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Neighbors want to squash new garden

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Just two weeks after an official dedication ceremony where local district judges, law enforcement officers and politicians praised the new community service garden, its neighbors are speaking out with concerns.

In fact, they want to "squash the project," resident Tim Smith said.

He and Pine Knob Road neighbors don't feel safe with people convicted of misdemeanors working near their homes.

"The biggest concern I have with the whole thing is security," Smith said. "It's kind of like they've taken the jail and moved it into our backyard. That's what we don't like."

The community service program, initiated by 52-2 District Judges Michael Batchik and Dana Fortinberry and approved by the Independence Township Board, allows first time and nonviolent offenders to opt to work in the 10-acre garden rather than serve jail time, while produce reaped is donated to the Food Bank of Oakland County for those less fortunate.

"This is a recipe for danger," Smith said, who has lived in the area with wife Beth, and their eight children, for seven years.

The Smiths, and others, feel their neighborhood has been a safe and quiet place to live, until now.

They note several criminal incidents that have occurred this past summer they find ironic with the installment of the garden.

For example, on July 22, a Massachusetts couple came to check on a va-

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-- Resident Tim Smith

cant home in the 8700 block of Pine Knob, which had been owned by a late relative. To their surprise, they found Christopher Michael Halpern, a 23-year-old homeless man, had been living in the home for two months.

Halpern fled, but police barricaded his path from Stickney to Whipple Lake, brought out the K-9 unit, and the sheriff's helicopter to apprehend him in a north eastern wooded area at Pine Knob and Stickney.

Halpern also confessed he and a friend broke into a Stonewall street, nearby, to use a phone to call for desired marijuana, police reports stated.

Detective Lonnie Mullins said Halpern is currently in custody and the case is still pending in circuit court.

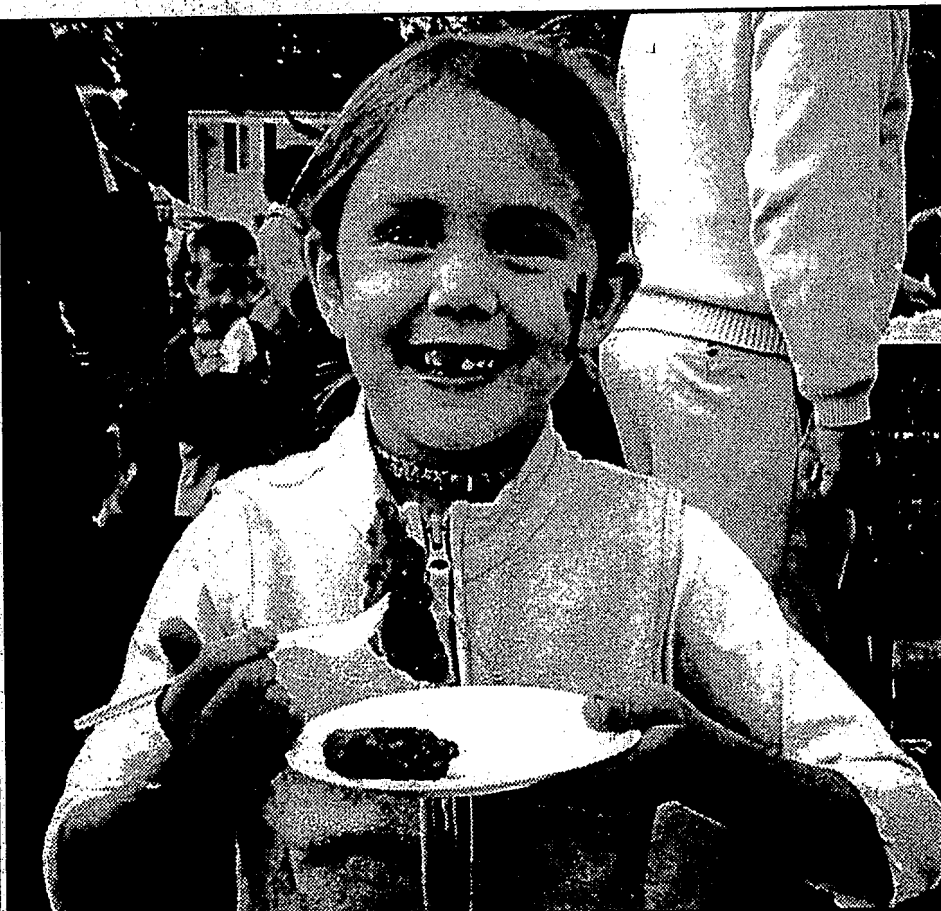
Mullins as well as Lt. Dale LaBair, both of the Oakland County Sheriff's Department in Independence Township, said the incident has nothing to do with the garden.

"It's totally unrelated to the farm," LaBair said.

Also, according to Pine Knob residents, a woman was jogging on Sunday,

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Mmmm, that's good...



At the Taste of Clarkston last weekend, Mackenzie Hannon, 6, enjoys chicken tenders from Mr. B's Roadhouse. Photo by Don Schelske.

Residents enjoy food at Taste of Clarkston

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

Approximately 4,000 people dined together in downtown Clarkston last Saturday.

The Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce sponsored the 6th Annual Taste of Clarkston with 16 restaurants providing food for the event.

"We had a wonderful turnout that was a great cross section of the community," event planner Terri Bendes said. "We had families with young kids, the empty nesters and the retirees. Everybody came out and had a good time."

The event was scheduled for 5 to 9 p.m. but it ended about twenty minutes early due to inclement weather.

However, that did not dampen residents enjoying their favorite dishes. Sue Bates enjoyed some raspberry pie from the Clarkston Cafe, but she also enjoyed the festive nature of the event.

"I'm a real people watcher, and there's a lot of people," Bates said, but she also gave credit to the vendors offering unique dishes. "I just want something different."

The Chamber changed some of their practices to keep the lines moving and accommodate the number of people. However, Greg and Tena Neislar weren't taking any chances.

"We got here early this year," Tena said as she munched on spinach and artichoke dip from Shepherd's Hollow Golf Club. "We got here about 7 p.m. last year

and all the food was gone."

Greg echoed the sentiment, finishing his serving of buffalo chili. "We're just beginning."

In addition to the food, residents enjoyed music and children's games.

The event, which *The Clarkston News* helped sponsor, was in conjunction with the Fall Fun Daze which included a 5K and a 10K run put on by the Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department.

"We have a great partnership with the Parks and Recreation, and the Department of Public Works helps us also. It was really great to see all the groups coming together," Bendes said. "It was a cooperative effort."

Awards given out included: best appetizer, buffalo chili by the Restaurant at Shepherd's Hollow; best dessert, raspberry pie by the Clarkston Cafe; best entree, prime rib and sauteed frog legs by Bullfrogs; best menu, blue sky Michigan salad, Italian sausage with pepper and onions and chicken rice soup by Rudy's Quality Market; best overall menu, black bean roll-ups, corn dog with chips, tortilla soup and banana creme pie by Max and Erma's; friendliest service, Liberty Banquet and Grille; most attractive booth, Castello Di Bologna; people's choice award winner, Bullfrogs.

"The food was wonderful again this year. It was very difficult to judge. The menus were excellent," Bendes said.



Neighboring residents on Pine Knob are speaking out against the community service garden established in Clarkston by Clarkston District Court judges Michael Batchik and Dana Fortinberry. File photo.

Briefly

Clarkston resident wins fishing contest

Oakland County Parks summer fishing contest is drawing to a close.

August winners at Independence Oaks included Fred Munger of Clarkston. Munger caught a bass (15.5", 2lbs.) and crappie (10.5", 12 oz.)

Anglers register their catch with parks staff the day fish are caught. The biggest "catches" are determined by multiplying the length of a fish by its weight.

Village Players present night of comedy

The Clarkston Village Players invites residents to enjoy an evening of laughter and fun as Jesse James and his friends put your funny bone to work.

Their are two shows on Saturday, Oct. 11 at 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. Tickets are \$12.

Performances will be at the Depot Theater which is located at 4861 White Lake Road in Clarkston. For directions to the theater or to reserve your tickets, call (248) 625-8811.

Check out what is happening Around Town on page 2 of the Millstream

Stakoe announces coffee hours

State Representative John Stakoe announced he will sponsor coffee hours with state Senator Mike Bishop on Friday, Oct. 3.

The informal get-together will take place from 8 to 9 a.m. at Pete's Coney II, 6160 Dixie Highway in Clarkston.

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

Residents unable to meet Stakoe during the scheduled office hours can contact his Lansing office at (866) 334-0010 or by e-mail at johnstakoe@house.mi.gov to make an appointment.

Disaster relief team forms in Clarkston

A disaster relief team is being formed in North Oakland County.

The team's intent is to help when and where they are needed with emergency response, resources and follow-up in areas of disaster.

An organizational meeting will be held at St. Daniel's Catholic Church, the Cushing Center, on Thursday, Oct. 9 at 7 p.m.

The public is invited to attend to learn more about how they can help.

For more information, call St. Daniel's at (248) 625-1756. St. Daniel's is located at 7010 Valley Park Drive in Clarkston.

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The Second Front

Clarkston group dances the night away

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

For the 30th year, a loyal group of volunteers throw a party Tuesday nights at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Clarkston.

The event includes dancing, eating and interaction for the mentally and physically challenged in the area.

"It is a great, great time every Tuesday," volunteer Joe Fisher said. "We get a lot of people coming each week."

The event began years ago at the Oakland County Mental Health Center but the group eventually outgrew those surroundings. After starting out with around 30 people, the events now welcome between 150 and 250 people on a given week.

"We just grew and grew and grew. After we outgrew the Center the Knights of Columbus were gracious enough to allow us to use the building free of charge. All we have to do is clean up afterwards," Fisher said.

The group has been at the Knights of Columbus building for approximately 13 years.

There are numerous theme events throughout the year, with Sept. 23 being their anniversary party. Also planned for the year is a Halloween Party (Oct. 28) and a Christmas Party (Dec. 16.)

Admission for the event is a \$3 donation. That money, along with donations from different organizations, goes to the purchase of food and decorations for the events. But the event mostly runs on the efforts of volunteers.

"A lot of the volunteers bring their kids but some just come to help out and give something back to the community," Fisher said.

There is a live local band every Tuesday and the dance floor is always jammed. On Sept. 23, the guests hit the dance floor to enjoy the musical stylings of "Otis and the Elevators."

"Everybody seems to enjoy themselves. We never hear a negative comment about the event," Fisher said. "We have a lot of people dancing and a lot of people laughing."

The events take place on Tuesdays from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.



Joe Fisher takes admission at the door of the Knights of Columbus Tuesday night. Photos by Kyle Gargaro.



Lead singer of Otis and the Elevators entertains the crowd.

More pictures on
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Independence Trustees establish tax rate

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

After slashing the tax rate last year, the Independence Township Board will be asking for some of it back this year.

The new tax rate is 7.2865 mills which is a .5653 increase from the 2002 tax rate. The township was legally allowed to roll back the millage as high as 8.1344 mills.

"We did make a conscious effort to keep the tax rate down," Clerk Joan McCrary said. "However sometimes we need to make an increase to the gen-

eral fund since it is the smallest portion."

The biggest jump came from the police rate which went from 1.75 mills to 2.2 mills. The increase is due to the purchasing of new equipment and the tentative hiring of two new deputies. The township is also putting aside money for a possible new building for the police department in the near future.

With their new tax increase, residents will also see two new Advanced Life Support ambulances.

Independence Township residents will still be paying less than they had since the rate began to decline in the past two years.

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Clarkston group breaks ground



The Clarkston Christian Coalition recently had a groundbreaking ceremony for their latest endeavor with Habitat for Humanity of Oakland County. The ceremony took place on Fisher Street in Pontiac. The CCC is comprised of Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church, Clarkston Community Church, Clarkston United Methodist Church, Episcopal Church of the Resurrection, First Congregational Church of Clarkston, Sashabaw Presbyterian Church and St. Daniel Catholic Church. Photo provided.

Fatal accident near DTE

The DTE Energy Music Theatre 2003 season did not end on a good note. Following the last concert of the year on Saturday, Sept. 27 at approximately 10:19 p.m., Van Eaten Harris Jr., a 38-year-old Detroit man, was walking southbound on Sashabaw on the east side of the road, just south of the entrance to DTE, when he was struck by a northbound motor vehicle. The vehicle did not stop. Harris had been attending a concert at DTE. He was pronounced dead at the scene. No vehicle description is available at this time. The crash remains under investigation with the Oakland County Sheriff's Department Crash Reconstruction Unit.

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Commission rejects request for wetland hearing

BY DON SCHELSKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Despite requests from neighbors, there will be no public hearing on whether to grant a wetland fill permit for a new house in Independence Township.

The township planning commission voted 4-1 Thursday, Sept. 25 to return the question to the township building department, declining their opportunity to sit as a "wetland board" to hear the matter.

The issue came to the planning commission agenda when several residents wrote in response to the township's notification of a request for a wetland fill permit from developer Dan Vackaro.

Vackaro hopes to build a 1,900-square-foot, three-bedroom home on W. Princeton just west of Dartmouth. To do so, he is requesting permission to build a 10-by-30-foot driveway by filling in part of a designated wetland.

If the wetland permit is approved, he will use approximately 145 cubic yards of fill, and some neighbors believe that will destroy the "functioning wetland" and add problems in an area with a history of flooding and septic failure.

