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Despite parent objections... Schools to continue 'developmental days'

BY DON SCHELSKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Clarkston Community Schools have generated concern and even "downright anger" from some parents with "developmental days" for teachers in grades K-8.

Officials believe the benefits outweigh the burdens, however, and will continue the program.

"The program does create some inconveniences, and we continue to recognize that," Deputy Superintendent David Reschke said at the Monday, April 14 school board meeting. "Our question is how do we minimize the inconveniences."

Reschke issued an evaluation report on the first-year program, similar to one which was already in place at Clarkston High School, in which class hours are shortened on some Wednesdays to allow teachers and administrators to engage in training and discussions for the stated purpose of improving education.

The district offered child care to younger students (charging a fee) and either computer lab or tutoring for middle school students during the normal class times on developmental days.

The evaluation covered areas such as student attendance, curriculum and activities, use of "guest teachers," cost considerations and feedback from teachers and parents.

The report said there was no "statistically significant impact" on school attendance on developmental days, but the need for guest teachers significantly decreased when compared with the former method of scheduling teacher training.

Although Reschke said the guest teacher reduction and financial issues were not the primary goal of the program, he estimated a cost savings of \$28,000 for the first semester of this school year.

"Some parents in the report complained that students were seeing movies on that day," Reschke said, but the report showed a variety of activities in the shortened class periods, including review of previous instruction, tutorial time, class meetings and student conferences.

"It was not remarkably different" from normal instruction days, he said.

Among the benefits cited was the opportunity for teachers to discuss common issues and concerns. Reschke said this is especially important as the district strives for consistency in the curriculum.

"In our business, some of the biggest misunderstandings come from in-

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sufficient indepth discussions," he said. "This program has provided for that."

Nearly all staff members have suggested more time for building level training, district-wide training and grade level meetings, the report said, and more than half said the developmental day program has improved professionalism in the district (and that it needs to continue).

"When you have half of any group of teachers saying the same thing in concert, I think you have to take that seriously," Reschke said.

While parents have their concerns, Reschke was impressed that about 800 responded to a survey on the subject, and he said "a clear and strong majority" of parents support the effort to reduce the use of developmental days to reduce the number of guest teachers.

Citing difficulty with child care and transportation issues, however, some parents believe teachers should receive training after students leave for the day, on weekends or during school vacations, the report said.

Officials talked about teacher contract requirements for scheduling, and argued that meetings during the year are important for dealing with issues that arise during the school year.

The report offered some recommendations to lessen the inconvenience to parents. For example, officials said and all developmental days should be scheduled on a specific Wednesday of the month.

"If we're going to do it, a lot of parents said keep it predictable," Treasurer Janet Thomas said.

In addition, developmental days will be reduced from 14 to 10 in the elementary schools, but dismissal time will be shifted from 1:30 p.m. to 11:35 a.m. on those days.

An option could be offered to allow each school to apply for up to two additional days, perhaps in response to the federal "No Child Left Behind" program or the state's "Education YES" requirements, but Superintendent Al Roberts said the district should do more homework before making that final.

"The questions are really still unanswered in terms of transportation and some other details on those two extra days," Roberts said. "We have to work out a number of details."

An Egg-cellent Time



Springfield Township Parks and Recreation held its 5th Annual Easter Egg Hunt Friday, April 18 at Mill Pond Park in Davisburg. Four-year-olds and younger had their chance to gather up eggs in the morning, while five to 12-year-olds did so in the afternoon. Recreation Coordinator Lisa Goforth said they hosted approximately 250 kids, with about 9,000 eggs available. Above Nicklin, with mom Karen, waits outside the tennis courts where tons of eggs were scattered for four-year-olds and younger to stuff in their Easter baskets. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

Violence begins Clarkston man's 'downward spiral'

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

With a handful of violent outbreaks of late, an 18-year-old Clarkston man is facing serious jail time if convicted.

Already out on bond for a third degree criminal sexual conduct charge out of the 6th Circuit Court, Jonathan Red Bonot was again arrested Sunday, April 13. He stood mute at his arraignment before Magistrate Colleen Murphy at the 52-2 District Court in Clarkston Monday, April 14 on charges of aggravated assault and felonious assault with a knife. He was

placed under a \$20,000 bond. A preliminary exam scheduled for Thursday, April 17 was adjourned to Thursday, May 1 at 1 p.m. He also stood mute at a Thursday, April 17 arraignment for carrying a concealed weapon, a five-year felony. He received a \$10,000 bond on this charge.

Prosecutors allege Bonot's recent string of violence began Feb. 25. In an aggravated assault case, Bonot allegedly attacked a 16-year-old Springfield Town-

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Briefly

Student Council plans charity work

This time of year means Clarkston High School's student council is busy planning their annual "Paint the Town" program.

The students remodel a house that needs a little fixing up and transform it into a brand new look. It is a day of benefit for the community, while the students have some fun in the sun. They perform tasks such as painting, caulking windows, planting flowers and building fences.

The program is set for Saturday, May 10.

The student council is asking residents for any donation towards this event. They need items such as garden tools, rakes, house paint, soil, flowers or additional essentials needed for planting.

If you would like to donate you can contact chair person Brooke Hills at BrookeLynn219@aol.com or you can call Clarkston High School at (248) 623-3600 and ask for Brian Zezula.

Fundraiser set for Community Center

Neighbor for Neighbor, a non-profit charitable organization which provides food, clothing and financial assistance to Springfield and parts of Independence Township, will hold a fundraising event.

"Treasures and Treats" will be held inside the Hart Community Center in downtown Davisburg on Friday May 9 and Saturday, May 10 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. This is a opportunity to buy home-made bake goods.

Edward Jones offers program

Scott R. Hazelton, the Edwards Jones investment representative in Clarkston, will host a free program for women on May 13 at 11:30 a.m. featuring Mrs. Fields Cookies founder, Debbie Fields.

During this one-hour educational presentation, Fields will share how planning, persistence and a positive outlook allowed her to take charge of life as a mother, wife, and successful businesswoman.

"Debbie Fields offers a highly inspirational story for women of all ages," Hazelton said.

In addition to Fields' message, guests will learn how to address the unique financial challenges women can face.

"Women tend to live longer than men and often spend some time away from the workforce," Hazelton said. "This free program will explore some of the unique financial decisions women encounter during their lifetime."

This free, interactive event is presented at Edward Jones branch offices nationwide via the firm's private video network.

For more information about the program, or to reserve your seat, call Hazelton at (248) 625-7016. If you are unable to attend at the above time, additional viewing opportunities are available.

The Edward Jones interactive web site is located at www.edwardjones.com.

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May 4 event seeks lots of participants

Let's 'Walk and Roll' for SCAMP

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Time to get out those walking shoes on and Walk & Roll.

The annual SCAMP walk, to raise funds for a five-week summer camp for individuals with special needs, is scheduled for Sunday, May 4.

Walkers, bikers, wheelchair participants and even some family pets, will take over the streets of down-

town Clarkston for one-mile, two-mile and eight-mile routes.

SCAMP Executive Director Donna Clancy said she is expecting at least 600 participants this year, doubling last year's attendance.

"We're hoping for a grand turnout."

Clancy said the enthusiasm regarding the walk has been spreading around town, and teachers and families have been going the extra mile in their support.

For example, more than 150 Springfield Plains Elementary students are signed up to walk. Clancy said SPE teacher and the school's SCAMP coordinator Tom Smith has been doing a wonderful job getting the students pumped up for the event; visiting each classroom and holding an assembly.

The SPE school walls are lined with paper gym shoes the kids decorated. And for four consecutive Fridays before the walk, the school is holding drawings for student walkers to win a free homework pass, large candy bars and a Walk & Roll lanyard.

The excitement has spread to families as well, Clancy said. The Spytman family, who have three children who attend Springfield Plains Elementary, recently moved to Clarkston. They have no family in the area, had never heard of SCAMP before, but, Clancy said, all family members have signed up to walk and pledged \$150.

"This is the event that everyone can participate in. Everyone can come to the (Depot) park. Everyone can go on the walk. It's a family event. They can even bring their pets," she said.

Pledge sheets for Walk & Roll '03 are available at the Clarkston Schools Support Services office, 6590 Middle Lake. Call (248) 620-1882 for more information.

Registration will run from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on May 4 in Depot Park in downtown Clarkston. All ages are welcome.

Businesses interested in a silver or bronze spon-

sorship are asked to contact Donna Clancy at (248) 620-1882. All contributions are tax deductible within the limit of the law to this 501C(3) organization.

SCAMP has been providing summer camp for special needs individuals in northern Oakland County and southern Genesee County since 1976. The focus of the five-week camp is to build self esteem and maintain academic achievement through recreational activities and social events. The camp program has continued to grow over its 26 years, and last year hosted 350 people.

Clarkston High School Academic Achiever

Name: Lindsay Tigue

GPA: 4.0

Plans after graduation:

Michigan State University Honors College to major in English

Athletics: junior varsity and varsity tennis

Clubs/organizations: Student Council, National Honor Society

Fine arts: dance, competitive dance team with Spotlight Dance Studio

Honors: National Merit Award of Commendation, Michigan Youth Arts Festival Certificate of Merit for Creative Writing, Scholar Athlete Award, Michigan State University Valedictorian Award Scholarship and top 10 in senior class for academics

Community involvement: Clarkston United Methodist Church youth group, tutoring

Favorite high school memory: My favorite times are all the times I've spent with my really good friends at dances, games and just hanging out.



Springfield Plains Elementary principal Dr. Sharon Devereaux, SCAMP school coordinator and SPE teacher Tom Smith, with SCAMP Walk & Roll participants Teri Spytman and her children: third grader Alyssa and kindergartners Callie and Collin. Photo provided.

Church breaks ground on \$3 million sanctuary

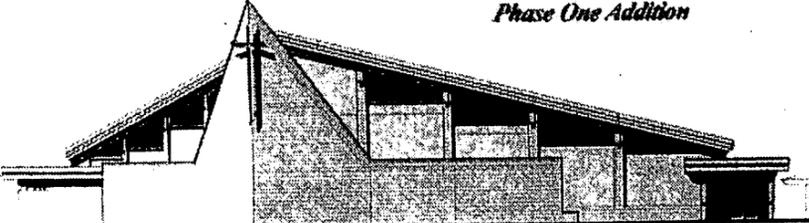


Clarkston Community Church hosted a groundbreaking ceremony for its new \$3 million worship center Sunday, April 20. Joining Pastor Greg Henneman, center, to share in the honors are (L to R): Board of Trustees Chairman Ken Weiss, Project Superintendent Rich Taylor and Construction Manager Dave Lurvey of Sorensen-Gross, Pastor Henneman, Architects Nick Palizzi and Andy Balou of Lindhout Architects, Youth Pastor Kevin Kuehne and Building Committee member Carolyn Bielak.



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Construction on the new worship center, which will hold 800 people, will begin in May and is projected to open by late Spring of 2004. Clarkston Community Church's congregation has grown rapidly over the past few years, since the arrival of Pastor Greg Henneman who celebrated his 9th anniversary with the church, the day of the groundbreaking. The church has grown from averaging 100 in attendance in 1994 to more than 400 in 2003. This Easter, they welcomed more than 600 people. The sanctuary construction is the first phase of three future phases which will include a new education wing, youth facilities and gymnasium. The project is financed by Clarkston State Bank. Shown is an architectural drawing of what the new Clarkston Community Church worship center will look like. Photos provided.

Independence to seek loan for water improvements

BY DON SCHELSKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

There was little public comment during a Tuesday, April 15 public hearing on Independence Township's plan for \$11,306,500 in water system improvements, but officials agreed to dive in.

The township government will seek a loan from the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality's Drinking Water Revolving Fund in hopes of improving the existing well system.

Tom Biehl, executive vice president of the Hubbell, Roth and Clark Inc. engineering firm, summarized the proposal, comparing it with two other alternatives.

The first, a "do nothing" approach, would place township water users in further danger of contaminants such as arsenic, not to mention decreased water pressure and diminishing supply.

"We have a well system generally that is somewhat antiquated," Biehl said, noting that new Environmental Protection Agency limitations for levels of arsenic will be effective in January 2006.

The other alternative would be to pay for expansion of and connection to the Detroit public water system, something deemed to be too expensive.

"Unless Independence Township and several other townships were to combine on the cost of transmission, the cost is just prohibitive for one community to attempt," Biehl said. "And, of course, Detroit water costs more."

That left the option of improving the existing township well and pump system, and officials reviewed the potential costs and timetable of the project, which is likely to be tackled in two phases.

"We should upgrade it for the quality and the quantity we're looking for for the future," Treasurer James Wenger said. "To me, it looks like the right road to go."

Biehl said the deadline to apply for a DWRP loan is May 1. Water main construction would take about four to six months, with an iron filtration plant requiring

about 18 months. He estimated that, if the loan is approved, the grant would come this fall, bids could be let in spring 2004 and construction could begin that summer.

If all goes well, Biehl said all new facilities could be online by December 2005 in plenty of time to meet EPA requirements.

Even if there were no additional water customers (and officials believe there will be population growth and the potential of Clarkston city residents becoming township water customers), the project would cost the average customer about \$220 per year over two years. Biehl said his firm is recommending that the township increase tap-in fees to help pay back the DWRP loan.

Independence Township currently operates from 11 wellfields (three of which are used only during peak demand times), with 16 water supply wells, two 500,000-gallon storage reservoirs, two water pressure boosting facilities and three pressure reducing valves.

DEQ has identified four separate water service areas for township-supplied water. The water distribution system consists primarily of the southern portion of the township (with a small area of the northeastern portion included in the Hillview Estates area) and provides water to about 60 to 70 percent of the township's residential population.

A July 2002 water study noted that all water in township public wells met existing EPA Primary Drinking Water Standards, but exceeded "secondary standards" for iron. While not a direct health threat, Biehl said it is "an annoyance."

Biehl also said a new treatment system will help allay fears of the e coli virus.

When the new arsenic standard (a maximum of 0.01 megagrams per liter) goes into effect, seven wells will be deemed in violation if treatment is not provided. While that standard has been hotly debated, it appears that it will become reality, and officials said the township must act.

"With arsenic being a real knife at our throats, and the EPA not willing to yield, as far as community health, community growth, prosperity, comfort levels of our own community well service, I don't think we can do anything else," Trustee Daniel Travis said.

Planned Water System Improvements

Phase I

- New Oakhurst booster station
- Test wells and new well supplies (Pine Knob/Waldon Creek well house/booster station)
- Deerwood/Deer Valley well sites — iron and arsenic treatment and disinfection
- Disinfection and iron sequestration at seven well sites
- Bowpointe elevated storage tank and water main
- Emergency connections to Waterford Township
- DTE/Pine Knob improvements (to be paid by Pine Knob)
- Hidden Lake Apartments — iron, arsenic removal and disinfection

Phase II

- New well supplies (Hillview well house and tank, Clintonwood Park well house, Deer Hill and Dixie Highway well house, Bay Court well house)
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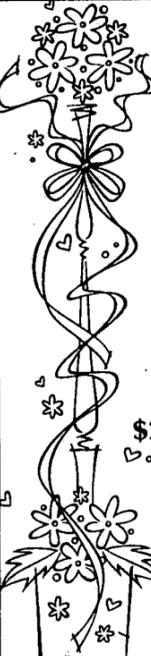
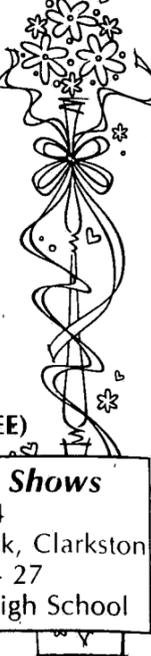
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Liberal theologians have disputed this, presenting their own theories and beliefs. In the past few decades, the discoveries of archeologists and searching history have been found to indicate the Biblical account is true.

In the late 1800's, Robert Ingersol, a noted orator of the time got involved. Ingersol, or "Beautiful Bob," as he was called, was often asked to speak for politicians. He was an atheist and traveled the country preaching atheism.

One evening, while on a speaking tour in a Midwestern town, he challenged God. He announced, "I am going to prove once and for all that there is not God. I am going to give God, if there is one, four minutes to strike me dead."

He took out his pocket watch, the

time passed, the audience was tense, some women fainted as the watch ticked on, would God strike him dead?

"You see, I have proved there is no God," he exclaimed.

A white haired farmer in the back of the town hall, stood and asked, "Mr. Ingersol, do you really believe you can frustrate the grace of God in four minutes?"

Ingersol continued to complete his speaking tour. On the way he met retired General Lew Wallace, a literary genius.

"Wallace," he said, "you don't really believe all that preacher preaches at the Church you attend, join me and we will write a book to destroy Christianity for good."

He convinced Wallace to join him in writing such a book that would destroy belief in the Bible. They decided that they would disprove the Resurrection the car-

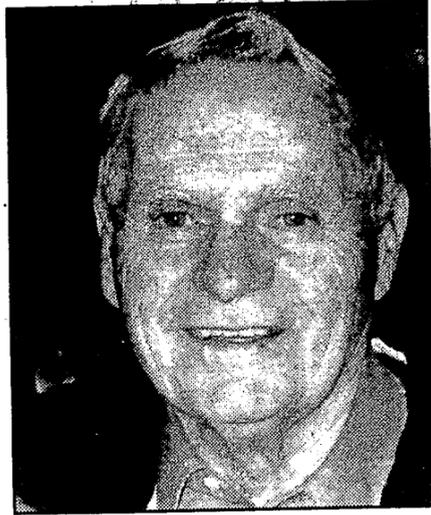
dinal doctrine of the Church, they would find evidence that it didn't happen.

The Resurrection of Jesus Christ was supposed to have happened in Jerusalem. Wallace was appointed to go there and search for the evidence that would disprove the Scriptural account.

Before the year was up he found, that rather than disprove the event, all the evidence indicated that the Resurrection had really happened, the Biblical record was found to be true.

Considering the evidence that he had compiled which proved the Biblical account, to be true, Wallace believed, and received Jesus Christ as his Savior. Later he wrote a book that was made into a movie. Many of the readers remember the book that was made into a movie. Its name, "Ben Hur."

(Norman Clothier is a guest columnist who appears on Independence Township Cable Access)



Guest Columnist
Norman Clothier

Clarkston School district issues layoff notices

BY DON SCHELSKE

Clarkston News Staff Writer

They hope to call them back, but Clarkston school officials last week issued layoff notices to 10 teachers, effective at the end of this school year.

Linda Nester, executive director for personnel and auxiliary services, proposed the layoffs at the Monday, April 14 school board meeting, explaining that union contracts require a 60-day notification period.

The layoffs include three full-time and one half-time elementary teachers, two middle school language arts teachers, one middle school teacher each in math,

science and social studies and one high school math teacher.

The move was part of a previously approved plan to trim the school district budget.

The board-approved personnel report also included four teachers whose retirement or resignation will be effective at the end of the school year.

"We had originally hoped to avoid any layoffs," said Superintendent Al Roberts. "We made a determination that's in the best interests of the school district."

Some pink slips could be rescinded if other teachers announce resignation or retirement before the end

of the school year, and a successful renewal of the "non-homestead" property tax could also save jobs, Roberts said.

Among items on the June 9 ballot is a proposal to restore the full 18 mills on property which is not a primary residence and agricultural property which does not meet the "homestead" exemption.

In addition to providing more revenue for the school budget, state regulations require the "non-homestead" millage to guarantee a school district's full per-pupil "foundation" grant from the state treasury.

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Opinion

Seriously, where are the raisins?

Thinking out loud:

• If you have seen me around town then you must realize I am not the healthiest of individuals. My average day of consumption is Fruit Loops for breakfast, a deli sandwich for lunch and then an obscenely insensible dinner.

Although I work out about four times a week, I am not adverse to the occasional beer or the frequent hamburger. So that leaves me forever overweight and on the brink of full-fledged obesity.

However rock bottom came last Wednesday when I attempted to purchase a healthy snack. Before the Red Wings game I decided, instead of eating unhealthy, I would run up to Kroger and purchase some raisins.

Acting like your typical confused man, I had no idea where raisins would be in a grocery store. In fact, I believe this was the first time I had actually purchased raisins.

Approximately 15 minutes later, and after trips to the baking, snacks and canned fruit aisles, among other parts of the store, I found my snack. Yes, snuggled between the produce and meat section are some shelves dedicated to health foods. Funny, I would have been able to find potato chips, beer or frozen French fries with absolutely no problem.

Why didn't I ask an employee where the raisins were located? Because I am a guy, eventually I will figure it out. I mean, the Wings did not start until 10:30 p.m.

• I am happy to report that before the Red Wings began their series against the Anaheim Mighty Ducks I confidently predicted a sweep. It is funny though, I can't seem to remember who I said would win the series.

• I am officially done talking about the weather. So if you want to discuss the ever changing weather then you are going to have to sell it somewhere else, sister. After the ice storm, followed by great warm weather, followed again by a cold spell, I am going to throw in the towel.

It seems whenever there is a nice day people talk about it like we found a cure for cancer, while when we get bad weather they make a generic crack about Michigan weather and then laugh as if they are a giant Fun Fruit tree.

So I am now drawing the line and from now on will just deal with the weather instead of talking about it. Of course I will still pay attention to what the forecast says. I mean, who can cut Chuck Gaidica out of their life cold turkey? I am human, you know.

• For me the best part of being in a relationship is spill over fries. Sure some people enjoy the connection between two people, but for me the highlight is the few extra French fries from my fast food restaurant of choice.

(Kyle Gargaro is the editor of The Clarkston News. His e-mail address is KyleG44@aol.com.)

Gargaro's World



Kyle Gargaro

Letters to the Editor

Turk family admires wife and mother

When you marry someone you want to spend the rest of your life with, you begin that process of not knowing fully what to expect in the future to an extent.

I have come to know a special person in my life who I admire more than anyone. Her name is Shiela Turk. This lady has raised our children, maintained a household, paid the bills and put herself through college at age 42.

When you admire someone, you look at the overall character of a person and their beliefs. I have come to recognize she is the type of person who someday with the help of God I can become. She has maintained almost a 4.0 in her classes and has just finished her degree in Education. I can't fathom what dedication this takes a person with all the added responsibilities she has. She is my rock, my soulmate and my mentor.

We have three wonderful kids, due in large part to her motherly skills, who will become productive, honest and sincere citizens. They are a big part of our lives, and because she has been so dedicated at proving to herself that dreams do come true, they actually happen through hard work. Although she wanted to prove something, she already has to her family.

She will make a great teacher because she has all the ingredients. The main reason she will be successful is, she cares. That's the core of her character.

She will someday realize that success isn't in a degree; it's in the person who uses that degree for the good of mankind. We are so proud of you and what you stand for.

Mike, Brooke, Addison and Michael Turk
Independence Township

Resident has strong opinion about millage

I say no to the school millage renewal if it includes the Headlee override, but yes if it does not.

The taxable value of a house increases with inflation providing more revenue. Why not vote each part

separately? Why should the benefit of the Headlee Amendment be given away?

Bob Heazlit
Clarkston

Visit Humane Society for pet adoption

Last week I took Buck, my family's 11-year-old golden retriever, to the Michigan Humane Society for his yearly checkup.

