275.00. 248-969-0321 after 8:30pm weekdays. Any-time weekends. IILX16-2

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NORDIC TRACK EXP3000 Treadmill, excellent condition, heavy duty, originally \$1800; \$1250 obo. 248-681-8523 after 6pm. IILX16-2

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EARTH WOOD Stove, good condition, \$150. Maytag dishwasher, portable or permanent, excellent condition, \$150. 248-628-4478, leave message. IILX16-2

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FOR SALE: 12'x24ft. aluminum walkboard; 32ft and 24ft. fiberglass extension ladders; baby changing table; 1 large soft hot tub with accessories, 6 person; kiln and accessories, many ceramic molds; cardiovascular bike. 248-693-9068. IILX16-2

AQUARIUM- 65 gallon, long, with stand. Great for snakes and lizards, \$35. Washer & dryer, \$30. 248-620-6842. IICX37-2

BRAND NEW GAZELLE free-style elite Glider, paid over \$400; will sell for \$199. 248-693-0348. IILX16-2

MERRILLAT CABINETS \$500; chandelier \$75; vanity/sink/fixtures, \$30. 248-625-3718. IICX36-2

CAMPGROUND MEMBERSHIP for sale. 989-786-4069. IILZM31-2

IRON AGE & KNAPP shoes, boots and socks - on sale. Call Ira J. Morris. 248-673-2797 IILX35-3

12 SNOWBLOWERS; 2 bedroom dressers \$30; 1 full-size bed & dresser \$50; 1 four-drawer file cabinet \$15; Wilson fever weight home gym \$50; console TV \$25; various silver coins & wheat pennies. 248-693-0105 IILX15-2

BO-FLEX: complete with video, \$500. 248-673-0976 IICX36-2

L.A. SPA, 7 person Jacuzzi, 1-1/2 years old. Like brand new. Fully computerized controls. Asking \$2000. 248-236-9935. IILX16-2

FOR SALE: Traditional wedding gown, full skirt with slip, Size 10. Professionally cleaned. \$350. 248-627-3807. IILZM31-2

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Large facility has good manure supply. Clean/no dirt.

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6' AIR HOCKEY table. Like new \$200 obo. Oak bunk beds, very good condition. \$200 obo. 248-625-7562 IILX16-2

WANTED: SHOTGUNS & Rifles. Private collector. 248-814-8982. IILX15-2

2001 26.5" Trail Lite travel trailer. Used ver little. Extras included. Must sell due to illness. 248-236-1149 IILX16-2

GOLF BALLS. Think Spring! 6 dozen \$24.00, or 5 dozen \$25.00. Call 248-693-4105. IILZM11-dhtf

WANTED: RUGER Mini 14 and Mini 30. Also wanted, Ruger 10/22. 248-814-8982. IILX15-2

MARLIN 336 LEVER 3030 with scope, \$400; Ruger 77/22 22mag. Leupold scope, laminated stock, \$525. 248-814-0815. IIRMZ15-2

1950 SCHWINN BLACK Phantom bicycle, excellent condition, \$1500. 248-620-5491 IICZM37-2

1976 MERCURY 40hp outboard tiller, electric start, runs great \$700. 25hp Johnson outboard tiller, excellent condition \$550. 1992 Flagstaff pop-up camper, very good condition \$900. 248-969-8149 IILZM15-2

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 IILZM15-2

CANCELLATION DEADLINE for classified ads is Monday at Noon for the Ad-Vertiser, Clarkston News, Oxford Leader, Lake Orion Review and Penny Stretcher. IILX9-rt

190 LOST & FOUND

LOST: 26" SCHWINN Mountain bike, green & white. Waldon, Joslyn, Clarkston Rd. area. Lost March 20th. 248-391-1871 IIRX15-2

FOUND: YOUNG female black & brown Blue-Tick hound. 248-628-6992 IILX15-2

LOST: TAN, male cat, neutered, very gentle, has a bump on tail. Comes to "Max", near Daniel Axford School, off Pontiac, 248-628-0877. IILX16-2

LOST: PORTER CABLE air compressor. Lost on 3/31 at corner of Dartmouth & Indianwood Rd. Please return. 248-693-4147 IILX16-2

200 PETS

LAKE ORION PET Centre. Experienced grooming. Dogs and cats. 693-6550 IIRX14-tfc

AKC YELLOW LAB, female, 1-1/2 years old, to loving family, with room to roam, \$200. 248-627-7530. IILZM31-2