The wetland permit is required because the township government has determined the area is a "regulated wetland." While officials voiced concern about use of such areas, some concluded the developer has taken reasonable action to minimize the impact.

Contracted engineer Randy Ford said there is difficulty with this project because the neighborhood is "an old platted subdivision" with unimproved roads and no detailed engineering.

"There's a significant area of drainage," Ford said. "It will behoove the applicant to minimize the amount of fill. They must maintain the status quo on drainage."

Township wetland consultant Derek Stratelak said the size of the wetland in question (about 1.65 acres) falls under the size regulated by the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, although the DEQ did engage in "months of deliberation" concerning the property.

'Not having a public forum is saying the wetland is not a concern, and that's ridiculous.'

Sharon Vaughn
Resident

Stratelak echoed Ford's comments on drainage problems, and he believes it may be a continuing problem if development continues.

"This is a situation I can see reoccurring," he said. "Any fill affects the aquatic life," Stratelak said, but Vackaro "has done everything possible to minimize the effect on the system."

Further, Vackaro will fill only about 0.7-acre of the wetland and has agreed to a conservation easement for the remainder of the property.

"The remaining wetland will be protected in perpetuity," Stratelak said.

Officials also questioned Vackaro's plan to include a septic field on a neighboring parcel, since the property in question does not percolate properly. The neighboring parcel is owned by the same party who contracted Vackaro for the new home, but it is being rented to other tenants.

The practice of a "septic easement" on adjoining property has been called in question, but that falls under the jurisdiction of Oakland County. Bev McElmeel, director of building, planning and zoning for the township, said the county had issued a sewer permit but has since rescinded it.

Stratelak said one issue could be an existing drain and easement already recorded on the adjoining property. Crossing easements would be an issue, he said.

Planning Commissioner Daniel Travis, who cast the lone negative vote against the public hearing, cited the septic easement as one of his concerns.

Although public comment was not allowed at the

meeting, about 12 concerned residents were in attendance. They were not pleased with the results.

"Not having a public forum is saying the wetland is not a concern, and that's ridiculous," Sharon Vaughn said.

Vaughn, a former wildlife refuge manager with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, disputed some of the official findings and continued to claim a danger to wetland vegetation and wildlife.

"They should not be basing decisions on past practices that haven't worked," she said. "They don't need a conservation easement. They just need to follow their own regulations."

Vackaro, who was not present at last week's meeting, said there is precedent for his driveway plan, claiming 12 houses along Clarkston and Clintonville roads with fill in wetland areas.

Vackaro, said he has been open to selling the property to conservationists, came up with another potential alternative, offering to purchase an easement for the driveway through the rear yards of protesting neighbors.

"I will pay for an easement. I will give them a chance to save their wetland," he said, questioning the neighbors' sincerity. "It's not about the wetland. The only issue is, everyone of those neighbors is using the back of their property."

Vaughn said Vackaro has never made that offer. "He's never contacted any of us," Vaughn said, also wondering why Vackaro never investigated the possibility of a driveway off of nearby Kelsey Lane.

Bob Inskeep, president of the North Oakland Headwaters Land Conservancy (which owns wetland on the other side of the proposed new house), said Vackaro never responded to his inquiries.

"He hasn't responded to anything from us," Inskeep said. "I approached him two years ago before this even started."

Vaughn and Inskeep said they are reviewing their options in continuing their opposition to the project.

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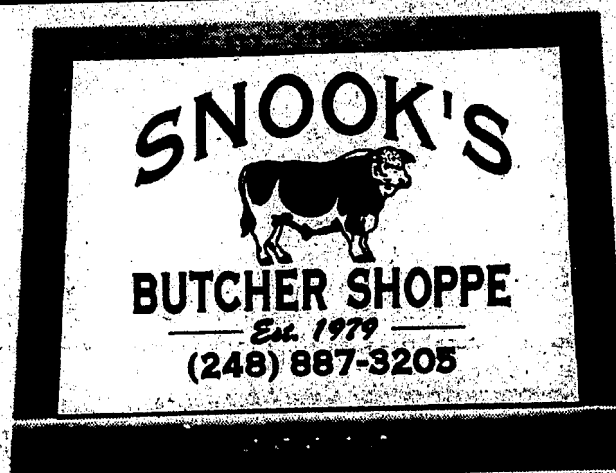
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Opinion

Legalize sports betting

Our government confuses me from time to time. The rationale for what is illegal and legal can sometimes be puzzling at best.

In my mind, this is the case when the issue of gambling is discussed. In some instances our government allows, even encourages, gambling yet I can not legally place a bet on a couple of football games during the weekend.

I am just asking for a little consistency. If we decide gambling as a whole is not something we want in our society then I will play by the rules. But this picking and choosing of the legality of basically the same activity is annoying.

You can go downtown or up to Mount Pleasant and play the slots or try your luck at blackjack. You can also walk into any convenience store and play in the biggest gambling game there is: the Michigan Lotto.

The government wants you to play the lotto so much, solely because they get the money, they run commercials using children to promote their games. The message is if we want our children to be educated, a portion of the lotto money goes to the schools, then we better play the state's legalized gambling game.

However, if we want to sports bet we are only left with getting involved with a bookie or taking our chances on one of the many websites advertising gambling. Personally I don't have the guts to engage in either activity. Giving my credit card number to an organization setting up outside the country is a bigger gamble than whether the Lions and 49ers are going to beat the over/under.

I realize some people feel gambling is an immoral activity and that all forms of it should be done away with. However, if we did away with anything anyone thought was immoral, NBC would not be permitted to run "Queer Eye for the Straight Guy." (Not to be confused, I feel that it is important to point out this last line was only to prove a point and does not mean I waste time watching any make-over show.)

I guess we can just file this away on the ever growing lists of contradictions by the government. Marijuana, in my opinion a relatively harmless drug, is illegal while alcohol, something that causes many more deaths, is legal. Smoking is horribly frowned upon and taxed heavily, yet fast food and Twinkies seem to be an acceptable diet. Have you seen the studies comparing the deaths caused by smoking to the deaths caused by unhealthy foods?

I guess people just need to hope that by the luck of the draw their vice happens to be on the legal side of the ledger.

Is it too much to simply ask for some consistency? (Kyle Gargaro is the editor of The Clarkston News. His e-mail address is KyleG44@aol.com.)

Gargaro's World



Kyle Gargaro

Should sports betting be legal? Write a Letter to the Editor and send it to shermanpub@aol.com.

Letters to the Editor

Dog owners need to take responsibility

I read with sadness the article in your September 24 issue, "Allen Road puppy shot." Poor Lucy is an innocent animal and, in a perfect world, the person who shot her would be found and prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

Was Lucy at home inside her fenced yard when this happened? If not, Lucy's owners are also responsible for this tragedy.

According to the Independence Township Animal Ordinance, Section 5-5: It shall be unlawful for any owner of a dog to allow or permit such a dog to run at large. At large shall mean any animal that is off the property of its owner and not under the physical control of a competent person. Any person violating the

provisions of this chapter shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

The owners of the dog are ultimately responsible for her health and well-being. If they jeopardize her safety by allowing her to run "at large," knowing there are crazy people in the world who are not "dog-friendly," then they are partly to blame.

Please understand that I am not supporting the sick person who shot Lucy, by any means. I am advocating responsible dog ownership. It is the primary responsibility of the owner to protect the dog. She can't do it herself.

Mary Ann Saranen
Clarkston

Plenty of room in Clarkston for all retail

I am writing in response to the letters concerning the sale of flowers at Rudy's Market.

I am unsure of the reason why Mrs. Wilson feels threatened by Rudy's selling flowers. She has a beautiful, well established, up-scale flower business. Anyone who knows Clarkston, knows The Parsonage.

On the other hand, anyone who knows Clarkston, knows Rudy's. Their selection of wine, meat and produce is fabulous. I think the vibrant color that is added to our main street by the sale of these flowers is a plus.

The beauty of living in America is that we have the freedom of choice - let the customers decide what and where we buy our goods. I can walk into any store downtown and pick up a greeting card. I never feel limited, which is awesome.

I applaud all the retail stores in Clarkston for keeping up with the times, and providing us with the diversity of a big city in a small town atmosphere.

Sarah Didion

A loyal Parsonage and Rudy's Customer

Reader salutes retiring NOHLC leaders

Every nonprofit project and organization in our community is dependent on the energy, generosity, and commitment of volunteers to be successful. Without such resources, many important things would not get done.

Some volunteers go the extra step by serving in leadership positions, which requires an even greater involvement by them. They are especially important and precious.

The North Oakland Headwaters Land Conservancy is a more than 30 year old community organization, fortified by dedicated volunteers, which has helped preserve over 1,000 acres of land. This land helps the community strive to retain its special character.

Many NOHLC volunteers have worked hard, and

continue to work hard, to protect that natural habitat. Two NOHLC stalwarts, who have served longer than most, are about to retire from their leadership positions: President Bob Inskeep and Vice President Fred Roeser.

Bob and Fred should be recognized for their years of excellent service. They are the kind of neighbors who enable our community to accomplish so much.

NOHLC has been fortunate to have the unselfish and dependable leadership of Bob

Inskeep and Fred Roeser. Let us salute them and thank them.

Tom Stone
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Signs, signs everywhere a sign

When I was a wee bit younger than I am now, I used to shake my head with sadness or shake my fists in anger — I used to get upset at the sheer volume of signs screwing up our roadsides.

When I was too young to drive, back before seat belts were mandatory and the windows in the back seat could be rolled all the way down, I used to stick out my arm and pretend my hand was a big shovel. When I came to a road sign I didn't like, I'd dip my fingers down and flip 'em back up — thus digging up said sign.

Some years later, license in pocket, whenever I would tool up M-15 and enter Goodrich Village, I would daydream about midnight commando raids. Raids where those two wooden billboards that sit on the banks of a winding creek are taken out with chain saws.

But that was then, back in my irrational days. Back when I had nothing else to do but get cranky at things which I had no control over. That those billboards ruin the scenic beauty is of no consequence to me. It is not my property, therefore not my problem. My problems are trying to pay my taxes, raising sturdy, honest boys and being a good husband to dear wife Jen.

That said, there are lots o' signs dotting our highways and byways. Nowadays, instead of daydreaming about sign demolition I just count. For example, a six-mile drive west on Oakwood Road, from M-24 in Oxford resulted in a 192 sign count — that's like 32 signs per mile on a road that is, for the most part, residential, wetlands and farmland. (Of course I did not include any of those green address signs.)

And, since wife Jen calls me "the king of cliché," I say, if you can't beat 'em, join 'em. It would seem sign making could be a good business investment — if I could weasel my way into a government gig with a nice fat contract. It bears investigating.

Our signs here in Michigan are, well, boring. We need new signage. Signs that say something. Signs that tug on the heartstrings and signs that can make you smile. Don't get me wrong, Michigan signs are effective. In construc-

tion zones, signs that say, "Kill, injure or even get close to one of our workers and the state will open a can of whoop you know what on you," get right to the point.

But, for the most part our signs are just . . . blah. The most interesting signs we have are those yellow caution ones with the mother duck being followed by her ducklings. I think the most ridiculous sign is the yellow caution one I see in Davisburg — the one with the little farmer (complete with 10-gallon straw hat) sitting up on his tractor. How many farmers these days (or ever) wear 10-gallon straw hats?

While driving in Pennsylvania, a construction-zone sign caught Jen's and my attention. It was brown and written in childlike scrawl were these words in white: *Please drive safely, my mommy works here.*

After typing that I have changed my mind, Michigan doesn't need any sentimental crap on signage — it's sounds too whippy. Maybe we should stick to, to the point verbiage: *Break a worker's arm and Guido will break yours.*

Jen sent me an e-mail with pictures of signs found north of the border. She typed in the subject: *Why Canada is Great.*

* A sign in North Vancouver states: Attention Dog Guardians: Pick up after your dogs. Thank you. Attention Dogs: Grrrr, bark, woof. Good dog.

* A billboard for a Saskatoon restaurant shows a scenic picture of a majestic moose near shimmering water with these words: There's plenty of room for all God's creatures — right next to the mashed potatoes.

* A sign in a Canadian drinking establishment: Do not drop cigarette ends on the floor as they burn the hands and knees of customers when they leave.

* Same bar, different sign: NOTICE — Public Bar. Our public bar is presently not open because it is closed. Manager.

* At a self-serve gas station the cost for a liter of regular was: Arm; for Plus: Leg and for Premium: First Born.

* And, finally out by a beach somewhere there's a big yellow sign with big black letters. CAUTION: This sign has SHARP EDGES. Do Not touch the edge of this sign — also, the bridge is out ahead.

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Don't Rush Me



Don Rush

An empty stomach overpowers reasoning

We've heard it from our mothers, grandmothers and even the pulpit — Never Go Grocery Shopping On An Empty Stomach!

But, did we learn? No! That "no" includes everybody who ever entered a grocery store.

If we didn't learn from those mentioned above, we should have gotten the message when groceries started installing self-opening doors. That feature wasn't added just for cart-pushing ease.

They are welcoming symbols meant to entice those with growling stomachs and weak reasoners. The automatic opening exit doors were added only because the door sellers had a 2 for 1 deal going.

These stores don't want you to leave until all your credit cards, loan limits and friends' kindnesses are overdrawn.

