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## Having a good time for a good cause



The "Friends of Renee" Spraypark Committee held a campaign kick-off last weekend. Here, Katlyn Collias, 6, gets a temporary tattoo from Trisha Meier, 14. For more pictures see the back page of Millstream Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

## Four car crash turns fatal on Dixie

BY JENNIFER NEMER  
Clarkston News Writer

Jasmine Dinsmoore, a 15-year-old Clarkston High School student, died Sept. 11, nearly two days after being involved in a four-vehicle, 12-person crash, Tuesday, Sept. 9.

The accident occurred at 6:01 p.m. on Dixie Highway near Waterford Road.

The Oakland County Crash Reconstruction unit reported a 2000 Ford pickup truck, driven by a 20-year-old Clarkston resident, with two other adult passengers, was traveling northbound on Dixie when it was struck by a 1993 Jeep Cherokee attempting to turn south from westbound Waterford Road. The Jeep was driven by a 26-year-old Clarkston resident, who had three infant children in her vehicle. (OCSD is not releasing the identities.)

After the impact, the driver of the Ford lost control of the vehicle and crossed the center turn lane in the oncoming traffic striking Dinsmoore head-on, who had her learner's permit and was driving her parent's 1998 Pontiac Montana. Her mother, Becky Summerlee, 36, and her 11-year-old brother, Taylor Summerlee, were

also in the car.

After the second impact, the Ford struck a 2003 Ford Explorer, driven by a 44-year-old Clarkston resident with a 16-year-old passenger. The Explorer was traveling in the curb lane adjacent to Dinsmoore's vehicle at the time of the crash.

The three occupants of the Ford pickup were transported to Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital and were listed in critical condition. None were wearing seatbelts.

Dinsmoore and her mother, who remains in critical condition at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak, were wearing seatbelts. Dinsmoore's brother, in the backseat, was not wearing a belt and was thrown from the vehicle. He remains in critical condition at Genesys Medical Center in Grand Blanc.

The driver of the Jeep Cherokee and her three children were not injured. The driver was wearing her seatbelt and her children were secured in car seats.

The driver of the Explorer and her passenger were treated and released at the scene with minor injuries. Both were wearing seatbelts.

The crash remains under investigation.

## Board will pay for Sashabaw

### Trustee Wagner irked at lack of communication

BY KYLE GARGARO  
Clarkston News Editor

Residents and business owners on Sashabaw Road received some good news last week.

At a special meeting on Sept. 11, the Independence Township Board chose to abandon thoughts of a Special Assessment District for the improvements to Sashabaw Road with a 6-0 vote.

The Trustees chose to pay the full share not covered by the federal government and the Oakland County Road Commission. The board estimates this will be no more than \$600,000. The final number depends on whether the township receives any more donations of property for the expanded right-of-way in addition to whether the construction bids come in near their estimations.



David Wagner

"It is still possible that we won't spend the full \$600,000," Township Supervisor Dale Stuart said.

One of the main reasons the board decided to abandon the idea of a SAD was to make sure the project continued to proceed.

"If we did not get going the project could have been delayed another year and would have been in danger of not happening at all. We did not want to lose our federal dollars," Independence Township Clerk Joan McCrary said.

Originally, the township believed the local cost of the project would be \$1.2 million of the estimated \$12 million road project. The township planned to pay 10 percent (\$120,000) with the rest of the money coming from the SAD.

However, the \$1.2 million estimation decreased as 25 businesses donated land to the project. The value of the donated land is split 50-50 between the township and the Road Commission.

The federal government is paying for 80 percent of the project (an estimated \$9.6 million), while the Road Commission is contributing 10 percent (an estimated \$1.2 million.)

"If we wait this adds to the potential cost," Stuart said. "I believe the economy is getting better but at this point contractors are still happy to get work."

The other reason for the board's decision was some businesses were said to be hesitant about donating land without the SAD issue being resolved.

"I have my suspicions that maybe the SAD does not make as big a difference as they have insinuated

Please see SAD continued on page 8A



Dale Stuart

# Briefly

## Academic Boosters to host info session

The Academic Boosters of Clarkston are sponsoring a Parent Information session on Tuesday, Sept. 23 at 7 p.m. in the Clarkston Middle School Media Center.

The boosters will present "Conferences, Counseling and Competition." Presenters will include:

- Judi Medlin, Clarkston High School counselor speaking about PSAT/NMSQT testing and a counselor's perspective on conferences vs. counseling.

- Geraldine Moore, Executive Director of Elementary Education and John Dillegghio, executive director of middle and high school education, will present information on how to get the most out of your parent-teacher conference.

- Sue Banworth and other talent development specialists will discuss conference and advocacy tips for parents of highly able students.

Information about the Midwest Talent Search and MTSY tests will be available.

The Clarkston Middle School is located at 6595 Middle Lake Road.

Check out what is happening  
Around Town on  
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section.

## Car Classic set for Independence Oaks

Spend a perfect fall day at the 19th Annual Fall Color Car Classic Sunday, Oct. 5 at Independence Oaks County Park.

"New this year is a restructuring of the show classes," Oakland County Parks recreation specialist Derenda Howard said. "We added a 'Works in Progress' class for cars in the process of restoration or that are being built."

Other categories include People's Choice, Parks Pick, Factory Muscle award and best of show.

Festivities include nature films and marshmallow roasting at the nature center, hayrides and a swap meet. Kids will be entertained at Cruisin' Kid's World with face painting, drag tricycle racing and the Oakland County Parks Mobile Units including the Bumpa Bounce and Puppet Show.

## NOHLC plans for a benefit auction

'A Wild Night Out,' an evening to benefit the North Oakland Headwaters Land Conservancy, will be held at the Liberty Golf and Banquet on Oct. 10.

The benefit will feature live and silent auctions, a strolling dinner and cash bar. The evening begins at 6:30 p.m. and cost \$75 per person.

Cynthia Canty from Magic 105.1 will serve as celebrity auctioneer. The evening commemorates a three-year agreement between NOHLC, Independence Township and Liberty Golf Course to preserve the 120 acre course as open space and a natural storm water management system.

Serving on the event's honorary committee is Rep. John Stakoe and Oakland County Executive L. Brooks Patterson.

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# The Second Front

## Community service garden called 'win-win'

BY JENNIFER NEMER  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

It's an effort that has benefited taxpayers, Oakland County, the needy and more.

The community service garden in Independence Township allows first time and nonviolent offenders to opt to work in the 10-acre garden rather than serve jail time, while produce is donated to the Food Bank of Oakland County for those in need.

On Wednesday, Sept. 10, an official dedication ceremony was held with Clarkston's 52-2 District Court Judges Michael Batchik and Dana Fortinberry, the forces behind the garden.

The idea for the garden came with Batchik when he was transferred to Clarkston from Novi's 52-1 court due to redistricting in January.

There he had implemented the program in 1993, and since, Novi's garden has produced thousands of pounds of fruits and vegetables which has been donated to the Food Bank of Oakland County and various senior citizen facilities.

After Batchik suggested Clarkston begin a similar program, it was Fortinberry's idea to utilize the long dormant historic McCord Farm on Pine Knob, owned by Independence Township.

Government officials were quick to approve the idea.

The garden became a reality in May. And, as of Sept. 5, 164 offenders have chosen to work the fields.

Participants pay \$15 a day



52-2 Clarkston District Court Judges Dana Fortinberry and Michael Batchik stand in front of the 10-acre garden, an alternative community service program they initiated. Photos by Jennifer Nemer.

to work. Batchik said a five hour work day equates one jail day.

So far, 1,543 days have been ordered as an alternative to jail and 165 days ordered as a condition of sentencing, totaling

1,708 days total and 8,540 hours of work.

This has saved \$128,069 in jail costs. (Inmate costs are at \$78 a day.)

With the fee for participants, \$12,495 has been collected, saving taxpayers more than \$85,000 in jail days.

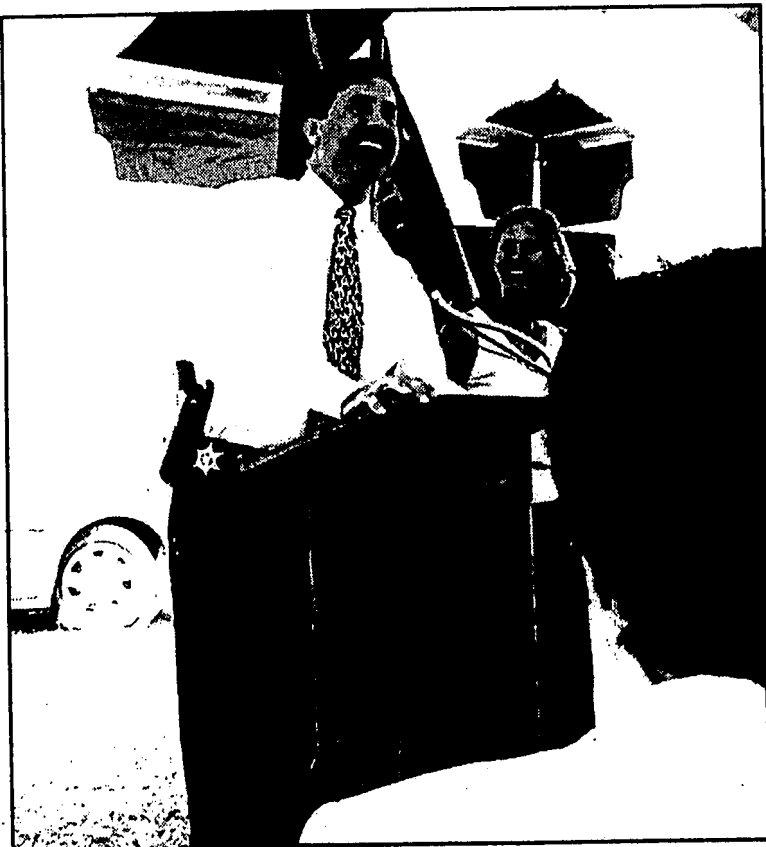
Oakland County Sheriff Michael Bouchard said the jail has reached emergency overcrowding numbers this year and is at 99 percent capacity.

But with alternative programs like the community service garden, "We're saving you as a taxpayer the money it would cost to build a new jail," Oakland County Executive L. Brooks Patterson said.

"Not only are we saving jail days by having defendants work out here they can also maintain their jobs. It's just a win-win situation all around," Batchik said.

In addition, more than 3,000 pounds of produce has been harvested and donated through the Food Bank of Oakland County.

Of the garden effort, Patterson said, "This is the kind of work we can expect from these judges."



Oakland County Sheriff Michael Bouchard addresses the crowd.



Fortinberry and Batchik recognize Bob McGowan, who helped in the development of the garden and who was named Clarkston's Citizen of the Year for his work with the Food Bank of Oakland County and his help with the community garden.

## Building design to dovetail with grade restructuring

# Schools set schedule for building renovations

BY DON SCHELSKE  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

The 2003-2004 school year is well underway, but fall 2005 is coming.

Toward that end, Clarkston school officials are working on school building construction and grade reconfiguration.

After voter approval of a \$83.7 million bond issue in June, officials are reporting some renovation projects already completed. Still to come are major work to convert the district's two middle schools into buildings for sixth-seventh and eighth-ninth, respectively.

Summer was productive, according to Bruce Beamer, executive director of business and financial services. He offered a report at the Monday, Sept. 8 school board meeting.

Even with some weather problems and other challenges four school roofs were replaced this summer, Beamer said. Bond technology funds have purchased 200 new personal computers for Clarkston High School, and playground equipment is expected to be installed at elementary schools in October, weather permitting.

This fall, staff is preparing bid specifications for band equipment and an irrigation system for athletic fields.

"We're on our way. There will be ups. There will be downs," Beamer said. "Overall, I'm really pleased."

The district has also hired Wes Goodman as an "owner's representative" and is forming "construction design response teams" to respond to architect's proposals.

What was called a "very preliminary" construction timetable drew some concern from board members, with completion dates at Clarkston and Sashabaw middle schools not expected until September 2005.

"I believe those two buildings should be the priority," Trustee Mary Ellen McLean said.

Goodman agreed, and said that will be a topic of conversation with contractors.

"We'd like to see everything completed by August, as well," he said.

"If that's the consensus, we'll try to move it up," Beamer said.

Beamer, believing the "team process" will be helpful, said it is essential to have

all building feature details ironed out in advance.

"What we can design [now], and get it right, will reduce change orders," which

add cost and can delay completion, Beamer said.

"What we don't want to happen is what happened at the high school," Superintendent Al Roberts said, citing what he said were perceived building needs

voiced after plans were finalized and "out of scope" in relation to cost and design.

Meanwhile, Deputy Superintendent Dave Reschke outlined some of the preliminary "philosophy and goals" in designing curriculum for the new intermediate schools.

Plans call for Sashabaw Middle School to house sixth and seventh grades, and Reschke said it will be an extension of "upper elementary growth and development."

Staff will work to create a small school environment, perhaps to the point of a "school within a school" for the different grades.

Clarkston Middle School, meanwhile, will be an "academy" style building for

eighth and ninth grades.

"We want them to be prepared for a rigorous high school environment," Reschke said.

Toward that end, the district may establish "credit" requirements for eighth graders similar to that used for high school students. That could help students be better ready for the actual credits required in ninth grade.

"A number of our kids come out of ninth grade with a credit deficit," Reschke said.

The eighth-ninth building will also feature the same discipline protocols and standards used at Clarkston High School.

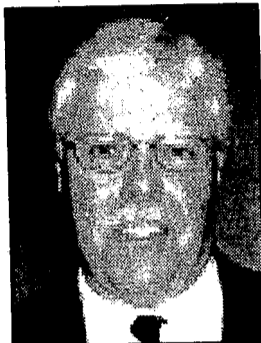
"You have to have some very clear guidelines for kids," Reschke said. "We know that's going to be a requirement to make that school be successful."

Among decisions yet to be made are names for the reconfigured buildings and how to handle athletics and fine arts in grades 5 through 8.

Reschke said the sixth-seventh building will likely have emphasis on intramural competition, while the eighth-ninth building should offer interscholastic opportunities.

Trustees have been invited to be "observers" at the team meetings, but officials want the participants to be open and honest about their desires for the revised grade structure and curricula.

"There are all sorts of possibilities," Roberts said. "We're not locked into anything at this time."



David Reschke

'We're on our way. There will be ups. There will be downs.'

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# New Springfield condos to use 'cluster' concept

BY DON SCHELSKE  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

A family homestead in Springfield Township is slated to become a modern residential development, but most of it will still be family.

The township board last week gave conditional approval to an application from William Leddy to create "Leddy's Woods," a 13-unit, single-family site condominium on about 40 acres on the west side of Ormond Road between Shaffer and Big Lake roads.

A unique aspect of the development is a cluster concept to help meet stipulations of a resource protection overlay district passed by the township board in March. The property is zoned R-1A (Suburban Estate Residential), and would normally require lots of at least 2.5 acres.

The property includes wetlands and vegetation now protected by ordinance, however, so the site plan has 13 sites of much smaller size toward the east end of the property, thus preserving most of the natural re-

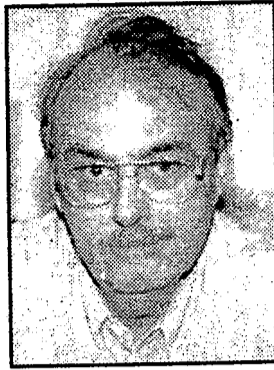
sources as open space.

Supervisor Collin Walls said Leddy and his development consultant, Kieft Engineering's Jim Scharl, have taken the protection of natural resources seriously. He said he walked the site earlier in the day and saw technicians "sitting on the ground with microscopes and magnifying glasses having a ball."

"We've tried to preserve the wetland to the greatest extent possible," Scharl told the board.

The design is not without some challenges. The property is accessible only by a winding strip of land about 70 feet wide and 1,000 feet long. The proposal is for the entrance drive to be built as a private road.

Even questions to the plan were couched in praise



Collin Walls

for Leddy and Scharl.

"Bill has shown the community that he is a really good neighbor and a terrific steward of his property," said O'Neill Road resident Del Fishman. "I think it's reflected in that plan. It's a terrific plan."

Fishman wondered if the narrow road would accommodate fire department apparatus, and asked for a special designation for the open space.

"If the park portion could have a hunting restriction, I'd sleep better in the morning," he said.

Another question concerned storm drainage from the home sites and the new pavement. Scharl admitted a potential problem, but said they will seek use of "natural absorption" as much as possible.

"We have extreme limitations with Mr. Leddy's property," he said, but noted "natural pockets" in the landscape that could help with runoff.

Many of the sites will be purchased by members of the extended Leddy family, Scharl said.

## Board ready to offer old township hall for lease

BY DON SCHELSKE  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

They can't sell it; perhaps they can lease it.

Springfield Township Supervisor Collin Walls will seek a broker to find a tenant for the former township hall at 650 Broadway, after a year of trying to find a buyer.

Attempting to lease the building is one of several options debated by trustees at the Thursday, Sept. 10 board meeting. Rejected options included relisting the building with the same real estate agent, lowering the asking price, finding a new agent or trying to find a buyer without the help of an agent.

"We haven't had too many people beating down our door," Treasurer Jamie Dubre said.

Construction began on the 3,000-square-foot building in 1902. The building was appraised for \$300,000 in December 2001, but has been listed for sale for \$275,000. A couple of offers came in with different terms, but the board rejected them.

Officials do not appear excited about the prospect of being a landlord, but it seems preferable to allowing the building to go empty.

"I'd like to consider retaining a broker to obtain a tenant," Clerk Nancy Strole said. "Having someone in

there would make this hamlet more viable."

While it is a common practice to offer a property "for sale or lease," Walls cautioned that a tenant may be hard to find if the property is still for sale.

"They're not going to want to be moving in three to six months," he said.

Walls said a broker told him the upper level of the hall could bring in between \$800 and \$1,000 per month. On the other hand, the township government may have to spend some money to remove old office partitions or make other alterations to make the building adequate for a renter's needs.

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# Opinion

## Editor hopes Spraypark dream realized

There are about 20 local individuals working hard to achieve an admirable goal.

I am talking about the "Friends of Renee" Spraypark Committee. And in case deductive reasoning has escaped you for a moment, the group is hoping to raise \$153,000 to construct a new Spraypark at Clintonwood Park. The park would be dedicated to the memory of Renee Przybylski who lost a battle with leukemia at age 23.

Renee worked day camps for the Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department and from everything I have heard was an incredible person.

Since I would never have the patience to accomplish such a task, I have a healthy respect for people who work with young children.

I mean, I had to move tables at Pizza Hut last Friday because we were seated next to a table of screaming children. Ironically I have been led to believe, mostly from my parents and past teachers, that I was the loudest child ever to walk this earth.

Yet, Renee was able to excel at such a job and leave people behind who are greatly motivated to keep her legacy alive.

With the economy being rough the past couple years, I realize many individuals and families are forced to tighten the proverbial belt. However this spraypark not only is a tribute to an impressive and courageous individual, but would also be a great asset to the community.

I would urge all to make whatever contribution they can to this worthwhile project.

On another charity note, I received some feedback from a recent column documenting some trouble I had donating clothes to a Metro Detroit charity.

A reader connected with Lighthouse of Oakland County wrote me and gave me the point of view a charity might have of the situation.

They wrote about the type of clothing they sometimes receive at their building. I was disturbed to hear some people use a charity as a Dumpster with a tax break by dropping off dirty, smelly or ripped clothing.

As a service to my three readers, let me pass along what Lighthouse accepts. They are looking for "clothing that is clean, in excellent condition, fashionable (not outdated,) ... something everyone wouldn't be ashamed to buy themselves. Of course, in season clothing is a must."

Evidently, a lack of space and volunteers forces the Lighthouse to be strict on what they can accept. I imagine a lot of time is wasted digging through unacceptable clothes in hopes of finding something that could be of use.

While I was mostly irritated by the way I was treated at this Metro Detroit charity (we all have bad days where we don't treat people how we should or normally would) I appreciate someone taking the time to write about the other side of the issue. Sometimes we don't realize the specifics behind someone's decision.

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## Letters to the Editor

### Resident helps clean up local street

I'm a 65-year-old wife, mother, step grandmother and great grandmother. My husband, Fred, and I are fortunate to live with our three Shih Tzus in a little stone house surrounded by English-style flower gardens on Big Lake Road in Davisburg.

I recently decided to get serious about diet and exercise. I power walk two to three miles every day in the morning and after our evening meal. As I walked I would notice trash scattered along the road.

After about a week of complaining to myself about it, I decided to adopt one mile of the road. Each morning I would stick a plastic grocery bag in my pocket and, on my return trip, pick up the litter. It took me over a week to accomplish my goal.

Was it humiliating? Not really. I'm loved and respected by my family, friends and students and my self

esteem is firmly in place. One power walker approached me with a can she picked up and handed it to me saying with a smile, "good job."

I actually began looking forward to walking as I could enjoy the differences I was making along the way. I soak in the pristine sky, woods and, now, a pristine path.

People still throw litter out their car windows but I am not obsessing about it. I now collect the litter about once a week. It's not much.

After all there must have been years' worth of litter before I began. If this story inspires any other walkers to adopt their own paths what a wonderful, pristine world we would live in.

Carole Overall  
Davisburg

### Miller should put coaching issue behind him

Mr. Miller was elected by a majority of voters to represent all students in the Clarkston School District.

He should not waste our education dollars on his desire to coach approximately one percent of the students. He should also realize that he has a fiduciary responsibility for all Clarkston students.

For the good of Clarkston Schools, Mr. Miller should put this issue behind him. It is time to get on with his duties or resign as a school board trustee.

Betty Reilly  
Clarkston

### Rain did not deter Rotary's Labor Day Parade

A little rain and cooler weather did not deter the annual Labor Day Parade in downtown Clarkston from being held.

The crowds may have been smaller, but the enthusiasm was still evident, especially among the children lining the streets of Clarkston. The Clarkston Rotary has sponsored this annual event for the past 60 years.

Complete with umbrella, this year's Grand Marshal, Ken Winship, seemed to be taking the weather in stride while riding in a Jaguar convertible. He captured the moment by video recording the people along the parade route.

More than 40 entries participated this year, including several that registered moments before the parade began. The theme for this year's parade was "Lend a Hand," based upon the Rotary theme chosen by this

year's Rotary International President, Jonathan B. Majiyagbe, a lawyer from Nigeria.