SWEET RESCUED DOG needs loving family. Female, medium-sized mix, active, but well-mannered. Loves children. 248-620-9261 IICZM36-2

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READY TO GO

1 Boy, \$150.

248-628-0263

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Bearded dragon lizard with cage, stand, heat lamps & heat rock, \$100. 248-628-6056 IILX15-2

8x12 DOG KENNEL and large dog-house, \$225 obo. 248-393-0960. IICX37-2

FREE SMALL, good dog to good home only, 248-370-0314. IILX16-1f

220 HORSES

ACCEPTING BOARDERS, large in/out-door arena. Daily turnout. 248-969-3924. IILZM15-4

SUNDOWNER GOOSENECK two-horse trailer. Finished dressing room with camper door. Mint condition, \$6000 obo. 248-628-6129. IILZM16-2

PAINT, 8 YEAR OLD gelding with papers, \$3500. Thoroughbred 10 year old mare with jockey papers, \$4500. 313-600-2897 IILX15-2

WELL TRAINED Jumping, Dressage, Event and Hunt horses and ponies, suitable for children, \$1800 to \$6000. 248-762-9199. IILZM16-2

WANTED TO BUY: Western & English used saddles. 248-628-1849 IILZM14-tfc

1991 SUNDOWNER CHARTER, spacious 2 horse bumper pull, large tack room, both stalls have escape doors. \$2800. 248-330-1449 Oxford. IILZM16-2

REGISTERED MINIATURE Horses, great bloodlines, variety of colors, 810-636-3011. IILZM32-2

230 FARM EQUIPMENT

KUBOTA 2650 TRACTOR, 4x4, 1016 Woods loader, extra large turf tires, GST transmission, low hours, rear hydraulic controls, \$13,500. 248-330-9958. IILZM15-2

CASE 1845C used Skidster Bucket, \$200. 248-628-0212. IILZM16-1

TRACTORS- Ford 2000, Turf tires, P/S, front snow blade \$3650. Ford 8N \$1750. NYF35 \$3250. Avery "A" \$2250. 248-825-3429. IICX37-2

FARMALL-M, wide & narrow front, \$2150. 810-796-2396. IILZM16-2

TRI-AXLE TRAILER 15'x8'x3' dove tail, steel deck. \$2,100. Used little. 248-643-0125. IILX16-2

10 GPM MYER sprayer on trailer. \$550. 248-649-0689. IILX16-2

240 AUTO PARTS

8' FIBERGLASS CAP & liner \$250 obo. 248-969-1738 IILX15-2

2002 WELLS CARGO 6'X10' aluminum wheels. Very nice. \$2500 obo. 248-379-8304 cell IILX16-2

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. IILZ14-4nn

1947 CHEVY 2-DOOR coupe. Southern car, sand blasted & primed-ready for paint. Restore as street rod. Sub frame & posie rear end available. \$3,500 obo. 248-391-1436 or 248-496-5802 IILX14-12nn

1989 BUICK CENTURY. Very dependable, \$900. 248-627-2275. Cell 248-866-2260 XZM32-2

ALLANTE 1988 CONVERTIBLE with hardtop. Good condition, burgundy, loaded. \$8,700 or trade for late model Eldorado. 248-673-8977 IILX16-2

1993 STEALTH RT, 5 speed, CD changer. New clutch and timing belt. \$6750 obo. Trades considered. 248-393-6321. IILZ9-12nn

1988 Z24. RUNS 150,000 miles. \$1,000 obo. 248-693-9076 IILX16-2

1998 TAURUS SE. Four door, red, power locks, cruise, power windows, new tires. Exceptionally nice. Runs perfect. Highway miles. \$4,400. 248-628-4965 IILX16-12nn

1993 BUICK CENTURY, all options, great running, looks good, good gas mileage, \$2095 obo. 248-628-3923. IILX16-2

2001 BONNEVILLE, immaculate condition, loaded, silver, 75,000 highway miles, service records, new tires, one owner, non-smoker. Owner moving- must sell! \$10,995. 248-681-6795. IICZ31-12nn

1997 GEO METRO, 4 door, automatic, air, \$3000. 248-628-0405. IILX16-2

1994 THUNDERBIRD CANYON, red, grey interior, 110,000 miles. Premium sound, power windows, automatic, air, power brakes/seat, cruise, new engine & trans, \$1995 or best offer. 248-625-7562 or 248-379-8304. IILZ16-4nn