For instance, pushing my cart by Entenmann's baked goods kiosk I saw their raspberry Danish twist. Love raspberries. I tried to reason — yes, I have raspberry cookin's at home, but they are nearly gone, and this addiction, while cholesterol ridden, is otherwise harmless. Besides, I earned rewards.

A little farther my taste buds got excited when my eyes alerted them to the sauerkraut display. The buds further yearned for the natural accompaniment, Polish sausage.

The reasonless mind convinced me to buy two of each so I'll never be without, never mind that I haven't sought this combination in over five years.

"Bacon is back to two pounds for \$5. Wow! Get four pounds. That'll be just the right amount to go with my u-pick Middleton tomatoes," I said to myself, my

mind clouded by me delighted senses.

"That's only a 2-week supply, and besides isn't that why I take Lipitor? And, don't tomatoes offset bacon's downside?"

"And, what do we have here? Haven't had fried bologna in a long time. Ah, two rings. I think it's good frozen.

"Chicken wings. Love fried chicken wings. That's a big bag, yeah, but obviously they're good frozen 'cause they are frozen already."

At the sight of pork chops the buds emitted juices that only breaded pork chops could quell. I can learn to cook them like Hazel did. Surely, I can eat six at one sitting. Buy 'em!

By now I'm completely reasonless. Toilet paper, orange juice, tissues, lettuce, Caesar salad mix, Miracle Whip, Downey, Tide, chips, twice baked potatoes, softener salt, ice cream, dishcloths, 2,000 Flushes and a book on how to control your impulses fill my cart.

I went in for a gallon of milk.

I learned recently daughter Luan has a similar reasoning weakness. We are golf partners Friday evenings. And, we signed up to play in a 2-person scramble on a following Sunday.

That Friday Luan told me, "Dad, I'm going to do nothing but practice putting from now until Sunday."

I called her before leaving the house that Sunday morning and asked about her practicing. She said, "I decided my putting is off because I have a dominant right eye. I'm going to wear my glasses, and it'll be fine."

Glasses, smashes. With practice we might have finished better than tenth in the 12-team event.

She'll get her glasses changed before she practices putting.

Jim's Jottings



Jim Sherman

A look back

The Clarkston News

15 YEARS AGO (1988)

• Less than two months after an Aug. 3 fire completely destroyed Springfield Township's Tra-Tech Midwest factory, the new building was already taking shape. Last week, steel beams defined the rising 400,000 square foot plant, and concrete walls are to be erected this week. "Things are as good as can be expected," Tra-Tech president Grant W. Grebeck said.

• Compliments, objections, applause and threats of lawsuits were the reactions from about 85 people who attended a Sept. 29 workshop on proposed zoning changes along M-15 north of I-75. The Independence Township Planning Commission held the workshop to gain opinions from surrounding residents before holding a public hearing on zoning changes to M-15 between Cranberry Lake Road and I-75.

• Following summer-long invasions of dust clouds and a bombardment of autumn's raging rains, the roads in Thendara Park are filled with three and four-foot trenches, more befitting a battlefield than a residential neighborhood. Residents are upset, but after having lived in the area for years, they've become accustomed to the pitfalls of private roads.

25 YEARS AGO (1978)

• Hours before the tenants of a state-monitored foster care facility were to be moved into a house in Springfield Township, Oakland County Circuit Judge Robert L. Templin issued a temporary restraining order preventing the house from opening. The restraining order was issued Monday in connection with a \$200,000 legal suit initiated by the owners of Shiawassee Creek Farms, a 17-lot subdivision being developed adjacent to the foster care home on Davisburg Road, one-half mile east of Andersonville Road.

• Keith Hallman remains the village president until the Clarkston Village Council can act on his letter of resignation. Thomas Gruich, village attorney, said Monday that state law specifies that a public official cannot resign without formal recognition of that resignation. Hallman's letter of resignation, dated Sept. 20, was not among the correspondences received by the council at a Sept. 25 meeting.

• One day of fair weather is all that's needed to complete the Clarkston Mills shopping mall's two parking lots, Manager Frank Walker said Monday in response to concerns voiced by officers of the Village Business Association. In a letter to the Clarkston Village Council, Association Chairperson Laurie Stern, Co-chairperson Joan Kopietz and Secretary/Treasurer Claudia Jakus criticized Clarkston Mills for opening without providing adequate parking facilities for its patrons.

50 YEARS AGO (1953)

• The Board of Education has accepted the resignation of Jack Murton as board member. Mr. Murton, with his family, now resides in Detroit. To fill the vacancy, the board appointed Kenneth Thayer. Thayer is a former member of the Sashabaw School District before that district consolidated with the Clarkston district.

• On Thursday evening, September 24, after several meetings of interested citizens, a Clarkston Schools Booster Association was formally organized to boost school activities. At this time the project is a lighted football field.

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Police and Fire

Independence Township

Sunday, Sept. 28, retail fraud on Dixie. A 40-year-old homeless man stole sunglasses, deodorant, razors and more from a drug store. He had a blood alcohol content of .28 percent.

A 22-year-old man was arrested in the parking lot of Clarkston Middle School on Middle Lake for carrying a concealed weapon. The man was asleep in his car when police approached him. They found a sword in the front passenger seat as well as a chain in the backseat.

Domestic assault on Hilltop Estates. A 33-year-old woman was arrested.

Saturday, Sept. 27, unlawful entry and malicious destruction of property on Maybee. A 40-year-old man was arrested for bursting into his ex-wife's home.

Retail fraud on Dixie. An unknown man stole a box of cigars, valued at \$21.34. A license plate was obtained and was registered as a rental car.

Friday, Sept. 26, assault on Sashabaw between two 16-year-old boys. There were no injuries.

A 21-year-old woman was arrested in the parking lot of a grocery store on Dixie for operating under the influence of liquor, a first offense and for leaving the scene of a property damage accident. The woman said she slid into a tree on Main Street as she tried to slow down with bald tires when driving too fast. She had a blood alcohol content of .131 percent.

Domestic assault between spouses on S. Marshbank. Arrest is pending review from the prosecutor's office.

Thursday, Sept. 25, larceny on Devonsridge. A woman reported someone stole her ATM card and withdrew \$1,931 from her account.

Malicious destruction of property on Bristol Park. An unknown person drove across the complainant's flowerbed.

Fraud on Maybee. A man attempted to cash a bad check, for \$386, at a store.

Wednesday, Sept. 24, malicious destruction of property on S. Main. The complainant reported he saw two teens scratch his car.

Monday, Sept. 22, larceny of a snowmobile, valued at \$6,000, parked for sale at a home on Waldon.

Larceny from a vehicle, with force, on White Lake. The complainant reported someone smashed his truck's windshield with a shovel and sprayed grease from a grease gun inside the cab. Tools were removed from the truck and scattered on the ground. Four pipe wrenches were stolen.

Burglary on Mountain View Trail. An unknown

person stole items including a ladder and tools from a vehicle parked in a residential driveway.

Larceny from a vehicle on Mountain View Trail. Two unlocked vehicles were entered and cameras and other items were stolen.

A 21-year-old man was arrested on Laurelton for operating under the influence of liquor, a first offense.

Fraud on Ridgeview. An unknown person used the complainant's personal information to obtain a phone service.

Springfield Township

Sunday, Sept. 28, burglary, with force, malicious destruction of property, and threats on Haylock. The complainant reported his garage door was kicked and vehicle tires punctured. He also reported seeing a person looking into his window, yelling a threat.

Back yard fire with juveniles on Hillsboro. A 13-year-old boy and 10-year-old boy were attempting to burn bugs in the backyard by using gas and matches. Upon lighting the gas, the fire exploded into a ball of fire, causing yard damage. There were no reported injuries.

Malicious destruction of property on Roberts Drive.

Someone broke the complainant's vehicle window with a brick.

Saturday, Sept. 27, indecent exposure on Dixie. An unknown man, parked at a liquor store, honked his horn at several juvenile girls to get them to look his way. He then got into the back seat of his vehicle naked, opened the car door and video taped the girls' reactions. No license plate number was obtained.

A 30-year-old Pontiac man was arrested on Dixie for operating under the influence, a first offense. He had a blood alcohol content of .14 percent.

Tuesday, Sept. 23, a 15-year-old boy was arrested for assaulting his parents.

Monday, Sept. 22, a 44-year-old man was arrested for a domestic assault against his wife on Dixie.

City of Clarkston

Saturday, Sept. 27, a 47-year-old Commerce Township woman was arrested on Main Street near Princess for drunk driving at 10:43 p.m. She registered a .20 percent blood alcohol level. She was released the next day on bond.

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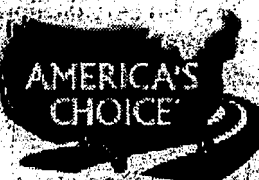
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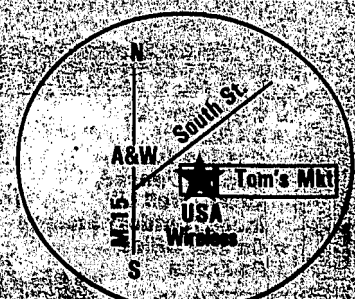
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Garden

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thing like this before," resident Tony DeRose said. "I don't think it's coincidence."

Tony and his wife Lynn, and their three children, have lived there for 12 years. They say the worst crime that has occurred in their area was the occasional smashed mailbox.

But LaBair defends. "I can't attribute any of it to that garden. I will tell you that the people who go out there are supervised."

The residents, though, aren't happy with the amount of supervision versus offenders.

"There's no security. No cops. No nothing," Smith said. "There's only two people in charge of over 70 or 80 men. Some are just kids, but some aren't just kids."

He and Tony DeRose went to the farm, and said only a gardener and a W.A.M. (Weekend Alternatives for Misdemeanors) representative were supervising.

Lynn said she would like to see a sheriff supervising. "The premise is great. It's a beautiful garden. But it needs supervision," she said.

Judge Fortinberry, who suggested utilizing the long dormant McCord Farm for the garden, said there are always at least two supervisors from W.A.M., plus two assistants, to look over the approximately 35-40 offenders when the program is in use Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

"They are well-monitored," Fortinberry said, noting the workers have a strict schedule to follow and must even ask permission to use the port-a-john.

The 52-2 court does not have it in its budget to hire a supervisor, so W.A.M. has volunteered. "I'm happier with them supervising, they have more experience. They are up front with me if they think someone is not suitable for the program, not because of any risk factor, but because of attitude problems. There has never been any security problems."

Fortinberry assures there are none sentenced to work in the garden that are dangerous.

"Trust me, I live in that neighborhood. Even if I lived across town, I wouldn't put anyone at risk. If in any way I thought there was a hint of danger, I wouldn't assign anyone to the garden."

Still many of the residents are leery of letting their kids play outside alone.

"I won't let the kids go out on the road alone," Smith said. "My brother Mike, lives down the road. His two young girls like to ride their bikes to the library. They don't feel safe doing that anymore."

The DeRoses said their kids enjoy going for walks on the weekends. "We can't go in that direction and

can't let them go without adult supervision now," Tony said.

Lynn said she did a mental count of how many kids live in the area, and noted between 35 and 40 between Stickney and Whipple Lake.

"If this was going up behind a subdivision, I'm sure they (the township board) would've said no because of the kids in the neighborhood, but because it's a rural area I think they felt it would be okay," she said.

The residents are particularly upset their feedback wasn't sought before the garden got underway.

"I don't like how it got there without us knowing about it. They constructed this garden without letting the neighbors know their plans and intentions," Tony said.

"We weren't asked if we wanted this in our neighborhood," Smith noted. "They've invited these characters into our neighborhood who normally wouldn't be there. They can case our houses."

Fortinberry said the garden, in its prospective stages, was discussed at at least two open meetings, which are also filmed and rerun on local cable, as well as covered in community newspapers.

"People were made well aware of this."

"The garden was highly publicized," Independence Township Supervisor Dale Stuart also said.

Lynn said she wants to know exactly who the courts are bringing into her neighborhood.

Fortinberry specifically said most of the offenders are convicted of drunk driving, or other driving offenses such as driving with a suspended license.

"There is no assaultive people, no people with ties to CSC (criminal sexual conduct). We try to give these people an alternative to working off their debt to society in a positive way. This is not a prison work farm."

Noted at the dedication ceremony, as of Sept. 5, 164 offenders have chosen to work in the garden, which will be closed for the season at the end of October, Fortinberry said.

Participants pay \$15 a day to do so, and \$12,495 has been collected from these fees, saving taxpayers more than \$85,000 in jail days.

With a total of 8,540 hours of work completed -- a five hour work day equates one jail day -- this has saved \$128,069 in jail costs. (Inmate costs are at \$78 a day.)

In addition, more than 3,000 pounds of produce has been harvested and donated.

Batchik, who started a garden while at Novi's 52-1 court in 1993, called the garden "a win-win situation all around," saving jail days and taxpayers money, al-

lowing offenders to keep their jobs, and donating to those in need.

The garden he began in Novi is in a semi-residential area and there have never been any security problems, Fortinberry said.

But Smith said, "These projects mean well, but eventually mistakes will happen. I know they're tempering this with donating to the Food Bank, but grow it somewhere else."

The residents plan to attend an upcoming Independence Township Board meeting to publicly voice their concerns.