Awards were given for best float, the First Congregational Church; best theme, Coldwell Banker and president award, SCAMP.

The Clarkston Rotary is proud of its longtime heritage in providing community service for the Clarkston and Independence Township area, especially organizing the Labor Day Parade.

Thank you to all that participated in the parade, as well as those who waited patiently along the streets for the parade to begin.

See you at next year's parade.

Joel DeLong  
Clarkston Rotary President

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## Where there's a will there's a way (scam)

Call me kooky, but I am either just really cynical or I'm stupid and have blown countless opportunities to make millions.

Since I don't believe I'm a cynical old fart, I must be stupid. At this very moment, if only I had acted, my family could have been set for life. We could be living large in a big house with a cement pond out back. I reckon if I wait around long enough, and answer enough faxes here at work, I'll have another opportunity to make my millions.

I'll have to watch that work fax machine like a hawk, lest some fellow worker swipe the fax and its millions in US cash out from under my feet. What am I talking about?

Let me tell you. Two or three times a year we get these faxes, faxes from wealthy men in Africa. The amount of letters we receive from rich African men would lead me to believe they could help their continent's debt problem, if only they acted. Alas, they're trying to get the cash out of Dodge.

Here's an example of the latest letter:

"I want you to patiently read this offer. I am Prof. Paul Azika the special assistant to the Minister of Petroleum and Natural Resources in Nigeria. I am the linkman between the Organization For Petroleum Exporting Countries - OPEC and the petroleum sector in Nigeria.

"Through the sale of our allocated oil quota in OPEC, I was able to make US \$22.2million, which is currently deposited in a European Security and Finance company. I want you to assist me to claim this money as I cannot claim it directly because I am still a civil servant, and the code of conduct bureau forbids me to acquire such an amount of money.

"It is on this basis that I am contacting you for assistance. If you will be interested, all you will do is to travel to the European nation after all official claim documents have been processed and sent to you. The documents with which the fund is deposited will be

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changed to reflect you as the new beneficiary so that you will be eligible to collect the fund on my behalf.

"I will give you 20% of the fund for this assistance. I am aware of the international monitoring of all large-scale financial movements after the September 11th terrorist attack on America and to avoid any state of financial investigation I will provide a classified clearance paper from the relevant body which will exonerate the money from either drug, money laundered or terrorist related proceeds.

"Kindly respond to my proposal through this email: \_\_\_\_\_ or Efax number \_\_\_\_\_. On the receipt of your mail indicating interest I will provide you with my phone and fax numbers for further correspondence. I want to assure you that there is no risk attached in this transaction. You should also try to provide me your own personal telephone and fax numbers. Expecting your response.

Best regards,  
**PROF. PAUL AZIKA**

\* \* \*

Maybe I really am a cynical old fart, 'cuz that's just too good to be true. How can I say it nicely? FOR GOD'S SAKE PEOPLE IT'S A FRACKIN' SCHMACKIN' SCAM!

If we're getting these scam letters, so are other businesses. And, hard as it may be to believe, gullible businessmen right here in our state have fallen prey. They have believed the letter, sent money, their bank account numbers, etc., banking on easy money only to be scammed out of thousands (sometimes more) of dollars.

Can you help stop these scammers? You can call the FBI (248-879-6090 in Oakland County); but they'll tell you to call the US Secret Service in Detroit (313-226-6400), as they did me, when I called.

Is this one way terrorist organizations bulk up their war chests? Or is it just an old fashioned flimflam? Don't know, but I am sure the gals and guys at the Secret Service office would like to see those letters. Fax the scam letters to them at 313-226-3952.

E-mail your thoughts to Don at: [dontrusmedon@aol.com](mailto:dontrusmedon@aol.com)

## Just Jotting

Question: Who or which person, company or organization first started answering your phone calls with voice mail?

I think it was government - local, county, state - offices and bureaus within those units.

And, with the great, and apparently accepted use of acronyms, here's one for voice mail: EAS.

Electronic Avoidance System.

Oh, how many times I've heard, "Leave your name, number and a short message and I'll get back to you."

There are only so many years in a person's life. It is with this in mind I repeat a great line in a commercial. A guy is standing on a sidewalk yelling up at a building, "I know you said you'd call me back, but I've used up all my vacation days."

\* \* \*

Recently I bought a tube of Rembrandt Plus toothpaste. The box promises "Peroxide Power Whitens Teeth 5 Shades." That line is asterisked, which usually means there's an explanation elsewhere. Couldn't find it.

That same day I bought a stick of deodorant. More later.

With nothing else to do, I started looking for Rembrandt's directions on how to use their paste. They tell you to brush thoroughly, but not *how* to brush. Is the best way up and down, back and forth, circular, what?

On the other hand, the stick deodorant reads, "Glide on product. Apply to underarms only." There's only one way to glide, as opposed to at least three ways to brush teeth.

Rembrandt, besides filling the box with way too many

**Jim's  
Jottings**



**Jim Sherman**

words, puts two sales inserts in the box and more on the tube. Oh, yeah, there are no directions on the tube itself, so I saved the box.

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Sometime in the last couple decades attorneys were given the right to advertise. Before that lawyers relied on word-of-mouth and names printed on panes in their doors. Not to be defused with pains in the drawers.

Now yellow page and television space is filled with attorneys pleading. And, they're attention getting. Greed does that to us.

The attorney looking for people suffering from Mesothelioma almost makes me wish I had asbestos symptoms so I could hire a column writer with all the wealth I'll be sharing in this class action lawsuit.

And, in case of serious injury or death call Sam Bernstein, Serman & Leh P.C., call Lee Free or Sarvis & Herman, to name four.

Hmmm! Maybe being healthy is more important than wealth.

\* \* \*

Pete Kalohn says, "First it was my marriage, now the magic has gone from my wedge."

I asked Pete what he would like to drink to. He said, "About three in the morning."

John Patrell asked, "If it's true we are here to help others, what are others here for?"

John's my Thursday golf partner. When things aren't going right for him, and they never are, he'll start singing:

"By the light  
of the Silvery Moon,  
I found my way

To the neighborhood saloon!"

Pete and John got together to write a drinking song, but they never got past the first two bars.

Had enough? One more: The only thing that stays in John's and Pete's heads for more than an hour is a cold.

No, one more: Both have faces of saints - Saint Bernards!

## A look

in  
*The Clarkston News*

### 15 YEARS AGO (1988)

• An informal special meeting on cityhood last week brought department heads and elected and appointed Independence Township officials together with William Basinger, spokesperson and trustee on the Clarkston Village Council. The mood was calm at the Sept. 13 gathering, and discussions included polite references to the frictions between the two bodies of government in addition to answers a lot of questions. Most township officials voiced veiled opposition to village cityhood.

• The emphasis on rigorous academics would continue, but Clarkston High School wants to use nationally recognized Advanced Placement classes rather than the weighted honor point system put in place five years ago. The phasing out of weighted honor was proposed to the Clarkston Board of Education in September, but no action will be taken until the October meeting.

• If a bond issue for expanding the Independence Township Library is successful in November, the land will be available. The Clarkston Board of Education voted on Sept. 12 to deed approximately 3.5 acres of school district land to the township if voters approve the library bond issue. A yes vote in November would allow the township to borrow up to \$2 million and charge the necessary millage to cover it,

### 25 YEARS AGO (1978)

• A campus renovation plan which could alleviate traffic problems and provide more parking and sports facilities at the Waldon Road schools complex - and which could cost upwards of \$1 million - has been proposed to the Clarkston Board of Education. The proposed master plan for site development, unveiled at a school board meeting Sept. 11 by a planning consultant, now is being reviewed by district administrators.

• Independence Township residents took the opportunity Tuesday night to ask for completion of previously requested projects and to add some new proposals to the list. Residents said some of the \$125,665 in federal revenue sharing funds due to come into the township this year should be used for road maintenance, funding police services, reducing sewer taxes and safety walks. About 50 people were present during the hour-long public hearings.

• Clarkston residents can expect to see new traffic signs appearing in the village. A truck loading zone will be created in place of two parking spots in front of 8 E. Washington Street and "No thru traffic" signs will be posted on Robertson Court where it meets North Main Street and Clarkston Road. Both traffic control methods were unanimously approved by the village council Sept. 11.

### 50 YEARS AGO (1953)

• The first day of school resulted in an increased enrollment of 127 students since June of last year. This is an enrollment increase of 8.5 percent over the 1952-53 enrollment. The percentage gain is primarily in the first three grades. The grand total may go as high as 1650 due to late registration of some students.

• Post Master Mrs. Elizabeth H. Ronk is now receiving the equipment needed to run a proper post office and this new material is now being installed. Besides providing for roomier lobby, there will be a few more boxes for the convenience of the patrons.

# Letters to the Editor

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## Parsonage owner defends turf

Competition is the name of the game. It keeps businesses on their toes, however, Rudy's takes it a step further. Remember the macaroni and cheese incident in which they allegedly attempted to "borrow" the Union's recipe? Now it appears as if Rudy's is in the flowers business.

I have spent the past 15 years building an upscale flower shop in Clarkston. My business is flowers and not deli products, wine, meat or vegetables. My goal as a business owner of a flower

shop is to provide my customers with high quality arrangements at a reasonable price. I have a staff of talented floral designers and I only accept the highest quality flowers from the most reputable growers.

My concern with Rudy's is that they use flowers as an accessory to their business with no regard for the flower shops in the area who sell flowers to survive in their field of business. I attempted to address this issue with Robert, and he said he would discuss it with his

associates and return my call. He did not return my call.

I am confident that most people will recognize the time that goes into properly caring for flowers that only a flower shop can provide. However, there are customers who are not aware that each flower receives special attention before it is placed for sale at a reputable shop. Flowers bunched together in the scorching heat will make for a very short life for the flowers.

**Shirley Wilson  
The Parsonage**

## SAD

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but now that argument is gone," Stuart said.

Stuart hopes the elimination of the SAD option gets more businesses to donate.

"They have to decide whether they want to step-up and help the community with their donation. All those involved will receive a significant increase in their property value when the construction is completed," Stuart said.

At least one board member, Trustee Dave Wagner was dismayed with the way the special meeting was sprung on the board at the last minute.

"I really felt up against the wall. I really wish there was more communication between the board," Wagner said. "He (Stuart) called the meeting at the last moment and didn't give us one piece of

paper. I think this was all political on his part. There is an election coming up so I guess that might be a good reason why this happened so fast."

Wagner, who voted yes, believes in the project and did not want to see it delayed any longer.

"It has taken so long to get this project going. Whenever we thought we had it something would come up. This is affecting a lot of businesses on Sashabaw in the pocketbook," Wagner said. "I mean, we knew who wouldn't give us land a year ago. Why this all had to be decided quickly at a

special meeting is beyond me."

Stuart said the issue did not need to be voted on at the special meeting if the board was not comfortable.

"I thought the matter was enough of an issue that we should have a meeting dedicated to it specifically," Stuart said. "I wanted to discuss the issue and if the board felt comfortable voting they would. There was nothing special about the day itself that this needed to get done other than the faster it got resolved the quicker we could begin."

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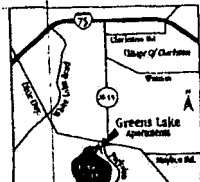
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The hearing will be held on Tuesday September 23 at 6:00 p.m. at Independence Township Fire Station 1, 6500 Citation Drive, Clarkston, MI 48346.

The date and location of the meeting to take action on the proposed additional millage will be announced at this public meeting.

If adopted, the proposed additional millage will increase operating revenues from ad valorem property taxes 12% over such revenues generated by levies permitted without holding a hearing. If the proposed additional millage rate is not approved the operating revenue will increase by 20% over the preceding year's operating revenue.

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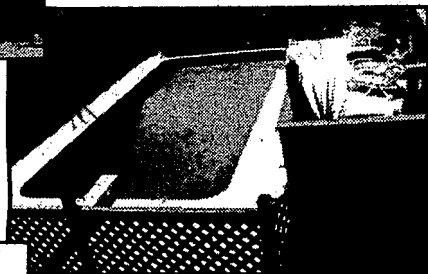


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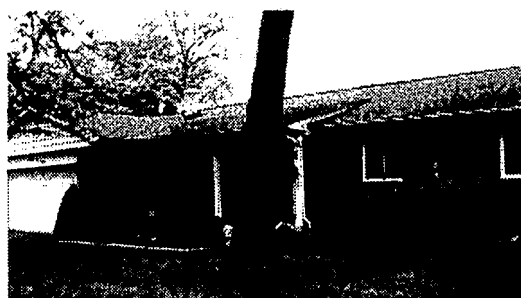
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# Springfield rejects sign for Davisburg Cemetery

BY DON SCHELSKE  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Despite pleas from descendants of the town's namesake, the Davisburg Cemetery will not have a historical marker paid for with Springfield Township funds.

After unsatisfactory results from the Michigan State Historical Commission, township officials researched prices for an independently produced bronze marker to recognize the origin and significance of the cemetery. The cost and the lack of official state designation, however, led trustees to reject the proposal.

Quotes from three vendors ranged from \$2,500 to \$3,774.

"I really don't feel a need to have a sign in there for \$2,500," Trustee David Hopper said at the Thursday, Sept. 11 board meeting, summarizing the feelings of several trustees. "We could spend it all better somewhere else."

In March 2002, the Springfield Township Board approved an application seeking designation of the Davisburg Cemetery as a state historical site. That would qualify the cemetery for an official bronze marker similar to those seen at other points of interest throughout the state.

The state agency approved the designation, but offered different wording for the marker and said the township must pay \$2,705 for a two-sided sign (despite the local request for one side only). In addition, state regulation say the marker would be owned by the state, although paid for by the local government.

The application was prepared by Clerk Nancy Strole and cemetery sexton Elaine Field-Smith, with suggested wording focusing on the donation of the cemetery land by Davisburg founder Cornelius Davis and the number of war veterans buried there.

State officials, using "secondary source" documents, added information about the cemetery "figuring prominently in the high profile murder of Dr. Nathan C. Hall, who was accused of poisoning his wife, Anna, in 1880." The state-proposed text speaks of Anna Hall's remains being exhumed, tested, reburied and discovered missing prior to a second planned disinterment in relation to the murder trial.

In July, the township board rejected that version of a sign. At the time, officials believed an appeal of the state agency's decision would be futile, but it came up again last week.

"I do not feel [the state-proposed] wording was a slam to our community," Fire Chief Charlie Oaks said. "I can't believe that, if the board was that upset with that particular wording, that it could not somehow be changed."

Supervisor Collin Walls read a letter from Judson Davis urging the township board to seek a revision from state officials. Carol Richards (another member of the extended Davis family) was present at the board meeting to urge the same, citing the potential revenue from tourists who use the state historical listings as a basis for their travels.

"[Judson Davis] is also taking issue with the language the historical society would have required, so that's heading us down a slippery slope," Clerk Nancy Strole said, reviewing the conversation with a state his-

torical society staffer. "That individual made it clear, in no uncertain terms, verging on rudeness, that we pay the money but they decide. It's not our decision as to what would appear on the sign."

"I like the idea of having a sign, but it's not going to be a 'historical' sign," Trustee Margaret Bloom said.

"I think it's an expensive sign for a cemetery, and I think we can utilize those funds in other areas," Treasurer Jamie Dubre said.

Trustees Dean Baker and Dennis Vallad had been the most ardent supporters of the sign proposal, and

questioned the change of heart.

"When this originally proposed, it was about a Michigan historical sign. We seemed to have a positive response to that," Baker said. "I'm just a little confused that at first we were going to do this. Now it doesn't seem to have the support."

"I can see this is going nowhere, so we might just as well drop it," Vallad said. He agreed to make that into a motion, but was the lone no vote on the record.

## Clarkston City Council

Now that road work is being completed, Chief Ernest Combs of the City of the Village of Clarkston Police told City Council members at their Monday, Sept. 8 meeting he has stepped up patrol.

Particularly, he's concerned about speeding on Holcomb. Just in the last week, he said numerous speeding violation citations were given as well as secondary violations after traffic stops were initiated revealing no seatbelts, operator's license problems and more.

"The residents have all welcomed (the patrol)," he said. "Several residents thanked us for being there."

Also at the meeting, the council approved increasing the Department of Public Work's Supervisor Bob Pursley's salary by \$1,000 retroactive to July 1. They

also approved the supervisor be allowed to use the D.P.W automobile for travel to and from his residence.

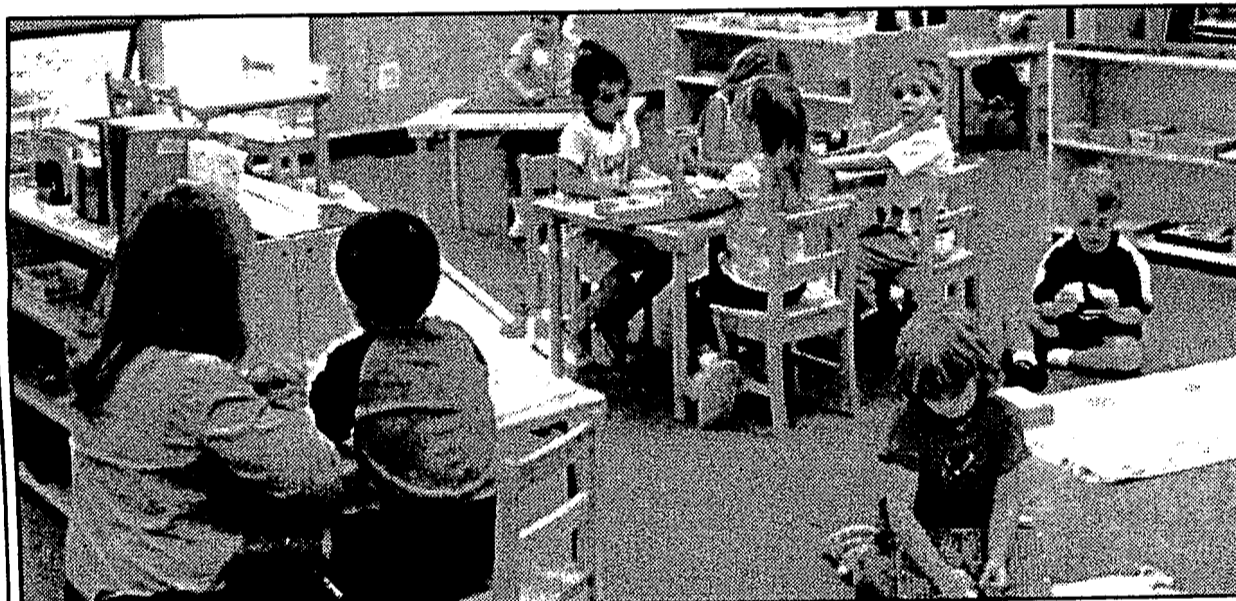
Curt Catallo, owner of the Clarkston Union, was granted approval for a liquor application for outdoor liquor sales on Oktoberfest.

City Manager Art Pappas was given authorization to apply for permits for street closings for the Taste of Clarkston on Washington Street on Sept. 27 from 2-11 p.m.

Clarkston resident Steve Hudson requested approval of a lot split of three lots on Clarkston Road. The council referred the request to the Planning Commission.

--Jennifer Nemer

## School opens



The Montessori School of Clarkston opened for classes Aug. 27. The school offers a three or five day preschool program for 2 1/2 to six year olds, with a full day kindergarten. The Montessori approach to education believes that your children absorb information from the environment. The school is located at 10439 Ortonville Road. For more information, call (248) 620-2190. Photo provided.

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# Police and Fire

## Independence Township

**Sunday, Sept. 14,** simple assault and battery on Snowapple. A 10-year-old boy was playing outside in front of his home when he was shot in the leg with a plastic BB by someone driving past in a black SUV. There are no suspects.

**Saturday, Sept. 13,** malicious destruction of property on Coulter Lake Blvd. Trees were knocked down and a gazebo and benches were damaged at a subdivision under construction.

Malicious mischief on Pelton. Minors were spotted drinking, leaving broken beer bottles in a driveway and driving onto the grass.

Domestic violence on Pine Knob Lane. A 53-year-old man was arrested for slapping his wife and threatening her with additional harm. Several guns he owned were taken into custody for safe-keeping.

Malicious destruction to a vehicle on N. Marshbank.

**Friday, Sept. 12,** a 23-year-old man was arrested for operating under the influence of liquor on Sashabaw. He was attempting to spin his tires when he lost control and ran into the CVS building at approximately 3:22 a.m. His truck went partially inside the building. His blood alcohol content was at .18 percent.

Two individuals, a 25-year-old

Waterford woman, and a 37-year-old Imlay City man, were issued citations for being a disorderly person at a concert at DTE Energy Music Theatre.

Ethnic intimidation on Parkwood Drive. A 16-year-old multi-racial boy said an African American student and his mother yelled discriminating terms at him at the bus stop.

**Thursday, Sept. 11,** larceny from a vehicle, with force, on Horseshoe Circle. A wallet and compact discs were stolen.

**Wednesday, Sept. 10,** trespassing on Stonewood Drive. Several individuals were caught on tape jumping a fence and swimming after hours at a pool in a subdivision. Extra patrol was requested.

Malicious destruction of mailboxes on Tamarack. Also, several mailboxes were knocked down from their posts at homes on Menominee.

Home invasion on Foxfire Lane. A model home was entered by force and several items, including a plasma television, were stolen.

Larceny of money and miscellaneous items from an unlocked vehicle in a residential driveway on Balmoral Terrace.

Larceny of \$100 worth of food by a 21-year-old female suspect at a grocery store on Dixie.

Burglary at a business on White Lake Court. Someone cut the lock to a gate and took numerous items from work trucks. Two ex-employees are possible suspects.

Larceny of \$200 and more from an

unlocked vehicle on Cherlane.

**Tuesday, Sept. 9,** a 23-year-old woman was arrested on Sashabaw for operating under the influence of liquor. She had a blood alcohol content of .23 percent.

**Monday, Sept. 8,** a complainant on Mann reported his uncle stole his checkbook and wrote and cashed checks totaling \$533.

Malicious destruction of property on Fox Creek. Someone threw rocks at a truck and chipped the windshield.

## Springfield Township

**Sunday, Sept. 14,** larceny from a vehicle on Crosby Lake. A window was broken out of a work van to gain entry and numerous items were stolen.