My mother nominated me for the job as payback because as a child the Humane Society was one of my favorite places to visit. The trips never ended well. Although I would promise not to, it was always me kicking and screaming to take one of the animals home and being very sad when I couldn't.

As an adult, I figured I could finally enter the Humane Society without throwing a fit. I was wrong. While I wasn't having a temper tantrum, I did feel just as helpless as the little girl whose mother wouldn't let her take home a puppy. The mass amounts of animals to pet and play with no longer attracted me to the Humane Society; it saddened me to no end. These poor animals all need homes so bad.

I sat in the waiting room petting Buck, his huge brown eyes looking up at me, and it nearly brought me to tears. We rescued Buck from a farm as an overweight, flea-infested adolescent, eight years ago. He wasn't much to look at then, but now he is a beautiful, active, healthy dog that eats up all the attention he can get. We could have bought the exact same kind of dog from a breeder for a couple hundred dollars, but then what would have happened to Buck?

My friend and I had this argument recently. She just spent \$200 on a pure bred Blue Point Siamese cat. While the thing is beautiful, think what that \$200 dollars could have done for a cat, which if not adopted, is destined to spend the remainder of its short life locked in a cage. She argued that she wanted a specific kind of cat and that she would never find one of that kind to rescue. This is incorrect. I asked a volunteer at the Humane Society if they have ever had Blue Point Siamese cats up for adoption. They have.

I can't really throw stones however, because my animal adoption only theory did not evolve until a

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Another View



Jillian Quinlan

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An American abroad returns with news

Last week I ran an editorial written by a Romanian about Americans. If you are one (American) it was positive. This week, Oxford entrepreneur Henry Gleisner (German born) reports. Methinks you'll find this interesting.

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I returned last week from a month's trip to Europe. Starting in Germany, I found the anti-American propaganda overwhelming. The pacifists (now pro-fascist) in combination with the Socialist/Communist parties have been whipping up hatred against the U.S., and in particular against President Bush.

Twenty-four hours a day the German government subsidized TV networks show the "Information Minister of Iraq" making pronouncements -- mostly lies. Next they showed injured Iraqi civilians, injured babies and children and bombed hospitals. There is not one word about Saddam Hussein and his criminal record.

Even after our troops captured Baghdad, the American military is uniformly described as "The Invaders." German Chancellor Schroeder, instead of saying, "I am sorry. I was wrong," (no German EVER does this) pronounced, "We have said before and we are still maintaining there would have been a better way than making war. We hope the Americans will win quickly to avoid further civilian deaths." Of course, he has not informed anyone what his "better way" over the last twelve years was.

It is also interesting to observe the very popular, but to my observation, very clownish, Foreign Minister Joschka Fischer. This is the man who stood on the barricades during the student riots in the 1970s and supported the activities of the terrorist RAF (Red Army Faction). Ulrike Meinike, one of their leaders, said the murder of the Israeli athletes during the 1972 Olympics was "just and beneficial."

At that time the German government and public were not quite as liberal as now. It is important to see anti-war demonstrations turned quickly to anti-Israeli, anti-Zionist, and anti-Semitic...

Of course, the Socialist Schroeder government has ruined not only the German international diplomatic position, but also the economy of the Federal Republic.

**Don't
Rush Me**



Don Rush

The public has been brainwashed in favor of "Peace," not realizing this attitude favors an appalling fascist dictatorship; but they do recognize the terrible mismanagement of the economy. This is so typical of socialist governments. Since, Mr. Schroeder has lost the bi-elections in Germany, his days as Chancellor are numbered. He will not serve out his term. The Bush administration will do well to ignore this government until a change takes place.

About 100 miles south, I found myself in Austria. Although a member of the European Union, this tiny country wants to preserve the myth of its neutrality. This, in effect, makes the media wiggle back and forth and still misinform the public.

To my great exasperation a high government official made the ridiculous statement in the press that if an American military aircraft should violate the neutral airspace of Austria, they would scramble their pursuit jets to bring it down.

Continuing another 100 miles south, I was in Italy. Here, opinions were divided. A large portion is staunchly pro-American, but again, the intellectual left (university professors of all stripes, various self-appointed Gurus in TV and in the press, and above all a large number of communists and trade unions) are fervently in favor of peace. Disgustingly, they are politicizing the children, ages 12 - 18, and encouraging them to skip school to go into the streets, boulevards and city squares to protest the American war in favor of "Peace." The children, of course, have no idea about the background of current events, but are very happy to skip classes.

Now that the much-maligned Defense Secretary Rumsfeld and the military adhered to battle plans and we have almost concluded the first phase of the Iraq war, there should be a lot of egg on a lot of faces.

I deplore disinformation and malicious propaganda of France, Belgium, Germany and others. The United Nations has proved itself to be an ineffectual debating society adversely influenced by anti-American nations, (Libya heads the Human Rights Commission and Saddam's Iraq controls the Disarmament Commission!) Under no circumstances should we permit those nations or the U. N. to partake in or direct the governing reconstruction of Iraq. The U.S.A. has embarked on a history changing transformation of the atrocious politics of the Middle East. May we be successful!

* * *

So, what do you really think, Henry?

Just jotting

Many times I've told our son Jim to not spend a lot of money on my funeral. Keep it short and simple, I say. There won't be many people there and don't bore them. Don't spend a lot of money to put me away.

Well, I think Jim got a little tired hearing it. Recently he responded, "Okay, Dad, if it works out right, and you're available on a Thursday, we'll just set you out by the curb!"

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More questions that bother me:

Why do I continue to take scrambled eggs at a buffet? No matter how good they look they are never cooked in butter, properly seasoned or soft enough.

Why do ducks walk to my bird feeder, but fly away? The action they have while walking can't be comfortable, and flying is faster and safer.

What's with all this campus rioting? Maybe it's understandable in Minnesota, like when they won the Hockey title, 'cause except for the ice fishing and ice carving competitions there ain't a whole lot to get excited about up there.

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Had to go to Crittenton Hospital in Rochester for some nerve tests recently. While there I picked up their in-house magazine, *Wellness*.

Crittenton is undergoing major expansions, front and back. \$86 million worth. They started it all last year and will complete it next year.

What caught my interest was that in the many, many thousand square foot additions there are no new beds. They had 290 licensed beds before the addition and none will be added.

I asked my doctor, Edward Tashjian about it. He

**Jim's
Jottings**



Jim Sherman

said, "That's the way it is today. Fewer and fewer overnight stays and more and more outpatient treating."

I remember that our Governor Jennifer said recently one of her priorities (Ms. Granholm has an extraordinary number of priorities) is to reduce overnight hospital stays.

We've all seen the huge increase in the number of medical clinics in our communities. And, we've all read about the many new diagnostics machines, many portable. And, we've become accustomed to having specialists schedule patients in numerous locations.

Dr. Tashjian is only available at Crittenton part of Wednesdays. Otherwise, he's at other hospitals, clinics and offices. Kinda stretches doctor/patient relationships.

* * *

I have a dollar bill with the following writing: "If you want to buy a 1986 Mojave for \$1,500 e-mail me at..." No I'm not giving you his address. For a little bit more he could probably have gotten better results from a classified ad in this newspaper.

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Caught part of comedian Adele Givens' act on the Comedy Channel recently. She asked her audience, "Where was the emergency broadcast on 9/11? Must be it doesn't work, because 9/11 was certainly the time to use the test."

She was referring, of course, to all the radio interruptions that begin with a horn or whistle, followed by an announcer saying, "This is only a test. If there was a real emergency you would be notified."

I'm a major radio listener, and I, like Adele, didn't hear the emergency broadcast system break in to my program on 9/11.

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Beauty is in the eye of the beer holder.

A look back

in

The Clarkston News

15 YEARS AGO (1988)

• A somber board of education voted to lay off 38 teaching staff members, cut two administrative positions and reassigned two others in the Clarkston School District Monday night. The votes were unanimous, with little discussion except that of board member Carolyn Place, who spoke on behalf of the entire board. The teaching staff reductions include 15 positions at the elementary level, 18 at the secondary level, two in special education and three at the vocational school.

• A new sprinkler system saved a building from total destruction during a fire April 23 at Clawson Tank on White Lake Road in Independence Township. The sprinklers prevented the flames from causing too much structural damage and the firefighters extinguished the blaze in about 20 minutes. The sprinkler system had been installed about one month prior.

• The contract for Clarkston school district's new superintendent was approved at a special board of education meeting April 25. Gary Haner, who will take over the job on July 1, was in the audience when the approval came. Haner's three-year contract includes a \$74,000 salary the first year. After that, he will be accorded the same percentage of increase as other administrators in the district.

25 YEARS AGO (1978)

• Clarkston school bus drivers walked out on strike last Monday when two of their drivers were suspended for refusing to cross picket lines in Pontiac. Lucille McDonald and Elva Birchette, who drive special education children to some Pontiac schools, resisted an order to drive past striking Pontiac school employees. After a temporary dismissal of two drivers by Superintendent Milford Mason, all 36 members of the Clarkston School District Bus Drivers' Association stopped work in sympathy.

• Complaints about dumping of construction waste south of the village park were aired at Tuesday night's Clarkston Village Council meeting. During the standing-room-only session, Sue Basinger said there have been deposits of concrete blocks, steel, boards and other large construction waste materials dumped south of Depot and White Lake Road.

• A recent report by the Citizen's Advisory Committee indicates Clarkston School District's classrooms are shrinking due to extra space needed for special education programs. "The Michigan Legislature mandates federal programs without giving us the money to pay for extra classrooms," chairman of the 30-member committee Robert Vandermark said.

50 YEARS AGO (1953)

• The juniors of the Clarkston High School provided two evenings of good entertainment when they presented "Love is too much trouble" last Thursday and Friday nights. There was a fine crowd at both performances and the class was pleased with the results. Miss Patricia Stites, director of the play, is to be congratulated on the success of the presentation.

• The Joseph C. Bird Chapter, O.E.S., held Friendship Night on Monday at the high school. There were about 225 present with representatives from 21 county chapters.

• Young people of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church will take their place Sunday morning, April 26, in observing the nationwide Annual Youth Sunday and Youth Project - this year to help build a Boys' Dormitory at Alejandra, Mexico, according to announcement by Rev. W.R. Hunt, Vicar of St. Andrews.

BEST IMAGE POSSIBLE

Police to use Waterford Hills for driver training

BY DON SCHELSKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Proponents say it will likely save lives. Opponents are concerned about residents having to tolerate more noise.

By a 5-2 vote last week, the Independence Township Board approved a variance to allow the Waterford Hills Raceway to host special police driving training.

The proposal, made by field training officers from the West Bloomfield Police Department, first asked for permission to use the race track for 25 days a year, but was trimmed to 12 out of consideration for local residents, according to Officer Art Smith.

The training sessions will not be based on "high speed pursuit" scenarios, Smith said, and speed may reach up to 70 miles per hour only on one stretch of the course. Training will take place only during day-time hours, and the noise level will not exceed the township's maximum allowed decibel level, he said.

The goal, Smith said, is to teach police officers the limitations of both driver and ve-

hicle, use of proper braking techniques, recognition of common types of curves, proper steering techniques and effects of forward inertia and centrifugal force.

"There's an importance behind this issue that can't be expressed in a proposal on paper," Smith told the board. "Every year, on average, 40 percent of all police officer on-duty deaths are related to traffic or driving problems.

"Simply by entering my patrol car on any given day, I've increased my risk of injury on duty by 400 percent. That's just for showing up for work."

While sympathetic to the goals of the project, some said the history of the relation between the race track and neighbors called for extra consideration. Supervisor Dale Stuart and Treasurer James Wenger voted against the proposal.

"This is one of the areas where we've had constant complaints from the neighborhood," Stuart said. "These uses they're asking for would be in addition to what we're already allowing. You have to remember where this

is located. It's located around a residential area. Any use of that racetrack has some effect on the residents who live around there. I cannot recommend to the board that we allow that to happen."

Stuart said concerts at the DTE Energy Music Theater do not exceed the decibel limit, yet neighboring residents still complain of excessive noise.

Wenger also cited the music theater in his opposition to the race track proposal.

"I can imagine what we would do if they came and said we wanted to extend the season with more concerts," he said.

Township attorney Steve Joppich, who helped negotiate the reduction to 12 days, said the "backdrop" of the noise issue was significant, and he cited ongoing work with track officials to deal with the noise issue.

"We've been in discussions with the track representatives for quite awhile now discussing ways to address the noise issue and ways to address the amount of track usage in connection with comments we're receiving from the abutting neighbors," Joppich said. "A lot of progress has been made over the last year. The track has been very cooperative in working with us."

Track officials, however, are in support of the police training

project, and said they are progressing in construction of a wall to help mitigate noise.

"The wall, in some form or another, is definitely going to happen," said Anne Roeské, Waterford Hills facilities coordinator.

Joppich said plans are for the wall to be built along the straightaway the first year, with an extension along Pelton Road the following year, assuming that the township grants a setback variance.

"I think this is something that's really for the public good," Clerk Joan McCrary said. "I'm also pleased the noise is below what the ordinance [allows]. It's not going to bother the neighbors because it's below the decibel level. I don't see where the 12 days a year would make that much difference compared with the [race] events."

"I understand the sensitivity of the neighbors, but this is really for the public good," said Trustee Daniel Travis, a lifetime member of the Oakland County Sportsmen's Club. "Those neighbors have to understand

that the police departments, well trained, can really benefit them enormously."

Trustee Daniel Kelly noted that the variance was granted only for one year. "I think it does benefit law enforcement, and it seems intrusion into the local neighborhood is limited.

We'll see how it goes. I think it's worth the risk."

Trustee Larry Rosso said people are concerned about the dangers of crashes involving public safety vehicles.

"The liability issue that [Smith] raised is the thing that scares me the most as a citizen," Rosso said. "I think that overweighs every other consideration."

Smith, who with two fellow West Bloomfield officers are certified by the Michigan State Police Precision Driving Instructor Program, said there are no suitable facilities outside the MSP Lansing headquarters, and the state program is cost-prohibitive for small departments.



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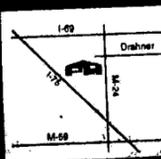


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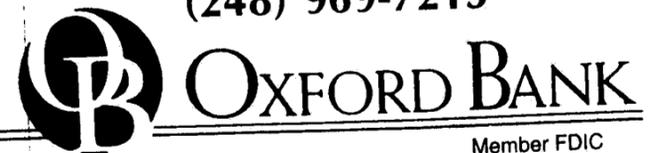
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Sunday, April 20, larceny from an automobile on Curtis Lane. Miscellaneous items were stolen.

Malicious destruction of property on Andersonville. A vehicle had a window smashed out. Damage is estimated at \$300.

A 23-year-old man was cited for a noise ordinance violation during a house party on Mockingbird Drive.

Saturday, April 19, an 18-year-old man was arrested on Clarkston for operating under the influence of liquor, a first offense. The man was speeding and caused his vehicle to roll over. There were no injuries.

A complainant on Springmeadow Drive reported a larceny after the complainant's roommate stole an \$800 generator and pawned it for \$60 to get money for his probation.

Friday, April 18, forged/alterd plate, driving with a suspended license, a second offense, and disobeying a police officer signal on Andersonville. A 45-year-old man was arrested for driving a vehicle he bought but did not title. The plate used was not his and the tab was one stolen from a Brandon Township resident. He also refused to stop his vehicle when indicated to do so by authorities.

Thursday, April 17, malicious destruction of property occurred to vehicles parked at residences on Deerhill, Allen Hill Court and Woodlyn Court. In all instances, windows were smashed out.

Malicious destruction of property on Mountain Ridge Drive. A house window was shot out with a BB gun. The homeowner saw a car drive away from his home and followed the car to obtain a license plate number.

Malicious destruction of property on Coddington Court. Three floodlights were damaged in a subdivision.

Malicious destruction of property on Deerhill. A residential window was shot out with a BB gun.

Uttering and publishing was reported from a credit union on Ortonville. A credit union member said a 48-year-old Waterford man stole her check for \$730 from a drop box at her apartment complex in Waterford and cashed it.

A 26-year-old man was arrested on Clarkston for operating under the influence of liquor, a second offense. The man struck a tree with his vehicle. He was transported to North Oakland Medical Center for x-rays. A small amount of marijuana was also found inside his wallet.

Fraud at a gas station on Sashabaw. A woman posed as the daughter of an employee to cash a \$348 check.

Wednesday, April 16, two 19-year-old men, one 19-year-old woman and an 18-year-old man were cited on Mann for marijuana use and possession.

A 26-year-old man was arrested on Dixie for operating under the influence of liquor, a first offense, and reckless driving.

A felonious assault on Waldon occurred between a father and son. A 28-year-old man was arrested after threatening to kill his 56-year-old father at knife point.

Tuesday, April 15, an assault and battery on Flemings Lake at Clarkston High School. A 14-year-old girl was slapped in the face by another 14-year-old girl. Later that day, the alleged victim's mother, a 37-year-old woman and the 14-year-old alleged suspect were involved in an assault and battery at CHS. The mother approached the young girl, who slapped the woman. The elder woman pushed the girl in response. There were no injuries. The case is open pending review from Family Court.

Malicious destruction of property occurred on Deerhill Drive. A car window was smashed out.

A malicious destruction of property on Staghorn. A vehicle parked in the resident's driveway, had multiple damage.

Malicious mischief on Waldon. Four men, described in their late teens/early 20's, were spraying passing cars with water from a garden hose.

An unlawful driving away of an automobile on Fox Creek. Two motorcycles were stolen from a carport within the apartment complex.

Construction equipment, valued at \$700, was stolen from Wild Daisy Court.

Monday, April 14, a 21-year-old man was arrested on Boulderwood Ridge for two warrants as well as marijuana use and possession.

Springfield Township

Sunday, April 20, burglary, no force, and larceny from a vehicle, with force, on Foster. The complainant stated someone shattered a window on her vehicle, which was parked in her driveway, and stole her purse. The complainant's shed, which was not locked, was also entered and a power washer was taken.

An unknown person entered a garage at a residence on Foster and stole a power washer and a jacket from an unlocked vehicle. The garage had been left open

during the night hours.

An unknown person entered a vehicle at a residence on Northbay and stole \$10.

Someone shattered a window of a vehicle parked at a residence on Northbay and stole a breathing treatment machine.

Three unlocked vehicles parked in a driveway on Robertdale were entered by an unknown person. Nothing appeared to be missing.

A malicious destruction of property was reported on Neil. Someone knocked over a yard ornament, causing a dent and \$100 worth of damage.

Monday, April 14, larceny from a vehicle, north force, on Bluewater. Approximately 100 CD's were stolen from inside the unlocked car.

A 34-year-old man was arrested for a domestic assault against his 24-year-old wife. The assault took place inside the couple's vehicle. The woman exited the car, entered a store on Dixie to call 911, and remained there for her safety until authorities arrived.

A cell phone was stolen from an unlocked vehicle on Farley.

City of Clarkston

March 2003, Acting Chief Ernest Combs reported there were 59 traffic citations, 60 warrants, two drunk driving arrests, 72 parking violations, and six warrant arrests. In addition, the police department processed 104 preliminary breath tests, 17 finger printings and 44 calls for service.

Criminal sexual conduct

An 16-year-old Clarkston woman told the Oakland County Sheriff's Department in Independence Township, April 17, she was sexually assaulted a month prior by an ex-boyfriend.

Reports state, the woman needed a ride home from a sports team practice after school at Clarkston High, when she called her 18-year-old ex-boyfriend to drive her home.

She says, allegedly, he fondled her while she was sitting in his vehicle, which he parked behind the Farmer Jacks grocery store on Sashabaw at Waldon.

No contact has been made with the suspect. The case remains open pending further investigation.

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Independence Elementary student Samantha Tonks helps out Shirley Neitzel during a dramatic interpretation of one of her books. During her school appearances, Neitzel did a dramatic reading, described the writing process with students and gave time for questions. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

Authors meet students at Clarkston schools

BY
JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News
Staff Writer

Reading Month is finished but the related activities just keep on coming.

Last week two famed children's authors, Johnathan Rand and Shirley Neitzel, made their way through each elementary school in Clarkston.

Both authors are from Michigan.

Neitzel grew up in the upper peninsula and is a former teacher with 12 titles in print such as "The Dress I'll Wear to the Party," "Our Class Took a Trip to the Zoo," and "The Bag I'm Taking to Grandma's." In addition, she has been published in various children's magazines including "Ladybug," "Humpty Dumpty," "Spider," "Child Life" and "Guide."

Rand is a former Michigan radio and television personality and motivational speaker in the broadcast industry. He is the writer and producer of thousands of radio and television commercials which air across the U.S. and Canada. He is the author of the "Michigan Chillers" series for children seven to 14. Each mystery takes place in a particular Michigan city such as "Mayhem on Mackinac Island," "Terror Stalks Traverse City," and "Kreepy Klowns of Kalamazoo." Rand has started a new series of books called "American Chillers," such as "Michigan Mega Monsters," "Florida Fog Phantoms" and "Wisconsin

Werewolf," his latest book.

Jake Sims, a fourth grader at Bailey Lake Elementary said he learned a lot from the authors' visits. "I learned to not read just to read, but to be in the story."

Larry Malace, a fellow fourth grader, was excited to see Rand. "I never knew he was in the radio business or on commercials. That's cool. I've read all his books and have all his books (19). I've seen him three times: here, at a world premiere of one of his books and at Borders." Malace had Rand sign a picture that had been taken of he and Rand at a signing at Borders Bookstore.



Bailey Lake Elementary fourth grader Jake Sims gets an autograph from author Johnathan Rand. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

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Local expo set for May

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

It's going to be a fun-filled May 3 in Davisburg. The Holly Area Chamber of Commerce is holding their 2nd Annual Business Expo, and it is expected to be bigger and better than the inaugural event.

The event was originally planned for April 5, but bad weather canceled the expo.

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



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

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.

Golf outing set

The 12th Annual Kaleidoscope Foundation Benefit Golf Scramble is set for Saturday, May 10 at Heather Highlands Golf Club.

This was formerly known as Northwest Oakland Community Services but the organizations merged in 2002.

The shotgun start for the four person team scrambles begins at 8 a.m. There will be 18 holes of golf, a luncheon along with contests and door prizes.

For more information call Dennis Strelchuk at (248) 625-1570 or Dee Dershem at (248) 634-8599.

Habitat meeting set

Habitat for Humanity-Oakland County will hold a meeting for group representatives of the Clarkston Coalition on April 28.

The event will be at 7 p.m. at the St. Daniel's Cushing Center.

Quinlan

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few years ago. Buck is not the only dog in my family, there is also Frasier. After high school graduation, I spent a ridiculous amount of money on a fawn Boxer puppy. I love him dearly, but in all honesty he is one of the dumbest animals I have ever met. He is from a breeder, but he is too tall, too fat, and his tail is too long to ever be any kind of show dog. So to add insult to injury, while visiting the Humane Society last week, there was a brindle Boxer, much better looking than mine, that needed a home.

After that experience, I know I will never purchase another animal, and I will continue picking fights with my friends if they try to do differently. All animals need love and affection, and the ones that know they are lucky to get it make the best pets.

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Man guilty in Valentine's Day shooting

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

After shooting a gun during a domestic dispute on Valentine's Day in which the bullet blasted through a neighbor's home, Antonio Joseph Lucio has pled guilty to the discharge of a firearm in a building and firearm use in the commission of a felony.