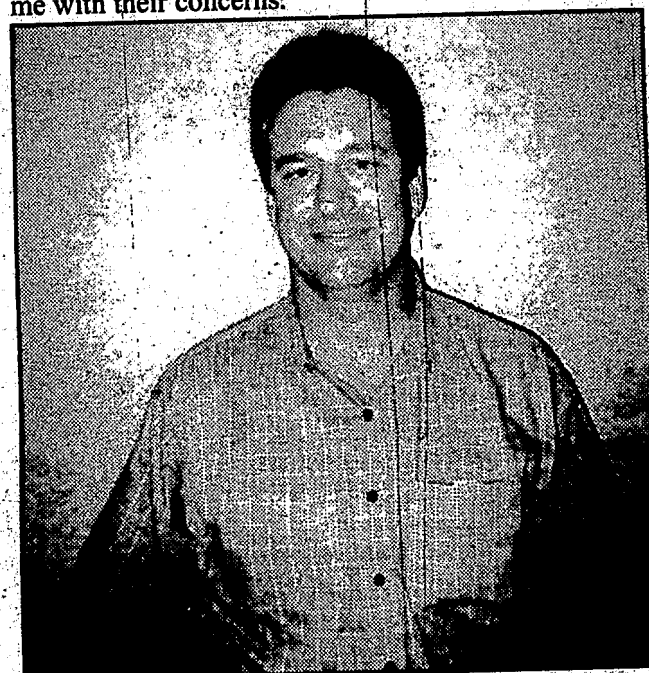
"The community needs to be aware of what's going on here," Lynn said.

Stuart said, "I'm sorry the people feel this way. But the facts are, they are not in any danger. We wouldn't let that happen. We certainly will listen to what they have to say."

The supervisor also said the residents should be proud of the garden for what it has been able to provide to the greater community and that it is an asset to Clarkston, preserving the historical McCord Farm.

Fortinberry found it distressing the residents did not come to she or Batchik with their concerns.

"I want to work with them. I want them to understand we're not placing dangerous criminals in their neighborhood. I wish people would come directly to me with their concerns."



Tim Smith

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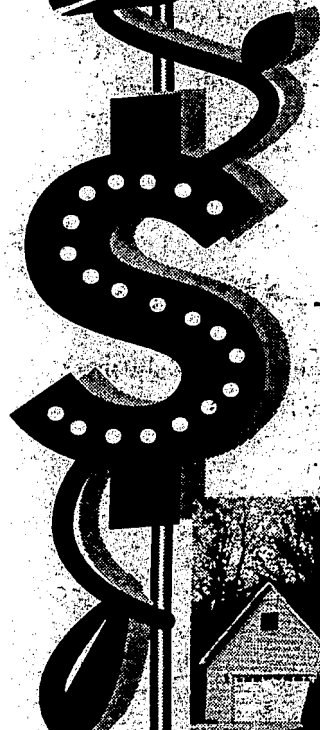
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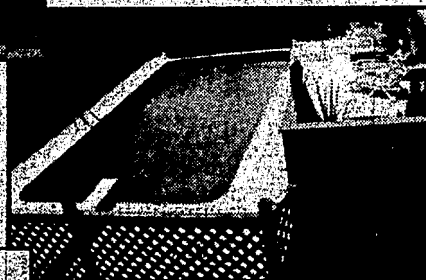
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Obituary

Douglas W. Griffiths

Douglas W. Griffiths, of Bonita Springs, Florida and formerly of Clarkston, died September 28, 2003.

A beloved husband and loving father, Mr. Griffiths is survived by his wife of 56 years, Jane; his daughter Susan Griffiths and her husband, Alan Finn of Hebron, CT; his sons, Mark Griffiths of Goodrich and Joel Griffiths of Bonita Springs; his sister, Shirley Waller, sister-in-law, Mary Krieger and her husband Louis, and their family; he is also survived by four grandchildren, Laurel, Marisa, Kelsey and Brian; and by many dear friends.

A World War II, United States Navy Disabled American Veteran, Mr. Griffiths was a graduate of Kalamazoo College. For 20 years, he was a teacher at Clarkston Community Schools. Funeral services and

interment will be held privately. Contributions made, in his memory, to either the American Heart Association or to the organization of the donor's choice, would be deeply appreciated.

Edward Eston Winstead

Edward Eston Winstead, of Pontiac, died on September 29, 2003 at age 87.

He was preceded in death by his wife Molly; brother of Viola Ruth Pohl of Clarkston; Uncle of Daniel (Connie) Pohl of Clarkston and Martha Addis of Sterling Heights; also survived by several other nieces, nephews and other family members.

Mr. Winstead retired from General Motors and served in the US Army. Services have been held. Arrangements entrusted to the Lewis E. Wint & Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Clarkston.

Donna Joy Sherwood

Donna Joy Sherwood, of Clarkston, died September 28, 2003 at age 70.

She was the wife of Howard for 52 years; mother of Vicki (Keith) Sievers of Clarkston, Jody (Chester) Wyszynski of Clarkston, Keith (Alice) Sherwood of Grand Rapids, Michael (Linda) Sherwood of Clarkston and Michelle (Scott) McCormick of Holly; also survived by 19 grandchildren and one great grandson; sister of Marilyn (Jim) Konkle of White Lake.

Donna was an active member at Clarkston Free Methodist Church. A funeral service is planned for Thursday, Oct. 2 at 10 a.m. at the Clarkston Free Methodist Church. Friends may visit Wednesday 6 to 9 p.m. at the Lewis E. Wint & Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Clarkston. Interment White Chapel Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Clarkston Free Methodist Church Youth Group.

Beware a mix of government and science

A recent study conducted by the National Institute of Terrific Writers Investigating Truth has revealed a serious threat to public health.

It is a danger that must be publicized, scrutinized, sanitized and Simonized before more people get hurt.

We all know how tedious government documents can be, and only a minority of the population has studied enough to even bother with scientific writings.

Imagine the pain when the two combine.

The most recent excursion into this dangerous category came when your humble reporter wanted to check out the potential danger from roofing tar fumes at North Sashabaw Elementary School.

We always look for authoritative sources, so we called the Oakland County Health Division. They responded quickly with a thick stack of documents from various environmental health sources.

While fortunate to have some experience with occupational safety issues from a former job in public

safety, I nonetheless do not place Material Data Safety Sheets and other such documents at the top of the recreational reading list.

As a dedicated founding member of NITWIT, however, I persevered.

It's unthinkable that researchers would deliberately try to confuse people (maybe it just comes naturally), but there are at least couple places where one does not know what to believe.

For example, one MSDS reads, "A study conducted by the National Toxicology Program shows that lifetime exposure of rats and mice to 750 ppm (parts per million) concentrations of ethylbenzene resulted in increases of certain cancers."

Whoa! Red flag! Keep that stuff away from me! But wait. What follows is, "The study does not address relevance to humans."

One weird example? Hardly. In the same packet comes an MSDS for oxidized asphalt. Here comes the warning:

"Based on a 2000 review of health effects literature, the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health concluded that roofing asphalt fumes are a potential occupational carcinogen." (Translation: Fumes may cause cancer.)

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ers exposed to asphalt fumes have not established an association between asphalt fumes and cancer or other lung diseases in man."

Did we read these sentences correctly? The first sentence appears to establish the risk, while the next disputes the risk!

Of course, some of this comes back to the time-dishonored practice of pretending lab rats have the same anatomy as humans. Some of us old-timers remember the artificial sweetener cyclamates, banned by the government because of the number of mice who became cancer victims.

Some time later we read that, in order to ingest the proportional amount of the horribly dangerous substance, a human would have to drink something like a case of soda every day for about 70 years straight.

Well, the search for scientific truth continues, and we must pursue it despite the health risks.

Perhaps there should be a Material Safety Data Sheet for government-commissioned scientific documents, such as:

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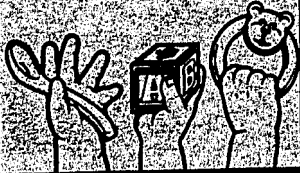
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Sports



Lyndsay Smith and Elle Kuhta run cross country at a meet earlier this season. The Wolves have high hopes of earning a state title this season. Photo provided

Girls win, boys lose at Athens CC meet

The Wolves cross-country teams hosted a meet against Troy Athens Tuesday, Sept. 23.

The boys team lost, 30-25, but the girls runners scored an 18-38 victory.

Top finishers for the girls included Anne Oltman, first, 20:31; Elle Kuhta, second, 20:54; Lyndsay Smith, third, 20:55; Lauren Witt, fourth, 21:05; Marie Timm, eighth, 21:32; and Whitney Boumier, 10th, 21:51.

Top finishers for the boys squad included Evan Schneider, second, 17:12.9; Andy Kodra, fourth, 17:27.9; Hazen Brennan, sixth, 17:49.9; Tom Fick, eighth, 17:57.7; and Edward Brennan, 10th, 18:21.2.

At the Hanson Invitational Saturday, Sept. 27, the boys team placed third among 13 competing teams, with 126 points. (Milford, 42, and Port Huron Northern, 103, finished ahead of the Wolves.)

Andy Kodra led the Wolves, placing 17th with a time of 17:50. Others were Evan Schneider, 18th, 17:53; Hazen Brennan, 21st, 18:00; Tom Fick, 33rd, 18:25; Edward Brennan, 37th, 18:34; Joe Seibert, 50th, 18:54; and Scott Linville, 65th, 19:32.

This week's scheduled action includes a home meet against Lake Orion Tuesday, Sept. 30 and the county meet Saturday, Oct. 4.

Wolves prepare for hoops league play

Clarkston defeated Oak Park, 62-25, in basketball action Thursday, Sept. 25.

Juniors Stephanie Parkin and Leigh Christy were high scorers for the game, each with 12. Parkin grabbed six rebounds, while Christy took five off the boards.

The 4-2 Wolves were scheduled to begin league play this week, with a trip to West Bloomfield Tuesday, Sept. 30 and a home contest against Waterford Kettering Thursday, Oct. 2.

Gridders win in back-and-forth contest

BY DON SCHELSE

Clarkston News Staff Writer

It was unclear in the first half who would be the victor, but the football Wolves pulled out a 37-27 victory over Troy on Friday, Sept. 26.

It brings Clarkston to 5-0 on the season, but coach Kurt Richardson is still not comfortable with the quality of play.

"Troy just took it to us," Richardson said of the first half, "and we were just not ready to play. We kind of took over in the second half, but we still have to play four quarters."

Clarkston touchdowns were scored by quarterback Sam Palace on a 52-yard run, Aaron Powell on two passes (34 and 21 yards, respectively) and Nick Blackstone on a seven-yard run. Mark Thornberry scored a field goal and four extra points.

Powell's pass receptions earned specific praise from Richardson, as did Palace's field leadership, Thornberry's foot and Addison Turk's defensive strength.

As the Wolves prepare for Homecoming Friday, Richardson fears Waterford Mott's potential, even with an 0-5 record. The Corsairs have defeated Clarkston the past two years, and they have extra motivation for Friday's contest.

"They'll throw everything they've got at us," he said, "They'll want to spoil our Homecoming."

In addition, the season is beginning to take its physical toll on the Wolves. Mike Kittle is out for two weeks after suffering a concussion, for example, and Blackstone was scheduled to have an MRI on his knee to determine whether he can play Friday.

The Michigan High School Athletic Association has started to publish playoff point averages, and Clarkston has earned 96 points as of the Troy victory.

Richardson, however, says any talk concerning the post-season is premature.

"It's way too early for that," he said. "I'm just worried about Mott right now."

Tennis Wolves lose to C-A

Clarkston lost to Carman-Ainsworth, 3-5 on Thursday, Sept. 24.

Winners for the Wolves included Collen Mead, #1 singles; Darryann Trout, #2 singles and the #3 doubles team of Christina Fehan and Jennifer Ley.

This week's schedule includes the Oakland Activities Association tournament on Wednesday, Oct. 1.

Athlete of the Week Leach runs with good crowd

BY DON SCHELSE

Clarkston News Staff Writer

It's hard to catch Jenna Leach, but if you do you've found a friend.

The freshman cross country runner mentions "friends" right up there with the joy of the race.

"Friendship comes naturally to this team," Leach said, and team members attest to her friendly attitude. "I like the competition and being with my friends."

She believes family is important, too. Daughter of Randy and Lynn Leach, she began running track in seventh grade at Clarkston Middle School primarily because she wanted to follow the example of big sister Amanda.

At home, she helps take care of 8-month-old sister Angela. "She's a lot of fun."

The family tends to be together a lot, especially when the cross-country team goes away to weekend invitational meets.

When training, Leach said she enjoys being with her teammates, especially on "the secret trails we find." She plans to keep running in the spring, hoping to run the 800 and the mile with the Wolves track team.

Plans for the future are understandably sketchy at this point, but Leach enjoys her studies and hopes for an eventual career as a physical therapist.



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Clarkston offensive lineman has collegiate hopes

BY KYLE GARGARO
Clarkston News Editor

The Clarkston High School football team is off to a fast start this season thanks in large part to a high powered offensive attack.

Any offense starts with the big guys up front, so Clarkston is lucky to have players like starting left tackle Jake Meissnest.

The junior is in his second season as starter on the varsity. Meissnest was the only sophomore starter on the Wolves last season.

"It was real exciting to start on the varsity last year. When KR (head coach Kurt Richardson) told me I was coming up I was really excited to play varsity," Meissnest said. "I thought I held my own last year."

This year Meissnest is seeing even more playing time by also starting on the defensive side of the ball at strong side tackle. The two way player said he does not have a favorite position, but rather just enjoys being on the field.