**Friday, Sept. 12,** larceny on Norman Road. An unknown person stole a snowmobile trailer stored on a vacant lot.

Malicious destruction of property on Clarridge. A vehicle window was broken out as it sat in the owner's driveway.

Malicious destruction of property on Bluewater. An unknown person scratched a pick up truck.

Larceny of a generator and air com-

pressor from an unlocked pole barn on Gibbs.

**Tuesday, Sept. 9,** threats on Dixie. The complainant alleges a traffic altercation started on Dixie and continued at a stop at a convenience store. The unknown suspect also allegedly followed the complainant home.

## City of Clarkston

**Saturday, Sept. 13,** a Sterling Heights man was arrested for driving while visibly impaired at approximately 1:51 a.m.

**Friday, Sept. 12,** a 17-year-old Waterford Township man backed into a mailbox in the 5000 block of Middle Lake at approximately 6:35 p.m.

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# We need to see the images again

In September 2002, I was among those who eagerly anticipated the commemoration of the Sept. 11, 2001 terrorist attacks on New York City and Washington. While a few said it was unnecessary or, even worse, harmful to the victimized families, most of the nation seemed to need the opportunity for further mourning, reflection and rededication.

Approaching September 2003, I was among those hoping for minimal mention of the event. At this point, I thought, it would be more manipulation than meaning.

Then, while flipping channels on the tv last week, I saw one of the film clips of a jet flying into the World Trade Center.

It was like seeing it for the first time.

The sight of the second jet slicing into the tower like a hot knife through butter — and knowing it was not a Hollywood special effect — sent chills down my spine and numerous thoughts through my brain.

A lot of people talk about where they were when the attack took place. A more interesting topic of conversation is, "How did you feel?" We newspeople asked that question a lot, but many of us did not soon have opportunity to answer it for ourselves.

Perhaps that's one reason why I welcome the

***We need to relive the national rush of adrenaline that pulls us together to forget petty squabbles, put priorities in order and solve problems.***

look back. In being exposed to newspaper and broadcast coverage of the second anniversary, it brought to mind the benefits of reliving the nightmare.

Benefits? Absolutely.

We need to relive the shock that showed we can still be shocked in a society where "shocking" things are now considered all too routine.

We need to relive the horror of innocent lives being lost, so we can better appreciate the value of life.

We need to relive the outrage against injustice so we can rekindle our dedication to the pursuit of justice.

We need to relive the sense of helplessness that sends us running for divine comfort, strength, guidance and, yes, even forgiveness.

We need to relive the national rush of adrenaline that pulls us together to forget petty squabbles, put priorities in order and solve problems.

We need not remain in the past, however. Indeed, we need to recognize the impact of Sept. 11, 2001 on the present.

While sometimes more of an excuse than a cause,

the events of that day have affected many of our jobs and our daily routines. We are not frequent flyers, but my wife recently had opportunity for a trip via airline; it was our first exposure to the new security procedures that affect many businesspeople on a daily basis.

While the goal is for us to maintain our freedoms and our way of life, there is new scrutiny motivated by the pursuit of known and potential terrorists. This is a good thing, and whatever inconveniences we suffer pale in comparison to security measures in other countries (and let's face it, we still have far more conveniences than most).

Is there overkill in the remembrances? Absolutely, and several media outlets share a lot of the guilt. A former colleague once called extra-large front page type as "second coming of Christ" headlines, and some newspapers will have no type available when Christ does return.

The feelings and emotions are real, however, even for those who had no loved ones lost in New York, Washington or Pennsylvania. It is legitimate to let those feelings out.

One radio news anchor referred to the World Trade Center as a "crime scene," and that is accurate. The events of Sept. 11, 2001 do not qualify as an accident, and some say the word tragedy is mistaken.

It was a crime, an attack, an atrocity, a horror and a cowardly strike against civilization. Let us add it to the list of events we will never forget.

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# Growth, 'town center' lead church to build new home

BY DON SCHELSE  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

They were hoping for growth, but the folks at Bridgewood Church could not have written the script leading to plans for a new building in Independence Township.

Sue Marquis, administrative assistant for the church, said there's only one explanation.

"God's been in this from the beginning," she said. "We just sit back and marvel at how he has handed us one thing after another."

Marquis and Lead Pastor Curt Demoff are among a group of about 12 who came to the former Good Shepherd Assembly of God in December 2001 by request of the denomination's district office. The congregation had dwindled to about five families, and the team supervised a renovation of the building, a new name and a new emphasis on family ministry.

Now attendance exceeds 100, and the current building on Sashabaw Road is inadequate for the church's growing needs.

Even without the growth, development along Sashabaw between Waldon and Maybee roads will force the congregation to move. The current church property will be bisected by the new Waldon Center Drive.

"We were faced with some huge challenges," Demoff said. "We look back now and we see that as a total blessing."

Purchase of property and approval of a site plan take time. Bridgewood Church has seen it happen in the space of about a year. It began with the availability of 12 acres on the southwest corner of M-15 and Rattalee Lake Road.

"We wanted to be in a visible place and wanted to be within a couple miles of this place in Independence Township," Marquis said.

There were good negotiations with the property owner, but some understandable uncertainty of how the small congregation would pay for it. The owner eventually donated three acres (where the new church building will go up), reduced the price on the rest and allowed for land contract terms.

"That was the beginning of the property miracle for us," Marquis said.

The next challenge was to design a building with both economics and aesthetics in mind.

The Design Resources architectural firm produced drawings that, so far, have received township government's blessing. Final site plan approval was expected from the township planning commission last week, and the hope is for footings to be placed this fall to allow for building construction throughout the winter.

"From the quotes of the architects and engineers, this has been a flawless project," Marquis said. "They're amazed."

If all goes well, the 18,000-square-foot building (with an estimated cost of \$1.25 million) will be ready for occupancy in spring. If weather becomes a factor,



Lead Pastor Curt Demoff and Administrative Assistant Sue Marquis review plans for the new building for Bridgewood Church in Independence Township. The church believes there is divine providence in the sequence of events leading to the new building. Photo by Don Schelske

it could be fall occupancy but still with plenty of time to beat the developers' deadline to vacate the Sashabaw property.

"They've kind of worked their project all around us," Demoff said, giving credit to the developers "They've given way beyond what's been expected of them."

There was some consideration of leasing space on a temporary basis, but Demoff has witnessed that in the past.

"It wasn't that much more just to make our payments and have a facility that we will actually own and are able to use more than two days a week."

The new building will not follow a lot of traditional church design rules. Following their emphasis on full-family ministry, the center of the multipurpose building will house the "Exploration Station," from which "launch pads" will direct people to different parts of the building depending on the desired program.

Regular worship services will be "family services,"

Demoff said.

"It's difficult to find something to do with your family," he said. "We really feel like the family is being torn apart because families aren't doing things together. They're not worshipping together, they're not playing together, they're not spending time together."

Even with age-oriented programs, the church is gearing their "Planet Adventures" program to be on the same general theme.

"It gives families the opportunity to take the lessons beyond Sundays, and everyone has some common knowledge on it," he said.

The church realizes that the new building will not be the final challenge. Their prayer is for additional growth in both ministry and finances.

"We need to get in the building to keep the momentum going," Demoff said. "It's an incredible risk in the human aspect, [but] we recognize the Lord is helping us."

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# Springfield Plains shoe donations to help kids

## Fun Run event goes to Sept. 26

BY JENNIFER NEMER  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Each year the students at Springfield Plains Elementary strap on their running shoes and release their energy in the Fun Run, the Parent Teacher Association's only annual fundraiser.

According to second grader Amber, the Fun Run, "is about having fun."

Fellow student Shannon explains, "We get to run around the gym and after get to eat. If it's not raining we get to run outside."

Along with pledges raised for each lap a student runs, every year the Fun Run has a theme and/or correlating charity drive.

The theme this year is "Building Playgrounds Together -- One Step at a Time."

A school-wide collection for used tennis shoes has already begun and will be held until the Fun Run event, Friday, Sept. 26.

The shoes will then be donated to the Nike Corporation. Nike grinds the soles and creates playground bases for inner-city play areas, Carol Foos, Fun Run chairperson said, adding The Running Gear store in Waterford is covering the cost of shipping the shoes to Nike.

"My fifth grade daughter, Anna, came up with the idea and I thought that was so great," Foos said.

Shoes in good condition will be given to Clarkston resident Maureen Tippen who will be taking the shoes to the Dominican Republic in February for children who have no shoes.

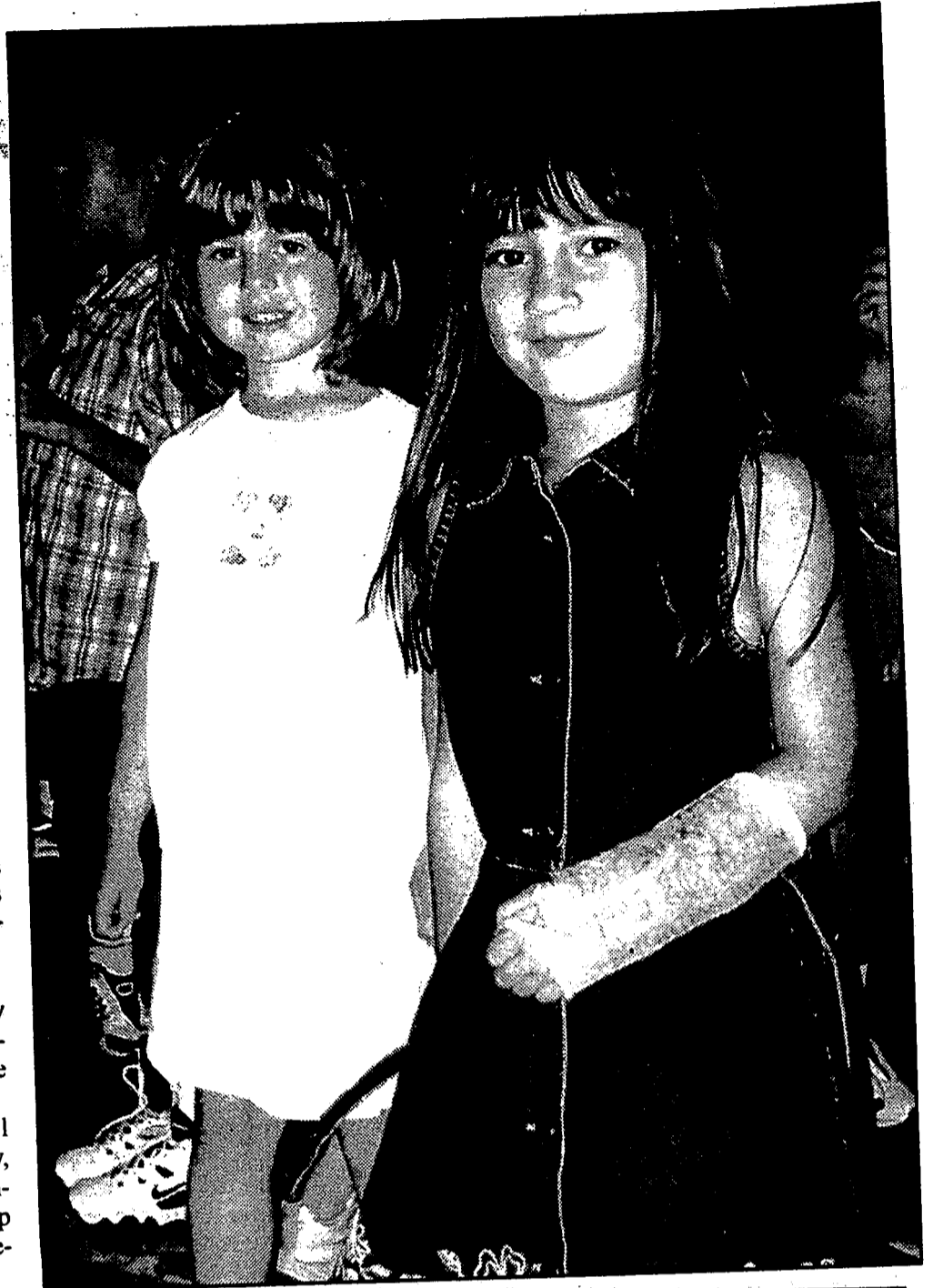


Above, Holly Pelten and Hannah Jeung, both kindergartners, dance to a tune during an assembly Friday, Sept. 12 to get the kids pumped up about the Fun Run and correlating charity fundraiser. On right, Kindergartners Emma Morris and Sophia Hernandez and fellow students at Springfield Plains will be collecting used shoes to be donated to Nike where the soles will be ground up and used to make bases for inner-city play areas. Photos by Jennifer Nemer.

"Our goal is to raise enough money from our pledges to cover the PTA budget and have enough left over to improve our own playground," Foos said.

The PTA budget covers school events and programs like Festival Day, Destination Imagination, Field Day, Family Fun Night, Art Smarts as well as help provide beautification and other improvements to the building.

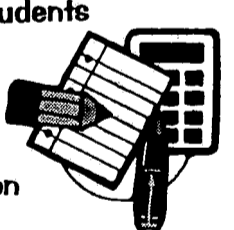
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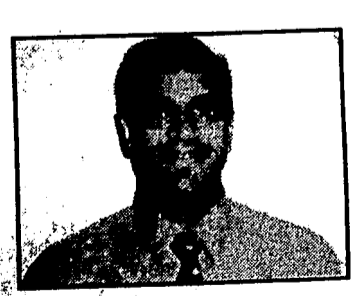


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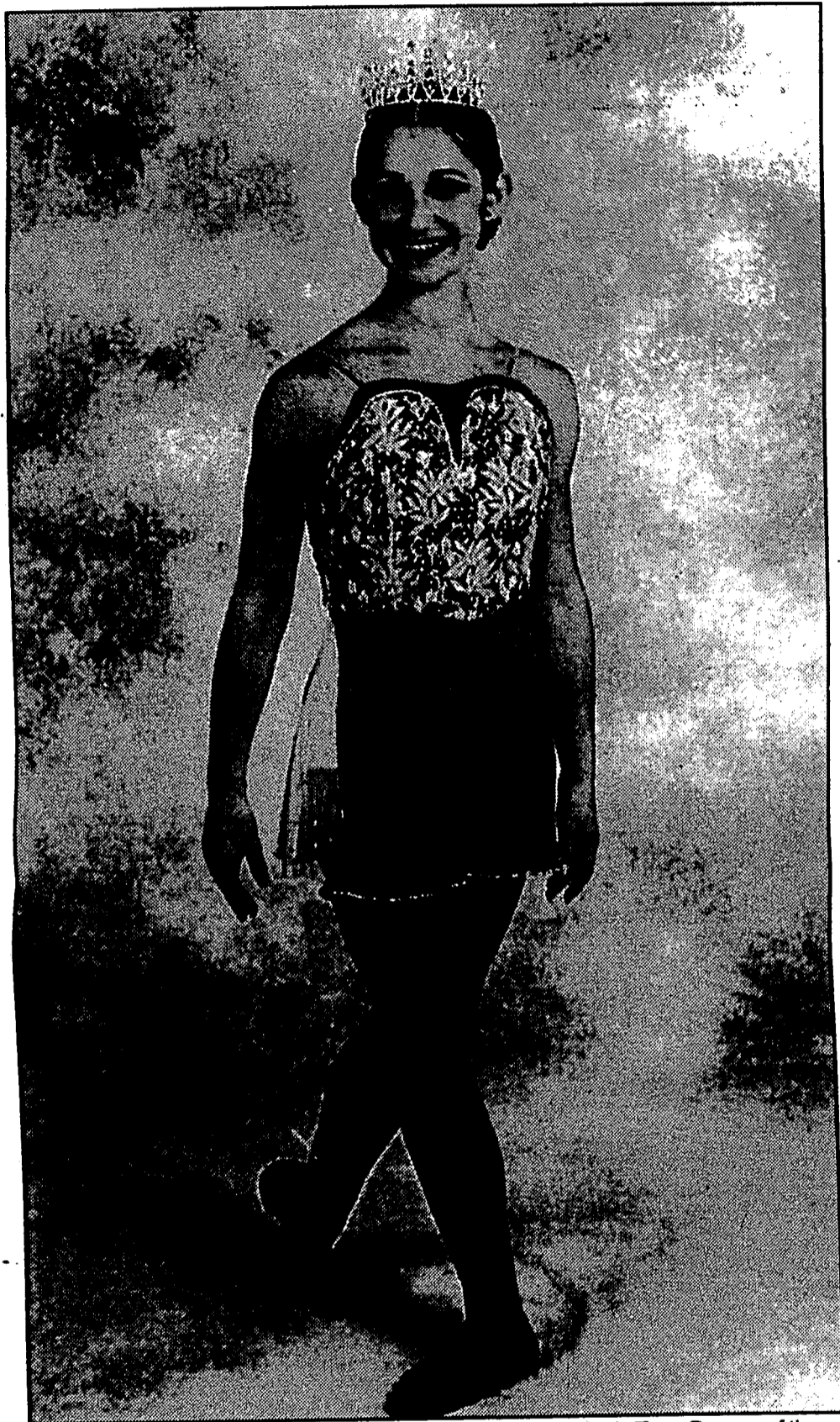
# Clarkston teen America's Dancer of the Year

BY JENNIFER NEMER  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Clarkston High School sophomore Ashley Shaw is "America's Teen Dancer of the Year" for 2003. This, just two years after being

named "America's Junior Dancer of the Year" in 2001.

"This doesn't happen real often," Terri Newman, of Terri Newman's Dance Shoppe in Waterford, and Shaw's teacher, said. "To win one national title



Clarkston High School sophomore Ashley Shaw is America's Teen Dancer of the Year 2003. Photo provided.

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**Ashley Shaw**  
American Teen Dancer of the Year

as a junior competitor was certainly impressive. To turn around and win as a teen is highly unusual, especially since the number and talent of the dancers in the competition increases as they mature."

"It was the most amazing thing," Shaw admits. "I never thought it could happen. I never thought someone like me could achieve something like this."

The teen dancer award is given by one of the country's oldest and most respected competition holders, the Massachusetts-based American Dance Awards.

Shaw qualified for the American Dance Awards after winning a regional title competition in Atlanta in March. She was joined in New York City by 45 other dancers.

"These are the best throughout U.S. and Canada," Newman said.

For her award-winning performance, which was a lyrical number, choreographed by Newman, entitled, "Leading With Your Heart," Newman said you could hear a pin drop amidst the large audience.

"Ashley took the stage and then touched the hearts of everyone in the audience. It was truly a magical performance."

"It was like nothing I'd ever done before. Everything went perfect on stage," Shaw remembers. Afterwards, audience members couldn't help but praise the performance. "That was the best feeling."

In addition to performing her solo, Shaw took competition classes where she was scored on her technique in jazz, ballet, tap and acrobatics, winning the overall high score in jazz.

"Ashley has been very talented from a very young age," Newman said. "As a second grader, we did a production of 'Peter Pan' and I cast her as Tinkerbell and it was a big part. Even then, as a second grader, she charmed the audience."

The next year, Shaw, as a third grader, took on a solo role in Newman's dance production. She became an official soloist in fourth grade, which Newman said is younger than usual.

"Not only is she great technically as a dancer, Newman says, Shaw "has an amazing ability to tell a story while dancing."

"I just love performing. I love being on stage. I love being in front of everyone; that's the best thing about being on stage," Shaw said, who said she never gets nervous before taking the stage, either.

Throughout her years of dancing, Shaw has been named Dance Master's of Michigan's Petite Miss Dance of Michigan and Junior Miss Dance of Michigan in 1999 and 2001. On both occasions she represented Michigan at Dance Masters of America's national events in Anaheim and New York City, placing as first runner-up both times.

Shaw is also Dance Masters of Michigan's reigning Teen Miss Dance of Michigan. She competed for the national title in Las Vegas in July, capturing the place of second runner-up.

She is a member of The Dance Shoppe's award winning, Classy Dancers, competitive dance troupe as well as the Lakes Area Civic Ballet.

Shaw doesn't know yet what avenue she'll pursue in her future career, but "as long as dancing is in my life," that's what she'll do.

"She loves to dance, it comes out of her pores," Newman said, adding in a competitive environment like dance, many can be uncomfortable around a national title holder. But not with Shaw.

"Everybody loves her. She is well-liked and makes friends wherever she goes. She's so special and has a really good heart."

Clarkston residents Jenna Bartholme and Michelle Marmon, both freshman at Clarkston High School, also participated in the American Dance Awards.

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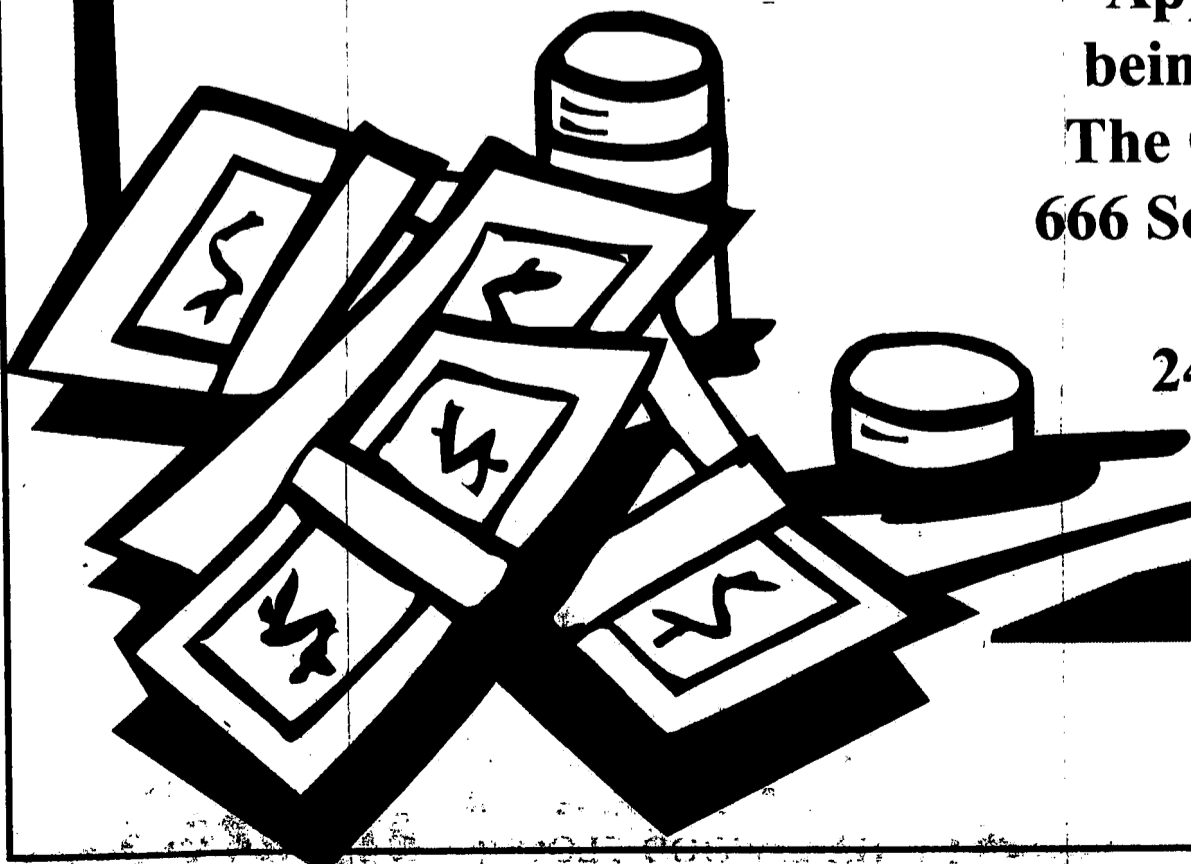
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# Sports

## Swim team defeats Lamphere

Clarkston High School's girls swim-dive team was successful against Lamphere Thursday, Sept. 11 with a decisive 146-56 team victory.