The 28-year-old Independence Township man was sentenced Wednesday, April 16 at the Oakland County Circuit Court. Two other charges — felony possession of a firearm and a second charge of firearm use in the commission of a felony — were dropped from the final sentencing.

Lucio, a resident of a mobile home park on Clintonville Road, was engaged in a fight with his 25-year-old girlfriend on Feb. 14, when he fired his gun that

shot multiple holes through the exterior wall and kitchen window of the neighboring home on Joy Street. The couple's two-year-old daughter lay asleep on the living room couch during the incident.

No one was injured, though a 35-year-old woman, her 15-year-old daughter and her daughter's 18-year-old boyfriend were home next door at the time.

When deputies arrived at the scene, they reported Lucio did not comply and ran and hid behind the bedroom door. When they ordered him to the ground, he did not and hurriedly chewed a handful of pills. Deputies were forced to take Lucio to the ground where they placed him in handcuffs. He was then transported for medical attention due to the pills swallowed, before being transferred to Oakland County Jail.

Obituary

Jennifer E. Yoak

Jennifer "Jennie" E. Yoak (Pitoniak), of Davisburg and formerly of Waterford, died unexpectedly April 19, 2003 at age 30.

She was the wife of Will for six years; mother of Coty James Yoak; step-mother of Karlee Yoak; daughter of John "Jack" & Fauntell Pitoniak of Waterford; sister of Jeffrey Pitoniak of Taylor and twin James Pitoniak of Waterford; granddaughter of Darwin "Irish" (Helen) Mulcahy of GA and John R. Pitoniak of NY; daughter-in-law of Louise (the late Gene) Yoak of Grand Rapids; best friend of Suzanne Stegeman; also survived by many other family members and friends; preceded in death by her grandparents: Elaine and Joseph Johnson, Dorothy Baetz and Dottie Pitoniak.

Jennie graduated from Waterford Kettering in 1990 and was employed as an assembly line supervisor at Transmatic, Waterford.

Funeral service is planned for Thursday, April 24 at 10 a.m. at Spirit Life Temple Church, Waterford. Interment All Saints Cemetery. Arrangements entrusted to the Lewis E. Wint & Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Clarkston. Any donations to the family will be used for Coty's future education.

Martin "Bud" Wright

Martin "Bud" Wright, of Clarkston, died April 18, 2003 at age 77.

He was the husband of Nena "Betty"; father of Keith (Kayrese), Timothy (Debbie) Preseau, Paul (Leitha) Preseau and Peter Preseau; also survived by 13 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

A funeral service was held April 22 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Clarkston. Interment Lakeview Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Michigan Cancer Institute.

Hazel Beauregard

A celebration of her life will be held Saturday, April 26 at 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Davisburg. In lieu of flowers you can make a donation to your favorite charity.

Alfred C. "Guy" Fullmer

Alfred C. Fullmer, of Waterford, died April 13, 2003 at age 61.

He was the father of Dawn (Jeff) Stemmerding of NV, Tracy (Eppie) Fullmer of West Bloomfield and Linda (Mike) Harden of Clarkston; grandpa of Matthew, Melissa, Kathleen, Elizabeth, Nicholas, Joey and Amber; brother of Florian Sobczak, the late Verna Streeter, Claire Lloyd, Leanne Kitkowski, Julie Zielaskowski and Mike Fullmer.

A memorial service was held April 16, 2003 at Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church, Clarkston with Rev. Jonathan Heierman officiating. Arrangements entrusted to the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Clarkston.

Michael Joseph DiRienzo

Michael Joseph DiRienzo, of Waterford, entered eternal life on April 17, 2003 at age 21.

He was the beloved son of Daniel Jr. and Rae Anne; dear brother of Anthony (Serena) of Auburn Hills and Daniel III of Waterford; uncle of Katriana; grandson of Grace (the late Daniel Sr.) of PA and Carol (the late Wayne) Ridgeway of Clarkston.

Mike graduated from Oakland Christian High School in 1999. He attended Oakland University (1999-2001) studying computer science. He loved automobile racing and the Detroit Red Wings. He served as an MDA spokesperson and appeared several times on the MDA Telethon in Detroit.

A family graveside service was held at All Saints Cemetery in Waterford. A memorial service will be held at a future date. Donations may be made to the family, Muscular Dystrophy Association (586) 274-9090, Make-A-Wish Foundation of Michigan (800) 622-WISH, Kaleidoscope Kids Hospice (313) 874-6400 or Oakland Christian School (248) 373-2700. Arrangements entrusted to the Lewis E. Wint & Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Clarkston. www.legacy.com.



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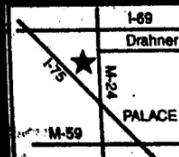
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Booster group plans bond info meeting

BY DON SCHELSKE

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Betty Reilly believes in a simple philosophy.

"The more information you have, the better decision you can make."

That's the goal of a parent information meeting scheduled for 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 29 in the Clarkston Middle School Media Center concerning June 9 school ballot proposals and state and federal education requirements.

Reilly is treasurer of the Academic Boosters of Clarkston, sponsor of the meeting. ABC is described as a parent advocate group that supports challenging education for all students. The group is an official affiliate of Clarkston Community Schools, and it will be the school administrators who will present most of the information at the information meeting.

"[The affiliate status] puts us in the position where

we can work hand in hand with the school district," Reilly said.

The agenda of the meeting will include:

- The federal "No Child Left Behind" program, which deals with school district accountability for student performance.

- The state "Education YES" program, which is tracking "Adequate Yearly Progress" on the Michigan Educational Assessment Program tests.

Both of the above have set a deadline of the 2013-2014 school year for all students to be successful on MEAP tests.

- The June 9 proposal to restore the full 18-mill "non-homestead" property tax for school operations.

- The June 9 proposal for a \$83.7 million bond issue, to be used for building additions and renovations for the purpose of reconfiguration of grades and other

moves to ease overcrowding and enhance education.

Reilly is concerned that many may not fully understand the impact of state and federal programs on local education, especially since the mandates are based on individual state standards.

"Our state has much more challenging guidelines than most of the other states," she said.

Even though the "non-homestead" tax will not affect primary residences, Reilly believes it is an ~~issue for every~~ ^{issue for every} ~~community~~ ^{community}.

"It affects all people in the Clarkston school district," she said. "If we get downgraded or something, it affects our property values."

For more information on the April 29 meeting, call Reilly at (248) 922-9134.



Smile of the week

Clarkston resident Jennifer Beadner with daughter Olivia, 19 months. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

Grass fire

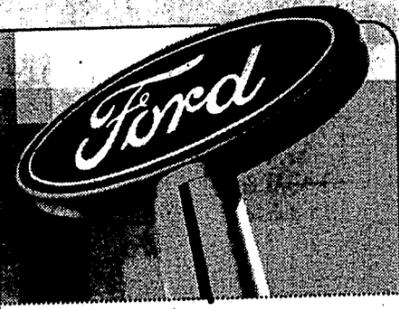
A 31-year-old woman on Mohawk in Independence Township was in her home when she noticed outside a window, grass and leaves burning in the yard. According to a police report, the fire started when the wind blew hot coals from a fire pit on to the grass causing it to burn and spread towards the home. The fire melted some vinyl siding on the east side of the home, causing minor damage. No one was injured.

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Depot Road construction underway, complete by end of week

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Tried driving down Depot Road, but couldn't get far? The construction, which has the road closed to through traffic, should be completed by the end of the week, says Art Pappas, city manager.

It began last Wednesday, April 16, as part of Phase II of the City of the Village of Clarkston's water project. The road is currently ripped up from the parking lot exit on the south side of the road, west to Holcomb, in order to lay a water line there.

In conjunction, the city is making some minor changes to Depot Park. The Clarkston City Council approved at their April 14 meeting, to remove and reposition several flower boxes at the north end of the park (on the gazebo side).

The Clarkston DPW will transplant bushes, from within the flower boxes, to the berm between the Clarkston Conservatory and the parking lot. When returned to the park, the bushes will be placed in new

masonry boxes. The project will cost the city \$12,000 more than what was budgeted in their contract. The total cost is \$89,407. The DPW is also exploring the cost of relocating seven trees.

Pappas says the work should be completed before May 4, the date of the SCAMP Walk & Roll, which starts a jam-packed summer of activities in the park including weddings, prom pictures, Concerts in the Park and much more.

However, beginning May 12, the Depot Road parking lot on the south side of the road will be repaved due to imperfections. The city is paying \$13,000 for an extra inch of asphalt on top of the contractor's two inches for more stability and longevity. The resolution was also adopted at the April 14 meeting. Once begun, the work should be completed within a week, Pappas said.

Other action at the April 14 City Council meeting included:

- Gary Tressel of Hubbell, Roth and Clark, Inc. (HRC) told council members he believed the city overpaid the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) during Phase I of the water project. The council authorized an HRC representative to audit MDOT records in Lansing at an estimated cost of \$2,500.

- The council approved a proposal by the Road Commission of Oakland County to retime various traffic signals in the city.

- Tressel informed council members of a recent meeting he had with Finkbeiner, Pettis and Strout Inc. regarding installation of new traffic signals at Main Street and Washington as well as Main Street and Waldon. Project proposals will be presented to the council by the above firm at a later date.

The next Clarkston City Council meeting will be Monday, April 28 at 7 p.m. at the city offices at 375 Depot Road.

Violence

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ship man, and said ex-friend of Bonot, at an open gym night at Sashabaw Middle School. The alleged victim was there playing a basketball game, after which Bonot approached him stating he owed money. When the man denied this, Bonot punched him in the face breaking his nose and causing a cut above his right eyebrow that required stitches. Witnesses told deputies Bonot was wearing brass knuckles, which were hiding under a bandana he had wrapped around his hand. Detective Jerry DeRosia of the Oakland County Sheriff's Department in Independence Township said the brass knuckles have never been found.

On April 7, Bonot allegedly pulled a butterfly knife and threatened to "cut up" a 15-year-old man, also an ex-friend of Bonot's, police reports said. Bonot approached the 15-year-old, his 20-year-old brother and a 16-year-

old man, while they stood in a driveway in the Independence Woods Mobile Home Park on Mann, demanding they give him money and marijuana. Reports stated, Bonot also threatened the boys with a drive-by shooting.

On April 13, while on patrol, a deputy spotted Bonot walking along Mann. He was arrested, and found to be carrying a four-inch butterfly knife, the same as described in the April 7 assault, in his boot.

While in custody, he denied both assaults, saying the April 7 incident was fabricated, and the Feb. 25 incident was the opposite of what was reported — he was the one approached for owed cash and injured in an attack.

DeRosia said the alleged victims, whose names cannot be released because of their juvenile status, are very scared of Bonot.

"He's on a downward spiral," he said.

Hunting for eggs



Children from Springfield Township participate in an Easter Egg Hunt. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

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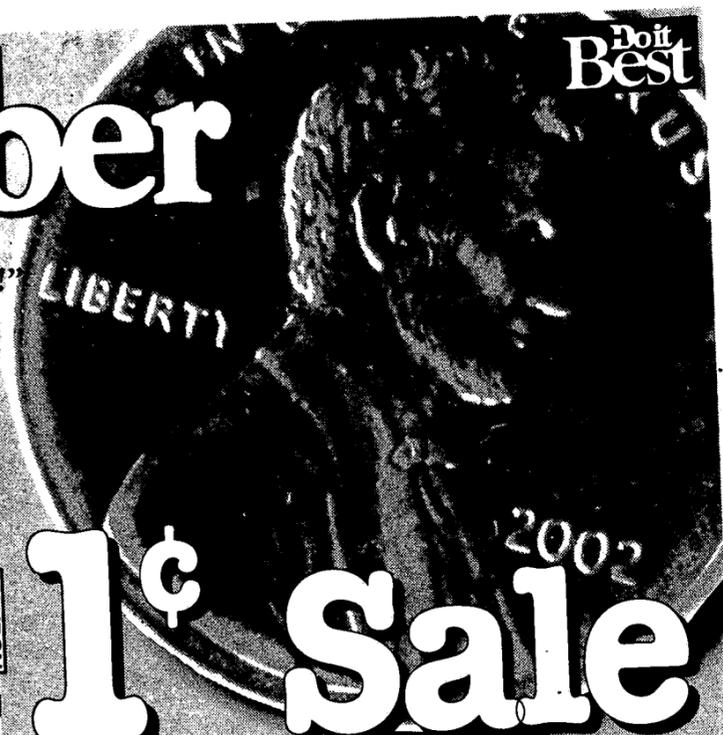
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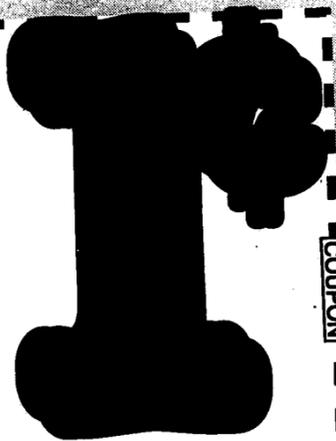
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"That's what I mean by special attention." Located on Maybee, near the corner of Sashabaw, Pine Knob Wine Shoppe has served Clarkston for more than 25 years. In that time, the store has become a staple in the community growing a loyal customer-base of longtime residents.

With a desire to serve her community well, Ann has "special touches" to her store.

Every holiday, she has decorated Pine Knob Wine Shoppe in appropriate decor. And being so close to DTE Energy Music Theatre, Ann has a celebrity theme with a variety of related memorabilia on her walls.

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Pine Knob Wine Shoppe owner Ann, with staff member Barb pictured at right, offers quality, homemade food and friendly service. And invites you to stop by today. Below, Pine Knob Wine Shoppe is located at 5726 Maybee Rd., near the corner of Sashabaw.

homemade. "That's what makes us special."

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New restaurant offers flavor of the Old West

BY JILLIAN QUINLAN
Clarkston News Intern

The Chuckwagon Gourmet, located in the Tierra Emporium, is bringing a little Western flavor to the city of Clarkston.

The store, which is owned by Brad and Eva Kemmer, features fresh breads, candy and cookies. They also sell a variety of Amish products, as well as country crafts.

The store opened in December and is the couple's first restaurant venture.

"We've wanted to do something in the restaurant business for years. Things just never came to pass until the last couple of months. It all happened quickly, but we felt Clarkston would be open to the specialty items we have to offer," Eva Kemmer said.

The theme for the restaurant was easy since the couple, who has family in Arizona, has always been fascinated with the West. They sell fresh baked Cowboy cookies, Cowboy Crunch peanut brittle and sweet jalapenos. There are plans to feature a Cowboy of the Month to add a little history as well as fun.

Many of the country crafts for sale are handmade by Brad's father.

"It is nice that our family accents the flavor and feeling of what we are trying to bring across," Kemmer said.

The couple began working with an Amish canning company and decided to incorporate that into their theme as well. They carry Amish cheeses, beef jerky, breads and jams.

"A lot of people appreciate Amish flavors. They are natural, real hearty. We thought it would create a well-rounded product line," Kemmer said.

One of the store's many specialty items is homemade Chicken and Noodles. They are also starting to make something new, chocolate-covered licorice.

"We are looking to see what the community is interested in as far as specialties. We are open to what the community is looking for so we can provide them with things they could use," Kemmer

said.

The Kemmers want to do more than just own a store in Clarkston. They hope to be very active in community events.

"We are not just here to see what the community will do for us. We want to provide for the community, try to give back as much as we can," Kemmer said.

The store plans to open a kitchen and will carry gourmet sandwiches, doughnuts, bagels and coffee. Although the deli will be primarily carryout, there will be limited seating inside. The hours will be 7:00 am-6:00 pm Monday through Saturday.

"We are taking dreams we've had on the back shelf and trying to put them into reality. We realize the economy has been down because of the war. We have faith in God who rules everything and we feel very strongly Clarkston will be interested in our specialty shop," Kemmer said.

The restaurant features a Recipe of the Month club. Customers can submit their favorite recipes that feature a Chuckwagon Gourmet product.

This month's recipe is the Chuckwagon Festive Spaghetti Bake.

1 cup Pastor Billy's Texas Chili Sauce

1 cup Mexican stewed tomatoes

2/3 cup tomato paste

1 Tsp. minced garlic or 2 cloves diced real fine

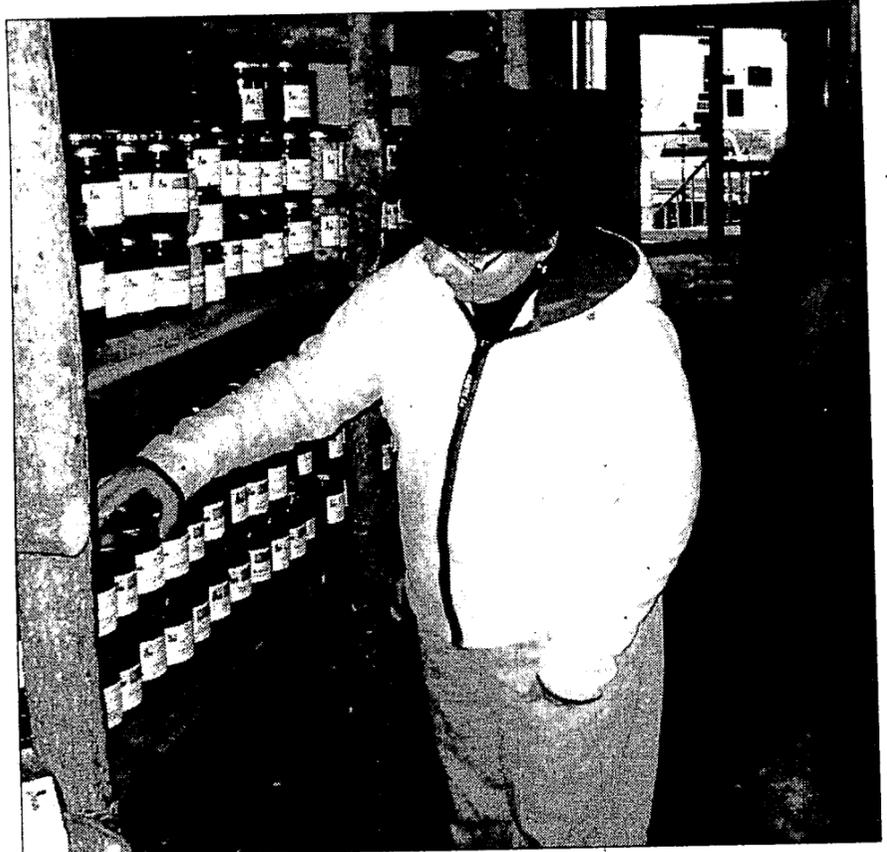
1 lb. Hamburger

1/2 lb. Spaghetti noodles

6 oz. Swiss cheese grated

1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Then add garlic to hamburger and brown. Cook the noodles as directed on the package. In a large bowl mix chili sauce, stewed tomatoes and tomato paste. Add the hamburger and noodles and mix well to coat. Add to a 2-quart casserole dish and bake at 375 for 40 minutes. Cover and top with Swiss and Parmesan cheese. Then bake for another 5 to 10 minutes.



Eva Kemmer selects some of the specialty items at the Chuckwagon Gourmet (above), then sets out to create a gift basket with some of the fine offerings available at the new Clarkston business. Photos by Jillian Quinlan



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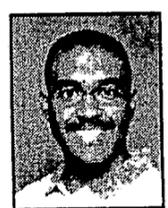
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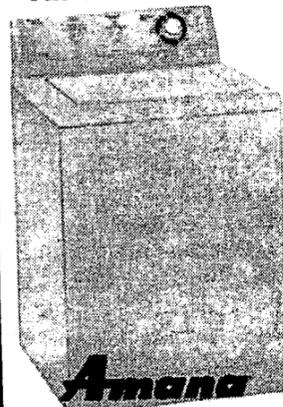
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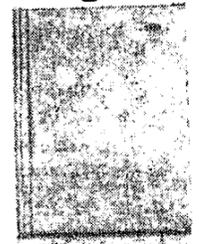


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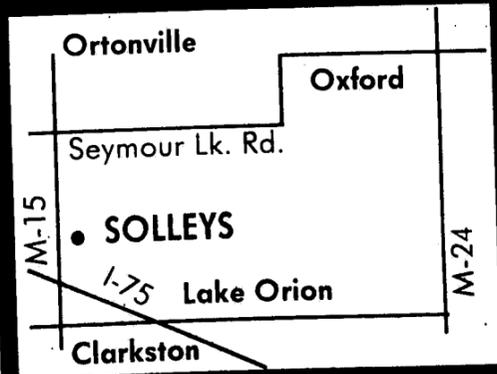
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Sports

All Clarkston All The Time

Clarkston student joins national hockey team

BY KYLE GARGARO

Clarkston News Editor

Sixteen-year-old Brandon Gentile is already thinking about a career in professional hockey.

The Clarkston High School sophomore is well on his way after recently being named to the USA Hockey National Team Development Program.

Gentile is one of 22 kids from around the country who will be participating in the under-17 team which is based in Ann Arbor.

"I am really excited about this. It is the biggest honor you can have to represent your country. It is a real big deal," Gentile said.

The NTDP's goal is to prepare student-athletes under the age of 18 for participation on U.S. National Teams and in future hockey careers. Its efforts focus on high caliber participation on the ice and creating a well-rounded individual off the ice, according to a release from the NTDP.

The team will be going against some top-notch competition. They will compete against 18-21-year-olds in the North American Hockey League. They also will get the opportunity to compete against 20 of the nation's top college teams in premier facilities around the nation. This is combined with one of the toughest international schedules against the top players in the world.

Gentile will live with a family in Ann Arbor and go to school at Ann Arbor Huron High School.

"I am looking forward to playing against the top competition. We will be playing all over the United States against some great players," Gentile said. "I first started to realize this was something I wanted to do a couple of years ago."

The defenseman has played hockey for the Little Caesar's team for the last six years.

"That team is really competitive so I think that prepared me well," Gentile said. "This team will really gear us to competing internationally. It will help us a lot."

Gentile is looking to the NTDP to be a springboard for his hockey career. Approximately 95 percent of individuals who participate on the team earn hockey scholarships to Division I schools.

"That is probably what I will do too. My long term goals are to play minor league hockey and then eventually earn a spot in the National Hockey League," Gentile said.



Brandon Gentile is set to participate in the USA Hockey's National Team Development Program. Photo provided.

Now in its sixth season, USA Hockey's National Team Development Program is beginning to have an impact on the NHL. Four NTDP alumni are now on NHL rosters, while numerous other former players are

among the top ranks of the American Hockey League. Because the program's oldest alumni are just 22-years-old, the true impact of its efforts in player development is just coming to fruition.

Clarkston track team competes at Troy

BY KYLE GARGARO

Clarkston News Editor

The Clarkston High School girls track and field team recently competed at the Oakland County High School Indoor Championships.