He is really enjoying himself this year as Clarkston is off to a 5-0 start after a victory against Troy last Friday. It is a big im-

provement over last year when the Wolves finished 4-5 and missed the playoffs.

"I think we all expected to be a lot better than we were last year. We have a lot of key starters back," Meissnest said. "We have a lot of skilled players. Sam (Palace) is good at quarterback

'I still have a lot of work to do. I want to get stronger, faster and be more aggressive.'

Jake Meissnest
Varsity football player

and we have some good receivers. And (Justin) Blackstone has really been running the ball great."

While the Wolves are off to a fast start, they still have a lot of big games left on their schedule. The final two games of the season against Farmington Harrison and Lake Orion will go a long way in deciding the league championship.

Meissnest is also looking to improve as a player. The junior

has aspirations to play college football. At this point, he hopes to earn a scholarship from one of the Big Ten schools or Notre Dame. He has already been contacted by some colleges.

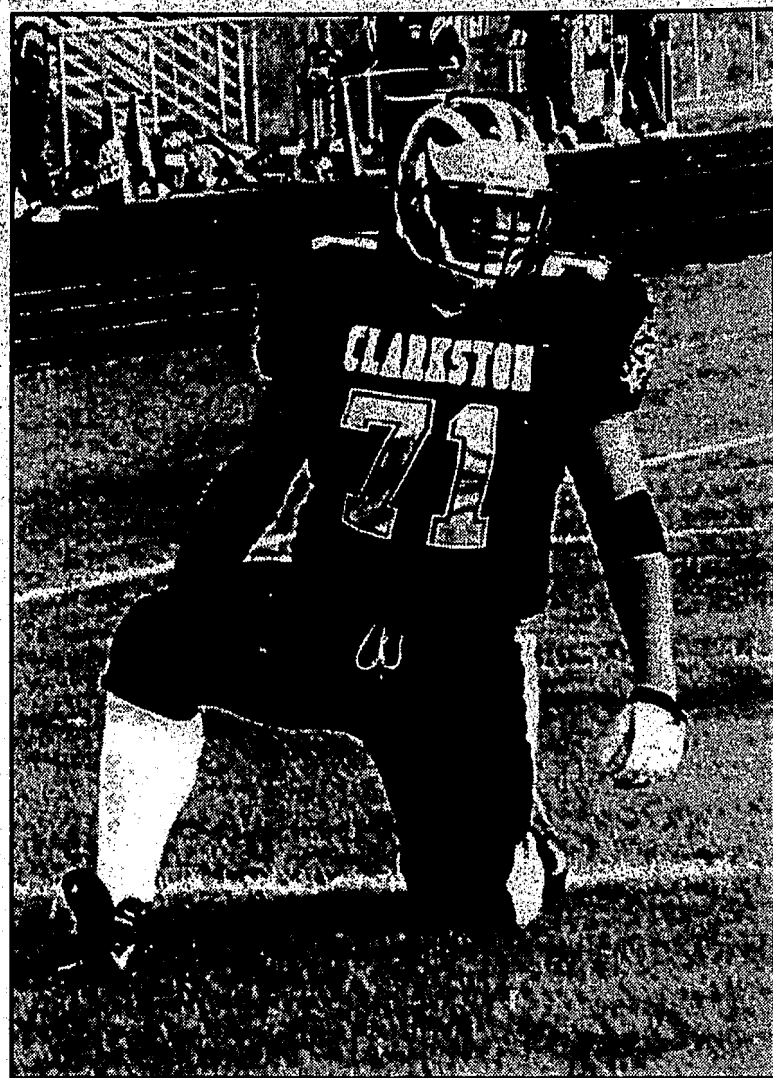
"I still have a lot of work to do. I want to get stronger, faster and be more aggressive. It is important to get better at everything. I am always in the gym working out," Meissnest said. "The coaches really help me out. Especially coach Porritt, he has been real good to me and taught me a lot."

Meissnest is working out all year round. He also participates in basketball and track for the Wolves, but his first love is football.

"I always wanted to play football. I didn't start playing until seventh grade because I was too big to play for the Clarkston Chiefs," Meissnest said.

Jake is the son of Chris and Karen Meissnest. He has an older sister, Katie, and a younger sister, Emily.

"We are all very proud of Jake," father Chris said. "He has been doing very well and it is great to see his development. He works so hard. We just try to support him."



Jake Meissnest (#71) joins his Clarkston teammates in stretching exercises prior to varsity football competition. The junior is in his second season as a starter, and aspires to even more. Photo by Don Schelske



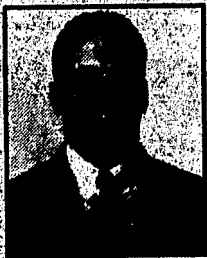
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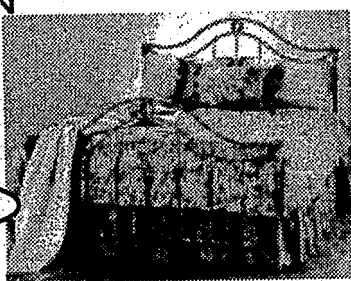
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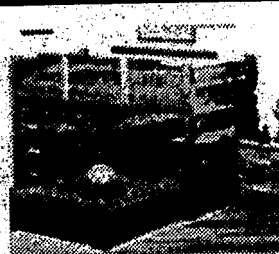
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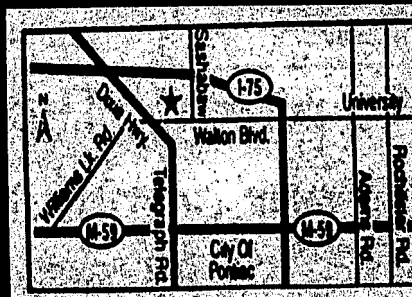
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Music follows Lions' roar

A spectrum of human emotions is evident in the faces of the Clarkston High School band [above] as the musicians watch the Detroit Lions square off against the Minnesota Vikings last Sunday in the Pontiac Silverdome. Led by the rushing of rookie sensation Billy Sims [right, wearing no. 20] the Lions mauled the visitors, 27-7. After the game, the CHS band took to the field and performed. See Page 21.



Pine Knob takes ski run to court

By Marilyn Trumper

Pine Knob Investment Co. and Independence Township are facing each other in court again — but this time on a new issue.

Pine Knob contends it does not have to appear before the township's planning commission for site plan approval for a proposed ski run, and instead can immediately apply for a building permit.

Timothy Palulian, head of the township's building department, says that while the proposed ski run is a structure, its proposed use constitutes it as a new principal use which requires planning commission review.

Section 5.12 of the township's zoning ordinance is the focal point of debate between both parties.

It reads, "... site plan review and approval is required for all

new principal uses, accessory buildings and additions to existing structures."

"The ski run would not be a new use," said Thomas Raguso, attorney for Pine Knob. "The land is already being used for skiing so the ski run is not a new use."

"We're asking for a building permit and we're saying we don't have to go before the planning commission for approval. The

ski run is already allowed as a structure and does not require planning commission approval," he said.

Palulian disagrees.

"I equate this ski run as a new principal structure added to the site. And I consider it as a new, additional structure onto the existing ski set up," he said.

"For that reason, in my opinion, they must go before the planning commission for review."

Co-owners of Pine Knob Investment, Joseph Locricchio and Gary Francell, are charging that the township illegally and improperly denied a building permit for the construction of a proposed ski run and have taken their argument to court.

Thursday morning, Oakland County Circuit Court Judge Frederick C. Ziem issued a show cause and temporary [Continued on Page 21]

As part of The Clarkston News celebrating its 75 year bringing news to our community, we will periodically be reprinting front pages from the past. This week we bring you the front page from 23 years ago.

Springfield Township has 'Monopoly' on road rally fun

BY DON SCHELSKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Those willing to take a "Chance" will find a lot of fun as they "Pass Go" at the sixth annual "Country Roads Rally" sponsored by Springfield Township Parks and Recreation.

"It's fun because it's something different," Recreation Programmer Lisa Goforth said of the event, slated to begin at 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 4 at the Hart Community Center.

Anywhere from 75 to 100 adults have participated in recent years, and Goforth said part of the fun is choosing a different theme each year.

This year various clues and destinations will be taken from the classic board game, "Monopoly." While the local geography may not match exactly, "We tried to get as close to it as possible," Goforth said.

By solving puzzles and clues, each leading to a different destination within Davisburg and the surrounding area, teams will eventually end up at the same location for dinner. Each team will be timed, and points are tabulated based on finishing order and answering clues in their entirety. There is also the opportunity to earn extra credit points by

doing "special" assignments.

Even the assignment of team numbers may involve a feat of fun, as in one year when participants bobbed for apples to get their order of departure.

"The biggest thing is to have an open mind," she said.

Goforth said each team will receive a materials list before the event begins, but participants won't know what materials will or will not be used.

"It's the non-knowing part that makes it fun," Goforth said.

Prizes will be awarded to first, second and third place teams at dinner, along with door prizes to be given at random.

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Registration fee for Springfield residents is \$25 per couple or \$15 per person, non-residents pay \$30 per couple or \$18 per person. Registration fee does not include dinner.

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CVP set to present play

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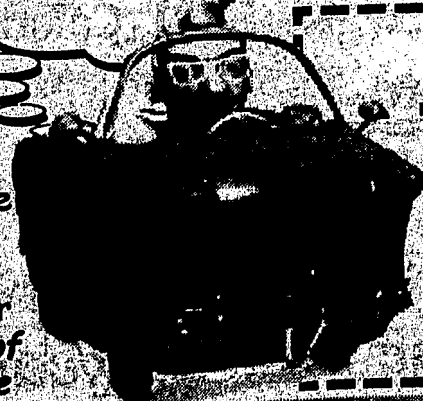
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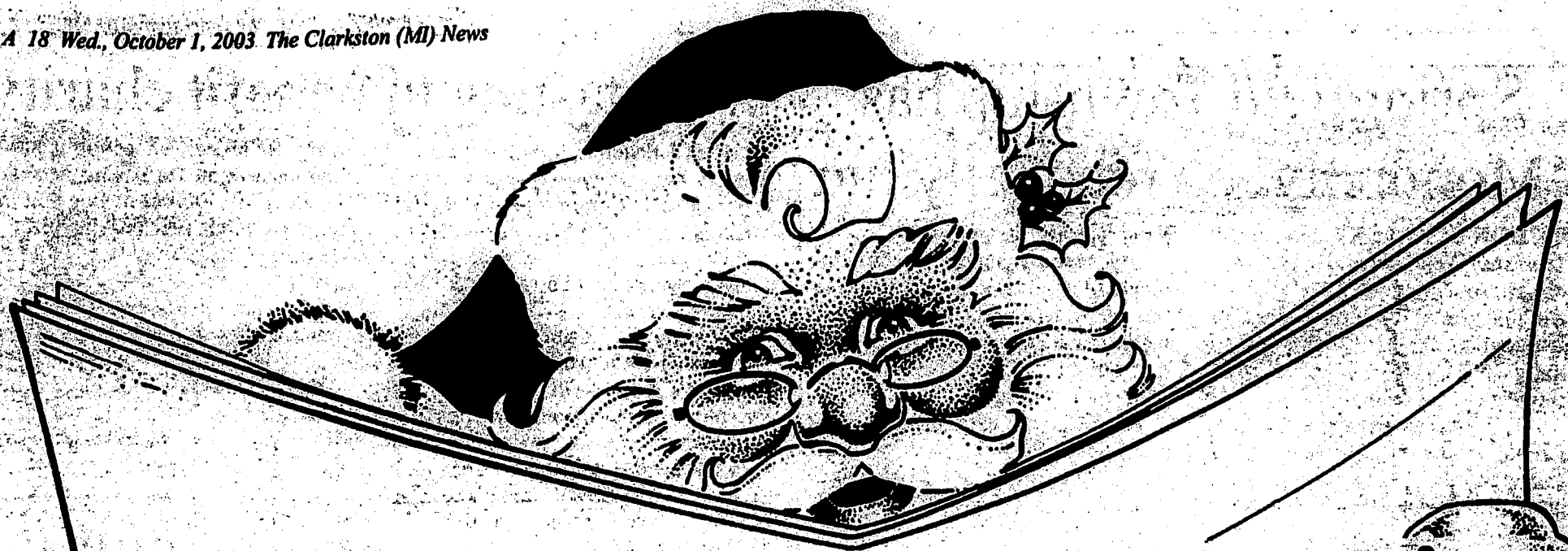
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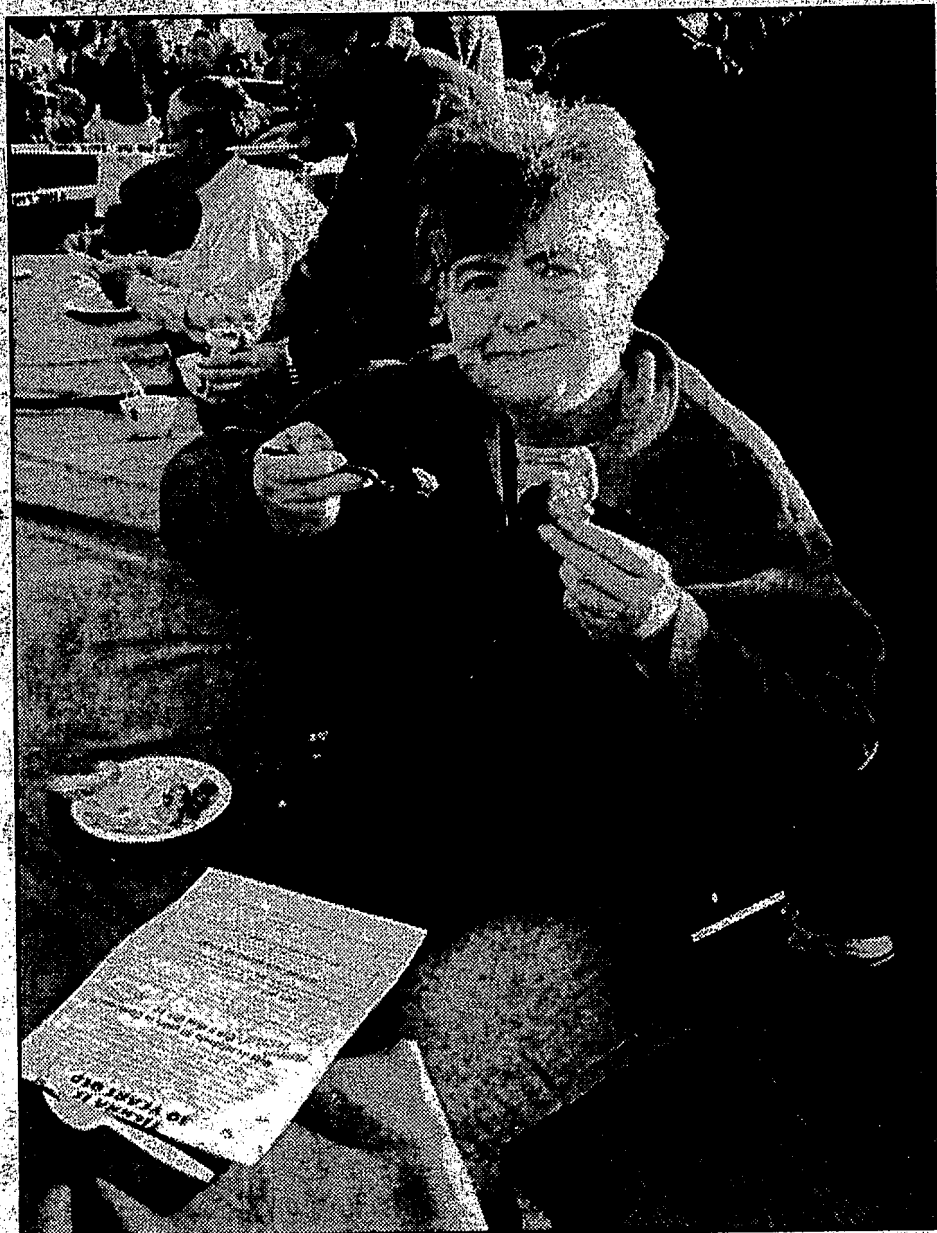
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Joan Powell shows her approval of the cuisine at Taste of Clarkston. Photo by Don Schelske.