1994 OLDS SILHOUETTE, 3.8L, 131,000 miles, \$2100 obo. 248-922-9043. IICX37-2

1995 CAVALIER, low miles, must sell, \$2850 obo. Call Dave at 248-892-1237. IILZM32-2

1992 PLYMOUTH ACCLAIM, V-6, burgundy, 62,000 miles, \$1950. 248-620-6304. IICX37-2

1988 DODGE COLT, automatic, ultra low miles, \$950. 248-620-6304. IICX37-2

1987 MAZDA RX7, 2 door, turbo. Silver color. Loaded. Moonroof. Stored winters. Mint condition. 112,000 miles. \$4500. 248-693-2635 IIRMZ14-4nn

1996 OLDS 88 ROYALE, 58,000 miles, \$5500. 248-673-2960. IILZ31-12nn

1996 BUICK REGAL GS, good condition! 3800 engine. Black with leather interior, power sunroof, chrome wheels, 160,000 miles, \$3500. 810-603-0181. IICZ27-12nn

1998 CHRYSLER Concorde LXi, champagne beauty, 1 owner, loaded, 78,000 miles, \$6995. 248-693-0257. IILX15-2

1994 FORD ESCORT, runs great, bad transmission. All or parts. Make offer. 248-628-2662. IILX16-2

1976 CORVETTE STINGRAY, 59,500 miles, custom paint, T-tops, 350 automatic, power windows, tan interior, tilt, telescopic steering, all numbers match, \$8,000. 248-814-9277 IILZ11-12nn

2001 PONTIAC TRANS AM, 15,000 miles. Hurst 6-speed shifter, chrome wheels, power lumbar seats, black with black leather interior, traction control, extended warranty, \$23,000 obo. 248-969-1522 IILZ14-4nn

1998 CHRYSLER CONCORDE LXI, 28,000 miles, loaded, mint, extended warranty, \$11,500. 248-628-1946. IILX15-2

1990 OLDS ROYALE 88: V-6, air, great transportation, too much to list. Home paperwork, \$2900. 248-623-7282. IICZ36-8nn

1994 MERCURY SABLE LS, 102,000 miles, loaded, remote start, very good condition, \$3600. 248-391-4517. IILZ10-12nn

1994 FORD ESCORT 4 door hatchback. Auto, ps/pb, cruise, AC, rear defroster, AM/FM cassette. Runs great. No rust. \$4,500. Call after 4:30pm or leave message. 586-752-3867 IIRZM13-12nn

1995 MERCURY COUGAR XR-7, green, V8, auto. Runs well. Great body. Power everything. Remote, leather, AC works, keyless entry, high highway miles. Excellent gas mileage. \$2900 obo. 248-535-4337 IIRMZ15-4nn

1994 PONTIAC GRAND AM. 4 cyl. Needs engine work. Nice body & interior. \$500. 248-628-7867 IILX16-2

1997 CHEVY LUMINA, 4 door, teal green, 82,000 miles, \$5000 firm. 248-693-7112. IILZ16-8nn

1986 HONDA ACCORD LXi, excellent condition, many options, automatic, 121,000 miles, new parts, \$2400 obo. Phil after 5pm, 248-628-0815. IILZM34-8nn

1992 WHITE DODGE Daytona. Loaded. 166,000 miles. Runs good, \$750. 248-628-2951 IILX14-4nn

1995 OLDS ACHEIVA, 4 door, automatic, needs motor, decent car, \$300. 248-620-6304. IICX36-2

1998 PONTIAC SUNFIRE GT, excellent condition, 5 speed manual, black, 56,500 miles, warranty, must sell, \$5700 obo. 248-681-6795. IICZ37-4nn

2002 DODGE NEON, solar yellow, \$12,500. 248-628-7592 (Oxford) IILZM31-12nn

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2000 SUNFIRE. Great shape, white, 2 door, sporty, loaded. \$8,500 obo. Call 248-670-9066 IILX14-4nn