Top six finishers from Clarkston included: 55M hurdles: first place S. Parkin, 8.6; third place Emily Cushing, 9.5; 55M dash: sixth place Laura Kupe, 7.8; Distance Medley Relay, first place Clarkston (A. Oltman, L. Smith, L. Mengyan, A. Kerr) 12:45; One mile run: first place Mo Kuhta, 5:18; second place Beth Hoekstra, 5:27; 3200 relay: first place Clarkston (E. Gorz, A. Oltman, L. Witt, L. Smith) 10:04; 3200 run: first place Gillian Nordquist, 11:45, fourth place Marley Frown, 12:59; 800 M Relay: fifth place Clarkston, 1:54; 1600 M Relay: first place Clarkston (B. Rancelle, S. Parkin, E. Gorz, L. Mengyan) 4:18;

long jump: second place Emily Cushing, 15-6, third place Stephanie Parkin, 15-6; high jump: first place Kim Wilson 5-3, fifth place Jill Kouriu 4-10; shot put: sixth place Kristen Bradish 31-4; pole vault: first place Casey Bolton, 8-6.

The Clarkston team also knocked off Lake Orion 114-14 and Troy 87-40 on April 15.

Taking first place for the Wolves in both competitions included: Gray, Norquist, Oakland and Brown in the 3200 M Relay; Parker in the 100 hurdles; Cushing, Sawyer, Parker and Jones in the 800 relay; Mengyan in the 1600 run; Cushing, Sawyer, Kuhta and Jones in the 400 relay; Randle in the 300 IM; Mengyan in the 800M sprint; Randle, Sawyer, Rota and Gorz in the 1600M relay; Brandish in the discus, Wilson in the high jump and Parkin in the long jump.

Tennis squad beats Farmington

BY KYLE GARGARO

Clarkston News Editor

The Clarkston tennis team knocked off Farmington 5-3 last week.

Picking up victories for the Wolves were #1 singles Andrew Brown, #3 singles Bharath Surapaneni, #1 doubles Mike Claus and Jon Szilvagy, and #3 doubles Zac Banykcy and Chris Hammond.

The squad also tied Troy Athens last week. Winning in that match were Brown, Suraapaneni, Claus and Szilvagy and #4 doubles Chris Baker and Shawn Saparamadu.

The team will resume their schedule after spring break with a match against Rochester Stoney Creek on Tuesday, April 29.

Best Image Possible

Good deeds taught young

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

She's been dubbed a "good little samaritan."
Three-year-old Andrea Joyce was riding her bike with seven-year-old sister, Tara, inside the tennis courts at Clarkston High School Monday, April 14, when she found a wallet with more than \$50 inside.

"It's a safe place for them to ride their bikes," dad Sean said, who was looking on as the girls rode their bikes that evening.

Andrea, being the curious one she is, took a break from the riding to explore the courts. That meant peeking into the holes that hold the poles from the tennis nets. Inside one of them, she found the wallet.

"She's always looking in holes," Tara said. "She looks for pennies."

Andrea, who's a Funshine preschooler, picked up the wallet and went running to dad, "I found a real wallet!"

"I said, 'no you didn't.'" Tara, an Independence Elementary student, recalled. "She said, 'yes, I did!'"

Inside was \$54, which belonged to Sohail Balasubramanian, an 18-year-old boy and senior at Farmington High School.

Since Andrea found the wallet, it was her responsibility to return it. Sean called Sohail right away to arrange a time to return the wallet.

Sohail had just returned home after his varsity tennis match against Clarkston, when he got the call from Sean.

"I didn't know I lost my wallet. I had just got back from my tennis game. I was surprised when her father said he wanted to make sure I got my wallet back."

On Wednesday, April 16 Andrea, Tara and mom Kathy drove out to Lake Orion High School, where Sohail's school was having a tennis match, to give him back his wallet.

"It was very nice of them to drive all the way out to my match in Lake Orion. I should've been the one to drive out to them," Sohail said.

According to Michigan High School Athletic Association rules, Sohail couldn't step off the courts once his match began, so he couldn't meet with Andrea and her family.

"I feel bad I couldn't step off the court for a couple minutes," he said. "I really appreciate what they did. I was very lucky."

Kathy said, "We just wanted to teach them the right thing. That it's not finders keepers."

"(Andrea's) our good little samaritan. We're proud of her," she said.



Andrea Joyce, 3, pictured with sister Tara, 7, found a wallet at the Clarkston High School tennis courts and recently returned it to its rightful owner. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

Local gymnast takes gold



Clarkston gymnast Alyssa Delke, 15, brought home three gold medals from the Level 7 State gymnastics competition. Delke became the all-around state champion as well as state champion on bars and floor. She also won bronze medals on vault and beam. The competition took place March 29-30 in Traverse City. Photo provided.

Athlete of the Week — Anna Trim

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

Clarkston basketball player Anna Trim will be continuing her career at the college level next year. The guard recently signed a letter of intent to play with Northwood University.

Trim is getting a full ride scholarship to the university.

"I am excited and I am nervous," Trim said. "I know it will be a lot of hard work. Hopefully my school work will not be too hard."

The Wolf looked at some other smaller schools



Anna Trim

in the area, but Northwood was her first choice.

"I thought they were stringing me along for awhile but then they offered me the scholarship. The coach is a lot like Ann (Lowney). They have similar styles and I like that," Trim said.

The guard said playing college ball did not seem like a realistic goal as recent as last year.

"I did not start thinking about playing college ball until my senior year," Trim said. "Regardless of what Ann kept telling me I did not think I had a chance. But I decided to go for it because it was something I really wanted to do."

Trim says the Northwood program is in the building phase. The team had a lot of injuries last year which prevented them from having a lot of success. However, the team did come on at the end of the season and is hoping to build upon that success.

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CHS students pledge for a safe Spring Break

The Clarkston High School S.A.D.D (Students Against Destructive Decisions) group sought out pledges from peers to have a drug and alcohol free Spring Break, which runs, April 18-25.

The S.A.D.D group are recent recipients of the Youth Leaders Award from M.A.D.D of Oakland County. They've been busy this school year promoting drug and alcohol free life styles by doing such things as pledging, holding a school-wide assembly, and much more. Before prom, they'll have a crash car on campus, which will show students the consequences of making poor choices. And they are planning on holding a car wash to raise funds for Tricia Taylor, an 18-year-old Clarkston girl, who lost her legs after being hit by a drunk driver while walking in downtown Pontiac.

The CHS S.A.D.D are 40-members strong, an increase from last year's 15 members.



Junior Brandon Whiteman pledged to have a safe Spring Break. S.A.D.D member Isaac Calhoun holds pledges, which read "Smile...and be safe for Spring Break. No drugs. No alcohol." In two days of pledging during lunches, S.A.D.D members had collected more than 200 signatures, out of a student body of more than 600. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.



Clarkston High Schooler Sean Holland signs a pledge for an alcohol and drug free Spring Break as S.A.D.D members Isaac Calhoun and vice president Kelly Katnik look on.

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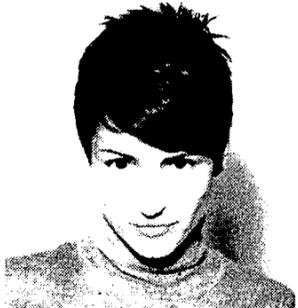
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"I Ate A Pound Of Candy A Day!"

Debi Stewart Reveals How She Conquered Her Sugar Cravings and Shed 30 Lbs.!

Hi! My name is Debi Stewart. I am an Office Manager. I was once a candy-holic. I would eat a pound of candy a day! I was out of control. Then I discovered an amazing weight loss secret that ended my sugar cravings. I melted off 30 pounds effortlessly! Next, I found myself on the Sally Jesse Raphael Show telling my amazing story. I was astounded! What follows is my true and utterly remarkable story...



"After years of buying candy, I suddenly stopped." Debi Stewart

For 17 years my weight hovered near 150 lbs. I couldn't lose an ounce. Then, in one short year, I gained 15 pounds. That upward climb was a real eye-opener!

I had tried everything to lose my weight. I took off 20 lbs. once on an all protein diet. Two weeks later, I was 30 lbs. heavier! Nothing worked.

"Out of Control"

My sugar cravings were out of control. I was spending as much as \$10.00 a day on candy. I rarely ate regular meals; a bag of licorice would suffice for breakfast or lunch. I binged on candy morning and night. Then I would exercise for 3 or 4 hours a day to compensate for the sugar. It was crazy!

One day I heard a friend talking about losing weight with hypnosis. It got me curious. I asked if he thought hypnosis could end my sugar addiction. He said he had met some people who had amazing results. I was skeptical. Sheer desperation made me give hypnosis a try.

I was astonished with

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my results! Hypnosis instantly ended my sugar addiction. It was amazingly effortless. I didn't even think about it. After years of buying candy I suddenly stopped.

Sugar Cravings Vanish Instantly!

Hypnosis eliminated my sugar cravings and candy binges. I now have an appreciation for healthy food. I can taste the flavor and enjoy the texture of everything I eat. Sugar does not even interest my mind. I now have strange cravings for fresh fruits and vegetables. I don't even think about food between meals.

Hypnosis also eliminated those grueling exercise routines. I exercise like a normal person, 2-3 times per week, instead of 2-3 hours per day. It gives me more time for myself. I have a sense of well-being. I no longer stress out over little things. That's why I don't think I will ever go back to my old habits. I'm convinced that my success is for life.

When my father was diagnosed with diabetes, it frightened me. I knew sugar was bad for me. I simply couldn't give it up. Now that hypnosis has extinguished my sugar cravings, all that fear is gone. Without sugar, I have more energy. My memory improved dramatically. My complexion is clear and my skin feels supple. I am just sorry that it took so long for me to find hypnosis.

Sleek & Sexy

One sunny afternoon while vacationing in Aruba, my husband commented on how sexy I looked in my bathing suit. "When is the last time you ate candy?" he asked.

'You know what?' I said, 'I can't remember!'

After I returned home, I stepped on the scale and was flabbergasted! I was back to my high school weight-a feather-light 125 lbs.! I was amazed! Especially after spending the last 17 years exercising obsessively and never getting anywhere. I had all but given up. Yet with hypnosis I had melted off 30 lbs. without even realizing it!

My Sally Jesse Story

I was the most skeptical person in the world. Hypnosis seemed hokey to me. Now that I have experienced such amazing results for myself, I am a true believer. Hypnosis works!

I was thrilled when Sally Jesse Raphael invited me on her show to tell my hypnotic story. My family was floored! They always knew me as the one who ate candy and junk.

I will always be grateful that I discovered hypnosis-and that's why I felt honored that Sally chose me to talk about hypnosis on national television. I feel like a winner and you can, too.

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My hypnosis program was the smartest investment of my life! In fact, it was unexpectedly affordable. Plus, I'm saving at

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least \$10.00 a day by not buying candy! What a bonus!

I recommend Positive Changes Hypnosis to anyone who wants to lose weight. If you're ready to take back control in your life, hypnosis is the only way to go.

Take my advice. Call and schedule your free hypnotic screening and

demonstration. It takes only 20 minutes and it's fun.

Then do what I did. Enroll in their weight loss program and uncover the real you hiding beneath all those unwanted pounds. Don't hesitate. Don't even think about it. Call NOW Then you will have your own remarkable success story to tell!

I Stopped Smoking in 1 Session!

I left a pack of cigarettes in my truck and went into Positive Changes Hypnosis. When I came out, I threw my cigarettes away. I haven't smoked since.

I was smoking 3 to 4 packs of cigarettes a day. A friend of mine, who was a client of Positive Changes Hypnosis, recommended I call and schedule my appointment. Hypnosis made it very easy to stop. I tried the patch. I tried smoking cessation classes. I tried quitting cold turkey and even timing myself between cigarettes. Nothing worked for me. Yet my success using hypnosis was fast, easy and effortless.

I noticed a change in

my behavior immediately I no longer needed or wanted a cigarette. Hypnosis totally eliminated my cravings. I know that I will never go back to smoking.

My health has improved. I am more energetic. I get twice as much done in a day. No more brown fingers and yellow teeth for me!

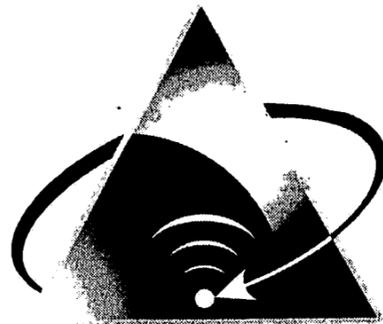
I would tell anyone who is thinking of coming to Positive Changes, don't wait. I feel great about myself and I give Positive Changes Hypnosis 100% of the credit. I've also met other clients going through the program who have had the same great success as I have. Ben Banks, Performance Machinist

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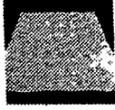
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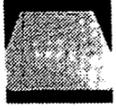
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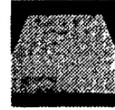
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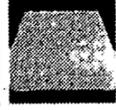
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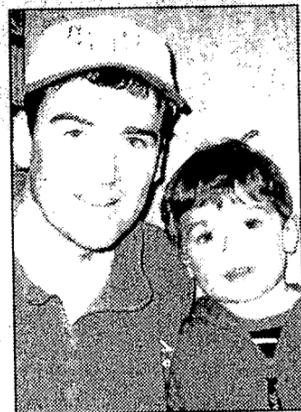
"I got mine two months ago. It was donated to my husband's Harley Davidson fund."

—Jamie Dubre



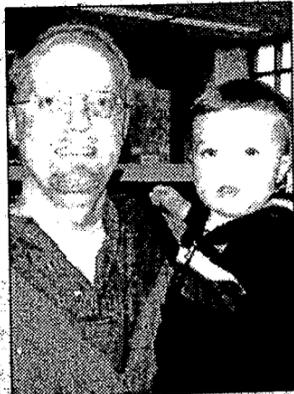
"I got mine in February and just stuck it in the bank."

—Heather Barrett



"We're not getting one this year, unfortunately."

—John Stewart, with Caelan



"We're hoping to put it towards a car. My lease is coming up soon."

—Paul Waldecker, with Benjamin

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Detective enjoys 'well-rounded' career

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

He doesn't know exactly what drew him into law enforcement, but Detective Jerry DeRosia of the Oakland County Sheriff's Department in Independence Township is pleased with the career choice.

"It's something I always wanted to do." But, he said, there wasn't one person that inspired him, and he wasn't following in anyone's footsteps. He just sort of fell into the line of work.

Now with 18 years of service, and seven years to retirement, DeRosia's career, which has included work with the Narcotics Enforcement Team (NET) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation, has been, what he calls, well-rounded.

He started as a civilian service agent, basically another name for a prison guard, at the Oakland County Jail in 1986.

According to DeRosia, 40, it's the job nobody wants. It's the low man on the totem pole, so to speak.

But, he defends, "The jail is a great place to learn. Your schooled real quick in the ways of the streets."

After a few years, his job title was changed to Deputy I. Then, in 1989, he was promoted to Deputy II, acting as a supervisor in the jail.

He worked in Road Patrol from 1991 to 1994, before going undercover in various street narcotics cases with NET.

"Every time we did a dope deal in Pontiac, there was always the potential for violence. Every time you got into a car with someone you didn't know, you were putting yourself in danger. You don't know what drug dealers are capable of."

After a year and a half with NET, DeRosia was approached to start up a spe-

cial team of law enforcement officers in a collaboration with the State Police and Sheriff's Department. It was a new concept for Oakland County. The goal was to

jurisdiction and contacts with federal databases."

DeRosia, who has been labeled the "resident computer geek" at the Independence Township substation, was the technical support man for the FBI team.

"During that time we developed hundreds and hundreds of informants to tell of us drug couriers, other than that everything is classified."

What DeRosia can say is the FBI narcotics team used thousands of the money seized on drug raids for law enforcement such as training equipment for officers, the sheriff's helicopter and more.

And the overall effort was geared to developing new and innovative ways to track drugs.

DeRosia was involved with the FBI until 1999. Job burn out took over.

"It was time to move on after five years undercover. It started to get to me. I had to work targets out of state regularly," DeRosia said.

Family is important to DeRosia, who has been married for seven years and has one daughter. "I lost so many years while undercover, I like to spend as much time with my family as I can now. I missed birthdays, holidays and family functions."

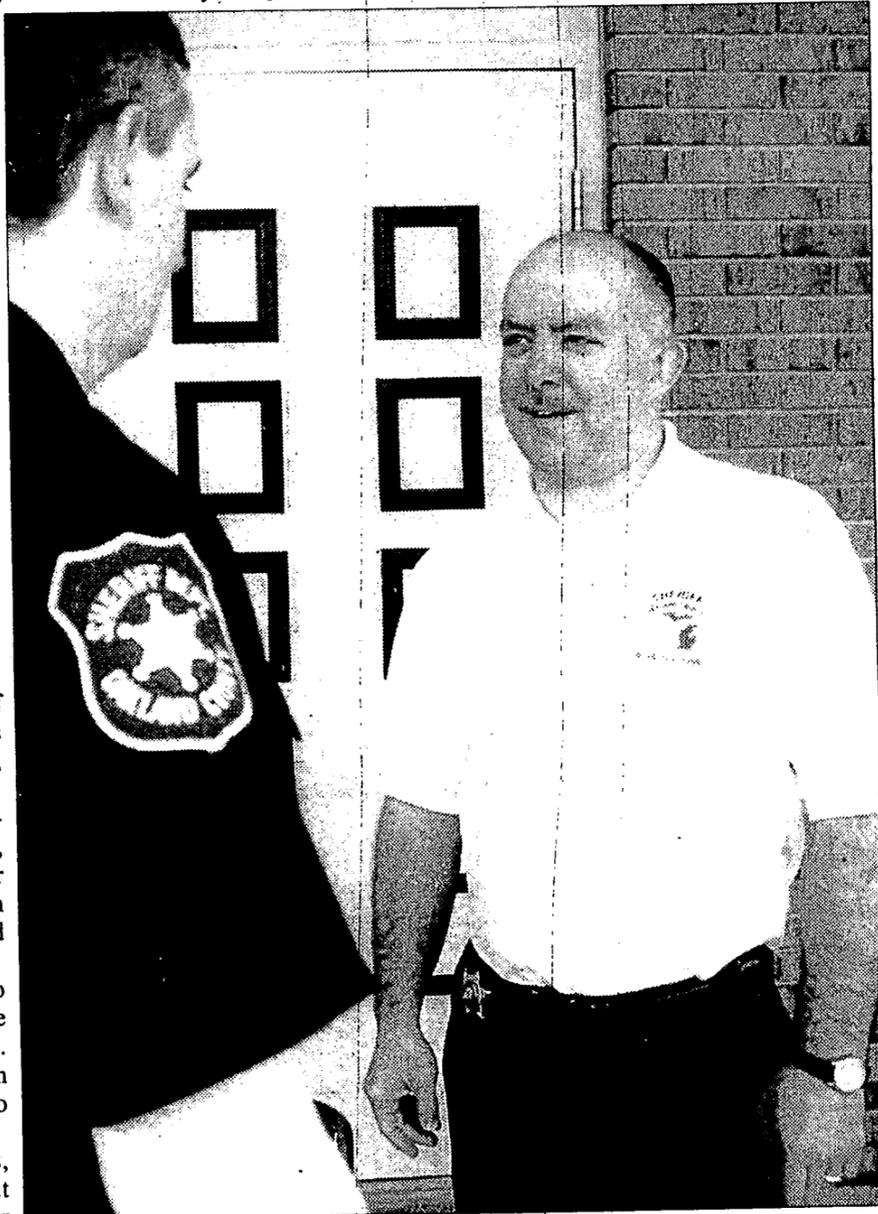
Also, acting as a different person undercover, took a toll on DeRosia after time.

"You start to become a different person when you're taking on a different persona regularly."

He came back to Road Patrol for Oakland County, did a stint as deputy in Springfield Township, until a detective position opened up in Independence Township.

Lt. Dale LaBair sought out DeRosia. "He was highly rated as a patrolman, and his reputation continued as skilled investigator. We got what we expected to get."

"I try hard to do my job the best I can," DeRosia said, who is hoping to start a private investigation business. "In a few years when I retire I won't say I haven't had a good career."



Detective Jerry DeRosia, of the Oakland County Sheriff's Department Independence Township substation, has been in law enforcement for 18 years. His career has included work with the Narcotics Enforcement Team and the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Photo by Bob Flath.

target high level, international drug couriers who were bringing drugs into the state.

DeRosia was sent to Florida to train with the Florida National Guard, their Department of Law Enforcement, he explained, for a closer look at how the drug world operated.

As the team, called the Oakland Macomb Interdiction Team, was starting up, they were approached by the FBI. They were sworn in as special agents and deputy U.S. Marshals.

"That gave us federal credentials to go anywhere in the U.S. It gave us federal



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Around Town

The Clarkston Community Schools **Kindergarten Orientation** Schedule is as follows: April 29 at Independence Elem., (248) 623-5500; May 2 at Springfield Plains Elem., (248) 623-3800; May 5 at Clarkston Elem., (248) 623-5100; May 6 at Pine Knob Elem., (248) 623-3900; May 7 at Andersonville Elem., (248) 623-5200; May 8 at North Sashabaw Elem., (248) 623-4100; and May 9 at Bailey Lake Elem., (248) 623-5300. Please contact the school your child will be attending for more details.

Give blood for the American Red Cross at St. Daniel Catholic Church's Cushing Center April 27 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. For an appointment call (248) 394-1668 or (248) 625-4583.

 Starting Wednesday, April 30, Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church will resume the Wednesday evening **FEAST**. The evening begins at 6 p.m. with a catered dinner, followed by praise and worship at 6:45 p.m., and classes for all ages at 7:15 p.m. Class offerings include studies on spiritual gifts, stories from the life of Abraham, learning about what makes Jesus weep, drama for teens, worship geared for children, and many special focus small groups. Call (248) 625-3288.

 The **National Day of Prayer** will be hosted this year at the St. Daniel Catholic Community Cushing Center on Thursday, May 1. This year's guest speaker is Mike Wendland, a syndicated news columnist and former WDIV-TV investigative reporter who has been leading Bible studies around the Detroit Metro area for more than 15 years. Special music will be provided and a full breakfast served. This is a non-denominational event. 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. Day care will be provided on a reservation basis, please contact Karen Geno at (248) 625-1482 to reserve a spot for your child.

 The **Widowed Support Group** will meet Thursday, May 1 at 7 p.m. The topic for the evening is "Dealing with Fear and Anxiety," facilitated by bereavement counselor Alicia Brown. All meetings are held at the Independence Township Senior Center in Clintonwood Park on Clarkston Road. There is no registration and meetings are free. Recently widowed men and women, of all ages, are invited. Refreshments will be served. Any questions, or if anyone would like to be on a mailing list, call the Lewis E.

Wint & Son Funeral Home at (248) 625-5231.

 Join Sunrise Assisted Living of Clarkston for a **Cinco De Mayo Fiesta** Saturday, May 3 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at 5700 Water Tower Place, corner of Dixie and White Lake. Call (248) 625-0500.

STAND Ministries is coming to Dixie Baptist Church, Wednesday, May 7 at 7:30 p.m. STAND uses feats of strength, such as power lifting, crushing cement, lifting logs and bending steel, to demonstrate Biblical truths. James Henderson, the current Guinness Book's "World's Strongest Man," performs with STAND. Dixie Baptist Church is located at 8585 Dixie Hwy. in Clarkston. Call (248) 65-2311.