Top finishers for Clarkston included:

200-yard medley: A team (Chelsea Hassett, Jessica Doyle, Sarah Napier, Erin Richards), first place, 2:11.81; B team (Amanda Hassett, Elizabeth Knappe, Kelly Keil, Julie Mansfield), second place, 2:19.58; C team (Megan Bland, Kari Swartzmiller, Kristin Boike, Rachel Napier), fourth place, 2:30.07.

200-yard freestyle: Andrea Galaviz, first, 2:14.10; Kandice Keen, second, 2:15.52; Nicole Kirby, third, 2:20.07.

200-yard IM: Erin Richards, first, 2:30.65; Chelsea Hassett, third, 2:35.54; Sarah Napier, fourth, 2:39.92.

50-yard freestyle: Amanda Nichols, second, 30.77; Julie Mansfield, third, 31.62; Jenna Swartzmiller, fourth, 34.13.

1-meter diving: Kaitlin Kieras, first, 150.65; Jessica Colombo, second, 133.55; Elyse Johnson, third, 120.85; Amanda Richards, fourth, 108.05.

100-yard butterfly: Kelly Keil, first, 1:18.08; Michelle Vandervoord, second, 1:25.08.

100-yard freestyle: Julie Mansfield, third, 1:10.18; Allison Kanous, fourth, 1:12.06; Sarah Cortez, fifth, 1:16.74.

500-yard freestyle: Erin Richards, first, 5:58.85; Andrea Galaviz, second, 5:59.46; Nicole Kirby, third, 6:16.07; Anne Maxwell, fifth, 7:20.40.

200-yard freestyle relay: A team (Kandice Keen, Sarah Napier, Amanda Nichols, Katie Snelling), first place, 1:56.65; B team (Jessica Doyle, Allison Kanous, Michelle Vandervoord, Mia Pokriefka), third place, 2:11.44.

100-yard backstroke: Amanda Hassett, second, 1:13.87; Megan Bland, third, 1:20.44; Kelsey Merz, fourth, 1:21.22; Rachel Napier, sixth, 1:27.67.

100-yard breaststroke: Katie Snelling, second, 1:24.18; Jessica Doyle, third, 1:26.02; Sarah Napier, fourth, 1:26.55.

400-yard freestyle relay: B team (Chelsea Hassett, Kandice Keen, Megan Bland, Nicole Kirby), first place, 4:19.93.

## Mead wins in invitational tennis

Clarkston's girls tennis team lost to Lahser, 3-5 on Thursday, Sept. 11.

Winners for the Wolves included Colleen Mead, #1 singles, 6-0, 6-0; Darryann Trout, #2 singles, 4-6, 6-1, 6-3; and Lauren Kurowski, #4 singles, 6-2, 7-5.

The Wolves participated in the Grosse Pointe Invitational Saturday, Sept. 13.

Colleen Mead won the tournament in #1 singles, defeating opponents from Flint Powers (6-1, 6-2), Marysville (6-2, 6-1) and Troy Athens (6-0, 6-1).

Darryann Trout won one match in #2 singles. Clarkston's #2 doubles and #3 doubles teams each won a match in the tournament. This week's scheduled action includes home matches against Troy Tuesday, Sept. 16 and Rochester Adams Thursday, Sept. 18.

## Wolves shut out Southfield



Clarkston's offense continues to do the job, helped by an able defense limiting scoring by their opponents. File photo by Kyle Gargaro.

BY DON SCHELSE

Clarkston News Staff Writer

It's 3-0 for the Clarkston Wolves varsity football team, after 14-0 shutout of Southfield on Friday, Sept. 12.

Nick Blackstone scored both rushing touchdowns, the first on the team's first possession of the game and the second with less than two minutes remaining in the game.

In between, it was a defensive battle on the home field, and head coach Kurt Richardson said his defense did a good job against a frequently threatening Blue Jay offense.

"They were in our end the whole time," Richardson said, giving special credit to Addison Turk and Brendan Quisenberry for their performances.

After three games, the team is healthy for the most part, but two starting linemen were out with injuries as of Monday. Richardson was not sure how long they would be on the bench.

The Wolves will host Rochester (1-2) on Friday, Sept. 19. Richardson said the Falcons run similar plays to Clarkston on both offense and defense.

"It should be an easy game to prepare for," the coach said, but there is work to do. "We've got to get our passing game going and get more consistent on our offense."

## Athlete of the Week Football is fun for Addison Turk

BY DON SCHELSE

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Addison Turk has been playing football since age 10, when he joined the Clarkston Chiefs program. Now a third-year varsity player at Clarkston High School, he's glad for the early start.

The son of Mike and Shiela Turk, the senior believes the highlight (so far) was making the varsity squad as a sophomore.

"I like being able to play with my buddies and have fun," he said.

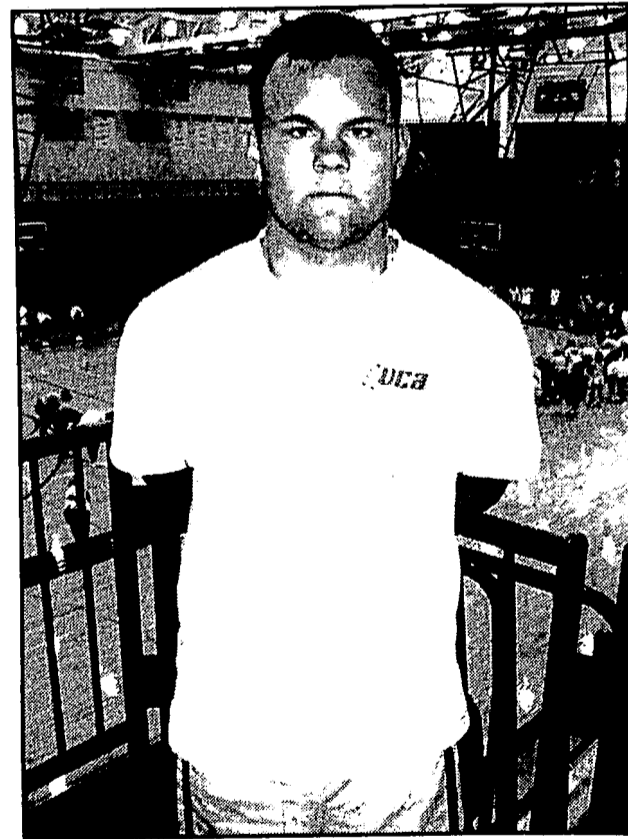
He also enjoys other sports. He plays third base for the varsity Wolves, and takes time for golf now and then (when asked if he's any good on the links, he smiles but immediately says, "No").

The senior year is an awesome thing, but Addison Turk seems to have it all in perspective. There's a lot going on, but wants to take advantage of the opportunities while he can.

"I'm trying to enjoy spending time with my friends before going to college," he said.

The current possibilities are Central Michigan University (especially if he can earn a baseball scholarship) or Western Michigan. He hopes to pursue a career in criminal law.

"I've liked it ever since I was young," he said.



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# Arts and Herbs, a holistic fair, set for Sept. 21

BY JENNIFER NEMER  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

It's a holistic approach to the traditional arts and crafts show.

The Herbs and Art Fair will feature 20 local artists displaying everything from garden decor, painted furniture, antiques, painted gourds, fresh and dried flowers, floral wreaths, herbal teas and more.

The event will be held Sunday, Sept. 21 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Oak Haven Farm in Holly, at the corner of Grange Hall and Dixie Highway.

"It's a great atmosphere. It's just relaxing here," Sharon Matzelle, organizer of the fair, said of Oak Haven.

This is the fifth annual Herbs and Art Fair, but the first time held at Oak Haven.

"There will be a lot of holistic things, a lot of hand-made, one-of-a-kind items."

Matzelle, who co-owns Thyme in the Bottle, an herbal greenhouse and garden store in Clarkston, will have herbal vinegars, baskets, herbal teas, fresh flowers and herbs available at the fair.

Others showcasing work include Laura Wall, of Independence Township and owner of Laura Wall Hand Painting. She will have a variety of antique furniture available for purchase. "These are items I've found in disrepair and tried to bring back so they are structurally okay. They have a Pennsylvania-Dutch feel. There's a lot of earth tones." Many of the pieces date into the 1700's and 1800's, and Wall provides a bit of historical information on each item.

Her husband, Richard Mason is a photographer and will showcase many of his framed photographs, typically shots of farm animals and flowers, and mostly in black and white.

Students from Oakland Technical Center will be

selling succulents, herbal bath oils and harvest table arrangements.

The fair's special guest is Colleen Dodt, author of "The Essential Oils Book and Natural Baby Care," and co-author of "Herbal Well Being."

"She'll be selling her books, signing and will be available to answer people's questions," Matzelle said. "She's very knowledgeable on herbs."

Also at the fair, appetizers and recipes will be supplied by "Whole Foods" of Rochester, and there will be drawings to win tickets and gift certificates to the farm.

"The best things is there's something for the kids, something for mom, and something for the whole family," Matzelle said.

Oak Haven features a petting zoo, ice cream parlor, cider and donuts and more.

For questions, call Matzelle at (248) 625-3105.



Sharon Matzelle and Laura Wall will be among the artists showcasing their work at the Herbs and Art Fair at Oak Haven Farm in Holly. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

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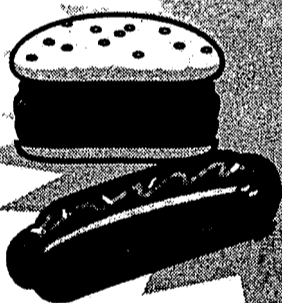
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# Obituary

## Vera E. Hipp

Vera E. Hipp, of Holly and formerly of Cadillac and Clarkston, died on September 10, 2003 at age 90. She was preceded in death by her husband H.B., son Bud and granddaughter Dorthea; loving mother of Fred (Susan) Hipp of Waterford, Cheryl (Donald) Thompson of Highland and Linda (Paul) King of Wolverine Lake; also survived by 16 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild; dearest friend of Louise Martin.

A funeral service was held at the Lewis E. Wint & Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Clarkston. Interment Crescent Hills Cemetery, Waterford.

## Norm Miller

Norman Miller, of Lake, Michigan and formerly of Clarkston, died in Mount Pleasant on August 20, 2003 at age 84.

Norm and his wife Glorva lived in the Clarkston area for 20 years where they raised their sons Randy and Rick who attended and graduated from the Clarkston School District. Norm and Glorva were members of the Clarkston Methodist Church and the Sashabaw Presbyterian Church. Norm was a volunteer on the Clarkston Police Force from 1967 almost to the time he retired in 1975.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, September 20 at the Barryton Church of Christ with Pas-

tor Brett Coney officiating. The family will greet friends during the luncheon being served in the fellowship hall preceding the memorial service. In lieu of flowers, those who wished to send a memorial may do so in Norman's name to the Barryton Church of Christ, 18221 M 66, Barryton, MI 49305 or the Isabella County Commission on Aging at 3480 S. Isabella Rd. Mount Pleasant, MI 48858. Funeral arrangements entrusted to the Daggett Funeral Home in Barryton.

## Jasmine R. Dinsmoore (Summerlee)

Jasmine R. Dinsmoore (Summerlee), of Clarkston, died suddenly due to a car accident on Sept. 11, 2003 at age 15.

She was the loving daughter of Becky and Terry Summerlee of Clarkston and Bill and Teresa Dinsmoore of Sebawaing; dearest sister of Nick, Samantha, Ashley, Taylor, Tessa, Breanna and Carissa; granddaughter of Phyllis Jamieson of Sebawaing, James (Susan) Summerlee of New York, William, Sr. and Pamela Dinsmoore of Unionville and Bill and Judy Mielke of Sebawaing.

Jasmine was a sophomore at Clarkston High School. A funeral service was held at the Clarkston United Methodist Church. Arrangements entrusted to the Lewis E. Wint & Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Clarkston. Memorials may be made to Gift of Life.

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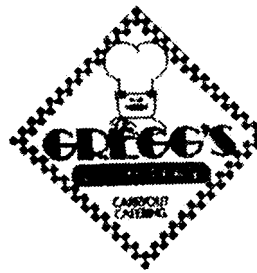
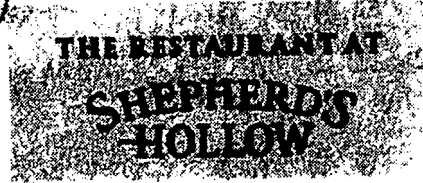
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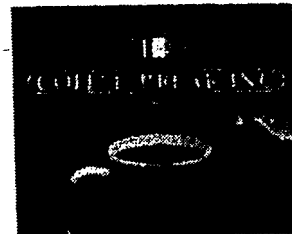


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What do you enjoy most about fall?



"The change of season, the cool crisp air, cider and apple pie."

--Pat Lengauer



"That's easy...the color."

--Kathy Allen



"God's handiwork and the color He gives us."

--Kathy Bowes



"The weather. I don't like it hot, so I like the cooling off. And everything's so pretty. And the kids are back in school."

--Corliss Lawrey

By Jennifer Nemer

# The Clarkston News' Millstream

A section dedicated to showcasing all the reasons this is a great area to live and work!

## Lifelong resident gives back to community

BY KYLE GARGARO  
Clarkston News Editor

Lifelong Clarkston resident Kelly Arcello is making a difference in her community.

The Independence Township Parks and Recreation employee spends a lot of her free time helping numerous local charities.

"I give back now because I have the time," Arcello said. "I had a lot of role models who taught me a good work ethic. I give back because I love doing it."

Arcello has gotten involved with many causes through her job with Parks and Recreation. The 1996 Clarkston High School graduate focuses on special events at her job.

"I enjoy helping the community be a better place. I also help with day camps and recreation classes," Arcello said. "I love going to work everyday. I could never have a behind the desk kind of job. I am just not that type of person. It is definitely not just a normal job."

Arcello has quite a history with the Parks and Recreation department. They gave Arcello her first job when she was in high school.

"I just really loved it," Arcello said.

After high school, Arcello moved on to Michigan State University. She was not sure what she wanted to do with her life until she found out you could major in Parks and Recreation.

Upon graduation in 2001, Arcello participated in an internship program before hearing of the opening in Independence Township.

"At first I was a little leery about coming back but it has worked out great. My parents still live in the area and I really enjoy the job," Arcello said.

Through her relationship with Renee Przybylski, built during their time working



Kelly Arcello is among the smiling faces working with Independence Township Parks and Recreation. She serves as recreation programmer. Photo by Bob Flath.

'At first I was a little leery about coming back, but it has worked out great. We do a lot of fun stuff. I love spending time with kids.'

Kelly Arcello  
Independence Township  
Parks and Recreation

at Parks and Recreation with each other, Arcello is a member of the "Friends of Renee" Spraypark Committee.

The group is attempting to raise \$153,000 by Dec. 31, 2003 to construct a new Spraypark at Clintonwood Park. The hope is to have the park, dedicated in the memory of Renee Przybylski, by June of 2004. Przybylski died of leukemia at age 23.

"She was always a fantastic person," Arcello said. "We were mutual friends and she was super nice. We would work day camps together and even when she was sick she would be working. She was awesome and great to work with."

The group started with a single donation which spurred Renee's parents into attempting to raise money for something specific for day campers in Renee's honor.

"Mike Turk (Parks and Recreation Di-

rector) met with the parents to brainstorm ideas and I sat in on the meeting. That is how I got involved," Arcello said.

The group had a kick-off campaign last Saturday and has many events planned in the coming months to raise funds.

There are 20 people involved with the project.

"It is a huge project and we really want to see it happen," Arcello said.

Arcello is also a mentor with Clarkston Youth Assistance. As part of the community plus program, Arcello mentors a high school student which includes one-on-one meetings as well as monthly outings with all the mentors and kids.

"We do a lot of fun stuff. I love to spend time with kids," Arcello said. "We are al-

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# Around Town



Laura Wall, pictured here with two-year-old daughter Shannon at Oak Haven Farm in Holly, will be one of the 20 artists showcasing their work at the Herbs and Art Fair at Oak Haven, Sunday, Sept. 21. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

service will be available from the Clarkston Middle School.

Clarkston artists as well as from surrounding areas will showcase and sell their work at the **Herbs and Art** fair Sunday, Sept. 21 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Oak Haven Farm, 7515 Grange Hall in Holly. Artists will feature garden decor, painted furniture, antiques, painted gourds, fresh and dried flowers, herbal teas and products, and more. Author Colleen Dodt, of "The Essential Oils Book and Natural Baby Care," will be the fair's special guest. Appetizers and recipes will be provided by Whole Foods. Call Sharon at (248) 625-3105 for more information.

The Clarkston Community Women's Club will hold their first meeting of the year, Thursday, Sept. 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Library. Master Gardner Patty Salter will be speaking. Call Gail Ferguson at (248) 623-9462 for further details.

The Independence Township Senior Center will host a **Country Corn Roast**, Friday, Sept. 19 from 4:30-7 p.m. Come at 4:30 p.m. to sit on the deck or enjoy lawn games. Dinner, which includes grilled steak or chicken, fresh corn, tossed salad, and Texas sheet cake or pineapple upside down cake, is at 6 p.m. in the Carriage House. Music is by the Michigan Split Rail Bluegrass Band. To register, sign up at the senior center. Call (248) 625-8231.

Migration is the way some animals cope with winter. "Frequent Fliers" will help explain migration with slides, a hike, craft and more at Independence Oaks County Park's Lewis E. Wint Nature Center, Saturday, Sept. 20 from 10-11:30 a.m. Cost is \$2/person. For information or to register, call (248) 625-6473.

The Clarkston Community Historical Society's annual **Crafts and Cider Festival** will be held Sept. 20-21, rain or shine, at Depot Park from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday. The festival will feature more than 100 artists selling their wares, from paintings, sculpture and jewelry to clothing, pottery and stained glass. Entertainment will be provided all day Saturday and Sunday. Many tasty treats including cider and donuts will be available for purchase. Admission is free. A shuttle

The Clarkston Village Players presents "Home Games" by Tom Ziegler, Sept. 25, 26, 27, 28, Oct. 2, 3, 4, 5. A young woman cares for her father who in his dementia is convinced he is still playing baseball for the 1955 Yankees. When she finds romance in the form of a successful young executive, she must decide whether to send her father to a nursing home or grab what may be her last chance at love. Showtimes are Thursdays at 7:30 p.m., Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m., and Sundays at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for Thursday and Sunday performances, \$12 for Friday and Saturday. For tickets call the Depot Ticket line at (248) 625-8811. Tickets are also available at Tierra Fine Jewelry, 64 S. Main. Visit [www.clarkstonvillageplayers.org](http://www.clarkstonvillageplayers.org) for more information. Depot Theater is located at 4861 White Lake Rd. in Clarkston.

Enjoy a night out on the town, while the kids join Independence Township Parks and Recreation for a **Rockin' Kids Night Out** Fridays, Sept. 26 and Oct. 24. The event, for kids ages five to 11, will take place at the Clintonwood Park Carriage House at 6:30 p.m. with a dinner and themed activities and games. Cost is \$10/residents or \$15/nonresidents. Register at the Parks and Rec. office at 90 N. Main St. (birth certificate is needed) or call (248) 625-8223 for details.

Club 5529, a Christian club for young adults, will host Red Umbrella, More Than Electric and Josh Garrels (alt/pop/rock) in concert Friday, Sept. 26. Doors open at 8:30 p.m. Cost is \$7 at the door. General admission seating. Club 5529 is located inside the Clarkston Christian Association at 5529 Sashabaw. Call (248) 620-4900 or check out [www.5529music.com](http://www.5529music.com) for more in-

formation.

On Saturday, Sept. 27 at 9:30 a.m. the Davisburg United Methodist Church Circle of Love ladies group will host quilter and inspirational speaker, Jackie Trute, at "Binding Together," a prayer breakfast. Tickets purchased for the spring cancelled event will be honored at the door. Additional tickets will be available at the door as well. Price is \$7. If you have questions call the church office at (248) 634-3373. Davisburg United Methodist Church is located 803 Broadway in Davisburg.

The Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce's **Taste of Clarkston** will be Saturday, Sept. 27 from 5-9 p.m. in the Washington Street parking lot in downtown Clarkston. Call (248) 625-8055 for details.

Clarkston High School **Homecoming** activities include: PowderPuff game and bonfire, Sept. 29; Battle of the Bands, Oct. 1; Queens Assembly, Oct. 3; and Dance, Oct. 4. The theme for the 2003 Homecoming is a Night in Paris.

Children ages three to six and their adult friend will explore the delights of the season using all of their senses at "Tuning Your Tot Into Fall," Sept. 31 from 10-11:45 a.m. or 1-2:45 p.m., or Oct. 4 from 1:30-3:15 p.m. at Independence Oaks. Cost is \$4/toddler. Call (248) 625-6473 to register.