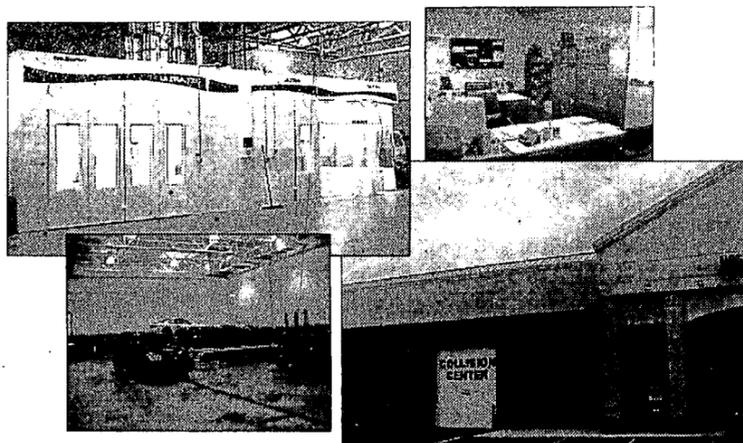
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DO · Wash the vehicle by hand with cool water and a very mild car wash solution using a soft cloth or sponge.
· Always use clean fresh water. · Wash your vehicle in the shade
DON'T · Do not use a commercial car wash. Stiff brushes or sponges could mar the finish and damage the surface. · Do not "dry wipe" your vehicle. Dry wiping can scratch the finish. · Do not drive on gravel roads. Chipping the finish is easily done in the first 30 days. · Avoid parking under trees and utility lines which are likely to attract birds. Bird droppings have a high acid content and will damage a freshly painted surface. Also, tree sap can mar or spot a freshly painted surface. · Do not spill gasoline, oil, antifreeze, transmission fluid, or windshield solvent on the new finish. · Do not scrape ice or snow from the newly painted surface.

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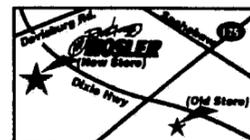
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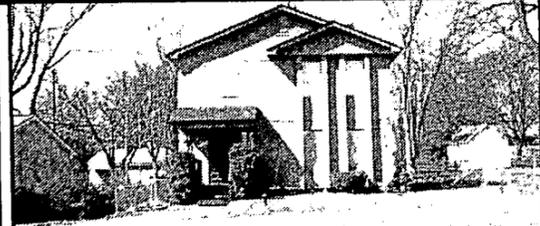
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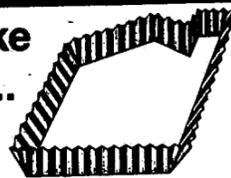
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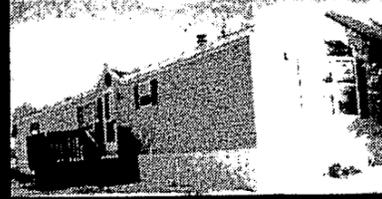
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1991 CHEVY S10 4x4, 80,000 original miles, \$3900 obo. 248-969-5833. !!!XZM30-12nnc

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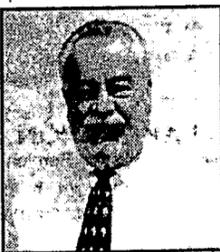
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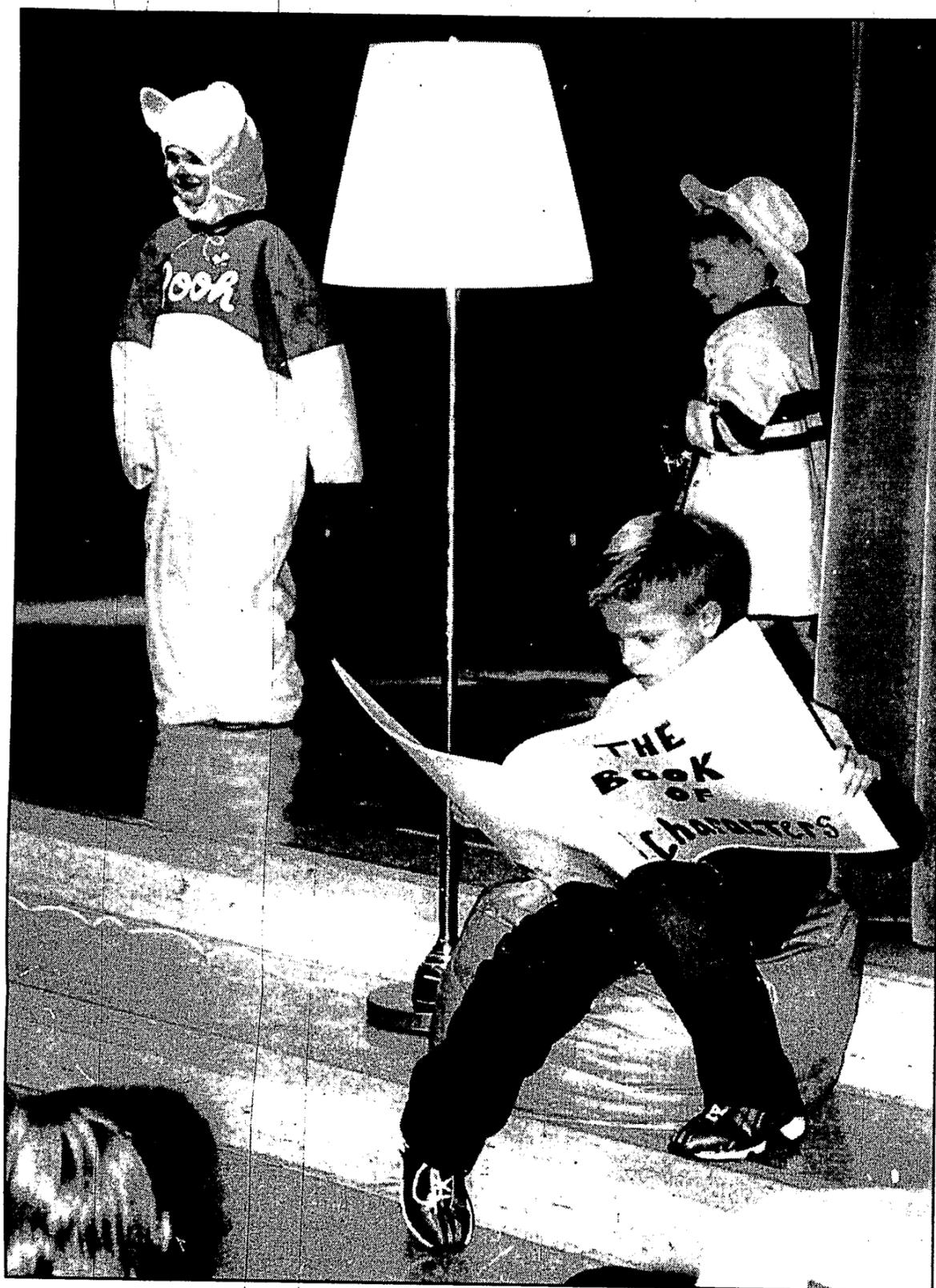