 Neighbor for Neighbor, a nonprofit charitable organization which provides food, clothing and financial assistance to Springfield, Holly, Groveland, Rose and parts of Independence and White Lake townships, will hold a fundraising event. **"Treasures and Treats"** will be inside the Hart Community Center, 495 Broadway, in downtown Davisburg's Mill Pond Park on Friday, May 9 and Saturday, May 10 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. A wonderful opportunity to buy homemade baked goods and one-of-a-kind donated items. The Springfield Township Parks and Recreation Department plans their **Community Garage and Sidewalk Sale** at the same time-making this Davisburg's biggest garage sale. For more information, call (248) 634-0900.

 It's that time of the year again for Clarkston High School's annual **"Paint The Town,"** sponsored by Student Council. The students remodel a home that needs a little fixing up and transform it into brand new. They do things like painting, caulking windows, planting flowers, building fences to creating a garden. This year's date is Saturday, May 10. They are asking for donations which include garden tools, rakes, house paint, soil, flowers or essentials needed for planting. Also paint brushes/rollers, food for the workers, and more. If you would like to donate contact chairperson Brooke Hills at BrookeLynn219@aol.com, or call CHS at (248) 623-3600 and ask for Brian Zezula.

True & More Than Electric (alt/rock/pop) will perform Friday, May 2 at Club 5529, located inside the Clarkston Christian Association. Doors open at 9 p.m. Cost is \$7 at the door. General admission seating. Call (248) 620-4900 or log on to www.5529music.com for more information.

Due to the recent ice storm, the Holly Area Chamber of Commerce has rescheduled their **2nd Annual Business Expo** to Sunday, May 4 from 10 a.m. to 5

Summer camps for youth

The Clarkston Community Education is offering a variety of summer camps for 2003, including:

- Moving with Science, June 23-27, from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. For ages 5-10.
 - Ceramics Camp, June 23-27 or Aug. 4-7 from 9:30 a.m. to noon. For grades 1-6.
 - The Garden, June 23-27, from 9 a.m. to noon, for ages 3 1/2 to 5 1/2.
 - Elementary Sports Camp, June 23-26, July 14-17 or July 21-24 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. For students entering grades 1-5.
 - Art Lessons, June 23-27, July 14-18 or Aug. 4-8 from 9:30 a.m. to noon. For ages 9-13.
 - Junior Golf Clinics, June 30, July 1 and 2 from 9:9:55 a.m. or 10-10:55 a.m. For ages 9-14.
 - Girls Soccer Skills Camp and Goalie Camp, July 7-11 from 9-11 a.m. For ages 8-14.
 - Middle School Art Camp, July 7-11 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. For grades 6-8.
 - Math and Reading Camp, July 7-17 or July 21-31. For students who have completed grades 1-5.
 - American Girl Adventure Camp, July 7-11 from 10 a.m. to noon. For grades K-5.
 - Theater Camp, July 14-25, from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. For grades 4-8.
 - Camp Hollywood, July 14-18 from 9 a.m. to noon. For grades 1-4.
 - Parent/Tot Soccer Camp, July 21-25 from 10-11 a.m. For ages 3-5.
 - Magic Camp, July 21-25 from 9 a.m. to noon. For grades 1-6.
 - Soccer Skills Camp, July 21-25 from 9-11:30 a.m. For ages 5-8.
 - Middle School Sports Camp, July 28-29 from 9 a.m. to noon.
 - Fame Camp, July 28-Aug. 1, from 10 a.m. to noon for ages 3-5 or 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. for grades 1-5.
 - CHS Soccer Conditioning Camp, July 28-Aug. 8 from 9 a.m. to noon. For soccer players entering grades 9-12.
 - Rocket Camp, Aug. 4-8, from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. For ages 7-12.
- For more information or to register, stop by 6300 Church St., off Waldon, or call (248) 623-4321.

p.m., held at the Springfield Oaks Activities Center on the 4-H fairgrounds at 12451 Andersonville Rd in Davisburg. The expo is free to the public. Those interested in exhibiting their business can call (248) 634-1900 to sign up.

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Milestones



Sally McCreery of Alma and Terry Hall of Mason announce the engagement of their daughter **Jennifer Ann Hall** to **Eric Bennett Ryan**, son of Dale and Linda Ryan of Clarkston. Jennifer Ann is a 1995 graduate of Okemos High School. She received her bachelor's and master's degree in speech-language pathology at Western Michigan University and is currently employed at Waterford Schools. Eric is a 1993 graduate of Clarkston High School. He received a bachelor's degree in advertising from Michigan State University and is currently employed at MARS Advertising in Southfield. The couple plan a July 2003 wedding in Oxford.



Lynn Dean of Clarkston and William and Margaret Dean of Ft. Myers, Fla. announce the engagement of their daughter **Heather Lynn Dean** to **Bradley Howard Anderson**, son of Michael Anderson of Bedford, Ind. and the late Lois Anderson. The bride-to-be is a 1995 graduate of Clarkston High School and 2001 graduate of Oakland University and is currently finishing her master's degree in exercise science at Oakland University. The groom-to-be is a 1993 graduate of Bedford North Lawrence High School in Bedford, Ind. He currently is a service manager at Flex Pac, Inc. in Indianapolis. A September wedding is planned in Clarkston. The couple will reside in Indianapolis following the wedding.

At school . . .

Recent Western Michigan University graduates from Clarkston include: **Michael R. Mathiak**, son of Lee and Geraldine Mathiak, with a bachelor of science in geography; **Jeffrey W. Drolshagen**, son of Paul and Deborah Drolshagen, with a bachelor of arts in organizational communication; **Allison Farah**, daughter of Hal and Demaris Farah, with a bachelor of arts in English; **John E. Klender**, son of Gerald and Mary Klender, with a bachelor of science in automotive engineering; **Ryan J. Leach**, son of Joal and Judi Leach, with a bachelor of arts in criminal justice; and **Theresa M. Osier**, daughter of Shirley Osier, with a bachelor of business administration of marketing.

Clarkston's **Michael Cholette**, **Feng Du**, **Michael Hard**, **Daniel Holody**, **Michael Jacobson**, **Kimberly Lytle**, **Raymond Smith II**, **Ashley Solley**, **David Stapleton**, **Erin Torrone** and **Brian Samuel** of Davisburg were named to the Dean's Honor List for Fall Term 2002 at the University of Michigan College of Engineering.

Scott McGregor, of Clarkston, a sophomore majoring in mathematics/secondary education at the University of Michigan was awarded University Honors in recognition of his superior scholastic achievement at the honor convocation on March 16.

Jacqueline Ruma, a junior at Northwood University, made the President's List for the winter term. She is the daughter of Vincent and Lenora Ruma of Clarkston.

Jade Jackson and **Morgan Keil**, both of Clarkston, were named to the Dean's List at Northwood University for the winter term.

Jennifer Collings of Clarkston was named to the Academic Honors List at Owens Community College for the fall semester.

In service . . .

Navy Airman **Zacliary A. Carino**, a 1998 Clarkston High School graduate, recently moved more than 2,200 Marines and equipment from the 24th Marine Expeditionary Unit to Kuwait while assigned to the amphibious assault ship USS Nassau, based in Norfolk, Va.

Carino is one of more than 4,000 Atlantic Fleet Sailor and Marines deployed aboard the ships of the

USS Nassau Amphibious Ready Group participating in Operation Iraqi Freedom.

The USS Nassau has been deployed for more than seven months. During the deployment, Carino's ship participated in training, humanitarian assistance and peace support operations in Spain, Italy, Kosovo, Kenya and Djibouti, Africa.

Marine Corps **Marty V. Martinez**, whose wife, Carly, is the daughter of Leslie Staunton of Clarkston, recently landed on the shore of Kuwait in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom while assigned to the 24th

Marine Expeditionary Unit (MEU), based in Camp Lejeune, N.C.

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Contemporary worship and music
Coffee Time

Christian Education Opportunities for all and Special Youth Activities
Co-Pastors: Rev's Janice and Roy Langwitz
Dir. of Music: Carolyn Thibideau
Parish Visitor: Rev. Richard Hanna
C.E. Dir. Julie Smith
Sat. Worship Music Leader: Steve Keith
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CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(A Stephen Ministry Church)
6600 Waldon Road, Clarkston 625-1611
(2 blocks S. of M-15)
Website: clarkstonumc.com
Sunday Worship: 9am & 11am (blended)
6pm (contemporary)
Sunday School-all ages: 9am, 10am, 11am
Sunday Fellowship Times 10am & 12 noon
Sunday Prayer Times: 8:30am & 5:30pm

ST. DANIEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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

CLARKSTON FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Corner of Winell at Maybee Rd. 623-1224
Dave Coleman, Senior Pastor
Associate Pastor: Clancy Thompson, Director of Student Ministries: Amy Horvath
Worship Services 9:00, 10:30, 11:45 a.m.
Christian Education Classes 9 am & 10:15 am
Evening Praise & Worship 6:00 pm
(Nursery & Child care provided)
Wednesday Family Program 7:00 pm

SASHABAW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

5300 Maybee Road, Clarkston
Worship 10:30 am Nursery Provided
Phone 673-3101

ST. TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

"Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod"
7925 Sashabaw Road
(1/4 mile N. of DTE Music Theater)
Clarkston, MI 48348
(248) 625-4644
Worship: 8:30 & 11:00 am
Sunday School 9:45 am
Preschool: 3-5 years old
Preschool: 620-6154

CLARKSTON COMMUNITY CHURCH

6300 Clarkston Road
Clarkston (248) 625-1323
Home of Clarkston Christian School
Pastors: Greg Henneman, Bonita Laudeman
Kevin Kuehne, Michael Anderson
Sunday: Worship 9:30 & 11:00 am
School of Discipleship 11:00 am
Nursery Care at all services
Wednesday: Children's Ministries
5:30-8:00 pm
Sunday: Youth Ministries
5:00-7:00 pm
www.clarkstonchurch.com

CALVARY EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

6805 Bluegrass Drive, Clarkston
(W. of M-15, just S. of I-75) 625-3288
Sunday Worship: 8:15 am (traditional worship),
9:45 (blended worship)
11:15 am (contemporary praise)
Nursery available
Sunday School (all ages) 9:45
Staff Pastor - Senior Pastor
Jonathan Heierman
Wed. evening - Dinner & Bible Study 6 pm
Relevant messages, caring people.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF CLARKSTON

5972 Paramus, Clarkston, MI
(248) 625-3380
Located 2 blks. N. of Dixie Hwy. (E. of M-15)
Pastor: Russ Reetsma
Sun: 9:15 am Sunday School & Adult
Bible Fellowship
10:30 am Worship Service
5:00 pm Choir Practice
6:00 pm Evening Service
Mon: 6:30 pm Awana
Wed: 10:00 am Morning Prayer Partners
7:00 pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

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

LIVING PRAISE CHURCH

5860 Andersonville Road, Clarkston
(Historical Church) (248) 623-1215
Pastors: Fred & Karen Wherritt
Sunday: Worship Service 10 am
(Contemporary Praise)
Children's Ministry 10 am
Sunday Morning phone: 623-2596
Wednesday: Bible Study & Prayer 7 pm
Children & Youth Ministry 7 pm
2nd Wednesday of each month is
Ladies Meeting only

NORTH OAKS COMMUNITY CHURCH

an Evangelical Presbyterian Church
Sunday Worship Service: 10:00 am
Worship location: 4453 Clintonville Rd. at
the corner of Mann Rd., 1/2 way between
Maybee Rd. and Walton Blvd.
Mailing Address: P.O. Box 451 Clarkston, MI
48347
Office Phone: (248) 922-3515
Sunday Morning Phone: (248) 425-4279
Website: www.northoakschurch.org
Pastor: Steve I. Brown

THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

5449 Clarkston Rd., Clarkston
394-0200
Dr. James G. Keough, Jr. Minister
Sunday Worship: 10:00 am, 7:00 pm.
Children's Sunday School 10:00 am
Nursery Available
Call for special holiday activities and worship times.

DIXIE BAPTIST CHURCH

8585 Dixie Highway, Clarkston, MI
(248) 625-2311
website: www.dixiebaptist.org
Home of Springfield Christian Academy
& Children's Ark Preschool
Pastor: J. Todd Vanaman
Sun: 10:00 am Sunday School
& Adult Bible Fellowship
11:00 am Morning Worship Service
6:00 pm Evening Worship Service
Wed: 6:45 pm AWANA
7:00 pm Teen Meetings
& Adult Bible Study
Nursery available for all services.

Religion

Lessons from an ice storm

Anybody who lives in the Midwest accepts cold weather as a "given." Life gets chilly between the end of September and the middle of April. Like it or not, winter rules, and even though the calendar said it was supposed to be springtime, an icy blast strangled power lines and deprived many of us of heat, running water (if you have your own well) as well as other basic creature comforts.

While this storm may have given us much fodder for the "complaint department," it also gave us another opportunity to look at life the way it really is. Whether you fled for a motel, hooked up a generator or "shivered it out," you couldn't ignore the inconvenience of it all.

Convenience has almost become a necessity in our culture. We are accustomed to having everything immediately accessible. A hot shower is, to many, an inalienable right, next to life and liberty. Not all that long ago people were using pot-bellied stoves, lanterns and those narrow little outhouses. Running water meant a quick jaunt from the outside pump to the house with splashing buckets.

Nobody wants to give up on the conveniences, but in our abundance, we have to admit that we can become a little self-deluded. We Midwestern Americans are a hardy bunch, thank you very much. Yet we forget that we are really dependent creatures. Like all of creation, we still must look for food and shelter. We still must look to the One who supplies it all. When God was ready to move the ancient Israelites into the promised land, He warned them about assuming a false sense of self-sufficiency. He warned them not to forget Who had brought them there and Who it was that provided all the good things for them. He also reminded them that it was He who gave them the ability to acquire wealth.

This ice storm had its own way of making us thankful people. After four days of no power, I finally greeted utility workers in our neighborhood with a "thumbs up" and a deserved "thanks a lot." If those who repair and restore are worthy of thanks, how about the One who provides it in the first place?

A column from:
Pastor Russ
Reemtsma,
First Baptist
Church of
Clarkston

As I type this, I am sitting in my office with the window open. The weather is in the beautiful 70's and tomorrow it's supposed to be in the 80's. Last week, we were driving under crystallized trees and looking out for falling branches. By the time you read this, it could be cold again. When we think about our schizophrenic weather we're reminded of the little phrase we hear so often, "If you don't like the weather, stick around. It will change in five minutes."

Like the weather, our lives are unpredictable. We can load up our daily planners and handheld computer devices, but we really are dependent on Someone Who holds and knows the future. King David acknowledged the control of a greater King when he exclaimed, "My times are in Your hands." Even if you are a believer that your destiny hangs on mere fate, you too must accept the reality that all the time we have is simply "now." We function from breath to breath and in the full landscape of human history, the brevity of our lives is like a puff of breath seen in the winter air only to quickly dissipate. The unpredictable inconvenience of the ice storm showed us that in spite of all our nifty inventions and gadgets, we are not in control of everything.

What is good news, in spite of the discomfort of being reminded that we are dependent creatures who don't control our destinies, is the great fact of Easter; the resurrection of Jesus Christ. God made hope possible for us to have eternal life because of this great event. "Hope," as taught in the Bible, is not merely a longing or wish. It is a certain confidence we may have. Because of the great sacrifice at Calvary, we now have the opportunity to accept God's free gift of forgiveness and life. We must own up to the fact that we are dependent and cannot earn our own way to heaven. Once we've admitted the hard part, and trust Jesus' sacrifice as our only foundation for forgiveness, we have a lasting (everlasting) hope.

Does this sound too simple? After Jesus blessed the little children, He went on to illustrate to the following crowds that true faith is childlike. He said, "Assuredly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God as a little child will by no means enter it." (Mark 10:15). Once we realize the truth about true forgiveness and simple faith, we have hope.

We may not be able to control the weather or even our own destiny. But we can truly know the One who can.

From the Bulletin

Starting Wednesday, April 30, Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church will resume the Wednesday evening FEAST. The evening begins at 6 p.m. with a catered dinner, followed by praise and worship at 6:45 p.m., and classes for all ages at 7:15 p.m. Class offerings include studies on spiritual gifts, stories from the life of Abraham, learning about what makes Jesus weep, drama for teens, worship geared for children, and many special focus small groups. Call (248) 625-3288.

The National Day of Prayer will be hosted this year at the St. Daniel Catholic Community Cushing Center on Thursday, May 1. This year's guest speaker is Mike Wendland, a syndicated news columnist and former WDIV-TV investigative reporter who has been leading Bible studies around the Detroit Metro area for more than 15 years. Special music will be provided and a full breakfast served. This is a nondenominational event.

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. Day care will be provided on a reservation basis, please contact Karen Geno at (248) 625-1482 to reserve a spot for your child.

Superman beware: STAND Ministries is coming to Dixie Baptist Church and bending steel with the best of them. This group will be power lifting, crushing cement, lifting logs and bending steel Wednesday, May 7 at 7:30 p.m.

"We use power lifting to bring the gospel of Jesus Christ to young people and to teach them they're special, important, loved and can be used by God right now," STAND founder Terry Nahon said.

This performance will have an extra punch of power with James Henderson, the current Guinness Book's "World's Strongest Man." While you might not see people breaking cement blocks in church every Sunday, STAND uses feats of strength to demonstrate Biblical truths and hold their teenage audiences captive. For example, they crush cement clocks to show God's ability to crush through drug and alcohol addiction, depression, loneliness or any other obstacle. The event is free to the public, and is for all ages.

Dixie Baptist Church is located at 8585 Dixie Hwy. in Clarkston. Call (248) 625-2311.

Brunch on Sunday. Our place.

We offer food for life, not food for the stomach.

"I am the bread of life. He who comes to me will never go hungry."

Jesus

Next time you're hungry for more than just food for the stomach on Sunday, North Oaks Community Church will feed you.

North Oaks Community Church

Meeting at the Mt. Zion Center for the Performing Arts. Clintonville Road at the corner of Mann Road. Sundays at 10 am. 248-922-3515. www.northoakschurch.org. We're an Evangelical Presbyterian Church. Please bring this ad to receive a gift of appreciation for visiting us on Sunday.

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BEAUTIFULLY UPDATED AND DECORATED COLONIAL. This 4 bedroom home boasts of new baths and kitchen. Complete with a first floor laundry. Absolutely a must see at only \$259,900! (6843BT)



THE BEST PRICE IN THE VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON just one block (E) of Main Street. Experience Village charm & lifestyle in this circa 1830 home in the Historic District. Huge treed lot. 3BD, 2BA, & FF laundry at only \$174,900. (67B)



END-UNIT CONDO. 3 Bedrooms, 3 Baths, Finished W/O Basement, Soaring Cathedral Ceilings, White European Kitchen w/ ceramic floor, Berber carpeting, 33X 14 deck, Central Vacuum and more. \$274,900. (6693R)



CUSTOM BUILDERS HOME ON 1.7 HILLY WOODED ACRES. Quality ranch featuring over 3,000 sq ft w/ finished w/o LL, 3 car att. Heated garage. (6473A)



OUTSTANDING FAMILY HOME IN CLARKSTON SCHOOL DISTRICT. Too many updates to mention, all new. Over 1600 sq ft, basement and garage only \$207,000. Get inside to appreciate! (9337DJ)



CUSTOM WALKOUT RANCH- 4495 SQFT of living space, professionally landscaped, private park-like setting, in ground pool. Clarkston schools. Too many extras to list! \$429,900. (6509D)



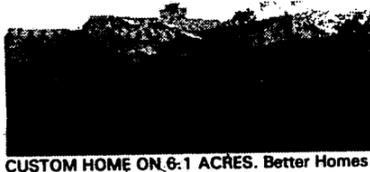
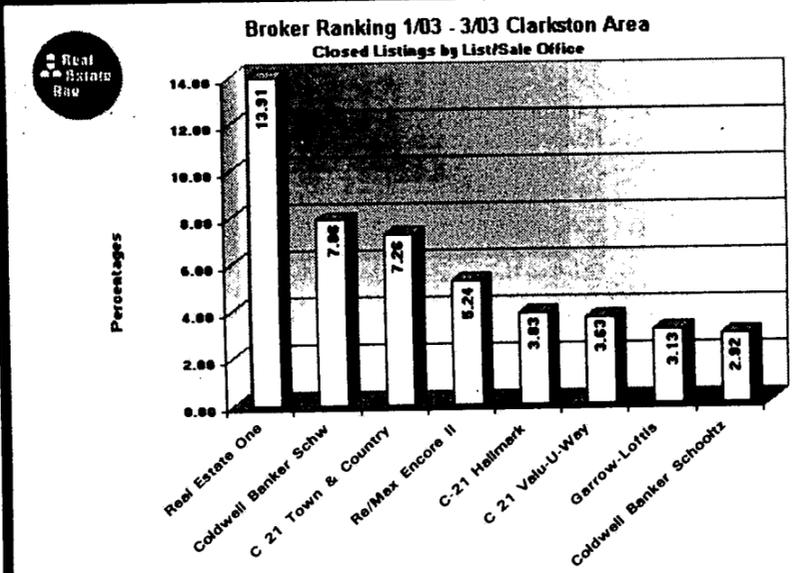
WALK TO TOWN FROM THIS SHARP RANCH with 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, 2 car garage, neutral décor. Close to schools. Priced at \$159,900. (6299E).



STUNNING IS ALL I CAN SAY. 3.5 Baths. Beautiful finished walkout Bsmt complete w/ wet bar and fireplace. Set on a hill with a greatview. Soaring cathedral ceiling in great room w/ recessed lighting and fireplace. \$314,999 (6590F)



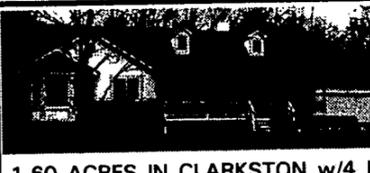
BEAUTIFUL & GR & W/ CLARKSTON SCHOOLS. Great rm w/cathedral ceilings, kitchen w/ Granite counters & oak flrs. 3-car garage heated, daylight finished basement w/wet bar & exercise rm, & cedar deck. \$414,900. (9845FR)



CUSTOM HOME ON 6.1 ACRES. Better Homes & Gardens describe this extraordinary private retreat! Over 3600 sq ft, 2 car att gar w/ an addit. 4 car detached for car buffs or office/work area. Master suite w/ bedside fireplace, loft study & his/her's walk in closets & more. Open floor plan, cathedral ceilings, sun room & more! Easy I-75 access priced at \$459,900. (9470F)



2229 SQ FT BI-LEVEL, total remodeled - 1992. 4 Beds, 2.5 baths, living room, family room with fireplace, den, lg kitchen/nook, 15x8 laundry, huge 2.5 car garage. Clarkston schools. \$244,900 (5646HL).