The **Widowed Support Group** will meet for an informal sharing meeting Thursday, Oct. 2 at 7 p.m., facilitated by bereavement counselor Alicia Brown. The topic for the evening is "Sharing Our Grief--Supporting Each Other." 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.

The Clarkston and Sashabaw Middle schools Cross Country Club will hold the first annual **Elementary Cross Country Challenge**, Thursday, Oct. 2 at Clarkston High School. Participants must be at the school by 5 p.m. Awards will be given. The event is free thanks to Bailey Lake and Springfield Plains elementary PTA's. For more information, visit [www.clarkston.k12.mi.us/ryksejr/cross/index.htm](http://www.clarkston.k12.mi.us/ryksejr/cross/index.htm).

The Friends of the Library of Independence Township Library will hold a **new and used book sale**, Oct. 2-4. The donated books help support the library. Among hundreds of paperback and hardcovers are antique books, collectibles, first edition, autographed, videos, Oprah Book Club and record albums. Most are priced at \$1 and \$2. Children's books are priced to sell. The library is open at 10 a.m. every day. Half price sale after 2 p.m. on Friday, and Saturday is \$2/bag day. Call (248) 625-2212.

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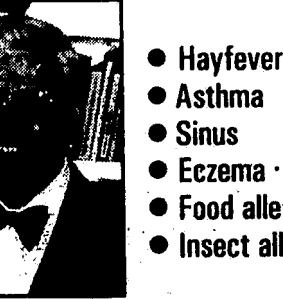
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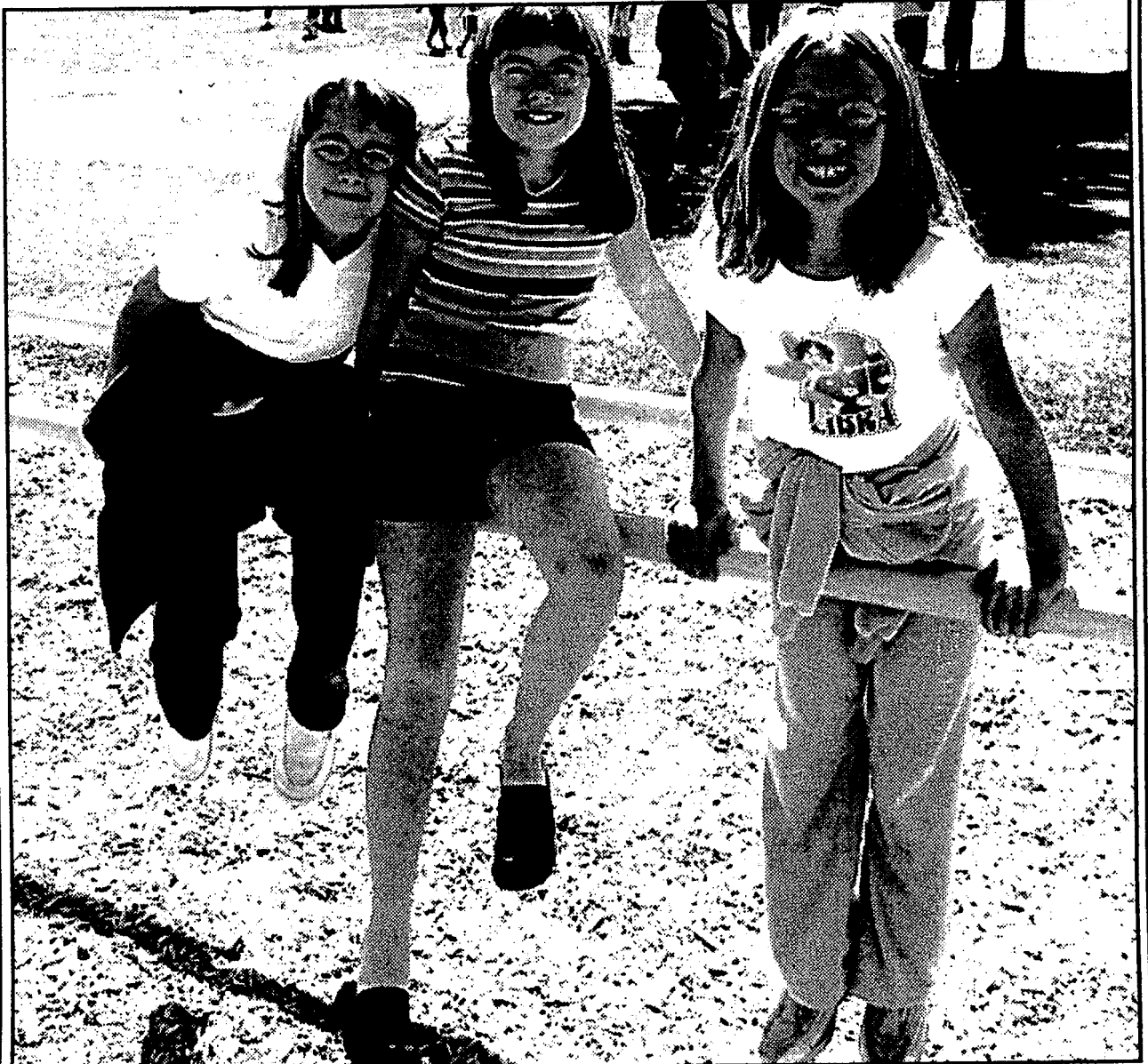
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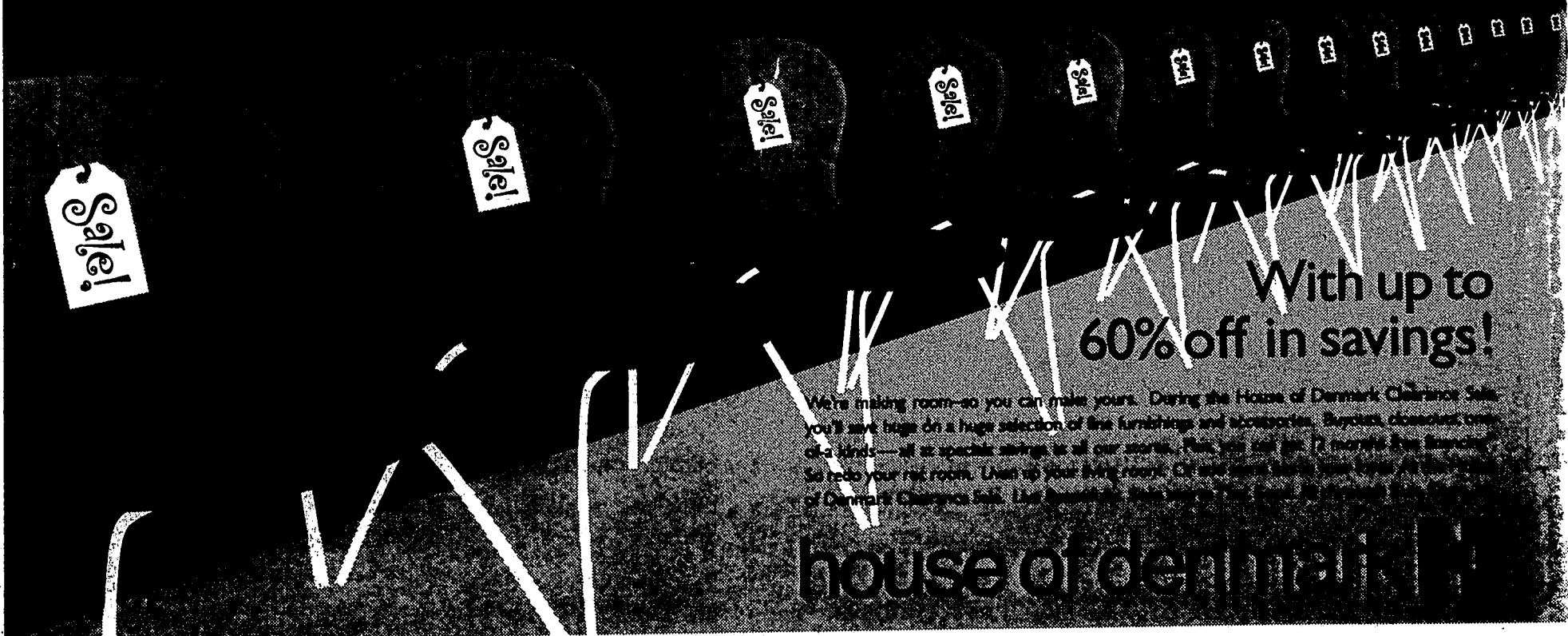
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# Around Town



Laura Wall, pictured here with two-year-old daughter Shannon at Oak Haven Farm in Holly, will be one of the 20 artists showcasing their work at the Herbs and Art Fair at Oak Haven, Sunday, Sept. 21. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

The Clarkston Community Women's Club will hold their first meeting of the year, Thursday, Sept. 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Library. Master Gardner Patty Salter will be speaking. Call Gail Ferguson at (248) 623-9462 for further details.

The Independence Township Senior Center will host a **Country Corn Roast**, Friday, Sept. 19 from 4:30-7 p.m. Come at 4:30 p.m. to sit on the deck or enjoy lawn games. Dinner, which includes grilled steak or chicken, fresh corn, tossed salad, and Texas sheet cake or pineapple upside down cake, is at 6 p.m. in the Carriage House. Music is by the Michigan Split Rail Bluegrass Band. To register, sign up at the senior center. Call (248) 625-8231.

Migration is the way some animals cope with winter. "Frequent Fliers" will help explain migration with slides, a hike, craft and more at Independence Oaks County Park's Lewis E. Wint Nature Center, Saturday, Sept. 20 from 10-11:30 a.m. Cost is \$2/person. For information or to register, call (248) 625-6473.

The Clarkston Community Historical Society's annual **Crafts and Cider Festival** will be held Sept. 20-21, rain or shine, at Depot Park from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturday, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday. The festival will feature more than 100 artists selling their wares, from paintings, sculpture and jewelry to clothing, pottery and stained glass. Entertainment will be provided all day Saturday and Sunday. Many tasty treats including cider and donuts will be available for purchase. Admission is free. A shuttle

service will be available from the Clarkston Middle School.

Clarkston artists as well as from surrounding areas will showcase and sell their work at the **Herbs and Art** fair Sunday, Sept. 21 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Oak Haven Farm, 7515 Grange Hall in Holly. Artists will feature garden decor, painted furniture, antiques, painted gourds, fresh and dried flowers, herbal teas and products, and more. Author Colleen Dodt, of "The Essential Oils Book and Natural Baby Care," will be the fair's special guest. Appetizers and recipes will be provided by Whole Foods. Call Sharon at (248) 625-3105 for more information.

The Clarkston Village Players presents "**Home Games**" by Tom Ziegler, Sept. 25, 26, 27, 28, Oct. 2, 3, 4, 5. A young woman cares for her father who in his dementia is convinced he is still playing baseball for the 1955 Yankees. When she finds romance in the form of a successful young executive, she must decide whether to send her father to a nursing home or grab what may be her last chance at love. Showtimes are Thursdays at 7:30 p.m., Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m., and Sundays at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for Thursday and Sunday performances, \$12 for Friday and Saturday. For tickets call the Depot Ticket line at (248) 625-8811. Tickets are also available at Tierra Fine Jewelry, 64 S. Main. Visit [www.clarkstonvillageplayers.org](http://www.clarkstonvillageplayers.org) for more information. Depot Theater is located at 4861 White Lake Rd. in Clarkston.

Enjoy a night out on the town, while the kids join Independence Township Parks and Recreation for a **Rockin' Kids Night Out** Fridays, Sept. 26 and Oct. 24. The event, for kids ages five to 11, will take place at the Clintonwood Park Carriage House at 6:30 p.m. with a dinner and themed activities and games. Cost is \$10/residents or \$15/nonresidents. Register at the Parks and Rec. office at 90 N. Main St. (birth certificate is needed) or call (248) 625-8223 for details.

**Club 5529**, a Christian club for young adults, will host Red Umbrella, More Than Electric and Josh Garrels (alt/pop/rock) in concert Friday, Sept. 26. Doors open at 8:30 p.m. Cost is \$7 at the door. General admission seating. Club 5529 is located inside the Clarkston Christian Association at 5529 Sashabaw. Call (248) 620-4900 or check out [www.5529music.com](http://www.5529music.com) for more in-

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The Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce's **Taste of Clarkston** will be Saturday, Sept. 27 from 5-9 p.m. in the Washington Street parking lot in downtown Clarkston. Call (248) 625-8055 for details.

Clarkston High School **Homecoming** activities include: PowderPuff game and bonfire, Sept. 29; Battle of the Bands, Oct. 1; Queens Assembly, Oct. 3; and Dance, Oct. 4. The theme for the 2003 Homecoming is a Night in Paris.

Children ages three to six and their adult friend will explore the delights of the season using all of their senses at "**Tuning Your Tot Into Fall**," Sept. 31 from 10-11:45 a.m. or 1-2:45 p.m., or Oct. 4 from 1:30-3:15 p.m. at Independence Oaks. Cost is \$4/toddler. Call (248) 625-6473 to register.

The **Widowed Support Group** will meet for an informal sharing meeting Thursday, Oct. 2 at 7 p.m., facilitated by bereavement counselor Alicia Brown. The topic for the evening is "Sharing Our Grief--Supporting Each Other." 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.

The Clarkston and Sashabaw Middle schools Cross Country Club will hold the first annual **Elementary Cross Country Challenge**, Thursday, Oct. 2 at Clarkston High School. Participants must be at the school by 5 p.m. Awards will be given. The event is free thanks to Bailey Lake and Springfield Plains elementary PTA's. For more information, visit [www.clarkston.k12.mi.us/ryksejr/cross/index.htm](http://www.clarkston.k12.mi.us/ryksejr/cross/index.htm).

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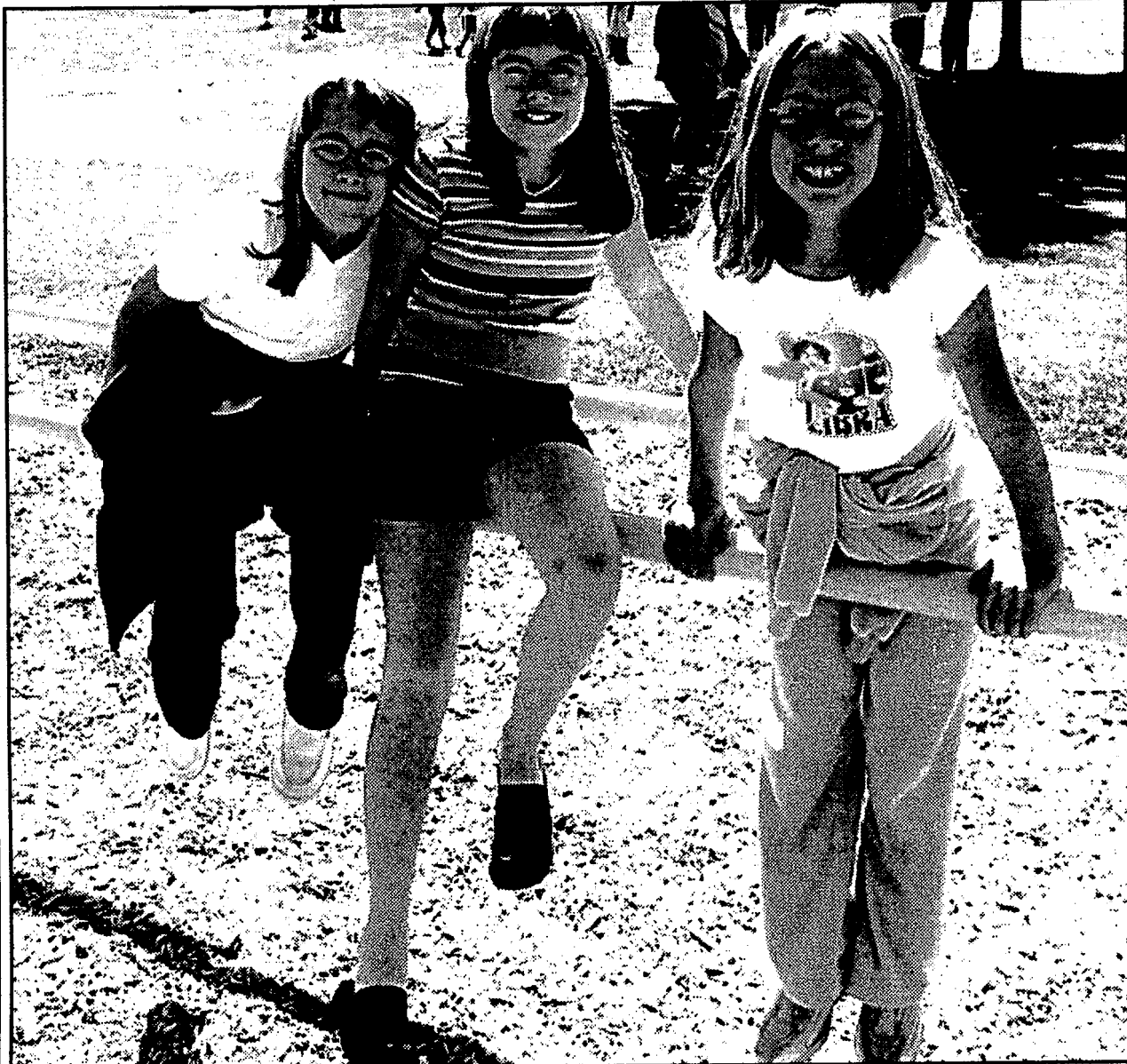
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# Milestones



**Joshua and Marcia Holst**

United States Army First Lieutenant **Joshua L. Holst** married United States Marine Corps First Lieutenant **Marcia M. Flack**, Aug. 8, 2003 at the First Congregational Church in Clarkston in an intimate ceremony for immediate family members.

Retired West Point, N.Y. Army Colonel Michael Tesdahl officiated.

A dinner reception was held at Shepherd's Hollow Golf Club.

Joshua, son of Phillip and Carlene of

Clarkston, is a 1996 Clarkston High School graduate and 2000 graduate of West Point. He was awarded the bronze star for service in Afghanistan and is presently serving in Iraq.

Marcia, daughter of Mark Flack and Carol Flack of Painesville, Ohio, is a 2001 graduate of the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md. She has served in Iraq and is currently serving at Camp Lejeune, N.C.

## At school...

The United States Achievement Academy announced **Jordan LaPorte** of Clarkston has been recognized for academic achievement as a United States National Honor Roll Award winner.

LaPorte, who attends Clarkston Middle School, will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, which is published nationally.

LaPorte is the son of Jeff and Theresa Laporte of Clarkston.

**David D. Dixon** graduated May 10 with a business/finance degree from Hillsdale College.

Dixon was named to the 4.0 Dean's

List for the 2003 spring semester and graduated summa cum laude and eighth in the graduating class of 223.

Dixon is the son of Dennis and Cindy Dixon of Independence Township and is a 1999 graduate of Clarkston High School.

**Angela Regiani** of Clarkston and a Clarkston High School student has been selected for membership in The National Society of High School Scholars. The Society invites only those students who have superior academic achievement and are among the top scholars in the nation.

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Others say the Scripture is full of errors. My college English professor said, "You religious people tell those Sunday School youngsters lies."

His example was that Jonah could not have lived in the belly of a fish for three days. I made him aware of whaling ships logging accounts of men being swallowed by whales, in which the whales were later captured with the men found alive inside.

The most recent report is a man swallowed by a whale shark in 1925. The creature was captured with the man alive. All of his body hair was gone and his skin was shades of brown because of the digestive enzyme action. Later, he was on display in a London museum, as the modern day Jonah.

Sir. Wm Ramsay was of the opinion the Biblical record was not correct. He was an Oxford scholar, an atheist, and the son of wealthy atheistic physician. Ramsay was tired of the banter, scholars claimed for years that the book of Acts couldn't possibly be written by Luke. It contained geographical



Guest Columnist  
Norman Clothier

and governmental terms no one had heard of.

Since Christians bull-headedly insisted Luke wrote it in the first century, and it went against the great minds of classical scholarship, he believed it was high time for someone to prove once and for all Luke was a fraud.

Ramsay was a classical scholar and he decided he was the one to find the proof. He traveled through Asia Minor and Greece, seeking archaeological and historical facts to prove his point.

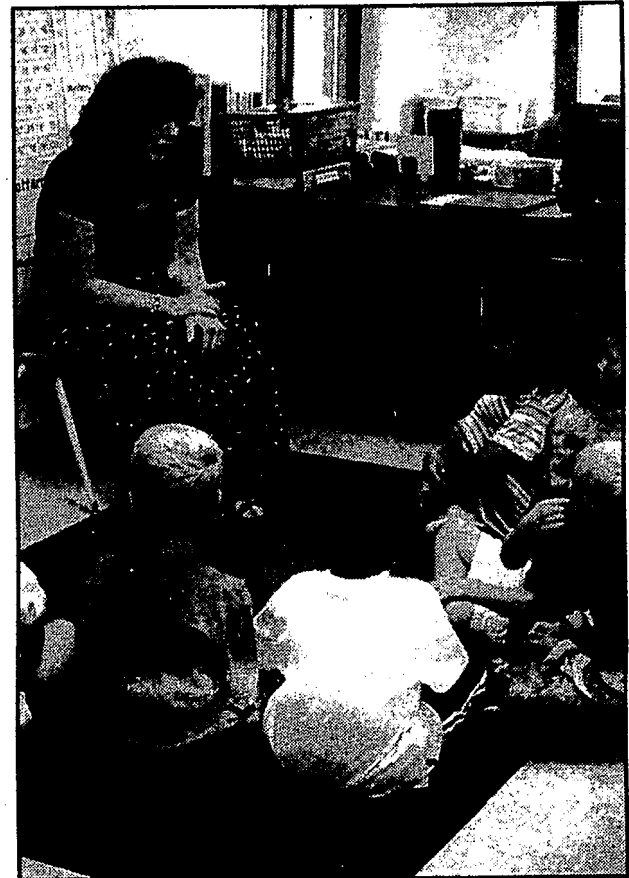
He found more than he bargained for. Although Luke chronicled events in 32 countries and provinces, 54 cities and nine islands, Ramsay could not find one error in his use of political titles or location of boundaries.

One example of this amazing accuracy in Acts 17:6-8, Luke called the leaders of Thessalonica, "politarchs," a title unknown except for this reference, until inscriptions were found in Macedonia.