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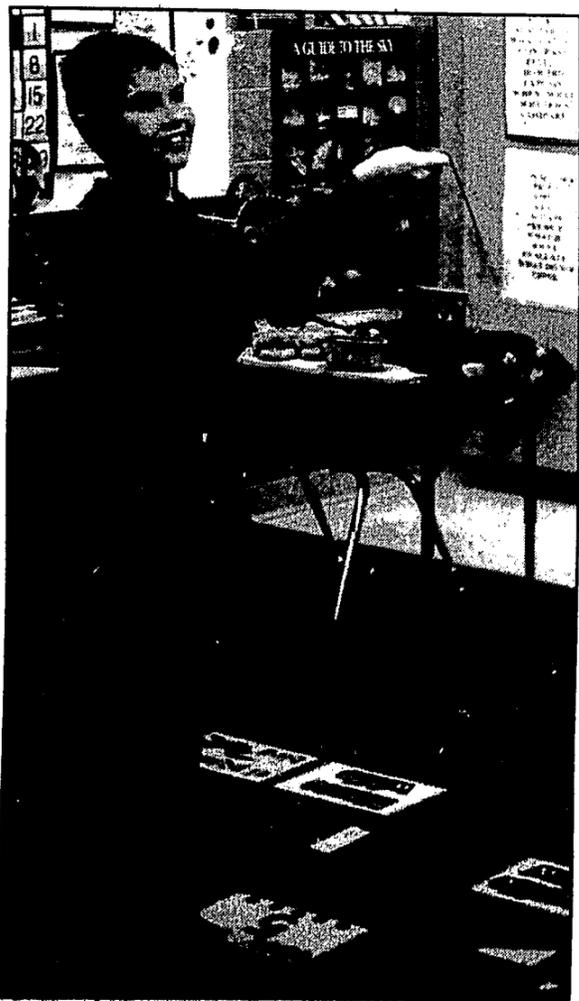
Books come alive

Pine Knob Elementary was caught "Monkeying Around With Reading" Thursday, March 27 at the aforementioned themed family reading night. The evening showcased different ways too see books come alive through a skit and a variety of workshops.

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Winnie the Pooh is one of the many characters to make an appearance in the imagination of Alex Dicea as he reads during the Pine Knob Elementary family reading night.



Justin Orminski (left), fifth grade, tries his hand at an Eskimo yo-yo during a workshop on Alaskan books and artifacts. Reading helps bring alive the world of imagination for Alex Dicea (above). Fourth grader Savannah Johnson (right) creates a unique bookmark.