1.60 ACRES IN CLARKSTON w/4 bd ranch on quiet cul-de-sac. Full fin LL walkout w/full kitchen, (1) bd, gr room, den, & laundry area, great for mother-in-law. Main floor, private master suite, gr room w/fireplace. Formal dining room, eat in kitchen. \$339,900.00 (6683N)



ALL THE BELLS & WHISTLES in Oak Valley estates! Custom home w/ lots of upgrades & full of quality features. Main floor master suite, library, dining room, & beautiful kitchen w/ separate eating area & hearth room upstairs. Loft w/wet bar. Private yard w/ mature trees backing to woods & professionally landscaped. \$489,900 (99300)



BEAUTIFUL BETTER THAN NEW 1996 built 2 story. Neutral décor w/new carpet. Cathedral ceiling, huge country kitchen. A must see. \$214,900. (392P)



CAREFREE LIFESTYLE in desirable Indianwood Estates. Much sought after 4 bed, colonial. Oak kit, formal D.R. & L.R. Family rm w/ fireplace. Finished basement w/ theater room. 3 car att. garage on 3/4 acre, wooded property. A must see! \$335,000. (4450S)



ONE OF CLARKSTON'S MOST DESIRABLE SUBS. Walking distance to Everest Academy & Clintonwood park. Breathtaking view out of dramatic windows overlooking the woods on the back of your property. 2786 sq ft of spacious living invites you to call this home! 3 car att. Garage. Priced to sell at \$369,900. (73710)



CHARMING 3br, 3bth home in established Clarkston neighborhood, 1700 square feet, 4b 1967. Many recent updates - Kitchen with white cabinet, new flooring, breakfast bar. Hardwood flooring in dining room w/ doorwall to deck. 2 fireplaces, security system, master bedroom with private bath. Central air, 2 car garage. (5607W)



NEW CONSTRUCTION on 1.14 acres w/ 4 bdrms, 2.5 baths, 3 car garage, 1st fir laundry, large kitchen, hardwood & ceramic flooring & maintenance Free exterior! Oxford schools. Offered at \$242,000. (1786NB).

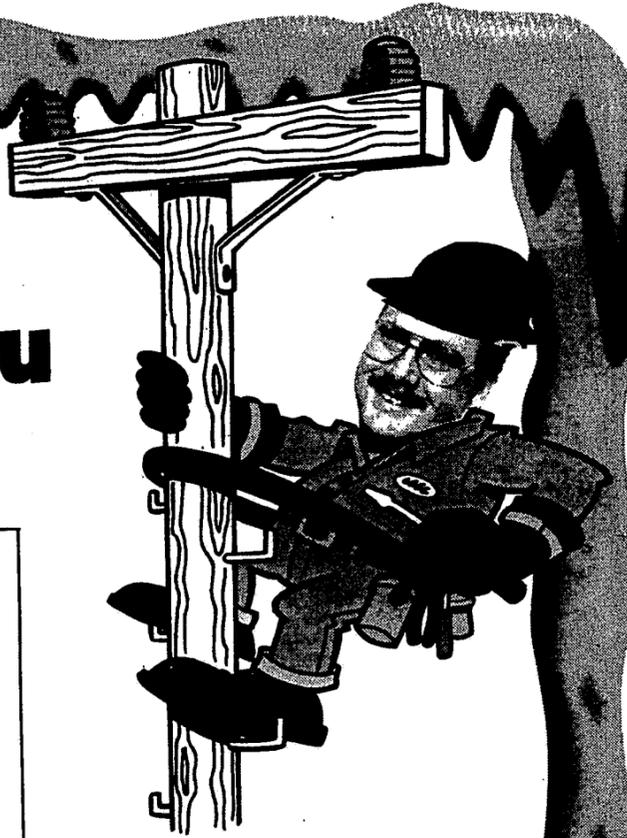


NEW CUSTOM HOME features 9' Ceilings, 2-Story Foyer & Living Room, Chef's Kit w/ Natural Maple Cabinetry w/Crown Mouldings, Great Room w/Double Mantel Custom Gas Fireplace & Built-In Surround Speakers, Expanse of Ceramic Tile, Owners Suite includes a Tray Ceiling, Built-In Surround Speakers, Fashion Bath incl. a Corner Jetted Tub & More! (1653BC)



STUNNING CONTEMPORARY in "Hills of Tyrone". Totally updated w/ professional paint, carpet, ceramic, many extras! Huge deck, pwr awning, pool & more! Huge bonus room! \$319,900. (11437B)

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ALMOST NEW IN OXFORD. This 3 bdrm, 2 bath contemporary has lots of hardwood flooring and is located in Oxford's newest sub, "Hometown Village at Waterstone". Fully landscaped and all appliances are included! \$217,900 (22527LTB)



VERY CHARMING 3 BEDROOM CAPE COD on more than a 1/2 acre. Features include a finished basement, new siding & windows, large detached garage, front & rear deck, new all white kitchen with redone hardwood flooring. All appliances can stay. Lake Orion schools & black top drive. \$189,500 (22108LTB)



ALMOST NEW LAKE ORION RANCH, built in 2001. Natural maple kitchen w/ceramic tile floors, large master suite with a corner Jacuzzi tub & separate shower. Extra deep basement w/rough plumbing for a 3rd full bath. Great room w/a gas fireplace & oak mantel. \$259,500 (668-FAIRLTB)



CLARKSTON SCHOOLS! Brand new contemporary style home on a large wooded lot. All custom built plus a 9.5' deep basement. First floor master suite, gas fireplace, first floor laundry, maple cabinets, ceramic baths, finished garage with an 8' door. \$273,900 (23065LTB)



IMMACULATE 3 BEDROOM RANCH in Oxford. This brick & aluminum ranch has a full finished basement, all refinished hardwood flooring on the main floor, fresh paint, new interior doors, remodeled kitchen & baths, 2 natural fireplaces, large fenced yard & 2.5 car garage. \$179,900 (23019LTB)



RANCH STYLE HOME shows extremely well! This Oxford area dollhouse features 2 bedrooms, full basement with rec room and large bar. Also come and enjoy the coved ceilings. Great woodwork throughout the home. 2 car garage and a large lot. \$159,900 (23093LTB)



COLONIAL STYLE HOME is only 3 years old. Home features a finished daylight basement, 2 full baths, 2 half baths and a natural fireplace in the great room. Privileges on all sports Stoney Lake. Stove & refrigerator are negotiable. Oxford schools! \$209,900. (23583LTB)



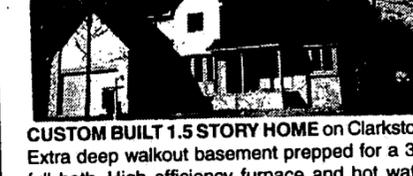
4 BEDROOM OXFORD COLONIAL! This 3 year old home features a full walkout basement, natural fireplace, large cedar deck, den with cathedral ceiling, maple cabinets, first floor laundry, kitchen appliances and central air. All this on a large country lot and located on a paved cul-de-sac. \$269,900 (22581LTB)



ELEGANT RANCH STYLE HOME on 2.5 acres with Oxford schools. Includes a 3.5 car finished garage with openers. Full walkout basement with extra high ceilings is rough plumbed for a full bath. Custom built home with oak cabinets & oak flooring in the kitchen and dining area. Custom master suite. Great views. \$349,900 (23077LTB)



NEWER 4 BEDROOM COLONIAL with Lake Orion schools. Full walkout basement, natural fireplace in family room with gas logs installed. Large bright kitchen with appliances (negotiable). Garage is insulated & drywalled. Home just built in 1999. Lake privileges on all sports Stoney Lake. \$259,900 (23014LTB)



CUSTOM BUILT 1.5 STORY HOME on Clarkston. Extra deep walkout basement prepped for a 3rd full bath. High efficiency furnace and hot water heater. Features include wood clad Marvin windows, beautiful maple cabinets, first floor master bedroom with a studio ceiling, ceramic tile shower, jet tub, finished garage with 8' door. Custom paint, trim and doors. \$279,900 (23066LTB)



NEWER CONTEMPORARY RANCH overlooks acres of wetlands & cedar trees. Full walkout basement, beautiful white kitchen with hardwood flooring, stainless steel appliances, fieldstone fireplace in the great room. Large master suite with ceramic tile, Jacuzzi tub & separate shower. \$259,999 (1620SEYLTB)



VERY WOODED & ROLLING ACRES in Lake Orion. Your choice of 3 great parcels: 3.25 acres - \$117,900 • 3.65 acres - \$113,900 • 10 acres - \$159,900. All perked plus natural gas available, very secluded setting. (VACROBLTB)



BRAND NEW COLONIAL on almost 1 acre of property covered in trees. Mostly pine, maple & oak. Quiet paved road, only 1 block from the beach and Clear Lake Elementary school, a blue ribbon school. Woodwork and doors will be stained to match the light oak cabinets. Oxford schools plus a 36'x6' covered porch. 28'x24' garage & 13'x14' deck. \$229,900 (23115LTB)

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

SYNOPSIS

TAKEN BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
Supervisor Stuart called the April 15, 2003 meeting to at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Library. Pledge of Allegiance.

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

Absent: None
There is a quorum.
1. Approved the Agenda as submitted.
2. Approved the Consent Agenda as presented.
3. Approved Resolution for Fire Records Management Agreement.

4. Approved Variance at Waterford Hill Raceway - W. Bloomfield Police.

5. Approved Resolution for Project Plan for Water System Improvements.

6. Approved motion to enter into contract with M.M.R.M.A.

7. Approved motion of First Reading of an Amendment to the Uniform Traffic Code 2002.

8. Approved motion of First Reading to Adopt the State Vehicle Code.

9. Approved motion to enter into contract with Road Commission of Oakland County for road chloriding - 2003.

10. Approved motion authorizing the Township to contribute funding for chloriding of private roads.

11. Approved motion to adjourn at 9:20 p.m.

Published 4/23/03
Respectfully Submitted,
Joan E. McCrary
Township Clerk

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT TO GENERAL RIGHTS-OF-WAY MANAGEMENT ORDINANCE

Public Notice is hereby given that, at its April 15, 2003 Regular Meeting, the Charter Township Board of Trustees adopted an Ordinance to amend the Charter Township of Independence Code, Chapter 17.5, Streets, Sidewalks, and Other Public Places, to amend Article III, Sections 17.5-41, 17.5-42, 17.5-52, 17.5-54, 17.5-55, 17.5-71, and 17.5-72, which is summarized below, so as to bring said Article of the Code into compliance with the Metropolitan Extension Telecommunications Rights-of-Way Oversight Act (Act No. 48 of the Public Acts of 2002, the "Act") and other applicable law, and to ensure that the Township qualifies for distributions under the Act.

A full copy of this Ordinance is on file in the Township Clerk's Office for public review and inspection.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE ORDINANCES:

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| <u>Section 1.</u> | Chapter 17.5, Streets, Sidewalks, and Other Public Places, is hereby amended to amend Article III, General Rights-of-Way Management, Sections 17.5-41, 17.5-42, 17.5-52, 17.5-54, 17.5-55, 17.5-71, and 17.5-72, as follows: |
| Section 17.5-41 | Short Title. |
| Section 17.5-42 | Purpose/Legislative Findings. |
| Section 17.5-52 | Permit Application Process. |
| Section 17.5-54 | Disruption Permit Term And Extension. |
| Section 17.5-55 | Permit Terms and Conditions. |
| Section 17.5-71 | Use Permit Required. |
| Section 17.5-72 | Exemption. |
| <u>Section 2.</u> | Repealer. |
| <u>Section 3.</u> | Severability. |
| <u>Section 4.</u> | Enactment. |
- JOAN E. MCCRARY, Township Clerk
Charter Township of Independence

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF OAKLAND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Decedent's Estate
FILE NO. 2003-287, 030-DE
Estate of PAULA J. TenEYCK, Deceased
Date of Birth: February 9, 1948

TO ALL CREDITORS: *
NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, PAULA J. TenEYCK, Deceased, who lived at 329 Trillium Trail Oxford, Michigan

died January 14, 2003.

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

Date January 28, 2003
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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday, May 7, 2003 at 7:30 pm at the Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, MI 48346 to hear the following cases:

Case #03-0023 Paul Bachor, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO CONSTRUCT DECK SETBACKS TO BE CONSIDERED, PLUS VARIANCE TO CONSTRUCT ADDITION (2 STORY) ON NON CONFORMING LOT OF RECORD
Lakeview Blvd., Lots 1, 2 and Pt. of 3, R-1A
Sunny Beach Country Club Sub
08-12-376-013 and 061

Case #03-0024 Joseph Singles, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS FRONT YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF APPROXIMATELY 10' AND SIDE YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 2' TO CONSTRUCT ADDITION AND ATTACHED GARAGE ON NON CONFORMING LOT OF RECORD
Monterey Ave, Lots 19-21, R-1A
Sunny Beach Country Club Sub
08-12-453-032

Case #03-0025 Stefan Zbarcha, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS SIDE YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 19' AND SIZE VARIANCE OF 13 SQ FT TO CONSTRUCT A 2nd GARAGE (DETACHED)
Rama Ct., Lot 16, R-1R
Oakhill Meadows No. 2
08-05-200-050

Case #03-0026 Matthew Bechtold, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS SIZE VARIANCE OF 250 SQ FT TO CONSTRUCT A DETACHED GARAGE SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH CONVERTING EXISTING GARAGE INTO LIVING SPACE
Georgetown Ct., Lot 123, R-1A
Waterford Hill Manor No. 1
08-32-403-014

Case #03-0027 Scott Bailey, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS SIZE VARIANCE OF 432 SQ FT TO CONSTRUCT 2ND GARAGE (DETACHED)
Deerview Ct., Lot 12, R-1R
Independence Groves
08-07-401-003

Case #03-0028 Harrell Builders, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS SIZE VARIANCE OF 700 SQ FT TO CONSTRUCT GARAGE ADDITION
Edgewood Dr., Lots 1-4 and Pt of 5, R-1A
Merrie Oakes Gardens
08-35-379-012

Case #03-0029 Greg Parsons, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS SIZE VARIANCE OF 1006 SQ FT, HEIGHT VARIANCE OF 1 FOOT, PLUS VARIANCE TO CONSTRUCT 2nd GARAGE (DETACHED) IN FRONT YARD ON NON CONFORMING LOT OF RECORD
Waldon Rd., Acreage, R-1R
08-23-300-003

Case #03-0030 Vic Habersmith, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO ALLOW OFF PREMISE TEMPORARY SIGN
Sashabaw Rd., Waldon Rd., and I-75, C-1
08-22-400-005

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
Director

PUBLIC NOTICE

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

At a regular meeting of the Township Board held on April 15, 2003 the Board authorized a First Reading of an Ordinance Amendment to the Uniform Traffic Code 2002 as follows:

UNIFORM TRAFFIC CODE 2002 EDITION ADOPTION ORDINANCE

An Ordinance to amend, Chapter 19, Article II, Division I, Section 19-16 to adopt by reference the October 2002 Edition of the Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships, and Villages (UTC) for the purpose of regulating traffic and motor vehicles in the Charter Township of Independence.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE ORDINANCES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1 of Ordinance

Chapter 19, Article II of the Ordinance Code is amended by amending the Title of Division I, and the Heading that precedes it to read as follows:

ARTICLE II. TRAFFIC CODE DIVISION I. UNIFORM TRAFFIC CODE

Section 2 of Ordinance

This Ordinance is adopted for the purpose and intent to adopt by reference the October 2002 Edition of the Uniform Traffic Code, for Cities, Townships, and Villages (UTC) promulgated by the director of the Michigan Department of State Police pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to 24.328 and made effective October 30, 2002, and all future amendments and revisions to the Uniform Traffic Code when they are promulgated and effective in this state, for the regulation of traffic and motor vehicles in the Charter Township of Independence. The further purpose and intent of this Ordinance is to rescind the previous version of the Uniform Traffic Code, Section 19-16 of the Ordinance code shall be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 19-16. Adoption.

The Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships, and Villages is in full force and effect as promulgated by the Director of the Michigan Department of State Police pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to 24.328 and made effective October 30, 2002, and all future amendments and revisions of the Uniform Traffic Code when they are promulgated and effective in this state, are incorporated by reference.

Section 3 of Ordinance

Chapter 19 of the Ordinance Code is further amended hereby by adding Sections 19-16.1 through 19-16.3 as follows:

Sec. 19-16.1. References.

References to "municipality" or "governmental unit" in the Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships, and Villages shall mean the Charter Township of Independence.

Sec. 19-16.2. Copies.

Printed complete copies of the October 2002 edition of the Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships, and Villages shall be kept on file in the office of the Township Clerk and made available to the public at all times the office is open.

Sec. 19-16.3. Penalties.

The penalties provided in the Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships, and Villages are adopted by reference.

Section 4 of Ordinance

If any provision of this Ordinance is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions that can be given effect without the invalid provision. All proceedings pending and all rights and liabilities existing, acquired or incurred at the time this Ordinance takes effect are saved and may be consummated according to the law when they were commenced.

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Joan E. McCrary
Township Clerk

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SUMMARY CITY COUNCIL MEETING APRIL 14, 2003

Meeting called to order at 7:04 p.m. by Mayor Catallo.
Roll. Present: Clifton, Catallo, Gamble, Meyland, Savage, Werner.

Absent: Colombo.
Minutes of March 24, 2003, accepted as presented.
Agenda accepted as presented with additions of Surrey Lane, Richard Olsen Property, and Cleanup of 29 East Washington to New Business.

Bills in the amount of \$74,773.92 approved for payment.

Combs reported that the recent power outage caused a state of emergency whereby a second police vehicle was patrolling on the Friday night of the storm. Three reserve officers rode with the vehicle checking on houses and buildings. The Police vehicle was used to light up the side streets with side lights from the vehicles. There was a Clarkston Police Department patrol on three nights. John Morgan, police reserve, worked five shifts and Combs praised Morgan for his efforts.

Pursley added his thanks to John Morgan's assistance during the storms as he rode with Adam Frank and helped in clearing the roads on Friday. The City is utilizing the Clarkston Tree Service for clearing fallen limbs. On Saturday, Pursley inventoried hanging limbs and had Clarkston Tree Service remove dangerous-looking hanging limbs at a cost of \$1,200. Another list will have to be made as more hanging limbs appear.

Finance Committee will meet on Tuesday, April 15, at 6:00 at the City Hall for review of the current budget and work on the 2004 budget.

Forrest Milzow, owner of Surrey Lane, will present a formal proposal to be reviewed by the City Attorney for recommendations to City Council regarding the City's vacating Surrey Lane and an additional hydrant in that area.

Tressel discussed a recent meeting with representatives of Finkbeiner, Pettis, and Strout, Inc., regarding installation of new signals at Main Street and Washington as well as Main Street and Waldon. Proposals will be presented to the Council by the above firm.

Resolved that the City accept the offer of the contractor to add one inch of asphalt to the two inches proposed for the Depot Street parking lot at the City's expense of approximately \$13,000.

Moved that the City Engineer seek an easement from the owner of 107 Wompole for water service to 109 Wompole.

Tressel reported that a temporary Certificate of Occupancy was being awarded to 200 North Main, unit 1 of the condominiums being built on the north end of the City. When the initial settlement occurs, the final certificates will be issued. The rear units will not be addressed until the settlement issues are resolved.

Resolved that the City authorize Hubbell, Roth and Clark to send a person to MDOT offices for a cost of approximately \$2,500 for an audit of Phase I Water System costs.

Moved that the request of Richard Olsen for fill at 6123 Overlook be tabled until the next meeting in order for the Council to review this matter and discuss this with Mr. Olsen in person.

Tressel reported that what was to take two weeks to restore the property at 29 East Washington after storm sewer construction has taken seven months. Tressel is to have the contractor complete this work to a satisfactory condition or have the work completed at a cost to the contractor.

Resolved That the City Council accept the bid of \$89,407.30 for the planting boxes on Depot Road, and further have the City D.P.W. explore the cost of relocating trees prior to the contractor relocating the trees.

Resolved That the City Council of the City of Clarkston hereby supports and approves the proposal by the Road Commission for Oakland County to retime various traffic signals in the City through a 100 percent CMAQ funded project.
Meeting adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Artemus M. Pappas, Clerk

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Prior to joining Henry Ford, Dr. Orr was in private practice. In 1990, he became the owner and director of Kingswood Chiropractic Clinic in Bloomfield Hills.

Clarkston Financial Corporation Q4 Earnings Jump 316%, 12-month Earnings rise 89%
 Clarkston Financial Corporation posted record results for the fourth quarter and 2002.

"Clarkston State Bank faced significant challenges in 2002 with the soft economy and low interest-rate environment, however, our team worked hard and produced record earnings," Dawn M. Horner, Bank President said. "Our growth continues to drive net interest income and we have seen tremendous improvement in noninterest income, as well. The loan growth for the year was strong. We have entered the mortgage sector in 2003, which has set the stage for this to continue. In July 2002 we celebrated a milestone of achieving \$100 million in assets in just 3.5 years after opening. We are optimistic about 2003 and expect our results to meet or beat 2002's results."

Sandee Giffels Has Joined Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate
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successful team of real estate professionals. Sandee is a resident of Clarkston. She will be providing excellent service to her clients and customers. "We are excited to welcome Sandee to Coldwell Banker Schweitzer," said Bill Clark, General Manager for Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate, Clarkston.

Reunion planned

Clarkston High School Class of 1983 will hold their 20th class reunion on Saturday, July 26 at the Deer Lake Racquet Club. Please contact Sandy (Rice) Freund at sandy_freund@hotmail.com as soon as possible in order to update our address database.

Check out The Clarkston News Millstream section for local features, the people poll and milestones.

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

At a regular meeting of the Township Board held on April 15, 2003 the Board authorized a First Reading of the State Vehicle Code as follows:

STATE VEHICLE CODE ADOPTION ORDINANCE
 An Ordinance to adopt by reference the Michigan Vehicle Code (MVC), MCL 257.1, et seq., as amended, now and in the future, for the purpose of regulating traffic and motor vehicles in the Charter Township of Independence.
 TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1 Ordinance
 Chapter 19, Article II of the Ordinance Code is amended by adding Division II, Sections 19-16.4 through 19-16.8 for the purpose and intent to adopt by reference the Michigan Vehicle Code, 1949 PA 300, MCL 257.1, et seq., as amended now and in the future, to regulate traffic and motor vehicles in the Charter Township of Independence follows:
DIVISION II. MOTOR VEHICLE CODE

Sec. 19-16.4. Adoption.
 The Michigan Vehicle Code, being Act 300 of the Public Acts of 1949, MCL 257.1 to MCL 257.923 as amended now and in the future is hereby adopted by reference as an Ordinance of the Charter Township of Independence.

Sec. 19-16.5. References.
 Where necessary to the enforcement of the Michigan Vehicle Code or the collection of fines, costs and penalties for violations as a Township Ordinance, references in the Michigan Vehicle Code to "local authorities", "local authority" or "authority having jurisdiction" shall mean the Township of Independence Board; references to "municipality" shall mean the Township of Independence references to "municipal charter" shall mean the Charter of the Township of Independence; references to "local ordinances" shall mean the Code Of Ordinances of the Township of Independence and references to the "Township" shall mean the Township of Independence.

Sec. 19-16.6. Copies
 Printed copies of the Michigan Vehicle Code shall be kept on file in the office of the Township Clerk and made available to the public at all times the office is open.

Sec. 19-16.7. Limitations
 Violations of the Michigan Vehicle Code for which the maximum period of imprisonment is greater than 93 days shall not be enforced by the Township of Independence as an ordinance violation.

Sec. 19-16.8. Penalties
 The penalties provided in the Michigan Vehicle Code are adopted by reference subject to the limitations stated in Section 5.