Other historical records have shown some titles and names in Luke's writings were used only for a short time. This indicated Luke had been a first century eyewitness. A second century recorder would have difficulty with the terms which were used only for a few years a century earlier.

Considering the wide range of terms used throughout the Roman empire and Luke's unswerving accuracy, this British scholar concluded Dr. Luke was indeed, "a historian of the first rank."

Later on, Ramsay wrote a book, "The Historical Accuracy of the Book of Luke." Ramsay is known as an archaeologist and expert on Bible matters. Many archaeologists are quoted as saying, "if it is written in the Scriptures, you don't have to check it out, you will always find that the Biblical record is accurate."



Clarkston Christian School and Childcare at Clarkston Community Church held a ribbon cutting ceremony on Thursday, Sept. 4, the first day back to school for students to celebrate an addition of three classrooms as well as a complete renovation of the existing classrooms. Teacher Pam Albright welcomes her first grade students to the first day of school in their brand new room. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

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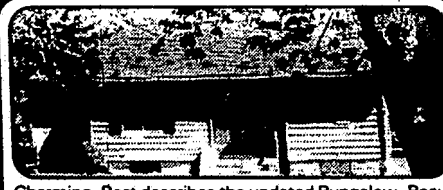
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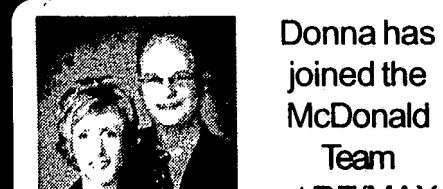
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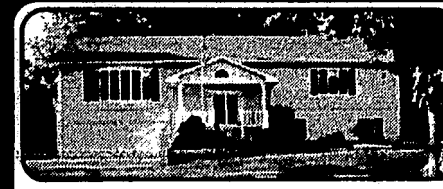
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# Firm wins award for Independence Fire Station

The design of the Independence Township Fire Station #3 earned national recognition for DeRosiers Architects.

The Bloomfield Hills firm was awarded the first place "Gold Medal" honor in the category of Career Fire Stations for the design of the local fire station. The award was given by Fire Chief magazine.

The magazine's editor, Janet Wilmoth, awarded the architects their trophy at a recent pre-conference seminar prior to the International Association of Fire Chiefs' Annual Fire-Rescue International Conference in Dallas.

As a national winner, DesRosiers' entry of the Independence Township Fire Station #3 will be prominently displayed in the November issue of Fire Chief and will be featured in the Stations Style Special Report on [www.firechief.com](http://www.firechief.com).

"The appearance of the building is always the topic of conversation when citizens stop and visit the station," Independence Township Fire Chief Steve Ronk said. "DesRosiers Architects took a vision we had for an old-time fire station look and made it happen. The building is not only beautiful to look at, but its functionality fits perfectly with our other facilities, which was a major concern for us during the design stage."



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## Clarkston Cafe set for festival

The Clarkston Cafe will be cooking up some apple menu specials in celebration of the Clarkston Historical Society's Craft and Cider Festival to be held Sept. 21-22. As a sponsor of this year's festival, the staff wanted to enhance the restaurants participation by offering the community an assortment of apple themed entrees, salads, drinks and desserts.

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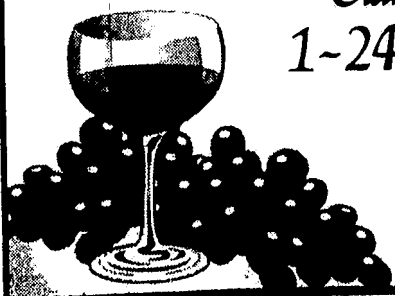
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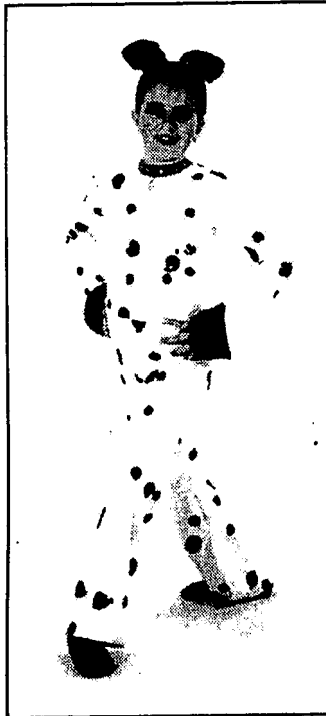
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# Basket business booming for Clarkston woman

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She's only been doing this for two years, but it's been a successful two years.

Clarkston resident Mary Rosso, an independent sales consultant for The Longaberger Company, "America's premier maker of handcrafted baskets," was recently named a 2003 National Top Sales Award Winner. Rosso received the award for Sales Achiever in the \$20,000 to \$34,999 range.

This wasn't the first time she's been recognized for her dedication to the company.

It, in fact, was the second consecutive year she's been a National Top Sales Award Winner.

"To be a national winner is pretty neat. You get to go to the annual convention (in Columbus, Ohio) and you're recognized on stage. It's big stuff."

Of her achievement, she says, "To see that much sales in one year was pretty great, but to see it again this year was even greater. I work hard at it."

And she's rewarded for it, too. Rosso has received monthly awards, like top sales in her branch, which consists of 16 consultants, since she began the career. She also placed fifth out of 200 regional consultants for top sales.

Recently, Rosso was named a Management Bound Associate, which involves recruiting new consultants. She is now on her way to becoming a Branch Advisor once she has recruited six individuals.

She reveals she's not a "pushy" sales person. Her success boils down to the passion she holds for Longaberger.

The mother of one, Steven, a 2003 Clarkston High School graduate, and wife to Larry, an Independence Township trustee, had been in human resources for an auto supplier for many years. She had always loved the Longaberger baskets and had been collecting them for 14 years.

"A friend of mine said, 'You know so much about these baskets and love them so much why don't you sell them?'" So she began to.

"People's first reaction (to the baskets) is, 'They're beautiful, but they're so much money,'" Rosso said. "They're not cheap baskets, but everything is hand-made. There's no machinery involved in the making of them. Everything's solid

maple. All are American-made and the company employs only Americans."

Each basket is imprinted with the Longaberger brand, initials of the weaver and the year woven.

"The baskets can be used four ways: decoratively, for entertaining purposes, for gift giving and functionality."

They also come with fabric liners including your choice from seven solid colors or seven patterns as well as seasonally-themed fabrics.

"Every basket comes with a plastic liner. You don't have to be afraid to use them. Just spray it with Windex."

Rosso, who has at least 75 baskets throughout her Clarkston home, said the baskets are "very versatile." She uses the baskets for everything from hiding magazines and newspapers, to serving food, as a purse, and more.

"Everything has a name, but it doesn't have to be used for that. I use the 'Bread Basket' to hold my nail polishes."

Plus, Longaberger also manufactures pottery and wrought iron shelving units and stands to compliment the baskets.

The biggest obstacle Rosso faces is husbands. "None of our husbands understand this. They say, 'You're spending how much money on a basket?' But when you see how they're made, and the quality of each basket..."

She says, "I'm really passionate about this. I love these baskets, but more, it's the friendships I've made."

Rosso said her Longaberger branch advisor is an oncology nurse, who when her now late brother-in-law developed cancer, she pleaded with her bosses to bring him home to the Rosso's home for Christmas.

"She came over here on Christmas Day and took care of him. And I could tell many more stories of the friendships and what we do for each other."

"There's so many wonderful things about this company," Rosso said, noting how the 30-year-old Longaberger company is a huge contributor to charity.

In particular, each year Longaberger holds a "Horizon of Hope" campaign from July 1 through Oct. 31 to raise money for breast cancer research. Launched in 1995, Longaberger has educated more than 14.4 million women on breast cancer awareness and early detection, and donated more than \$8.4 mil-



Clarkston resident Mary Rosso is a Longaberger 2003 National Top Sales Award Winner. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

lion to the American Cancer Society.

"It's a company I'm happy to represent," Rosso said, who also substitute teaches in the Clarkston school district. "It's a great company to work for."

For more information or to register to host a Longaberger home show, contact Mary Rosso at (248) 625-9646 or basketmary88@aol.com. Also visit [www.longaberger.com/maryrosso](http://www.longaberger.com/maryrosso).

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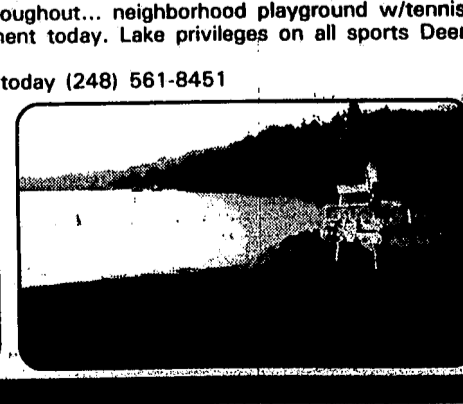
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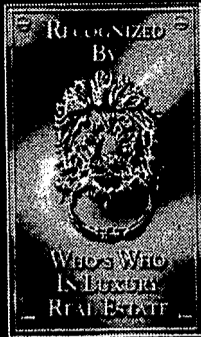
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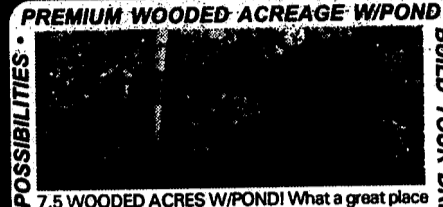
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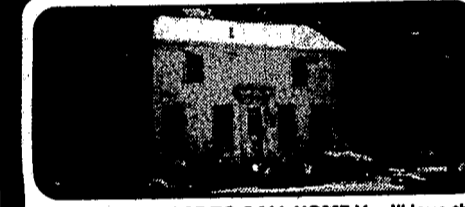
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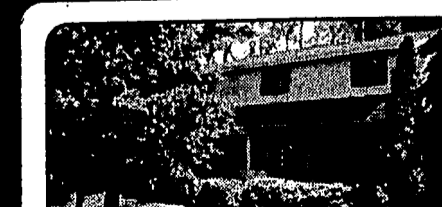
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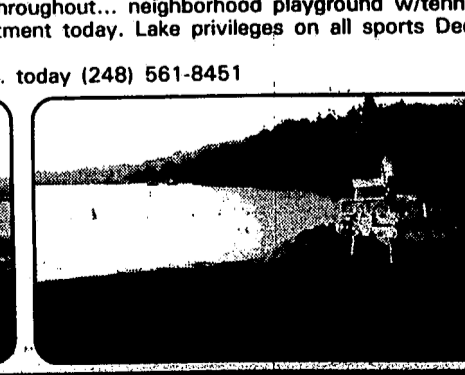


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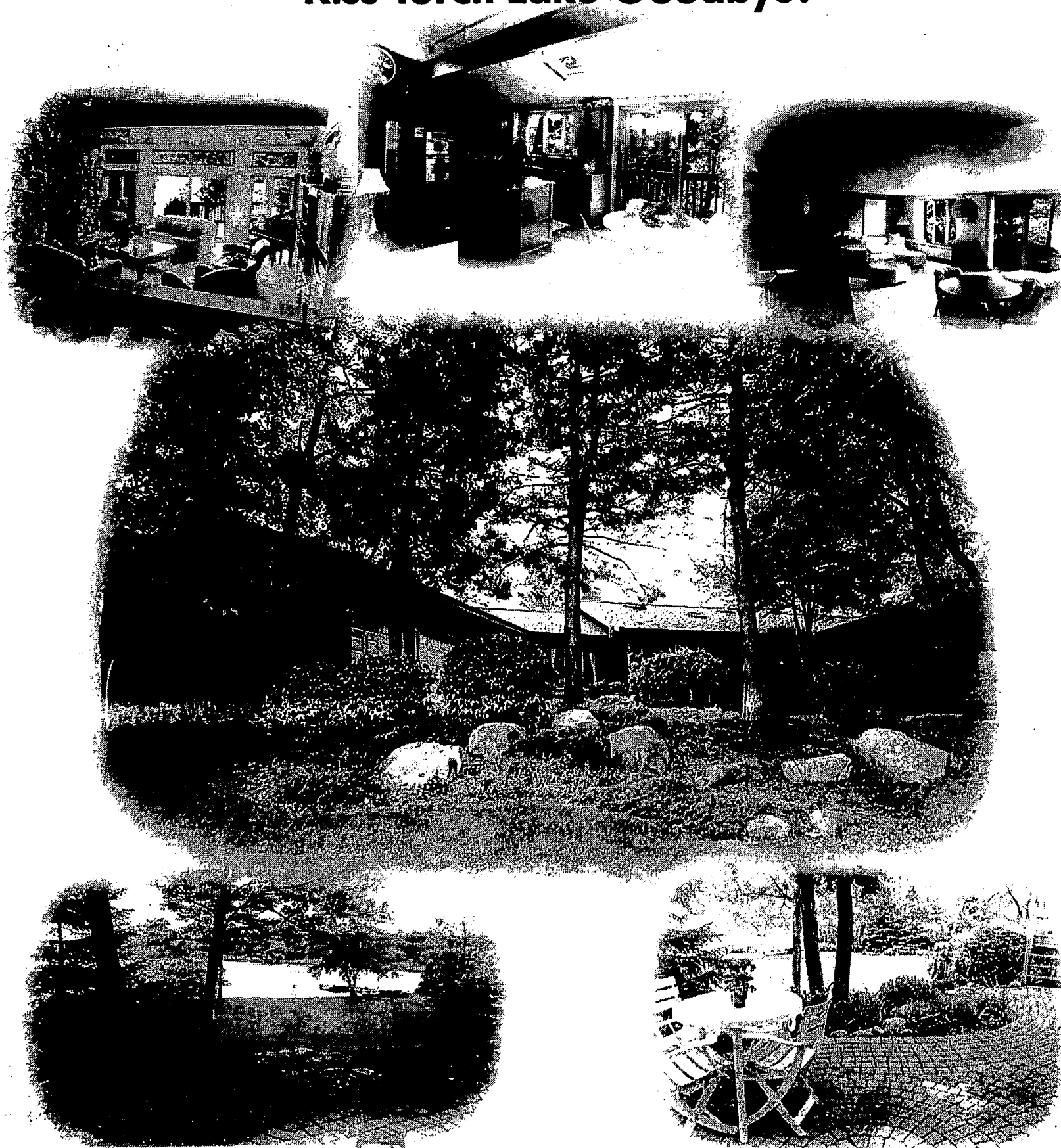


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# Arcello

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ways looking for people who want to be mentors. All you really need to give is time."

The mentors take the kids to places like the rodeo, miniature golf and horse-back riding.

"When we have our get together we really like to spoil the kids," Arcello said. "A lot of them are from single parent homes and can not afford some of these events financially so it is great to be able to take them to these things."

Arcello is also a member of the Clarkston Coalition for Youth.

"It really is a great organization. It really ties events together in order to serve the youth of this community," Arcello said.

As if her charity work and job were not enough to fill up the schedule, Arcello is also planning a wedding. She is set to marry Clarkston Community Schools Board Member Steve Hyer next fall. The two met in middle school and began dat-

ing in December of 2000.

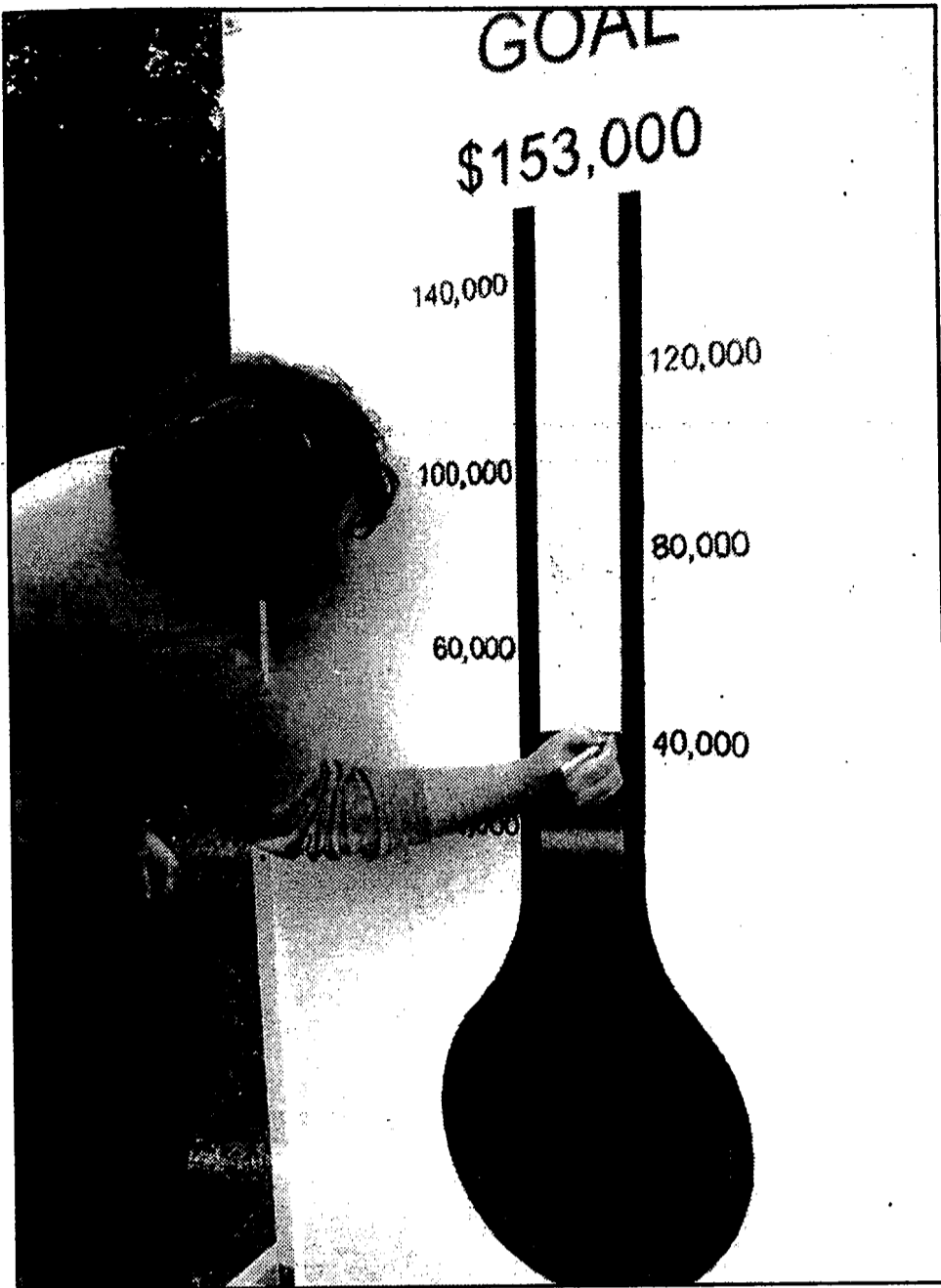
All the responsibilities have Arcello juggling the planner from time to time.

"Many weekends I am doing a lot of different things but I would not be doing it if I didn't like it," Arcello said. "I believe people giving back is what makes a community. I am very up front with every organization I join and tell them exactly how much time I can commit."

When she does have some free time, Arcello likes spending time with family, friends and her two cats, as well as traveling.

Arcello is enjoying her return to the Clarkston area. While the town exploded in numbers during her time away at college, Arcello still feels comfortable in her hometown.

"Clarkston has always had that small town feel which is so nice. It was always unique in that even if you only get involved a little bit you tend to get to know everybody," Arcello said.



Kelly Arcello updates the thermometer showing progress toward the goal of a new spraypark at Clintonwood Park in Independence Township. Photo by Bob Flath.

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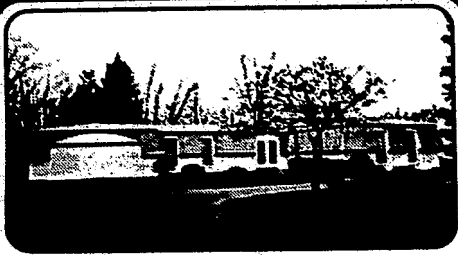
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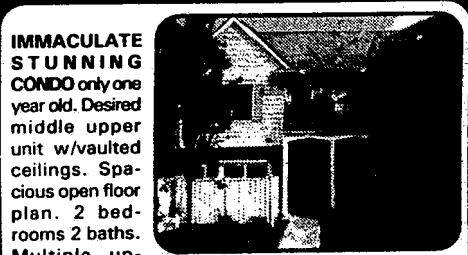
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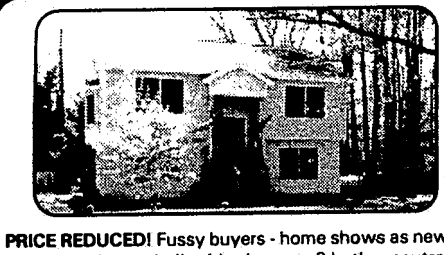
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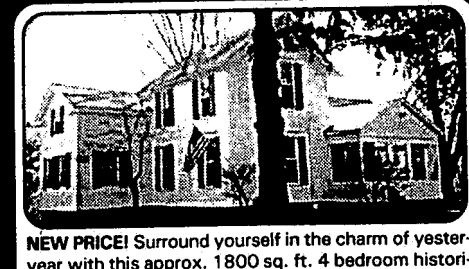
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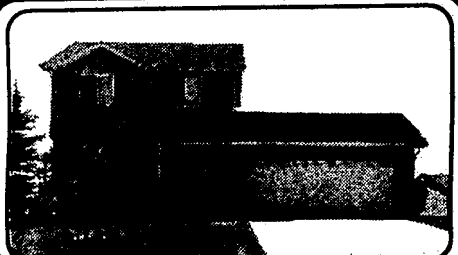
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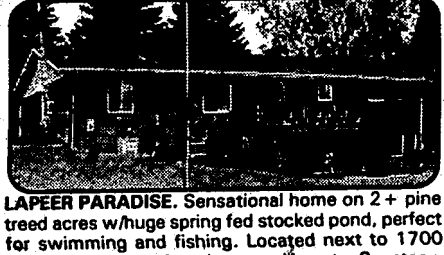
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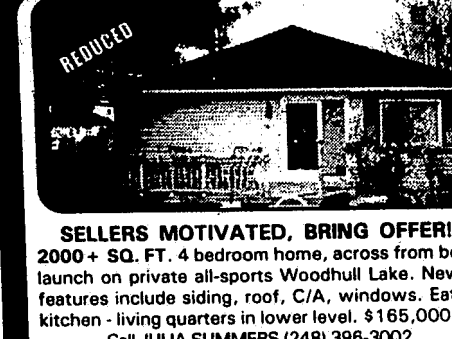
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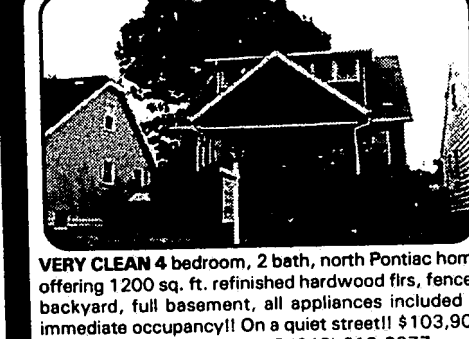
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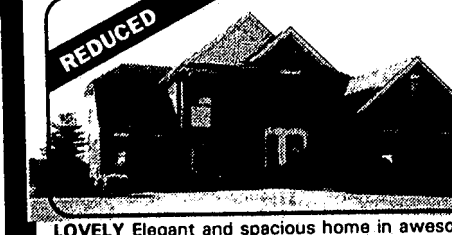
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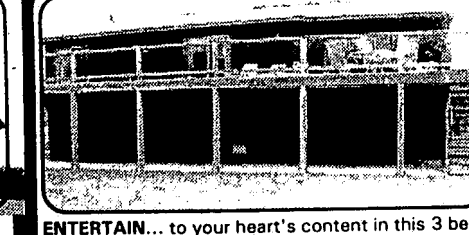
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ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS  
September 25, 2003  
7:00 p.m.