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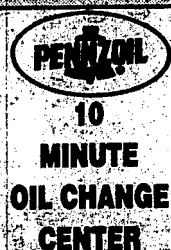
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Second graders get ready for take off at the PTA's annual fundraiser, the Fun Run. Photos by Jennifer Nemer.

Representatives from Nike were on hand to visit with the kids at Springfield Plains Elementary, Sept. 26. Students collected between 200 and 250 shoes and Nike will use the shoes to regird them into bases for playgrounds in inner cities. Above, third graders gather for a picture in front of the Nike travelling truck store. (At right) Paul Coughlin, left, owner of the Running Gear Store in Waterford, and Frank Remund of Nike, run with the kids. Coughlin collects shoes year long at his store for Clarkston Light-house as well as Clarkston resident Maureen Tippen to take with her to the Dominican Republic.



See more pictures of Springfield Plains' Fun Run on page 22A

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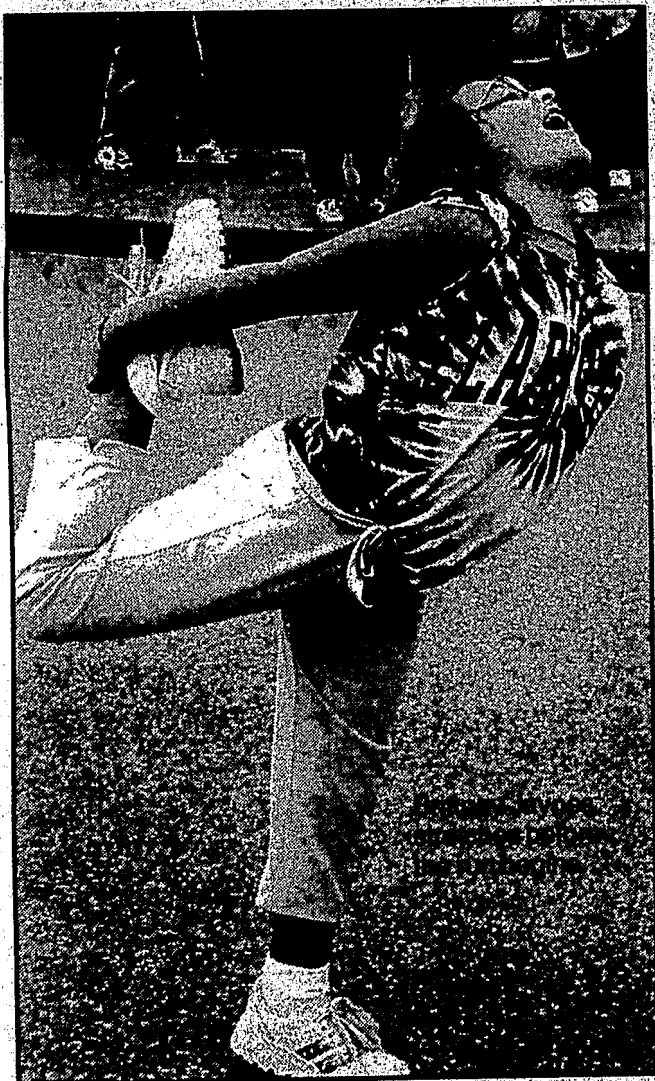
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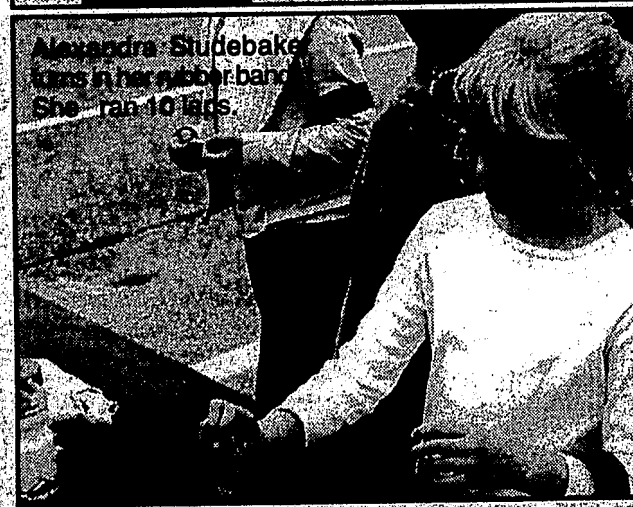
Students, like these second graders, ran their little hearts out at Springfield Plains Elementary's Fun Run, Friday, Sept. 26. The Fun Run is the Parent Teacher Association's only annual fundraiser. Photos by Jennifer Nemer.



Second graders ran a lap during the Fun Run.



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Bus drivers get a kick out of new team

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

During the day, they're bus drivers for the Clarkston Community School district. By night, they're star athletes for Independence Township Parks and Recreation's inaugural adult kickball season.

It was school bus driver Renee Stiff who saw a flyer about the sport, and began to turn colleagues into teammates.

"We all wanted a little exercise and to get in shape. We always talked about it."

Teammate Chris Post doesn't hold back. Telling it like it is, she said, "We're old coach potatoes."

None of the members take credit for being active prior to this, and none have participated in organized sports before.

Stiff was surprised by the amount of people who were ready and willing to participate.

"I really didn't think I'd get this many bus drivers to play."

There are 15 bus drivers to be exact. Well, mostly bus drivers, with a few bus drivers' husbands, on the team, too.

They call themselves Renee's Rough Riders.

When asked, they'll say they range in age from "young to mighty old." Actually, it's 24 to 70.

"That's why were the Rough Riders," team member Tammy Layton joked.

The team practices once or twice a week after work and face eight games this season.

They even have a theme song -- "Another One Bites the Dust."

"We have a lot of confidence," Layton said.

But don't ask them about their first game. They lost against Bordine's Nursery. Though, they were tied until the fifth inning.

"It was past our bedtime," Post laughed, revealing the real reason behind the loss.

"They just got some good breaks," Hank Beard clarified. Beard is the team's eldest player at 70.

The team also lost their second game to the Mixed Nuts.

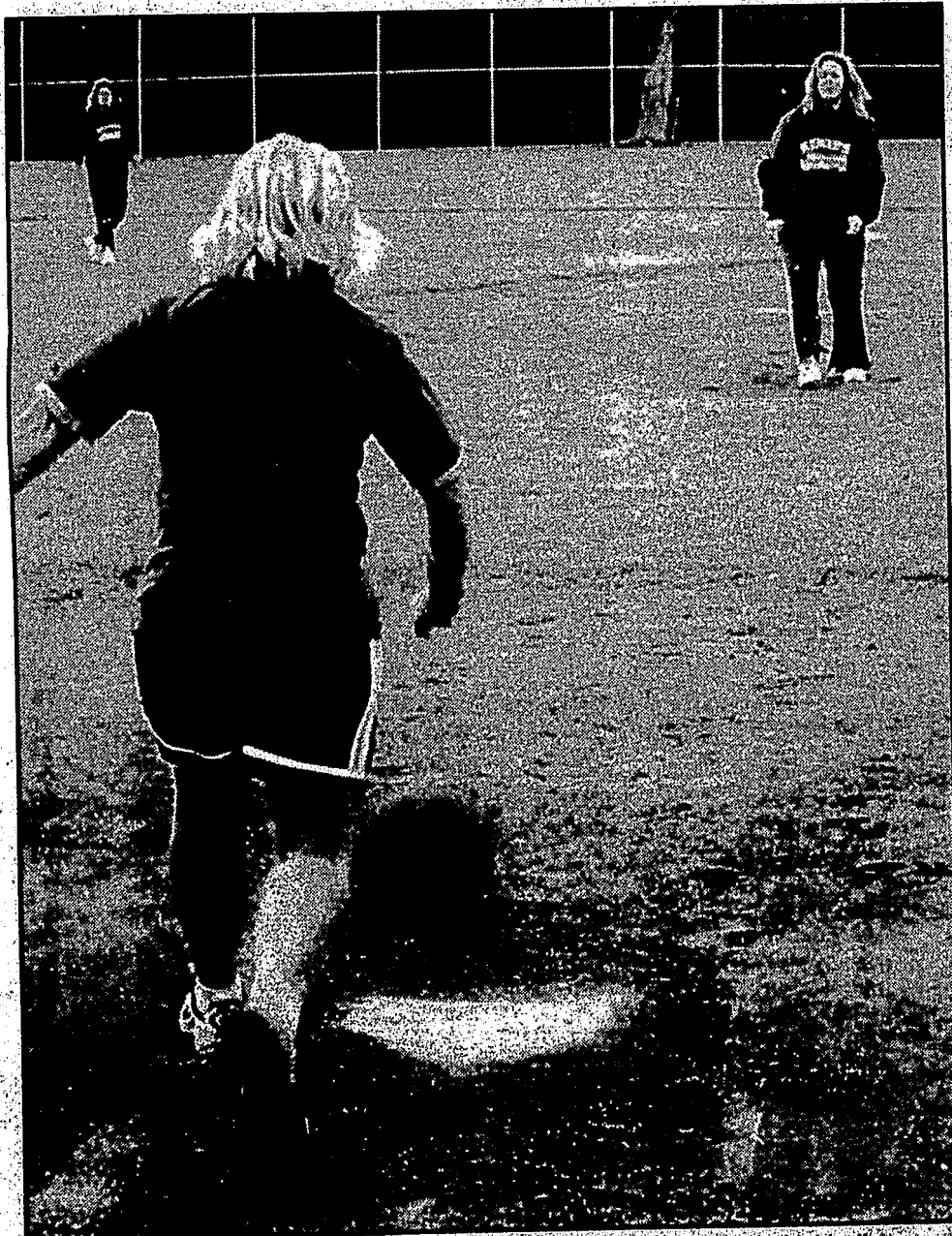
Win or lose, the Rough Riders are having a great time.

"We've had a lot of laughs," Stiff said.