Section 2 of Ordinance
 The Code of Ordinances of the Township of Independence shall remain in full force and effect, except that Section 19-18 of the Ordinance, which conflicts with the Michigan Vehicle Code, is repealed, with the Michigan Vehicle Code to be controlling.

Section 3 of Ordinance
 If any provision of this Ordinance is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions that can be given effect without the invalid provision. All proceedings pending and all rights and liabilities existing, acquired or incurred at the time this Ordinance takes effect are saved and may be consummated according to the law when they were commenced.

Published: 4/23/03
 Joan E. McCrary
 Township Clerk

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
SUMMARY OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS RIGHTS-OF-WAY
OVERSIGHT ORDINANCE

Public Notice is hereby given that, at its April 15, 2003 Regular Meeting, the Charter Township Board of Trustees adopted an Ordinance to amend the Charter Township of Independence Code, Chapter 17.5, Streets, Sidewalks, and Other Public Places, to add a new Article IV, Telecommunications Rights-of-Way Oversight, which is summarized below. The purposes of this ordinance are to regulate access to and ongoing use of public rights-of-way by telecommunications providers for their telecommunications facilities while, protecting the public health, safety, and welfare and exercising reasonable control of the, public rights-of-way in compliance with, the Metropolitan Extension Telecommunications Rights-of-Way Oversight Act (Act No. 48 of The Public Acts of 2002) ("Act") and other applicable law, and, to ensure that the Township qualifies for distributions under the Act by modifying the fees charged to providers and complying with the Act.

A full copy of this Ordinance is on file in the Township Clerk's Office for public review and inspection.
 THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE ORDAINS:

Section 1.
 Chapter 17.5, Streets, Sidewalks, and Other Public Places, is hereby amended to add a new Article IV, Telecommunications Rights-of-Way Oversight, inclusive of Sections 17.5-101 through 17.5-119, as follows:

Section 17.5-101	Purpose.
Section 17.5-102	Conflict.
Section 17.5-103	Definitions.
Section 17.5-104	Permit Required.
Section 17.5-105	Issuance of Permit.
Section 17.5-106	Construction/Engineering Permit.
Section 17.5-107	Conduit or Utility Poles.
Section 17.5-108	Route Maps.
Section 17.5-109	Repair of Damage.
Section 17.5-110	Establishment and Payment of

Maintenance Fee.	Modification of Existing Fees.
Section 17.5-111	Savings Clause Under the Act.
Section 17.5-112	Use of Funds.
Section 17.5-113	Annual Report.
Section 17.5-114	Cable Television Operators.
Section 17.5-115	Existing Rights.
Section 17.5-116	Compliance.
Section 17.5-117	Reservation of Police Powers.
Section 17.5-118	Violation.
Section 17.5-119	

Section 2. Repealer.
Section 3. Severability.
Section 4. Enactment.
JOAN E. MCCRARY, Township Clerk
 Charter Township of Independence

The Oxford Leader - The Clarkston News - The Lake Orion Review
Ad-Vertiser - Penny Stretcher

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Appliance	160	Lawn & Garden	080
Auctions	090	Livestock	210
Auto Parts	240	Lost & Found	190
Bus. Opportunities	330	Manufactured Homes	320
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Cars	250	Notices	390
Child Care	340	Personals	370
Computers	140	Pets	200
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Farm Equipment	230	Real Estate	310
Firewood	050	Rec. Equipment	180
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Garage Sales	110	Rentals	290
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Help Wanted	360	Tutoring/Lessons	070
Holiday Items	010	Vans	260
Horses	220	Wanted	030
Household	130	Wanted To Rent	300
		Work Wanted	350

CONDITIONS

All advertising in Sherman Publications, Inc. is subject to the conditions in the applicable rate card or advertising contract, copies of which are available from the Ad Dept. The Oxford Leader, P.O. Box 108, 666 S. Lapeer Rd., Oxford, MI 48371 (248-628-4801), The Lake Orion Review, 30 N. Broadway, Lake Orion, MI 48362 (248-693-8331) or The Clarkston News, 5 S. Main, Clarkston, MI 48346 (248-625-3370). This newspaper reserves the right not to accept an advertiser's order. Our ad takers have no authority to bind this newspaper and only publication of an ad constitutes acceptance of the advertiser's order.

DEADLINES:
Regular classified ads Tuesday at 10 a.m. preceding publication, Semi-display advertising Monday at noon. Cancellation Deadline: Monday noon.

CORRECTIONS:
Liability for any error may not exceed the cost of the space occupied by such an error. Correction deadline: Monday noon.

OFFICE HOURS:
Monday through Friday 8-5
Oxford - Saturday 9-Noon
248-628-4801 • FAX: 248-628-9750
Email: shermanpub@aol.com
Lake Orion & Clarkston Offices Closed Saturday

030 WANTED

WANTED: RUNNING & non-running outboard motors 1970 & newer. Pager, 248-323-1968 IILX17-4

USED GUNS

Regardless of condition
TOP CASH DOLLARS
WE BUY-SELL-TRADE
•GUNS GALORE•
629-5325 (Fenton)

WANTED: CARS, Trucks needing repair or high miles. \$1000-\$5000. 810-724-7647 or 810-338-7770. IILX17-4

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

WANTED: RUNNING & non-running Merc Cruiser & OMC inboards & outdrives 1975 & newer. Pager, 248-323-1968 IILX18-3

VENDORS NEEDED, St. Paul Lutheran, Lapeer, Annual Flea Market, Saturday, May 3rd 9am-3pm, inside/outside booths \$25.00. 810-678-2907. IILX18-3

WANTED: OLDER Aluminum boats & pontoons in need of repair, 8' to 30'. Pager, 248-323-1968 IILX17-4

WANTED: USED LEGOS.
Medium to large quantity. Call 248-391-1459 IILX19-2

WANTED TO BUY: Rototiller, in need of minor repair okay. 248-623-1751. IILX18-2

WANTED: GO CART 50/60cc dirt bike. Small utility trailer or flatbed. 248-623-1751 IILX19-2

040 PRODUCE

STRAW, ONE BALE to a semi-load. Delivery available. 248-627-3225 IILX18-4

STRAW FOR SALE. Large bales. 248-628-9477 IILX19-2

050 FIREWOOD

SEASONED QUALITY Hardwood, Cut & Split. Delivery available. (248)627-6316. IILX31-1fc

SEASONED HARDWOOD, mixed, 10 months old, \$25 pickup load. Near Clarkston/Baldwin, 248-693-9435. IILX17-4

060 MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Bob Wiegand's
Professional
PIANO
TUNING
CERTIFIED P.T.G.
625-1199

REEXPORT SELECT, 7pc set; 5 quart-A symbols plus pedals and covers. \$2500 obo. Jesse, after 248-391-2288 IILX18-2

070 TUTORING/ LESSONS

VOICE LESSONS. A new voice teacher in your area. Reasonable rates. Limited availability. Call today. 248-650-8295 IILX34-2

GUITAR LESSONS: Teacher with 11 years experience. Competitive rate. Lessons taught from the convenience of your home. Call Jason, 248-628-0439. IILX19-1

TUTOR/ TEACHER, specialized in Math/ Reading problem diagnosis & remediation, 248-628-1399. IILX35-1

080 LAWN & GARDEN

LAWN MOWERS, Riding mowers, chain saws, trimmers. All summer equipment repaired. Dave's Equipment Repair. 248-628-7033 IILX18-4

HYDRO SEEDING: Lawns, grass, anywhere. Free estimates 810-796-3934 IILX19-4

BEAUTIFUL SPRUCE TREES: Colorado blues & greens. 8'-12' planted. 810-796-3934 IILX19-3

RYAN LAWN PLUGGER, Lawnaire IV 18", \$1000. 248-634-3139. IILX39-2

RANSOMES RIDING MOWER. Real type. 75" cut, 4 cylinder. Ford diesel engine. Real good shape! \$3,500. 248-634-9615 IILX40-2

O TURNING, 17.5 HP, 48 hours, like new. \$1,600. 810-664-9380 IILX18-2

1998 KUBOTA 17HP 4 wheel drive, 4ft bucket, 60" mower. Excellent condition! \$11,900 obo tractor, 16' trailer \$1,000 obo. 248-625-5303 IILX40-2

JOHN DEERE Rider, rear engine, \$150. Sears 18hp, mower deck 42", \$550. Troy Bilt 14hp, 42" deck, \$550. Hustler Rider, as is, runs, 72" mower, 23 hp Kohler, \$250. Call between 1:00-5:00p.m. 248-628-3020 IILX19-2

SPRUCE TREES

Blue, White & Norway
Delivery & Planting Available
Also Available Hydroseeding.
Clemens Tree Farm Inc.
Lapeer, Michigan

810-664-0225

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Screened Top Soil,
Fill Sand, Pool Sand,
Mason Sand, Driveway Aggregate,
Bulk Shredded Bark, Cypress,
Michigan Hardwood Cedar,
Red Pine & All Dyed WoodChips,
Backhoe, Stump Grinding
and Complete Lawn Service
248-693-7919

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B6200 Kubota Tractor

4WD, Excellent Condition,
New Tires, 60" Brand New Belly-Mount Mower with Rear Blade,
\$5650. 248-628-6734

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16 HP SIMPLICITY 5116 Model, 42" mower, snow blower, & leaf vacuum. \$1,100. 248-674-0587 IILX39-2

T&L TREE

TRANSPLANTING SPECIALISTS
Spruce Trees: Starting at \$150 Transplanted.
WE MOVE, SELL & BUY TREES
248-969-4300

TROYBILT 50" cut garden tractor, 23hp Kohler engine, 1-1/2 years old, \$2500. 248-431-0417. IILX39-2

EVERGREENS

Spruces, Fir & Pine
3-6 ft. potted \$25-\$70.
Annual Spring Sale of
Bare-Root Evergreens, Lilacs
& other misc. plants 4/\$10.
Candy Cane Christmas Tree Farm
4780 Seymour Lake Rd.,
Oxford (bet. Baldwin & Sashabaw)
248-628-8899
Open M-F noon-7pm,
Sat. 9-5, Sun. 11-4

TORO 244-H LAWN Tractor, 42 inch deck, front plow, dump trailer, wheel weights, \$500. 248-627-3010. IILX35-2
12.5hp MTD TRACTOR, 42" deck, snow blade, chains. \$325. 248-922-9633 IILX19-2
KUBOTA & MOWER, plus extras. \$4200. 2 generators, 3000 & 5000 watt, 810-636-2657. IILX35-2
18HP ARIENS HYDROSTATIC 48" rotary mower & 48" plow with chains. Good working condition. \$900. 248-969-1390 or 248-908-2277 IILX40-2
SEARS CRAFTSMAN self-propelled 22" lawn mower. Runs good. \$50. 248-693-1507 IILX19-2

GUYS GARAGE SALE. mostly garden/ lawn equipment & tools. Trailer stabilizer, Thursday & Friday, April 24 & 25. 3480 Elmy Dr., Gingerville. 248-343-4100 IILX19-1

GARAGE SALE, April 24-26, 9am-6pm. New/Used. Horse tack, Briar barns and horses, kids clothes, toys, books, video systems and games, large dog crates, moped. 5205 Oakwood Rd., Ortonville. IILX35-1

MOVING SALE: Bedroom sets, table, bookshelf, health rider, refrigerator, misc. 248-627-3756 IILX3M
GARAGE SALE- Thursday-Friday, May 1-2, 9am-4pm, 2009 Noble (SW corner of Lake George & Noble). IILX19-2

4-H HORSE and tack auction April 28. Eastern Michigan Fairgrounds, Imlay City. New tack 5p.m., horses to follow. Negative cognins required. Booth space available. 810-721-1485 IILX19-1

AUCTION: Sunday, April 27th 12 noon. Preview 11am. Lake Orion Auction Gallery, 711 W. Clarkston Rd. Antiques, furniture, primitives, horse-drawn buggy, toys, marbles, large wool rugs, and lightning rods. 248-814-0655, 248-425-9816. IILX19-1

DOWNSIZING, DISCONTINUE farming, have an estate, moving? No help? Call us, we do it all: Fritz Auction: 989-795-2311 or 989-672-1420, website: www.fritzauction.com IILX19-1

100 FREE

FREE SOFA & Loveseat. 248-343-4761 IILX40-1

FREE KITTENS. 8 weeks old. 248-627-5396. IILX35-1f

FREE: PING PONG table. Counsole TV. 248-672-4653 IILX19-1f

FREE TO GOOD HOME: 4 hens, 2 young roosters, all Bantam (small breed) 248-627-2921. IILX35-1f

110 GARAGE SALE

MOM2MOM SALE! Children's resale, Saturday, May 3rd, 9:30am-1pm. Clarkston Elementary (on Waldon), 30+ tables, 50 cent admission. IILX40-2

GARAGE SALE: 3750 Dartmouth Rd, Oxford. Between Seymour Lake Rd. & Oak Hill Rd. April 24, 25. Lots of miscellaneous. IILX19-1f

MULTI-FAMILY SUB Sale, Saturday 4-26-03, 9am-5pm. Includes a moving sale of 46 years of accumulation! Englewood Meadows Sub (Dixie Hwy. at Big Lake Rd.), just S. of I-75 in Clarkston. IILX40-1

GARAGE SALE April 24-26, 9-6. New/Used. Horse tack, Briar barns and horses, kids clothes, toys, books, video systems and games, large dog crates, moped. 5205 Oakwood Rd., Ortonville. IILX35-1

ESTATE/MOVING SALE, April 25th, 28th & 27th, 12 Noon until 7pm. No early! A little bit of everything. 11850 Davisburg Rd. (1/2 mile E. of Davisburg). IILX40-1

HILLCREST FARMS Subdivision Garage Sale, Saturday, May 3rd, 9am-3pm, M-15, 2-1/2 miles S. of Goodrich. IILX35-2

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BARN SALE

Lots of Old Stuff
Saturday 10:00-5:00
Sunday 12:00-5:00
8290 Sashabaw Rd.
(1 mile N. of I-75)

GARAGE SALE- Saturday, May 3, 9 to 6pm. 3709/ 3712 Grafton, off Maybee between Baldwin/ Joslyn. Good cheap stuff. No junk. Rain date May 10. IILX19-2

MOVING SALE: Bedroom furniture, dishes, kitchen table, chairs, end tables, computer cabinet, portable bar, odds & ends. Keatington Condos 248-391-6812 IILX18-2

HOUSEHOLD SALE- inside (Ruth Williams Mason) 109 Dennison St., Oxford, Friday & Saturday, May 2 & 3, 9am-4pm. No early sales. IILX19-2

PLUS SIZE WOMEN Grand Lady Consignment is now accepting gently used plus size spring and summer clothing for consignment. Size 14 & up. Clean your closet & make cash! 3286 Dixie Hwy., Waterford. www.grandladyresale.com. 248-673-7093 IILX40-1

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MOVING SALE AT 3860 Cedar Loop in Clarkston Lakes Mobile Home Park on Shashabaw between Oak Hill and Seymour Lake Rd. Small appliances, computer desk, bed, VCR's & more. 9am-6pm Friday & Saturday April 25-26. IILX18-2

ORTONVILLE GARAGE SALE, 4 homes, too much to mention. M-15 to Oakhill West to Reese North. April 24th & 25th. IILX40-1

UPSCALE YARD SALE. Country Woodshed, downtown Clarkston. Furniture, candles, lamps, home decor, etc. April 24th, & 25th. 9:00-6:00. 6 E. Church St. IILX40-1

RUMMAGE SALE: May 1, 9-5; May 2, 9-7; May 3, 9-12. A little bit of everything. United Methodist Church, 140 E. Flint St., Lake Orion. 3 blocks East of M-24. IILX19-2

ROLLING MEADOWS SUB sale, Saturday May 3, 9am-4pm. Baldwin/ Maybee area. Over 30 homes. Kids clothes/ toys, household items, bicycle. Follow the orange signs. IILX19-2

GARAGE SALE/MOVING- 11800 Rattles Lake (let I-75), Davisburg. Tools, toys, furniture, kitchen items, clothes. Too many items to mention! Everything must go! April 26-27, 9am-4pm. IILX19-1

TWO HUGE MULTI-Family Garage Sales, 6508 East Church St. & 6635 Eastlawn, April 25th & 26th, 9:00-5:00 (off Waldon Rd.). IILX40-1

GARAGE SALE; 132 FLORENCE, off E. Flint. Thrus-Sat. April 24, 25, 26. IILX19-1

120 CRAFT SHOWS

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

FOR SALE: 1991 Pontiac Sunbird. Runs good. \$350 obo. 248-568-3855 IILX19-2

D&D PROMOTIONS

Mother's Day
Craft&Art Show

•OVER 200 EXHIBITORS•
CLARKSTON HIGH SCHOOL
Saturday, May 3rd, 10am-4pm
\$2.00 Admission
I-75 to M-15 (Clarkston Exit 91),
S. to Clarkston Rd.,
E. to Flemings Lk. Rd.
\$2.00 admission.
For more info, call
248-627-3363

•Upcoming Shows:•
July 4, Clintonwood Park-Clarkston
July 26-27, Grand Blanc H.S.
ZX33-4c

SPRING CRAFT FAIR. Free Admission! Benefits student ambassador Laura Minto. Saturday, May 3rd, 10am-4pm. Gingerville Community Center, 1801 Waldon, Orion, between M-24 & Joslyn. 248-814-7613 IILX35-1

HARDWOOD CRAFTERS Rack. Five shelves, portable, \$150. 248-634-3139. IILX39-2

130 HOUSEHOLD

FOR SALE: Queen-size King-coil soft side waterbed, newer bladder, \$150. 30 gallon electric water heater, \$50 obo. Both excellent condition, 248-393-2522. IILX39-2

40 YEAR OLD, beautiful hand carved sofa. Totally reupholstered, custom fabric, brand new foam cushions & padding throughout. Mint condition \$800. Antique leather topped metal claw feet wood coffee table, 50 years old. Good condition. \$300. 248-693-5977 IILX18-2

CLAYTON MARCUS SOFA \$75. Armchair \$50. Matching floral fabric (off-white, pale green & rose), good condition. 248-628-4773. IILX17-4dhf

SCHWAB 4 DRAWER fire-proof filing cabinet, \$800. 248-628-1763 IILX18-2

CLAYTON MARCUS rust plaid, 2 loveseats, 1 chair, 1 ottoman, great condition \$200 firm. 248-628-4192 after 6pm. IILX18-2

BED, a Cherry Sleigh, still boxed, never used. \$279. 248-931-1127. IILX18-4

SOFA AND CHAIR \$125; La-Z-Boy chair \$50; 48" round maple pedestal table w/ four chairs \$150; all nice condition. 248-625-5040 IILX39-2

A BED, brand new pillow top mattress set. Still in plastic. Never used. \$269. 248-931-1127. IILX18-4

2 LANE swivel glider rockers, black leather, and matching queen foldout sofa, \$1100. 248-693-3687. IILX18-2

DINING ROOM SET, Ethan Allen, solid maple, 54" round drop-leaf table extends to 100", 4 chairs, pads, glass-door hutch, \$400. Kitchen Table, solid oak, 48" round extends to 68", 4 chairs, \$200. Excellent condition. 248-236-0427. IILX19-2

METAL TOOL CABINET, Bumper Pool table, 2 bench gliders, \$20 each. 248-394-1618. IILX40-2

150 ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES

ATTENTION ANTIQUES LOVERS
- "beginners" to advanced collectors!
We have what you're looking for: a HUGE selection of affordable antiques and collectibles, offered by 40+ quality dealers. Shop every day, 10-5.

THE GREAT MIDWESTERN ANTIQUE EMPORIUM
5233 Dixie Hwy., Waterford
248-623-7480

YOUR ADVENTURE BEGINS at Ye Olde Stuff & Antiques. 20-1/2 Front downtown Orion Wednesday-Saturday, 10am-2pm. Come & browse. 248-693-8724 IILX19-1

ANTIQUE VERTICAL GRAND piano. Clough & Warren Co., Detroit, Mich. \$500 or best offer. 248-693-9209 IILX18-2

OLD RADIOS: Philco console model 80-505 and table model 48-460, \$190, 248-625-2007 IILX39-2

150 ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES

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

ANTIQUUE BUFFET, mirrored back, 3 drawers, 2 doors, clawfoot. \$650 firm. 248-393-6057 IILX19-4

ZIPPO COLLECTOR wanting to buy lighters for collection. 248-693-1137 IILZM18-2

FLEA MARKET: Open Every Sunday, 9am-4pm, 2350 Pontiac Lake Rd. (1/4 mile west of Telegraph). IILX39-

AFFORDABLE ANTIQUES?

We got 'em! Aisle after aisle of antique & vintage collectible "good stuff", at great prices. Shop everyday, 10-5. The Great Midwestern ANTIQUE EMPORIUM 5233 Dixie Hwy., Waterford

160 APPLIANCES

KENMORE ELITE WASHER & Amana Super Capacity gas dryer, both work well, white, 3 years old, \$300 obo. 248-628-8030. IILX18-2

7 CU. FT. CHEST Freezer, \$200. G.E. refrigerator, \$100. G.E. electric stove, \$400. Whirlpool washer/dryer, \$100 each or \$175 both. Toshiba laptop computer, \$1,000. 248-627-4608 leave message. ZMX34-2

KITCHEN APPLIANCES from a remodel. 6 years old, excellent condition, gently used. Almond. Kenmore. Includes 25 cu. ft. 36" side by side refrig/freezer, freestanding 30" gas self-cleaning stove, 30" built-in microwave w/ fan/light (over stove), built-in dishwasher, porcelain sink. Complete set \$1,250. Will consider splitting. Clarkston. 248-625-5835 IILZM40-2

G.E. UPRIGHT FREEZER, 11.6 cu. ft., \$125. 248-394-0093. IILZM40-2

MAYTAG GAS STOVE, digital, works, 7 years old, white \$50. 248-628-1740. IILX19-2

170 GENERAL

WEDDING GOWN, VEIL, slip. Size 10, never worn. \$325. Two rocker recliners for RV, mauve, \$85 each. 248-628-3497. IILX19-2

MATERIAL STORAGE system with mezzanine (shelves), jib crane, shop roll-around tables, pen plotter, executive office furniture, engineering stations, drafting table, 3-wheel bicycle. All 50-75% below cost. 248-933-1282 IILZM19-4

METAL HEDGESTROM Swing Set, \$60. 248-625-1695. IILX40-2

EVERLAST HEAVY BAG & gloves. Both never used, leather. \$65. Call anytime 248-628-0008 IILX19-2

8 HORSE GAS air compressor, portable Emglo, runs good. \$500. 7.5 horse 3-phase electric motor, \$100. 248-628-0087 IILX19-2

MASSEY FERGUSON 35 tractor, brush hog, 2 bottom plow, disc, \$4500. All used very little. 1986 20ft. hi-lo camper, stove, refrigerator, awning, sleeps 6, excellent condition, \$3400 obo. Maytag washer, dryer \$250. Kenmore stackable washer/dryer \$100. 248-969-3290.

TalkAmerica Sales

Local & Long Dist. Phone Service Save up to 29% www.greatdeals.cc (See web site for details)

Abdominal exerciser Torso Trak, \$50; Windsurfer, \$25; window air conditioner, \$50; halogen floor lamp, stainless steel, like new, \$20. 248-814-6646 IILX19-2

FARM AUCTION

Saturday, May 3 11 a.m.