The City of the Village of Clarkston Zoning Board of Appeals will meet on Thursday, September 25, 2003, at 7:00 p.m. to consider Case B-90, 27 and 29 South Holcomb, Parcel I.D. No. 08-20-376-004, a request for a side yard variance for a proposed garage to be constructed at that site.

Artemus M. Pappas  
City Clerk

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**CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON**  
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CLARKSTON MI 48346  
**SUMMARY  
CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
SEPTEMBER 8, 2003**

Meeting called to order at 7:03 p.m. by Mayor Catallo.  
Roll: Present: Clifton, Catallo, Gamble, Savage, Werner.  
Absent: Colombo, Meyland.

Minutes of August 25, 2003, accepted as presented.  
Agenda accepted as presented with the removal of Police Contract from old Business.

Bills in the amount of \$318,014.28 approved for payment.  
Savage asked that the D. P. W. contact the landscaper as to a watering schedule for the planters.

Gamble asked about the watering of the sod. Gary Tressel stated that the contractor is responsible for the first fourteen days of watering the sod at no extra expense to the City.  
Savage asked Tressel about the status of the overall budget for the water and paving project. Tressel stated that he will have a report for the Council at the next meeting.

Mayor Catallo asked that the D. P. W. be informed of the bees in the playground area.

Chief Combs gave statistics for August and reported on revenues as follows: Parking Fines, \$240; PBTs, \$890; Fingerprinting, \$220; and Police Reports, \$27.

Chief Combs reported that speed enforcement on Holcomb and other roads in the City will be increased now that the road work is being completed.

Pappas reported that there have been complaints about the sidewalk in front of Rudy's Market.

Resolved That the City Council approve the Agreement of Lease between the City of Clarkston and MBI Holdings involving a portion of the adjacent land right-of-way that lies from the face of the building to the existing back of the curb along Depot Road at 27 South Main Street.

Resolved That the D. P. W. Supervisor's Salary be increased by \$1,000 retroactive to July 1, 2003. Further, that the D. P. W. Supervisor be authorized use the D. P. W. automobile for travel to and from his residence.

Resolved that the deadline be extended to September 15, 2003, for paving Pinehurst west of the bridge if the proper indemnification and releases are obtained unanimously from the Pinehurst residents with regards to the safety of the bridge for the contractor's equipment.

Curt Catallo was present to request Council's recommendation to the Chief of Police for approval on the LLC application for outdoor liquor sales on Oktoberfest.

Resolved by Clifton That the City Council recommend that Chief Combs approve the LLC application for Oktoberfest alcohol sales for the Clarkston Union on September 27, 2003.

Moved That the request of Steve Hudson for a reconfiguration of lots 08-20-252-044, 045, and 046 be referred to the Planning Commission for its recommendation.

Meeting adjourned at 8:53.

Respectfully submitted,  
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- Case #03-0083 Damman Hardware, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE FOR TENT SALE FROM OCTOBER 6th THRU OCTOBER 13th  
Dixie Highway, C-3  
Clarkston Oaks, Damman Hardware  
08-32-201-010
- Case #03-0084 Lawrence St. Croix, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO CONSTRUCT SECOND STORY ADDITION ON NON CONFORMING STRUCTURE ON NON CONFORMING LOT OF RECORD  
Hadley Rd., Lot 6 R-1R  
Irish Meadows  
08-04-300-012
- Case #03-0085 Keith Grable, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUEST REAR YARD SET-BACK VARIANCE OF 17' TO CONSTRUCT A DECK  
Onandaga Rd., Lots 1-4, R-1A  
Thendara Park Country Club  
08-12-303-022
- Case #03-0086 Liberty Investments, L.L.C., Petitioners  
APPLICANTS REQUEST SIDE YARD SET-BACK VARIANCE OF 35' TO CONSTRUCT ADDITIONAL BUILDING ON LOT WITH NON CONFORMING WIDTH  
Sashabaw Rd., Pt of Lot 1, R-1A  
Sashabaw Orchard Acres  
Pine Knob Missionary Church  
08-27-100-027
- Case # 03-0087 Road Commission for Oakland County, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE DUE TO ROAD RIGHT OF WAY ACQUISITION, WILL NOT MEET SIGN HEIGHT  
5647 Sashabaw Rd., O Zone  
Pine Knob Professional Office Building  
08-27-300-010
- Case #03-0088 Road Commission for Oakland County, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE DUE TO ROAD RIGHT OF WAY ACQUISITION, WILL NOT MEET REQUIREMENTS FOR SIGN AREA AND HEIGHT  
5625 Sashabaw Rd., C-2 Zone  
McDonalds  
08-27-300-015
- Case #03-0089 Road Commission for Oakland County, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE DUE TO ROAD RIGHT OF WAY ACQUISITION, WILL NOT MEET REQUIREMENTS FOR MINIMUM LOT AREA AND MINIMUM LOT WIDTH  
5601 Sashabaw Rd., C-2 Zone  
Bank One  
08-27-300-016

- Case #03-0090 Road Commission for Oakland County, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE DUE TO ROAD RIGHT OF WAY ACQUISITION, WILL NOT MEET REQUIREMENTS FOR PARKING, MINIMUM LOT AREA, MINIMUM LOT WIDTH AND FRONT GREENBELT  
5591 Sashabaw Rd., C-2 Zone  
ACO Hardware  
08-27-300-022
- Case #03-0091 Road Commission for Oakland County, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE DUE TO ROAD RIGHT OF WAY ACQUISITION, WILL NOT MEET REQUIREMENTS FOR MINIMUM LOT AREA, FRONT GREENBELT, PARKING, AND SIGN HEIGHT  
5529 Sashabaw Rd., C-2 Zone  
CCA (Mt. Zion Community Center)  
08-27-300-023
- Case #03-0092 Road Commission for Oakland County, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE DUE TO ROAD RIGHT OF WAY ACQUISITION, WILL NOT MEET REQUIREMENTS FOR SIGN AREA AND HEIGHT  
6215 Sashabaw Rd., C-1 Zone  
Little Dana's Deli, Hair Salon  
08-27-100-021
- Case #03-0093 Road Commission for Oakland County, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE DUE TO ROAD RIGHT OF WAY ACQUISITION, WILL NOT MEET SIGN HEIGHT/LOCATION AND THE FRONT GREENBELT  
6470 Sashabaw Rd., ML Zone  
Clarkston Auto Body  
08-27-201-014
- Case #03-0094 Road Commission for Oakland County, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE DUE TO ROAD RIGHT OF WAY ACQUISITION, WILL NOT MEET SIGN HEIGHT, AREA, LOCATION, AND FRONT GREENBELT  
6300 Sashabaw Rd., OS-2 Zone  
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08-27-201-016
- Case #03-0095 Road Commission for Oakland County, Petitioner  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE DUE TO ROAD RIGHT OF WAY ACQUISITION, WILL NOT MEET FRONT BUILDING SETBACK, SIGN HEIGHT/LOCATION, MINIMUM LOT AREA AND FRONT GREENBELT  
6330 Sashabaw Rd., OS-2 Zone  
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08-27-201-018

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Respectfully submitted,  
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## PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

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## 110 GARAGE SALE

YARD SALE, September 19-20, 9am. 12 Dayton St., Oxford Village (West Burdick, 1 block to Pleasant St., left at big white barn). Household items, horse tack, furniture. Nice things, low prices. IILX39-1

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GARAGE SALE- Thursday- Saturday, September 18-20, 9am-3pm. 3555 Indianwood Rd. (between Baldwin & Joslyn). Little Tikes train bed, Thomas the Tank Engine train set, children's videos, Little Tikes toy box, clothes, toys, etc. IILX40-1

## HUGE POST-MOVING & ANTIQUE SALE

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Thursday, Sept. 18, 11am-4pm; Friday-Saturday, September 19-20, 10am-4pm. No early sales.

1200 Sunset Hill Dr., Lake Orion (Lapeer Road & Clarkston Rd. Only one mile behind Kmart). RX40-1

2 FAMILY Garage Sale, Thursday-Friday, September 18-19, 9am-3pm. No pre-sales. 4 country style dining room chairs, dishes, Avon collectibles, miscellaneous household. Good stuff, priced to sell. 389 North Shore, Lake Orion, off Flint St. IILX40-1

GARAGE SALE: Household & baby strollers, car seats, bikes, china cabinet, furniture, electronics, much more. September 18-20, 9am-6pm, 3192 Hedgewood, Rochester (at Hamlin and Adams) IILX40-1

GARAGE SALE and Craft Sale, September 18-20, 9am-7pm, 1255 Duck Creek Lane, Orionville. IILX40-1

ESTATE/ RETIREMENT: Pet groomer's sale, antiques, lawn, hunting, fishing, motor, everything goes. 9190 Gale, Goodrich (between M-15 & Dixie), September 12-20 11am-6pm. IILX39-2

HUGE SALE- Furniture, household, antique inventory, boy's & women's (petite to plus size) clothing, bikes, ski/ snowboard equipment, & more! Quality stuff! September 18-19, 9am-5pm. 8746 South Shore, Clarkston (Autumn Shores subdivision, off Bridge Lake Rd.) IILX40-1

GARAGE SALE SEPTEMBER 18-20, 9-6pm: Dinettes sets, apartment size fridge, baby items, toys, misc. 10 Brookfield, Oxford (off Sycamore Lk. Rd., between M-24 & Hamlin). IILX40-1

REDECORATING SALE: antiques to contemporary: pictures, tables, lamps; chairs, sofa, etageres, vertical blinds, misc. Saturday only, September 20, 9am-3pm. 1283 Beamer Ct., off W. Drahnor. IILX40-1

GARAGE SALE- Thursday, Friday, Saturday 9am-3pm. 380 Gwin, Lake Orion (off Pary St., between Flint & Atwater). IILX40-1

MOVING SALE. Antiques, tools, cameras, oak chairs, school desk. Matching sofa, love seat, chair. New sofa. Two cocktail tables, fur coats, microwave & etc. Excellent condition. 248-628-3858 IILX40-2

MULTI FAMILY Garage Sale, September 19-20, 10am-5pm. 7821 Brookpines (Deer Valley subdivision, Cranberry Lake & M-15). IICX9-1

GARAGE SALE, Antique tools, grinder, mitre box & etc. Lg. dog cage & etc. Sept. 18th-20th, 9-5pm. 1182 Hillcrest Dr., Oxford. 1/2 mile west of M-24 at Hillcrest Villas. IILX40-1

GARAGE SALE: Collectibles, lawn tractor, tools, household items, boat, and much more. September 18-20, 9am-6pm. 120 Gramplan, off Lakeview Rd. IILX40-1

GARAGE SALE- 9/19 and 9/20, 9am-5pm, 8231 Fox Hollow, Goodrich. Lots of baby/ toddler clothes and furniture. Much more. IILZXM4-1

GARAGE SALE: GUNS, exercise equipment, baby & toddler items, misc. household, 1563 S. Coats, between Baldwin & Drahnor. September 18-19. 248-628-1092 IILX40-1

## HUGE MOVING SALE

Toys, furniture, collectibles, Little Tykes, Barbie Jeep 1021 KEBLE CT. (Oxford Woods Subdivision) West on Drahnor, South on Queens, Right on Koble Ct. Saturday, September 20, 8:30-4 (Set-Up Friday afternoon) LX40-1

GARAGE SALE, Saturday, September 20 only, 9am-4pm. 4222 Oakland Ridge, 1 mile east of Lapeer Rd., south side of Silverbell. Girl's clothing, great condition, and much more. IILX40-1

MULTI FAMILY Garage Sale- September 19-20, 9am-5pm. 7929 Deerhill Dr. (Dixie Hwy. & I-75). Tons of stuff! IILX39-1

LANDSCAPER'S SALE- Oxford Garden Club Fundraiser. 2710 Mann Road, Clarkston. Saturday, September 20th, 10am-3pm. Jan 248-628-0801. IILX40-1

SALE: September 20th, 8-6. Furniture, television, kid's toys, skates, clothes, 9000 (Davisburg to Bridge) north. IILX9-1

GARAGE SALE: Babies, toys and ladies items. Furniture, books and stuff and more. 9/17-8/19, 9am-5pm. 1664 S. Newman, Newburgh of Clarkston and Joslyn, near Drahnor. IILX40-1

GARAGE SALE- 25th & 26th of September, 9am-5pm. Furniture, collectibles, and household items. Moving, off Baldwin/ Keston. IILX40-2

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**UTILITY TRAILER**, \$425. Two 1974 Yamaha YZ80's, \$600 each. 1983 Yamaha QT50 moped, 700 miles, \$600. One-seater go-cart, 5hp Briggs, \$350. Wooden swing set, free. 248-394-1239. 111X38-2

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**FOR SALE:** Sofabed, light gray, \$75. Small computer desk, \$45. Monitor \$75. Printer \$20. Upright piano \$25. 248-628-1560. 111X40-2

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**21FT. PONTOON** with 40hp Merc., Power tilt & trim, custom cover, good condition, \$5300; Deck table (48" round, glass top), 4 chairs, umbrella/base, \$125. 248-391-4393. 111X40-2

**FOR SALE:** 27" Sears built-in oven with cabinet; 4 6-panel wood doors; Maytag built-in dishwasher; various lights; 38" steel entry door; 30" built-in stove top & Braun hood. Best offers, 248-828-8181. 111X40-2

**180 REC. EQUIPMENT**

**BOAT HOIST:** 3,200 lb. capacity, motorized: \$700. 248-933-2733 111X38-2

**1995 10ft. GRUMMAN V-bottom** boat, 2000 trailer, 2002 outboard, oars, canvas cover, swivel seats, anchor, \$1450. 248-922-0737. 111X38-2

**4 ALUMINUM ROW** boats, 14' & 12', \$200 each. 248-628-4365, 248-330-2988 111X39-2

**FALL SPECIAL!** 1999 Jayco pop-up, 12ft. slide-out, surge brakes, 3-way refrigerator & furnace, hot water heater, auxiliary shower, awning & screen room, like new, \$5000 obo. 248-969-2436. 111X39-2

**1979 JAYCO TRAILER**, 20ft, 2 axle, awning, very good condition, \$2,500 obo. 248-891-7730 111X39-2

**GOLF BALLS. WITH Experience.** 6 dozen \$24.00, or 5 dozen \$25.00. Call 248-693-4105. 111X39-2

**1991 PALOMINO pop-up camper**, sleeps 6, good condition, \$1000 obo. 248-391-7611. 111X40-2

**BOY'S 20" BIKE**, blue, good condition, \$30. Call 248-922-1405. 111X39-2

**1984 SUNLINE TRAVEL trailer**, 17 ft., self contained. Stove, fridge, shower, port. wash. mach. Sleeps 4+. \$2,500 obo. 248-693-6129 111X39-2

**16 FT. ALUMINUM** bass tracker w/ trailer, 40hp Mercury w/ fish finder, trolling motor, live well. \$2,500 obo. 810-636-3011 111X39-2

**190 LOST & FOUND**

**ROPE HAMMOCK** stolen from yard. Please return and pay for ad. 248-693-1840. 111X39-2

**LOST CAT:** gray female lost September 5th. Southwest corner of Oxford Village. Please call if you have any information. 248-628-1376 111X39-2

**LOST: FEMALE** red/black mix with beige tail, Pomeranian dog. Groveland Road area. Reward, \$1,000. 248-627-2334. 111X39-2

**200 PETS**

**LAKE ORION PET Centre**. Experienced grooming. Dogs and cats. 693-6550 111X14-tfc

**COCKATIELS-** male, female, \$75 pair; plus 2 cages \$100 each. 248-620-6202. 111X39-2

**MALE CHIHUAHUA & Yorkshire/Shih Tzu** mixed female, both 8 years old, need good home with lots of TLC due to child with allergies. Will provide bedding, toys & 1 year supply food & treats. Must be placed together. Call Holly, 248-541-6705. 111X40-2

**FREE KITTEN-** one female, rescued, black, 248-623-6080 111X39-1f

**JACK RUSSELL** puppies for sale, 3 males, 9 weeks old. Will be UKC registered. Call Julie at 810-635-3608 111X39-2

**3 MONTH OLD** female Basset, registered, \$200. 248-634-4338. 111X39-2

**FREE LOVING** collie mix, needs home with fenced yard. 248-693-8846 111X40-1f

**FREE, good home**, Lab mix, sweet, family dog, 4 years, 248-394-0628. 111X39-1f

**FREE KITTENS:** black, 10 weeks, loveable, 248-922-9444. 111X39-1f

**BEAUTIFUL KITTENS**, free. Available Sept. 17th. 248-693-9636 111X40-1f

**AFRICAN MAYER** Parrot, with cage, \$350. 248-770-2367. 111X39-2

**PET GROOMING-** Pick up & delivery available. References. Call Cindy. 248-421-8006 111X39-2

**FOR SALE: COMPLETE** aquarium and accessories. Includes food, fish net, etc. \$135. Call 248-236-9912 111X40-2.

**210 LIVESTOCK**

**MALE PIGMY GOATS** for sale or trade. 810-796-2556 111X39-2

**BRED YOUNG BEEF** cows: Angus and Angus mixed, \$700 each. 989-795-2563 or 810-240-7988 111X39-2

**MALE DONKEY**, \$500. 248-620-3751 111X40-2

**220 HORSES**

**TENNESSEE WALKING HORSES** for sale: good on the trails! All colors. 989-795-2563 or 810-240-7988 111X39-2

**HORSE BOARDING**

\$260 per month. Daily turnout, Stall cleaning. Twice a day feeding. On site access to Polly Ann Nature Trail, Oxford, Addison Twp. area. 248-431-8116

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**PROFESSIONAL HORSESHOEING-** experienced, knowledgeable, dependable. J. Hyvonen, 20 years experience, 810-631-4214. 111X39-2

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**PRIVATE HORSE STALL** & pasture for rent. \$8.50 per day. 248-627-6383. 111X40-4

**230 FARM EQUIPMENT**

**KUBOTA B2150 Tractor**, 25hp diesel, 4WD, Hydrostatic transmission, bi-speed turn, front end loader, 60" mid mount mower, 60" rear grader blade, 230 hours. Mint condition, garage kept, \$15,250. 248-693-2524. 111X40-2

**FORD 8N-** new rubber, new paint, runs and looks strong, \$2850. 248-867-1699. 111X39-2

**LOADER TRACTOR:** Ford 640, runs but needs work, \$1150. 248-625-3429. 111X39-2

**BRUSH MOWER,** Howse, \$450. 248-236-9895 after 6pm. 111X39-2

**ALICE CHALMERS** 16" single-bottom plow. Never used. \$150. 248-625-1945 111X39-2

**FORD JUBILEE**, \$2650; 9N \$1750; 6ft. brush hog, \$425. 248-625-3429. 111X39-2

**240 AUTO PARTS**

**FIBERGLASS BED COVER** for full-size Chevy, White, \$350. 248-969-1619 111X40-2

**FIBERGLASS CAP** for Chevy S10 or GMC S15 pickup, excellent condition, \$350. 248-625-1647. 111X39-2

**TOPPER**, 2003 DODGE Dakota quad cab Century, bright silver, widows, screens & top carrier. \$450. 248-628-5671 111X39-2

**250 CARS**

**1997 CHEVY MALIBU** L.S., 6 cylinder, beige, 70,000 miles, well maintained, excellent condition, \$5000. 248-393-7743. 111X39-2

**1993 DODGE STEALTH**, 120,000 miles. New brakes, tires. Air, sunroof, \$3,400 obo. 248-693-9819 111X39-2

**2001 PONTIAC Sunfire**, 54,000 miles, mint condition, red and sport. Excellent value, \$6,900 obo. Clarkston area. Call 248-922-1730 leave message. 111X39-2

**1987 VOLVO 240-GL**, 4 cylinder, automatic, great mileage, nice, safe student vehicle, clean inside and out, 98,000 miles, \$1200. Also parts car available. 248-627-4671. 111X39-2

**1989 MUSTANG-** 4 cylinder, runs great, new parts & tires, \$1150 obo. 248-627-3452. 111X39-2

**CLASSIC 1961 LINCOLN** Continental sedan, beige, cloth interior, all power, a/c, low miles, rebuilt transmission, runs good. Very good condition! \$4,800 obo. 248-623-2548 111X39-2

**1991 PLYMOUTH COLT/** Eagle Summit, needs transmission, \$200. 248-814-7538. 111X39-2

**1985 VOLVO 240** wagon, 209,000 miles. Runs good but probably best for a parts or project car. \$600 obo. 248-396-0425 111X39-2

**1998 FORD ESCORT ZX2**, black 5 speed, loaded, 87,000 miles, excellent condition, \$8500. 248-693-4416. 111X39-2

**1936 CHEVROLET STREET** rod. 350 Chev, automatic trans, air conditioning, power windows, tilt wheel, CD player, all steel body, nice red paint. Cruise or show ready. \$24,000 obo. 248-628-4790 or 810-278-5669 111X29-12nn