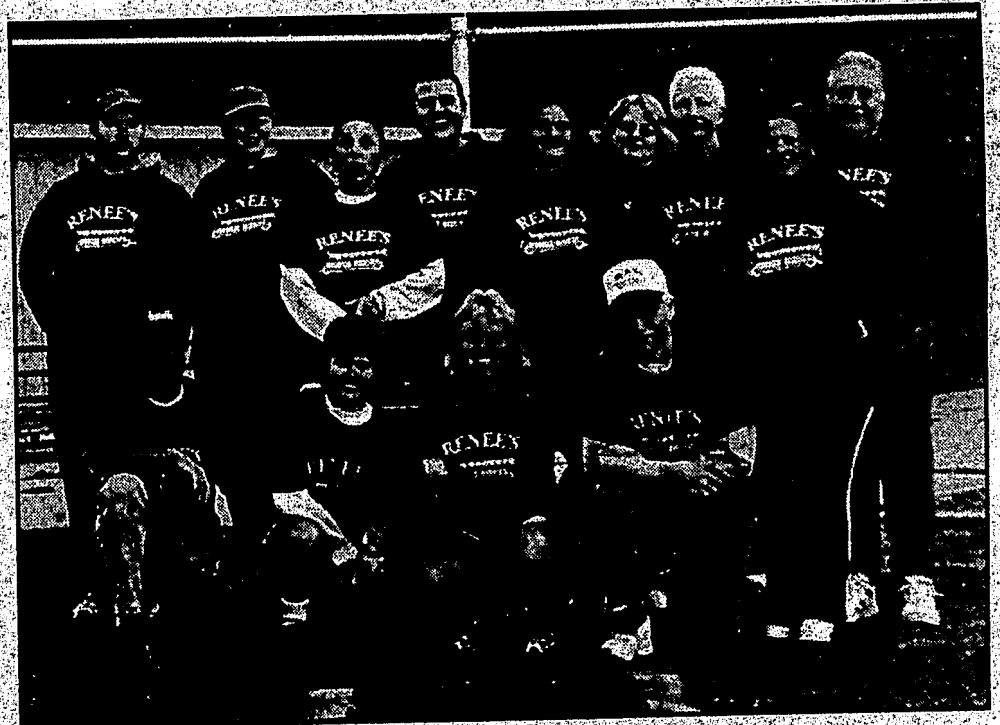
"A whole lotta laughs," many on the team admit.



Richard Rodriguez (above) gets some air at a game at Clintonwood Park Tuesday, Sept. 23. Renee's Rough Riders are made up of bus drivers from Clarkston Schools. The team is part of Independence Township Parks and Recreation's first adult kickball season. Jeff Morris, recreation specialist, said, "It's a new fad, I guess. They seem to like it. It rekindles their youth." Photos by Jennifer Nemer.



Linda Sparks winds up for the kick after Juanita Gilbert pitches the kickball.



'We all wanted a little exercise and to get in shape. We always talked about it...[but] I really didn't think I'd get this many bus drivers to play.'

Renee Stiff
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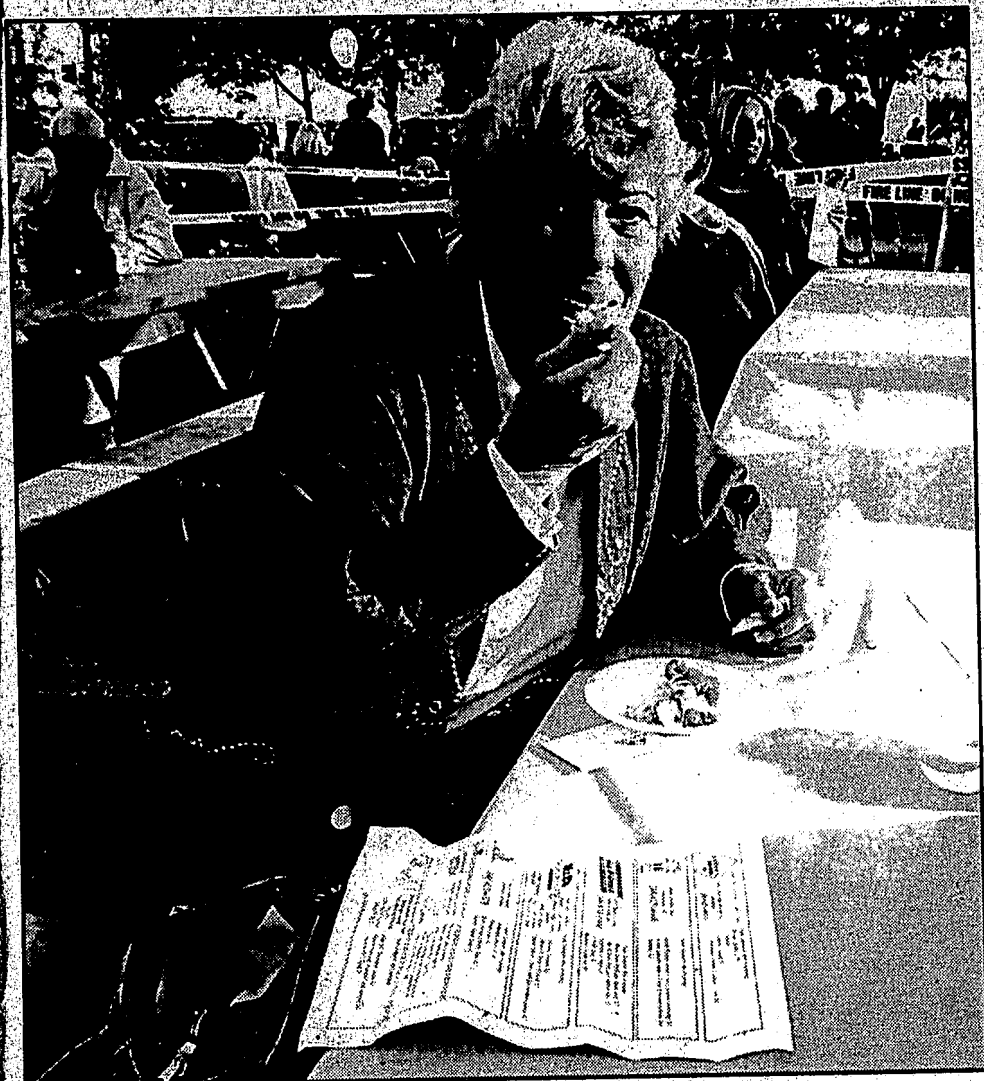
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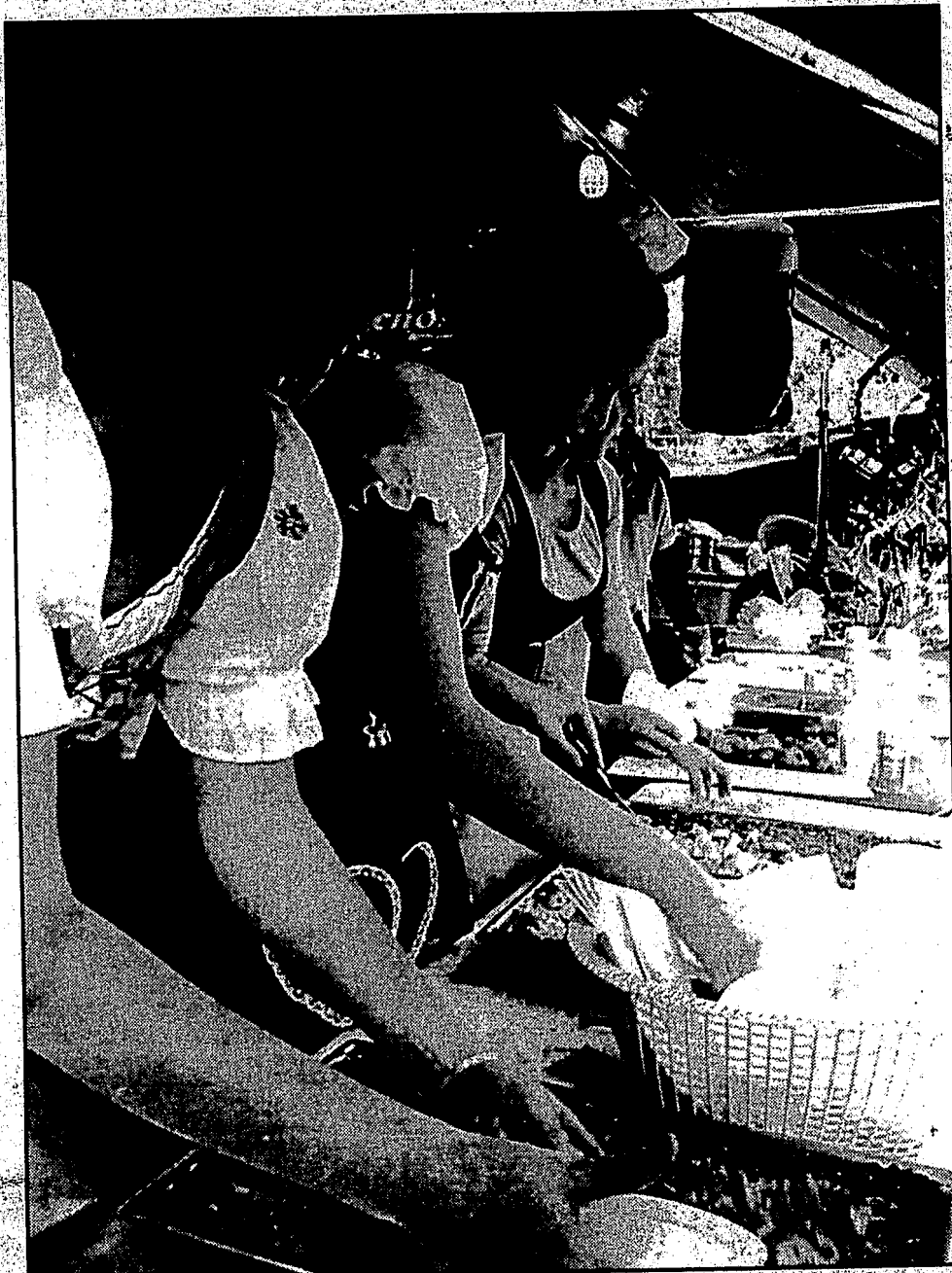
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Marsh Lane resident speaks on Sprint tower

I guess I am the new kid on the block.

I've lived off Allen road for 11 years and have watched the fields and hundreds of acres of vacant land being sold to new neighbors whom we've welcomed into our great and quiet residential hood. Apparently there is a big esthetic stink amongst all the new comers and us older residence, accepting the huge new Sprint tower that will loom over our precious residential neighborhood that we've invested our time and dollars in.

About 8 years ago I watched a heard of 24 deer, the 15 point male leading his harem and young to the pond in front of our home, drinking and being alert of predators. As homes began to be built we have seen the deer population diminish to 3-5 traveling together, and accepting their change in habitat as we have accepted our esthetic change as new neighbors became our friends.

It has become completely evident over the past few months the determination of these new neighbors to stop this new Sprint communication tower not too far from all of our homes, their land being purchased from the same person who lured them into this area, and now who will lease land in their back yards to Sprint for a few dollars more.

I can't wait to drive by the corners of Seymour Lake Road and M-15 and look at the enormous tower looming over the centuries old hundreds of acres of wet lands, bird sanctuary and natural undisturbed nature preserve.

Unlike Clint Eastwood, no one will be riding in with a few sticks of dynamite, to remove what doesn't belong in this great area. Guess its time to ask, do you need a few dollars more?

Donald P. Scriven
Marsh Ln. Brandon Township

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Jane O'Rourke
Clarkston

Internet prowler

A 14-year-old girl reported she was approached in front of Sashabaw Middle School, on Thursday, Sept. 25, by a man who contacted her over the Internet on Sept. 22. While she was online talking with friends, this unknown man sent a message to her, saying he knew who she was, where she lived and what school she went to. He then sent a picture of himself. The man in the picture was the same she saw at the school sitting in a red Jeep staring at her. She gave her computer to authorities for investigation. The case is pending the computer examination.

Man takes police on chase

A 36-year-old man took deputies on a 60-mile car chase in 46 minutes throughout Davisburg, Rose Township, Fenton, Holly, Clarkston and ending in Waterford Township on Friday, Sept. 26, at 12:08 a.m. The Oakland County fugitive team was attempting to arrest the Springfield Township man at his home on three felony warrants, when the chase began.

The chase ended when the man attempted to drive between two houses on a dead end street and was unable to do so. He began to back his van up, but police prevented the act. He resisted arrest and had to be tasered. He was arrested for fleeing and eluding, cocaine possession, which was found inside his vehicle, and obstructing of police. He was transported to North Oakland Medical Center for observation.

Woman assaulted in apartment

A 50-year-old woman on Glenalda reported a man, assumed to be coming to her apartment for maintenance, assaulted her with the intent to commit criminal sexual conduct. It was on Sept. 23, she called her landlord and complained about problems with the residence. On Thursday, Sept. 25, at approximately 6 p.m., a 37-year-old man came to her home, saying he was there to inspect the problems. She allowed the man into the residence. He acted as if he were inspecting the lights and walked into the bedroom. She followed. He then grabbed her and threw her to the bed. She screamed and kicked him and was able to get away. The man, then left, saying he couldn't help himself because the woman was so pretty. Just two hours later, the man's girlfriend reported he was talking about committing suicide. He was transported to Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital in Clarkston for involuntary commitment. The case is pending release from the psychic evaluation.

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FILE NO. 2003-290,256-DE

In the matter of MARGARET MARTILA, Deceased.
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS including: Brothers and sisters of Deceased (all believed to be deceased) and children of those brothers and sisters; whose address(es) are unknown and whose interest in the matter may be barred or affected by the following:

TAKE NOTICE: A hearing will be held on _____ at 08:30 a.m., at 1200 N. Telegraph Rd., Pontiac, MI 48341, before Judge _____ for the following purpose: Application for Informal Probate and Appointment of Personal Representative, Testimony of Interested Persons and Supplemental Testimony of Interested Persons.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the probate court and the (proposed) personal representative within four (4) months of the date of publication of this notice.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF OAKLAND NOTICE TO CREDITORS Decedent's Estate FILE NO.