At 4662 Lum Rd., LUM, MICH (1/4 mile West of Lum). Call for flyer or see website for listing & photos. **AUCTION INCLUDES:** Duetz-Allis '6250' D. Tractor, 4WD w/loader; Allis Chalmers '7020' D. & '200' D. Tractors; John Deere '50' Tractor; 1987 Ford '250' 4WD pickup; Coose 20' Goose-Neck Trailer; Plus complete line of good hay & forage equipment & farm machinery!

Will-Lo-Acres Farm Bill & Lois Ludwig, Owners www.AlbrechtAuction.com Ph. 989-823-8835

1994 DODGE TRUCK, 4WD, \$5,000. Masonary scaffold, plank, trailer \$4,000. Mixer \$1,000. Mixer \$600. 1993 Plymouth Sundance \$1,000. 248-673-5527 IILX19-2

2 SOLID WOOD endtables, \$50. Coffee & sofa table, marble-like glass tops, \$75 each. 55 gallon fish tank with black stand, \$75. 248-693-1929. IILX18-2

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

LUMBER FOR SALE: I-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. 3/8" plywood, T-111, 5/8" drywall. 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 6:30pm weekdays. Anytime weekends. IILX18-2

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

FOR SALE: 1990 Astro Van bench seat, \$60 obo. 810-658-5221. IILX19-2

HONDA GENERATOR: Used only once, 5000 watts, paid \$1500, sell for \$800. 248-623-4430 IILZM40-2

RAKU KILN-nearly new, included with kiln: propane tank, shelves and tongs. \$350. Call 248-620-1971. IILZM39-2

5000 WATT GENERATOR. Barely used, runs great. \$1,000 obo. 248-393-3988 CZM40-2

1973 CHEVY PICKUP hood, \$50; pickup seat, reupholstered, \$50. 1979 Ford pickup tailgate/brush bar, \$50. 248-623-1751. IILX18-2

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110 GARAGE SALE

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GARAGE SALE: 3750 Dartmouth Rd, Oxford. Between Seymour Lake Rd. & Oak Hill Rd. April 24, 25. Lots of miscellaneous. IILX19-1

MULTI-FAMILY SUB SALE, Saturday 4-26-03, 9am-5pm. Includes a moving sale of 46 years of accumulation! Englewood Meadows Sub (Dixie Hwy. at Big Lake Rd., just S. of I-75 in Clarkston). IILX40-1

GARAGE SALE April 24-26, 9-6. New/Used. Horse tack, Brier barns and horses, kids clothes, toys, books, video systems and games, large dog crates, moped. 5205 Oakwood Rd., Ortonville. IILXZM35-1

ESTATE/MOVING SALE, April 25th, 28th & 27th. 12 Noon until 7pm. No early! A little bit of everything, 11850 Davisburg Rd. (1/2 mile E. of Davisburg). IILX40-1

HILLCREST FARMS Subdivision Garage Sale, Saturday, May 3rd, 9am-3pm, M-15, 2-1/2 miles S. of Goodrich. IILXZM35-2

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MOVING SALE: Bedroom sets, table, bookshelf, health rider, refrigerator, misc. 248-627-3756 IILXZM

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MOVING SALE: Bedroom furniture, dishes, kitchen table, chairs, end tables, computer cabinet, portable bar, odds & ends. Keatington Condos 248-391-6812 IILX18-2

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MOVING SALE AT 3860 Cedar Loop in Clarkston Lakes Mobile Home Park on Shashabaw between Oak Hill and Seymour Lake Rd. Small appliances, computer desk, bed, VCR's & more. 9am-6pm Friday & Saturday April 25-26. IILXZM18-2

ORTONVILLE GARAGE SALE, 4 homes, too much to mention. M-15 to Oakhill West to Reese North. April 24th & 25th. IILX40-1

UPSCALE YARD SALE. Country Woodshed, downtown Clarkston. Furniture, candles, lamps, home decor, etc. April 24th, & 25th. 9:00-6:00. 6 E. Church St. IILX40-1

RUNNAGE SALE: May 1, 9-5; May 2, 9-7; May 3, 9-12. A little bit of everything. United Methodist Church, 140 E. Flint St., Lake Orion. 3 blocks East of M-24. IILX19-2

ROLLING MEADOWS SUB SALE, Saturday May 3, 9am-4pm. Baldwin/ Maybes area. Over 30 homes. Kids clothes/ toys, household items, bicycle. Follow the orange signs. IILX19-2

GARAGE SALE/MOVING- 11800 Rattalee Lake (at I-75), Davisburg. Tools, toys, furniture, kitchen items, clothes. Too many items to mention! Everything must go! April 26-27, 9am-4pm. IILXZM19-1

TWO HUGE MULTI-Family Garage Sales, 6506 East Church St. & 6635 Eastlawn, April 25th & 26th, 9:00-5:00 (off Waldon Rd.) IILX40-1

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D&D PROMOTIONS Mother's Day Craft&Art Show

OVER 200 EXHIBITORS CLARKSTON HIGH SCHOOL Saturday, May 3rd, 10am-4pm \$2.00 Admission

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130 HOUSEHOLD

FOR SALE: Queen-size King-coil soft side waterbed, newer bladder, \$150. 30 gallon electric water heater, \$50 obo. Both excellent condition, 248-393-2522. IILX39-2

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DINING ROOM SET, Ethan Allen, solid maple, 54" round drop-leaf table extends to 100", 4 chairs, pads, glass-door hutch, \$400. Kitchen Table, solid oak, 48" round extends to 68", 4 chairs, \$200. Excellent condition. 248-236-0427. IILX19-2

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170 GENERAL

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FARM AUCTION

Saturday, May 3 11 a.m.

At 4662 Lum Rd., LUM, MICH (1/4 mile West of Lum). Call for flyer or see website for listing & photos. **AUCTION INCLUDES:** Duetz-Allis '6250' D. Tractor, 4WD w/loader; Allis Chalmers '7020' D. & '200' D. Tractors; John Deere '50' Tractor; 1987 Ford '250' 4WD pickup; Coose 20' Goose-Neck Trailer; Plus complete line of good hay & forage equipment & farm machinery!

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2 SOLID WOOD endtables, \$50. Coffee & sofa table, marble-like glass tops, \$75 each. 55 gallon fish tank with black stand, \$75. 248-693-1929. IILX18-2

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. IILX12-dhrt

LUMBER FOR SALE: 1-Joists, \$.80 per foot. Vinyl gable vents, white, \$.50. 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. 3/8" plywood, T-111, 5/8" drywall. 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 6:30pm weekdays. Anytime weekends. IILX18-2

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CHAIN SAWS- McCulloch, new #610, 18", \$165. #310, 14", \$90. Used #110, \$45. 248-628-6224. IILX18-2

PONY EVENER, (steel) \$60. Sears cartop carrier, used once \$150. Small upright freezer, \$35. 248-672-4653 IILX19-2

14 RAILROAD TIES, good shape, \$2.00 each. 810-797-4339. IILX19-2

1982 HONDA SILVERWING 500GL, loaded, \$750. Murray riding mower, 10hp, 30" cut, electric start, \$325. Motor bike, \$125. 1-248-236-9676. IILX19-2

DOUBLE BED FRAME, headboard, mattress set; van passenger's seat; fan on wheels. 248-652-7651 IILX18-2

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BOY'S 13" SINGLE-SPEED "Toxic" racing bike, \$35. 3/8hp pool pump & filter, \$25. 248-628-8933 IILX19-2

JOTVL CAST IRON wood burning stove, green. \$350 obo. 248-620-0344 IILX2M39-2

USED WOODEN colonial porch spindles, 17 4"x4"x91", \$10.00 each. 220 1-1/2"x1-1/2"x32", \$2.00 each. 248-634-3139. IILX2M39-2

1999 CUB CADET 7265 28hp diesel, 4WD, hydrostatic trans, front bucket, 3pt. rear, \$14,500. Paul 248-969-9245. IILX18-2

FOR SALE: White wedding gown of white nylon organza, lace-edged, with chapel train. Lace outlined sweetheart neckline, accordion-pleated, lace-edged front panel, and full sheer sleeves with wide, lace-trimmed cuffs. Includes half slip. A cloche cap with matching Venice lace applique secured knee-length bouffant veil. Size 7. \$70. Good condition. 248-673-7422. Louise, after 6pm. IILX18-

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180 REC. EQUIPMENT

2 FULL FACE SHOELI helmets, model #RF700, Large/medium, black, \$125.00 each. Leather rider boots, 10-1/2, \$30.00. 248-634-3139. IILX2M39-2

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190 LOST & FOUND

LOST CAT (S. of Eston area) long-haired, black and brown striped w/ bushy tail, declawed. 248-475-1691 IILX39-2

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LOST: (April 3- April 6) Men's wedding ring. Canan Nuptial, 8-3-63 inscription. Reward. 248-625-6851. IILX39-2

FOUND 2 FEMALE DOGS. Possible Lab mix. Near Oakwood & Barber, Oxford. Nice dogs, good with kids, other dogs & horses. Call to claim, or after 1 week call to adopt. 248-628-5046. IILX19-2

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AKC REGISTERED LAB puppies, Black. Parents OFA certified. 248-628-0669 IILX19-2

FOR SALE: Dog Kennel, 10x10, chain link. Also large dog igloo, \$125 takes all. 248-620-1897. IILX2M39-2

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AKC MINIATURE DACHSHUND puppies. 810-797-3118 IILX2M19-2

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210 LIVESTOCK

GOATS: NUBIAN KIDS, bucks & doe from registered stock for breeding. 248-693-0807 IILX18-2

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WANTED TO BUY: Western & English used saddles. 248-628-1849 IILX2M14-tfc

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EARLY 70'S INTERNATIONAL Harvester with front-end loader, 45hp, gasoline. Good condition! \$8,500 obo. 248-922-9808 IILX2M40-2

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240 AUTO PARTS

DETROIT 6V53 DIESEL \$650. '82 Cadillac diesel \$500. '87 Toyota V-6 \$150. '91 Ford, 3.8 V-6 \$200. '54 Chevrolet 235 \$100. Dodge motor home engine \$150. '89 Chevrolet 350 \$400. 248-627-6611 IILX2M34-2

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1998 HONDA CIVIC LX, 4 door, silver, 62,000 highway miles, 4 cylinder automatic, sunroof, am/fm CD, excellent condition, \$8500 obo. 248-628-5123 or 248-505-8743. IILX19-12nn

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1990 CHEVY LUMINA Euro, 82,415 original miles, V-6, new tires, brakes, battery and power steering. Runs well, good condition. \$2000 obo. 248-620-1429. IILX240-4nn

1994 TOYOTA CAMRY, dark green, tan interior, new brakes, new Michelins, well maintained, factory sunroof, 184,000 miles, runs like a clock, \$3495. 248-693-6924. IILX17-12nn

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1986 HONDA ACCORD LXi, excellent condition, many options, automatic, 121,000 miles, new parts, \$2400 obo. Phil after 5pm, 248-628-0815. IILX2M34-8nn

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260 VANS

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270 TRUCKS

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1969 FORD PICKUP, V-8 automatic, runs & looks good, no rust, \$2195 obo. 248-623-1751. IILX18-2

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CHEVY BLAZER, 1995, 4 door, 4WD, loaded. 82K miles. Excellent condition. \$7,100. 628-4583 IICZM29-12nn

1993 GMC JIMMY 4 door, 4WD, high mileage, good transportation, \$2700 obo. 248-391-5150. IILX19-2

1999 BLACK FORD RANGER XLT, power windows, power locks, automatic, V-6, new tires, new brakes, keyless entry, excellent condition, 67,000 miles, original owner, \$5500 firm. 248-628-6734. IILX19-12nn

1997 LAND ROVER Discovery SE-7 with all options. Legendary vehicle. 100,000 miles, warranty, \$15,000. 248-236-0139 or 248-320-1721 IILX12-8nn

1999 JEEP CHEROKEE Classic, 4x4, air, power windows, power brakes, excellent condition, \$9,600 obo. 248-394-1453. IICZ29-12nn

1997 FORD EXPLORER, Eddie Bauer Edition, every available option, power everything, power sunroof, excellent condition. Non-smoker, must sell. \$10,700. 248-393-0086. IICZM30-12nn

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1995 FORD PICK-UP, extended cab, 50K on new engine. Power windows. \$5,400 obo. 248-625-2925 IICZM40-2

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1992 CHEVY Z71 4x4 extended cab, topper, trailer package, 293,000 miles, runs great, \$3900. 248-672-4244. IICZM33-12nn

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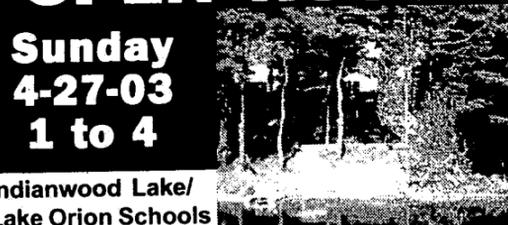
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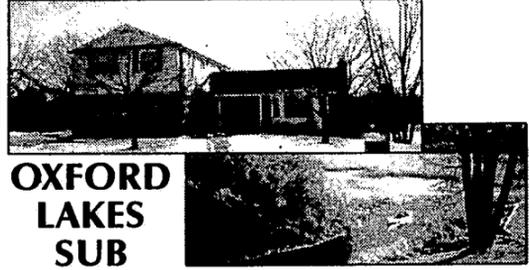
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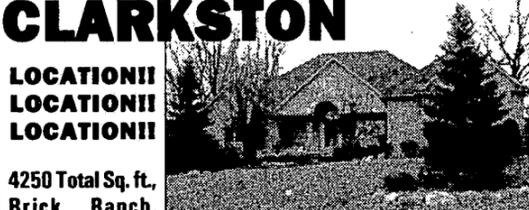


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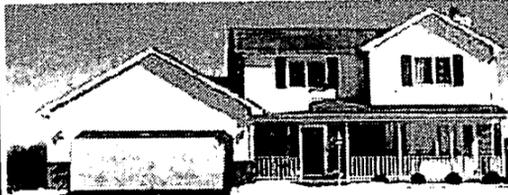
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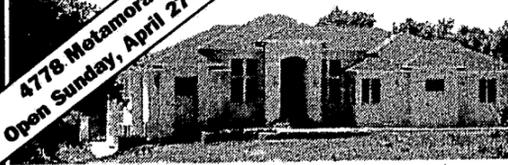
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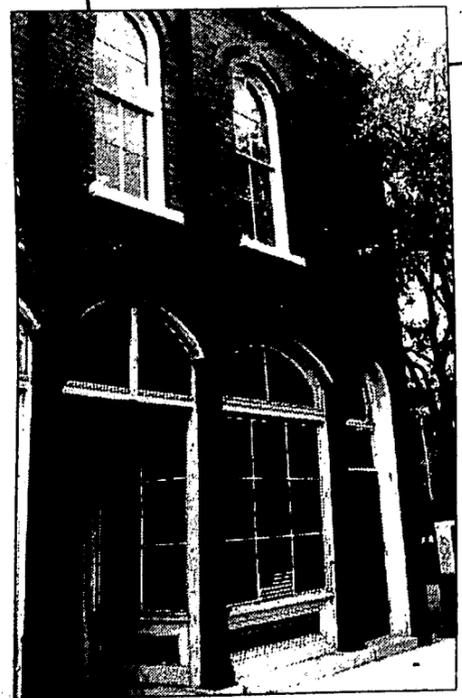
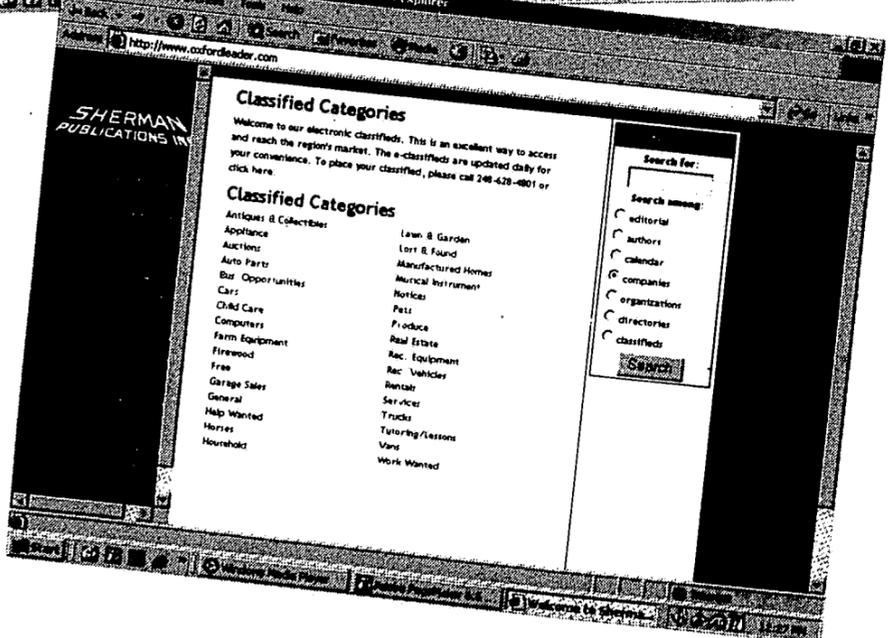
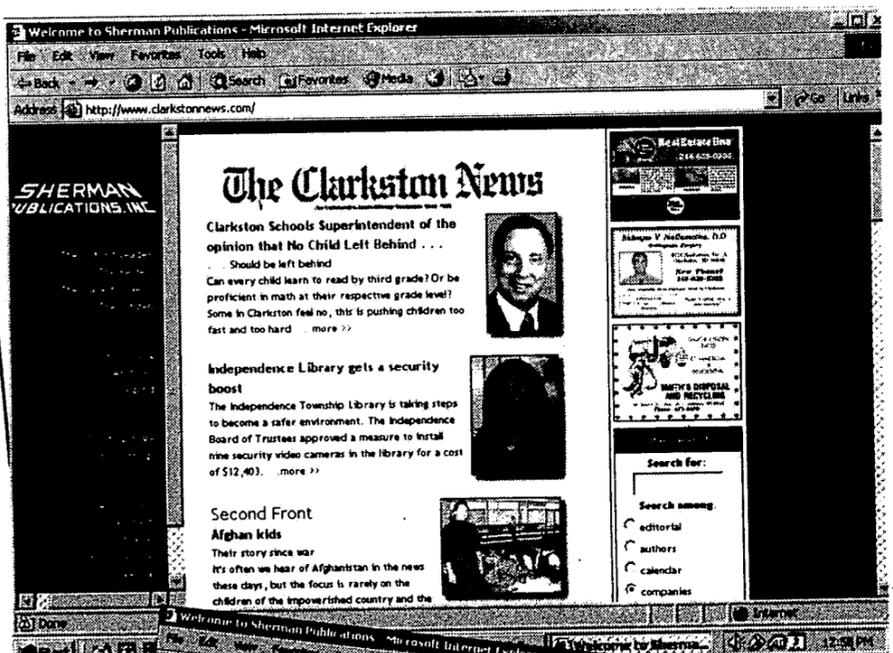
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Poetry Corner

It Better Rain

If a rainy day doesn't come soon
 I'll never get into this room!
 It need a cleaning and right now
 But if you can, please tell me how
 I can clean a house on such a sunny day
 I'll just putter in the sun
 forget the things that should be done.
 I found that worry doesn't pay
 I'll clean it on a rainy day

--An original poem by Florence Blimka

Moon light on my seed

I planted a seed, it wouldn't grow
 So all the neighbors told me so.
 I watered it each night and day
 Your drowning it the neighbors say.
 I let it go completely dry
 Then neighbors said why do you try?
 To grow a plant from scratch?
 It's like a baby chick to hatch,
 impossible to do.
 I listen but I could not believe,
 I could not grow a little seed.
 But looking at the ground one night,
 the moon shown down its magic light.
 So I could see a tiny sprout,
 so I was thrilled was I
 I had to shout to all the world.
 A little loving care each day
 is all it takes to make it's way about the ground.

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Rotary trip



Rotary members go on an eye care mission. For more information and pictures see page 20 B.

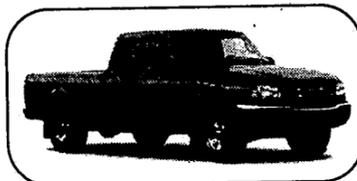
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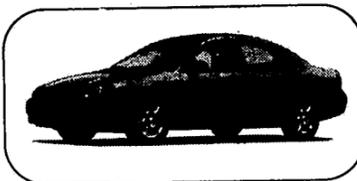
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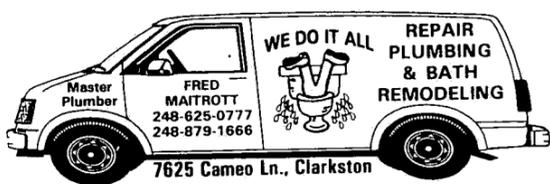
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Rotary members take a road trip

BY MARY SLOAN

Special to The Clarkston News

Once again, Rotary Club members Jeff Lichty and Mary Sloan went on an eye care mission.

Last summer they went to a small village in Peru, while on this trip they went to the island of Grenada in the West Indies. The trip was in conjunction with a group called Volunteer Optometrists in Service to Humanities.

The group took about 4,000 pairs of eyeglasses to the people of the area. Because Dr. Nelson Edwards, the VOSH member who organizes the trips, is a Rotarian, other Rotary members learn of the projects and become involved.

On this trip the team was made up of three doctors, six student doctors, two opticians and six lay people. Working with the Grenada East Rotary Club, the team serviced four clinic sites around the island over a period of seven days. In addition to the adults who came to the clinics, school children were screened and examinations were provided to those who needed them.

For those who even remember, our knowledge of Grenada is usually limited to the news coverage of the invasion (or "intervention" as they prefer to call it) in 1984, and the "rescue" of the medical students at St. George's medical school.

It is a lovely island and the people are wonderful. Tourists usually are only exposed to the capital city, St. George's, where the cruise ships dock. The rest of the island is beautiful but quite poor for the most part, but offers waterfalls and beaches for those who care to find them. It is called "The Spice Island" because of its nutmeg, (the world's second largest producer), mace, cinnamon and cloves. The delicate smell of the spices hangs in the air.

It's a beautiful place to visit. For Jeff and Mary, getting to know the people has been one of the best parts of the trip. Mary first went to Grenada in 2000 on her first eye care mission. It was then she first got to know the Rotarians, since they accompany the team to all the clinics and ensure that their leisure time is filled with quality activity, often in the home of local Rotarians.

The experience made such an impression, Mary retired from her teaching position so that she could participate in more world community service activities through Rotary. She says she didn't realize how much could be accomplished club to club, people to people on an individual, rather than at a government level.

This year it was an especially wonderful experience for these two Rotarians. At the home of one of their host Rotarians, Mary and Jeff were married amidst the bougainvillea and in the company of people sharing their same ideals of bringing peace to the world through love and understanding.



Mary and Jeff are married at the home of a Rotarian friend.



Rotary member Mary Sloan with a lady just fitted with her new glasses.



Jeff and Mary with a young girl and her mother. They are trying to arrange, through Rotary, to bring the girl to the U.S. for surgery to correct her vision problem.



School children wait for their eye exams.