**1967 FORD RANCHERO 500XL**, 390 automatic, bucket seats, console, California black plate car, \$4200 obo. 248-821-1706. 111X35-8nn

**1996 OLDS ACHIEVA**, 4 door, very good condition, 73,000 miles (with approx. 12,000 on new GM engine), \$3500 obo. 248-236-0283; cell 248-670-6510. 111X32-8nn

**1990 PLYMOUTH HORIZON**. High mileage, low cost ride. Automatic, heat, air, new radio & CD. Always starts. Many new parts. \$850. 586-731-4221 111X39-4nn

**1990 VOLVO 760 Turbo** wagon, power everything, 4 cyl, great running, great looking, black exterior, black leather interior, \$3,700. 248-693-1854 111X38-4nn

**2000 PONTIAC SUNFIRE** SE Coupe, 4 speed automatic, air, CD, sunroof, nice, 48,000 miles, \$7100. 810-636-5140. 111X26-12nn

**2000 CHEVROLET MALIBU**, 37,000 miles, 4 wheel anti-lock, brakes, air, cruise, bronzemist, V6, CD/Cassette, excellent condition, \$7,995. 248-393-8003. 111X40-4nn

**1974 MGB ROADSTER-** Last of the chrome bumpers! British racing green, tan leather interior, new top & tonneau, great condition, \$4900 obo. 248-969-3991. 111X29-12nn

**2001 BONNEVILLE SLE:** 25,000 miles, power moonroof, dual heated leather, chromes, factory 12CD, \$17,000. 248-394-0847 111X27-4nn

**2001 MONTE CARLO** for sale. Midnight blue, power locks, windows, mirrors, steering, ABS, CD player, 36,000 miles, remote starter, tinted windows, excellent condition, \$14,668. Call 810-667-6060. 111X30-8nn

**1993 MERCURY GRAND** Marquis, 119K miles. Very clean. 248-628-9597 111X39-2

**CLEAN 1994 TAURUS** wagon LX 3.8. Runs good, full power, good condition, new brakes, rotors, plugs & wires, Sony CD player, Xplode speakers. 145,000 miles. \$1,850 obo. 248-361-9443 111X37-4nn

**2000 OLDS ALEKO** ruby red, loaded, 55,000 miles, excellent transportation, \$8250 obo. 248-627-5334. 111X21-12nn

**1991 SUNBIRD**, 92,000mi, runs good, lots of new parts. \$800 obo. 248-628-2976 111X40-4nn

**1987 CHRYSLER LEBARON** Convertible, white with blue leather interior, fully loaded. New top, tires, brakes & more. CD player, \$1350 obo. 248-969-3991. 111X25-12nn

**1985 BUICK LESABRE-** 4 door, white, Florida car. Never seen salt. 92,000 miles. Mechanically excellent, everything new. All options, air, rear defogger, trip odometer, tinted windows, \$2,000. 248-693-8879 111R32-12nn

**2000 OLDS ALERO:** excellent condition- mechanical, interior/ exterior. 4 door, all power, CD. Solid back-to-school transportation. 61,000 miles. \$8500 obo. 248-620-4669. 111X27-4nn

**2001 DODGE NEON** ES: 4 door, red, clean-like new. Automatic, cruise, power locks/ windows, keyless entry, tinted windows, am/fm cassette, 19,800 miles. Blue book \$9,400, asking \$7,800. 248-377-4450 111X25-12nn

**2001 FORD FOCUS** SE, loaded, very clean. 4dr, automatic, keyless entry, power everything, red exterior, charcoal interior. One owner, 32,000 miles, warranty, \$10,000 obo. Motivated seller. 248-628-0617; 248-318-9610 after 5pm. 111X33-8nn

**1997 FORD CROWN** Victoria, excellent condition, \$6900. 248-673-2960. 111X21-12nn

**1995 FORD ESCORT**, 144,000 miles, 5 speed, manual, power moonroof, 6 CD changer, new clutch, new brakes, very reliable car, \$1500. 248-379-9986. 111X33-12nn

**2000 MUSTANG** GT convertible, automatic, leather, 36,000 miles, wife's car, excellent condition, must sell, baby on the way! \$14,900. 248-388-3670. 111X26-4nn

**ANTIQUE 1961 JAGUAR** Mark II project car. \$850. 248-627-2262 111X33-2

**1994 CAMARO**, V-6, automatic, T-tops. Excellent condition. \$5,500 obo. 248-969-2939 111X39-2

**1998 CUTLASS**. VERY clean, low miles, V-6, auto, power windows & locks, cruise & tilt, ABS, cassette/CD, keyless entry. Great gas mileage, has warranty, \$7,995 248-814-0644 111X32-12nn

**1997 DODGE INTREPID-** power locks, windows, power steering, A/C, runs good, 100,000 miles, \$4300 obo. After 6pm, 248-628-3683. 111X39-4nn

**1989 CADILLAC DEVILLE**, 4 door, 8 cylinder, 103,000 miles, white body, navy blue cloth hardtop & leather interior, runs great, \$1000. 248-628-2079. 111X30-12nn

**1999 BUICK REGAL**. Original owner, loaded, excellent condition, 48,000 miles. Will consider all offers. \$9,500. 248-391-1151 111X28-8nn

**1989 ESCORT WAGON**, 72,000 original miles, needs work. \$800 obo. 248-628-2976 111X40-4nn

**ALERO 2000**, 4 door, red, 46,000 miles, excellent condition, all power, automatic, \$7700. 248-236-0936. 111X40-1f

**2001 PT CRUISER**, excellent condition, great gas mileage, loaded, sunroof, CD player, 34,000 miles, platinum/silver, \$13,000. 810-797-3014. 111X26-8nn

**1989 TOYOTA TRUCK**, \$500; 1995 Olds Achieva, \$1200; 1993 Dodge Shadow, \$700. 248-693-7377. 111X39-2

**1993 PONTIAC TRANS** Am, automatic, 83,000 miles, 5.7L, burgundy, leather bra, Florida car, am/fm cassette, A/C. Runs great. \$4800. 248-693-8038. 111R32-8nn

**1987 FORD TEMPO**, 49,000 miles. \$750. No rust. New Mexico car. 248-628-4355, 248-330-2988. 111X39-2

**1982 LINCOLN MARK** VI, white with red leather. Wife's car since 1984. Good condition. 125,000 miles. \$2,500 obo. 248-623-2548 111X22-8nn

**1990 CADILLAC DEVILLE**, V-8, 120,000 miles, brown, \$3000. 248-393-2080. 111X22-8nn

**1992 CHRYSLER LeBaron** convertible. Newer top, all leather. Runs & looks great. \$2,800. 810-654-9422 111X35-8nn

**1967 CHEVROLET NOVA** SS. California car. Protecto plate & original purchase information. 327 automatic, p.s., p.b. Cruise or show ready. \$22,000 obo. 248-628-4790 or 810-278-5669. 111X29-12nn

**1999 PONTIAC Grand Prix** GT, silver, 4 door, 109,000 miles, loaded, sunroof, new tires, brakes, suspension, runs great, original owner, 7000 obo. 248-814-7379 111X23-12nn

**1986 ESCORT WAGON**, 44,000 miles, needs work. \$800 obo. 248-628-2976 111X40-4nn

**2000 FORD CONTOUR** Sport, 56,000 miles, V-6, power windows &amp

**250 CARS**

2000 CORVETTE Convertible, red with black top, automatic, loaded, 23,000 miles, \$31,500. Call 248-814-0864 !!!RMZ40-4nn

1988 ESCORT GT- clean in/out, looks nice, runs & drives like new, very dependable, 5 speed, great on gas, recent brakes & tires, drive anywhere, \$1200. 248-628-5896. !!!LZM40-2

1991 MERCURY TRACER LTS. Excellent mechanical condition. Good interior & exterior. \$1,600 obo. 313-770-6034 !!!LX35-8nn

1976 PONTIAC GRAND Prix. 400 motor & transmission. Runs good! \$2,000. 248-627-5334 !!!CX9-12nn

1986 GRAND PRIX, 53,000 miles. 248-628-6377 !!!LX40-2

2000 FORD FOCUS (ZTS), loaded, very clean, 4 door, automatic, keyless entry, 28,000 miles, new brakes, warranty, \$8000 obo. 248-693-9258. !!!LX40-2

1970 PLYMOUTH GTZ 440, good condition, \$14,900. 248-393-0363 !!!RX40-2

1994 EAGLE TALON, automatic, sunroof, new engine & transmission, good condition, \$2300. 248-814-0864. !!!LMZ36-8nn

1999 LINCOLN CONTINENTAL, candy apple red, white leather, moonroof, CD, side airbags, keyless entry, 89,000 miles, senior car, excellent condition, \$8900. 248-628-4965. !!!LZ38-12nn

1995 SATURN SL2. Very good condition, 128,000 miles, \$2,200. Call 248-394-0180 after 6pm. !!!CZ6-4nn

1999 MUSTANG COUPE. One owner. 27,000 miles, new tires, remote start. CD player and cassette player. Non-smoker package. Excellent condition, must see. \$9,700 obo. 248-394-0268 !!!LX33-12nn

2002 PONTIAC SUNFIRE- ALL power, factory alarm, Sony stereo, Euro taillights, tinted windows, \$9,000. 248-391-6957 !!!LZ31-8nn

TAURUS WAGON; \$2,500. Great family car. 1994, 84,000 miles, AC, cruise control, power windows, locks, mirrors, trailer hitch, luggage rack. No rust, clean, good tires. 248-391-5383 !!!RX30-12nn

1950 CHEVROLET Sedan delivery, on newer chassis, 305 engine, 700 R4 transmission, front disc brakes, ongoing project car. Price now \$4500 obo. 248-693-7765. !!!LZ34-12nn

1997 CAMARO, V6, 3.8L, power windows/locks, t-tops, new tires, 100,000 miles, reddish copper, charcoal interior, \$5500 obo. 248-628-8188 or 248-830-7841. !!!LZ28-8nn

2001 MUSTANG CONVERTIBLE. White w/ black top. Loaded, stored in the winter. 25,000 miles. Like new. \$14,900. 248-627-9128 or 248-701-9414. !!!LZM48-8nn

2001 BUICK LESABRE, must sell like new, very clean, color- silver, \$16,000 obo. 248-922-1702 !!!CZ52-8nn

1998 MALIBU LS, white 4 door, CD cassette. New exhaust, shocks, struts & tires. 130,000 miles. Looks good, runs great! \$4000. 248-620-4487. !!!LZ35-12nn

1980 BUICK REGAL: w/ 400 Pontiac engine, all redone. \$4,000 or will swap with good pickup of equal value. 248-253-1445 !!!CZ8-4nn

2000 HYUNDAI Tiburon, white, 5sp, manual, good condition, power windows/locks, CD/ Cassette, air, cruise control, \$5500. 248-390-8098 !!!LZ40-4nn

1991 DODGE SPIRIT, 4 door, 4 cylinder, A/C, stereo, reliable, good condition, \$1750 obo. 248-628-5525. !!!LX40-2

**260 VANS**

1997 DODGE RAM VAN, V-6, 8 passenger, trailer hitch, 125,000 miles, many new parts, runs and drives good, asking \$3500. 248-628-0150; cell 248-613-1828. !!!CZ52-8nn

1996 GMC SAFARI SLE, AWD, 8 passenger, tow package, loaded, 91,000 miles, \$5900. 248-408-8865. !!!LZ49-4nn

1994 FLORIDA FORD Conversion Van, beautiful, 100,000 easy miles, \$4,950. 248-394-0580 or 248-394-1817. !!!CZ3-12nn

1998 CHEVY VENTURE 125k miles, VGC, \$3300. 248-627-9563 !!!LZM4-2

1995 GMC SAFARI- Loaded! Burgundy, clean body, 85,000 miles. These engines keep going and going! Great shape, air. Asking \$3,900 obo. Jeff 248-335-8064 !!!CZ9-4nn

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1994 DODGE CARAVAN- many new parts, looks good, 135,000 miles, \$1995 obo. 248-693-9258. !!!LX40-2

1997 DODGE CARAVAN SE, AWD, 3.8L, leather, loaded, 101,000 miles, \$9500 obo. 810-397-4952. !!!LZM51-8nn

PONTIAC TRANS SPORT 1998, 4dr, extended van, blue/ tan color combo, seats 7 passengers, captain's chairs, air, am/fm/cd stereo, more. \$7,200 obo. 922-2820 !!!LZ40-12nn

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1999 CHEVY VENTURE LS extended: one power sliding door, remote start, trailer package, new struts and cruise. Rear heat/air, removable center and rear seats, four captain's seats, \$8300. 248-625-5819. !!!CZ7-12nn

1998 DODGE MINIVAN, green, 5 door, 7 passenger, 109,000 miles, Viper security, cruise control, tilt wheel, tape deck, tinted glass, roof rack, senior car, excellent condition, \$3700. 248-628-4965. !!!LZ34-12nn

1999 GRAND VOYAGER Expresso, 48,000 miles, hi-top (TV, VCR, video game hook-up, separate stereo system in back & headphones), auto start, loaded, \$12,000. 248-969-9568, Heather. !!!LX32-8nn

VERY CLEAN FULL-Size van. 1992 Dodge conversion. Well maintained. Great buy at \$2300. Already bought new one so letting this one go cheap. Call for details. 248-225-8808 or 248-625-8899. !!!CZ5-8nn

1987 CHEVY CONVERSION van, queen size bed, color television, new tires, \$1,000. Large new desk, \$150. 248-391-3568 !!!LX40-2f

1997 CHEVY ASTRO LT AWD 8 passenger. Loaded, clean. 131,000 miles. \$3,900. 810-636-8121 !!!LZM47-8nn

1997 FORD AEROSTAR, 86,000 miles, Very trustworthy van! 7 passenger, white, no rust, 6 disc CD player, cold air. \$3,500 obo. Jeff 248-335-8064 !!!CZ9-4nn

CHEVY ONE-TON CARGO Van, 2000. Loaded, mint condition, dual ladder rack, alarm, lined interior, 50,000 miles, maroon, contractor ready. Must see! \$15,000. 248-693-0490 !!!LX31-12nn

**270 TRUCKS**

2000 GMC SLE 4x4, longbox, power windows, tilt, cruise, CD, slider, 265 tires, V-6, 5 speed, Sierra trim, flares, glass top, red, 21,000 miles, extended, warranty, perfect condition, 20 mpg, \$14,000. 248-634-3446. !!!CZ4-12nn

1996 GMC SUBURBAN, 4WD, 5.7L engine. Loaded, leather, third row bench, rear a/c, luggage rack, am/fm/cassette/CD, 2-tone paint, 98,000 miles. \$10,900. 810-459-4666 !!!LX12nn

1998 FORD 150 XLT. One owner, fully loaded, bedliner, custom rear cap, tires 5 months old, oil change every 3500 miles, aluminum custom wheels. Well maintained. \$8950. Call 248-627-7360 !!!LZM50-12nn

1992 GMC 4X4. Power windows & locks, new brakes, face plate radio, 180,000 miles, alarm, leather seats. \$1,500 obo. 248-495-5172 7am-6pm. !!!LX39-4nn

1993 FORD EXPLORER. 13,000 miles. Needs minor work. \$2,300. 248-941-2500. Ask for Justin. !!!LX39-2

FOR SALE: 2001 Duramax diesel Chevy Silverado LT, all options. 1998 Cadillac DeVille. 248-628-9236 !!!LX39-2

1997 FORD EXPLORER Limited, V-8 engine, 5.0L, beautiful condition. No rust, runs like new. Leather gray interior, moonroof, A/C. Power steering, windows, seats. ABS, tilt, cruise. Towing package, 139,000 miles. \$6500. 248-391-2368. !!!RMZ29-12nn

1988 DODGE 4x4, 318 automatic, cap, bedliner, 70,000 miles, \$3900. 248-627-7638. !!!LZM4-2

1998 CHEVY BLAZER LT, 4x4, loaded, leather, sunroof, stereo, CD, roof rack, tow package, new brakes, warranty, 77,000 miles, sharp! \$10,800. 248-225-6419. !!!LZ34-8nn

2001 SUZUKI VITARA 2<sup>nd</sup> door convertible 4x4, auto locking hubs, 2.0L, AOD, tilt, ps, pb, pm, pl, ac, am/fm, CD, alloys. 2700 miles, like new. \$11,500 Ortonville. 248-236-0086 !!!LX2-12nn

2000 DIAMOND Addition Limited Jimmy. Loaded, 42,000 miles. \$17,900. 248-693-4417 !!!LX40-2

1999 BLAZER 4x4, 4 door, 110,000 miles, power locks & windows, keyless entry, security alarm, new tires and brakes, well maintained, excellent condition. Clean! \$7900 obo. 248-431-6593. !!!LZ39-12nn

1989 FORD F150, black, runs good, new tires, needs some repair. \$700 firm. 248-961-0473 !!!LX40-2

1998 JEEP CHEROKEE Classic, 4WD, 4.0L, 6 cylinder, automatic, A/C, cruise, stereo, runs great, \$3900. 248-693-5905. !!!RMZ40-2

1995 GMC SAFARI for sale. Cloth interior, 156,000 miles, power steering, power brakes, air conditioning. Very clean, well maintained. \$4,200 obo. 248-628-4929 !!!LX32-12nn

1995 GMC SIERRA pickup truck. 80,000 miles, V-8, 2WD, Tonneau cover included. \$6500 obo. Call 248-628-7803 !!!LX37-4nn

1992 TAHOE BLAZER 4x4, loaded, 4 door, 4.3, V8, \$2,700 obo. 248-425-7640 !!!LX40-2

1995 CHEVY S-10 pickup, extended cab, 4x4. Full power, good tires, good condition, \$4500. Call 248-394-0024 or 248-933-2834. !!!CZ9-12nn

1992 FORD F-150 Pickup, 4x4, extended cab, 1 owner, new tires and brakes, runs great! Fiberglass cap, \$1,500. 248-674-9685 !!!CZ9-4nn

1987 DODGE DAKOTA pickup. Runs good. \$600. 248-236-9153 !!!LX39-2

EXPLORER SPORT, 1997. Red, 2 door, 78,000 miles. Very good condition. Leather, power everything, including sun roof. \$8,900. Call Barb. 248-505-7048 !!!LX31-12nn

1997 FORD EXPLORER Limited, V8 engine, 5.0L, beautiful condition. No rust. Runs like new. Leather gray interior, moonroof, A/C, power steering, windows, seats. ABS, tilt, cruise, tow package, 139,000 miles, \$6000. 248-391-2368. !!!RMZ40-12nn

1994 GMC SUBURBAN 4x4, engine has 30,000 miles, loaded, \$3500. 248-693-3231. !!!CZ4-8nn

2002 FORD EXPLORER, 4dr, excellent condition! 32,000 highway miles, loaded, black, non-smoker, \$16,500 obo or take over lease payments. 248-431-5665 ask for Erin. !!!CZ9-12nn

1988 FORD 1 ton dually, with sleeper (sleeps 2 people), 352 engine, body clean. From Canada. Approximately 89,000km. Custom hitch on back, \$2500. 248-627-9460 or 810-908-4730. !!!LZM46-12nn

1997 CHEVY BLAZER, 4x4, 4 door, loaded, air, power windows, locks, 48,000 miles, new tires, new brakes, dark green, garage kept, non smoker, absolutely mint, must see! \$9800. 248-390-1187. !!!CZM7-4nn

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**1992 GMC SUBURBAN SLE, 4x4, loaded,** new tires/ wheels, good condition. \$6,450. 248-627-5958 IILX3M4-2

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**MOTORHOME, '78 DODGE Tioga,** \$1,500 obo. 248-628-6140 IILX39-2

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**ONE BEDROOM APARTMENT:** Davisburg, close to I-75. \$500/month, utilities included in rent, plus security deposit. 248-625-7704. IILX2M9-1

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**REMODELED CONDOS, Downtown Ortonville,** 2 bedroom, laundry, \$650-\$800 monthly. 586-524-4775. IILX2M4-3

**HOUSE FOR RENT: 2 bedroom, lake view/ access.** 32 Mile/ Rochester Rd. No pets. \$850 per month. 248-802-6678. IILX39-2

**FOR RENT: Orion Township lakefront,** 3/4 acre, 165 ft. frontage on Big Square Lake. Exceptionally clean 3 bedroom ranch, 2 baths, full finished walkout with fireplace, and attached 2 car garage. Excellent fishing, swimming and sailing. Lawn maintenance and appliances included. \$1375 monthly with \$1375 security deposit, credit history and references required. No pets. 248-670-0471. IILX37-4

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**METAMORA 2 BEDROOM** apartment, air, 1/2 garage, yard, no pets. \$550. 810-678-3414 !!!X40-1

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**ORTONVILLE HOME** on 1.25 acres. Wooded lot, private road, 1600sqft, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, all appliances; see pictures at www.forsale byowner.com. ID#: 10124272; \$204,900. 248-627-9884 !!!X40-2

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390 NOTICES

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# Kick-off for more Spraypark funds

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Ahdi Dasuqi (left), president of the Clarkston Optimist Club, updates the thermometer after announcing a \$10,000 donation from the Optimists. Ralph and Michele Przybylski, Renee's parents, express their appreciation to the crowd.



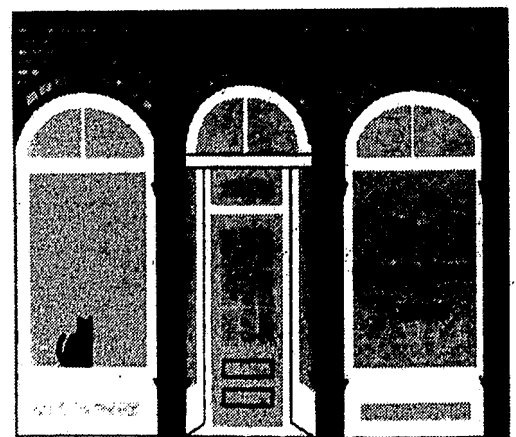
Stephanie Gray, five and a half years old, makes her way out of the Moon Walk, one of the fun attractions offered at the kickoff event.



The junior varsity cheerleaders at Clarkston High School do a dance and cheer before the kick-off.

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