Estate of ARTHUR M. LEE AND MAZEL L. LEE JOINT REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST DATED NOVEMBER 6, 1990
Date of Birth: _____

TO ALL CREDITORS:
NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, ARTHUR M. LEE AND MAZEL L. LEE JOINT REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST DATED NOVEMBER 6, 1990, who lived at 969 Greenview Court #40, Rochester, Michigan 48307 died 7/22/03 and 2/17/00.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to DONNA M. ZERBST, Successor Trustee, named personal representative or proposed personal representative or to both the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

DONNA M. ZERBST
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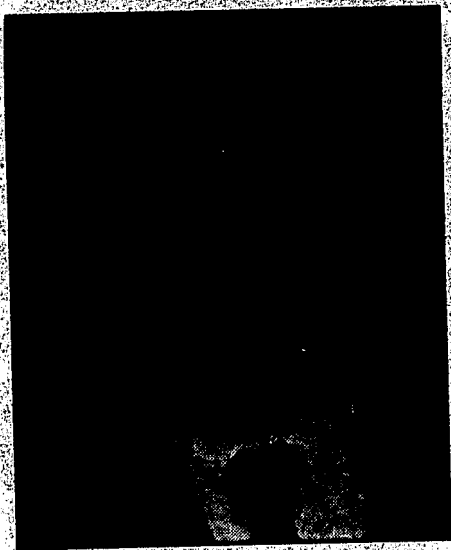
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What did you find 'tasty' at the Taste of Clarkston?



"I would say the food. Everything's tasty (especially the desserts)."

—Cherry Smith (with Kaitlyn)



"I haven't been able to eat yet, but I think it's great for the community gets together like this, and seeing all the different vendors. We couldn't wait to get here today."

—Eden Diver



"I hate to say, because then you'll advertise it. Shepherd's Hollow. We don't want people eating there, the food's so good. It's wonderful. And Cosco's cakes."

—Katherine Frenzell (with Ann Marie)



"The variety of food. And I like the music. The music's good."

—Tim Mann

By Don Schelske

The Clarkston News' Millstream

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

Taking care of his community

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

It's all about community for Dr. James O'Neill.

He learned that growing up with the American Indians in Williston, North Dakota, 13 miles from where Sitting Bull surrendered.

"One thing I will never forget is where I came from. I think people who forget where they came from have no roots. And that's unfortunate. That experience of growing up out there was invaluable to me."

In particular, it's where he decided to join the medical field.

In Williston, there were some local physicians who kept their horses at O'Neill's family's farm.

"I became very, very close to these physicians. And they were a role model for what I believed, what I still believe, physicians should do. They were on-call 24 hours a day. They looked after everybody in that town like it was their family. I thought that was very, very admirable. I was fascinated by, even in the relative primitive times in the '50's, what they could do for people. I think I was seven or eight years when I said, 'That's what I want to be. I want to be a physician.' They do a lot of good."

In high school, O'Neill was already spending time in the operating room as a preceptor for two years, graduating at age 16.

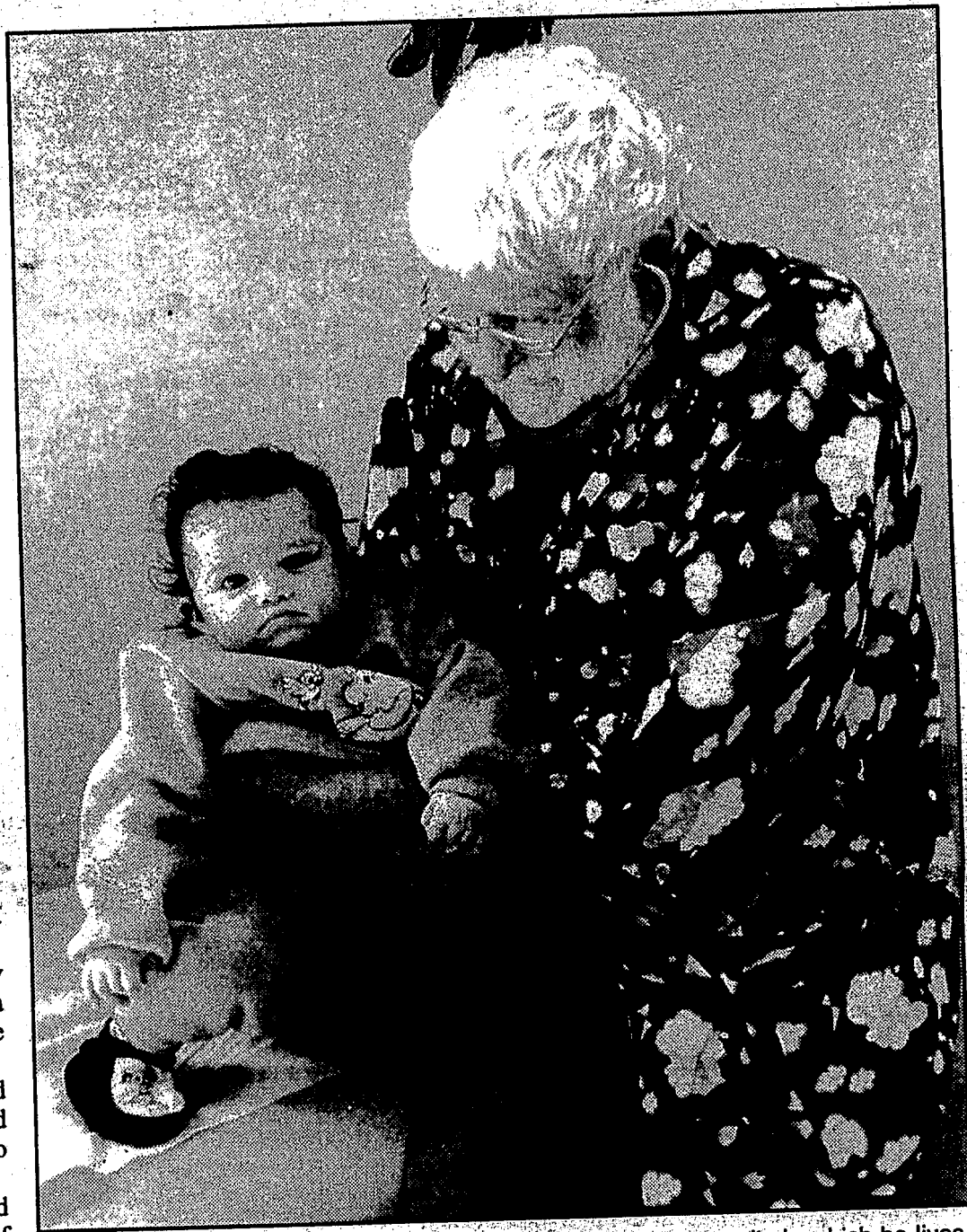
He spent three years in college, finished medical school by age 23 and completed specialty training by 25 and entered into practice.

"In terms of practice, I always wanted to work in a little town and take care of the people there. And look after not just their medical needs," O'Neill said, noting looking after their education, safety, and spiritual life.

He came to Clarkston in 1961, a place where his wife, Mikel, an Ohio native, used

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Dr. James O'Neill



Dr. James O'Neill's career is based on taking care of the community in which he lives.
Photo by Bob Flath.

to vacation with her family. He was working at Henry Ford Hospital, and was looking for a place to practice. Clarkston was the first town he looked.

"When I came to Clarkston, I was very fortunate to meet Dr. (Rockwood) Bullard, Dr. (John) Naz, Dr. (Robert) Buehrig, and Dr. Lynn Howell. They had the same concept of community. You looked after your community and tried to help them in any way you can. And you tried to preserve the land and the wholesomeness of the community, and you looked after the schools, and the workers. They were good role models, kind of like the doctors I knew in Williston."

Dr. Howell was the one, in fact, who personally invited O'Neill to Clarkston, for there were no pediatricians in the area.

"I fell in love with this town. It reminded me of Williston."

For the first 20 years, O'Neill would see patients at his home after hours, over time taking care of about 4,200 kids right on his kitchen table, with the aid of his wife.

He then opened a care center with local physicians, about 20 years ago, which grew and grew and eventually spread into the opening of North Oakland Medical Centers, located at 6770 Dixie Highway today.

"This community health center is just an expansion of what I saw in Williston," he said.

Amidst it all, O'Neill did do a stint as Chief of Medicine at Pontiac General Hos-

See O'Neill on page 11B



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Stepfamilies face many challenges. It helps to know you are not alone. With education and support you can be successful. A local family is forming a support group for stepfamilies. Contact Laurie and David Norris at (248) 922-3226.

The Clarkston Village Players presents "Home Games" by Tom Ziegler. Remaining dates include Oct. 2, 3, 4, and 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 Thursday at 7:30 p.m., Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m., and Sunday at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for Thursday and Sunday performances, and \$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 for more information. Depot Theater is located at 4861 White Lake Rd. in Clarkston.

Come see what Clarkston High School is all about. Remaining Homecoming activities include the Queens Assembly, parade and game against Waterford Mott High School on Oct. 3. The parade will begin at 6 p.m. and run until 6:30 p.m., starting at the junior parking lot at CHS, traveling behind the building and onto the track. Residents may want to view the parade from the tennis courts or bleachers. The dance is scheduled for Oct. 4. The theme for the 2003 Homecoming is a Night in Paris. For more information, call (248) 623-3748.

The Friends of the Library of Independence Township Library's new and used book sale runs now through Saturday, Oct. 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.

Join Springfield Township Parks and Recreation On Oct. 4 for the sixth annual "Country Roads" rally. By solving puzzles and clues, each one taking you to a different destination within Davisburg and surrounding communities, everyone will end up at the same location for dinner. Prizes will be awarded to the first, second and third place teams. The rally starts at 4 p.m. at the Hart Community Center, 495 Broadway. All participants must be 18 years or older. Cost is \$25/local couple or \$15/resident. Nonresidents are \$30/couple or \$18/person. Cost does not include dinner. Each team must three but no more than six players. Register by Friday, Oct. 3 by 4:30 p.m. Call (248) 634-0412.

You are invited to Calvary Lutheran Church to hear Max Lucado live via satellite, with his message, "Jesus -- Holy or Human? The Next Door Savior." Also hear multiple Dove Award winners, Third Day, perform. Sunday, Oct. 5 from 7-9 p.m. at Calvary Lutheran Church, 6805 Bluegrass. Call (248) 625-3288 or visit www.calvary-lutheran.org for more information.

Discover how seeds move and the seeds animals are likely to eat at "Hooray for Home Schoolers -- Study Seeds," Wednesday, Oct. 8 from 1:30-3 p.m. at the Lewis E. Wint Nature Center at Independence Oaks County Park on Sashabaw. The program is designed for elementary age. Prepay to register. Cost is \$2/child. Call (248) 625-6473.

A disaster relief team is being formed in North Oakland County. The team's intent is to help when and where needed with emergency response, resources and follow-up in areas of disaster. An organizational meeting will be held at St. Daniel Catholic Church in the Cushing Center on Thursday, Oct. 9 at 7 p.m. For more information, call St. Dan's at (248) 625-1756. St. Dan's is located at 7010 Valley Park Drive in Clarkston.



Laugh the night away with Jesse James Lundy on Saturday, Oct. 11 at the Depot Theater in Clarkston. Photo provided.

Don't be intimidated. Try tennis for the first time with other first time players at Deer Lake Athletic Club, Oct. 9 from 6-7 p.m. All ages are welcome and it's free! Call (248) 625-8686 to reserve a spot.

Club 5529, a Christian club for young adults, will host Sporadic and Josh Garrels (alt/pop/rock) in concert Friday, Oct. 10. 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 for more information.

Celebrate the season, learn apple facts and enjoy a crackling campfire and hayride at Apples & Wagons, Saturday, Oct. 11 from 7:30-9:30 p.m. at Independence Oaks. Cost is \$2.50/person. Call (248) 625-6473.

The Clarkston Village Players presents "Comedy Night with Jesse James Lundy and Friends" Oct. 11 at 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. 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 for more.

Beginning Sunday, Oct. 12 and continuing through Sunday, Nov. 23, Calvary Lutheran Church will study the best-selling book, "The Purpose Driven Life," by Rick Warren. It is a 40-day journey to explore the question, "What on earth am I here for?" Sunday sermons, worship services, Bible studies and small groups will focus on different aspects of God's purpose and plan for each of us. Sunday worship is at 8:15, 9:45 or 11:15 a.m. Calvary is located at 6805 Bluegrass Drive. For more info, call the church at (248) 625-3288 or visit www.calvary-lutheran.org.

The Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce's "Halloween Howl," a day for dogs in Depot Park, is scheduled for Sunday, Oct. 12 from noon to 4 p.m. There will be a collection of dog related exhibits, activities and interactive stations which allow dog owners to enjoy a day in the park with other dogs and owners. For more information, call the chamber at (248) 625-8055 or email info@clarkston.org.

North Oakland Right to Life is holding their 3rd annual Life Leadership Dinner at the Marriott Pontiac at Centerpoint on Thursday, Oct. 16 at 7 p.m. Dr. Jean Garton, cofounder of Lutherans for Life and author of "Who Broke the Baby?" will be the special guest speaker. Tickets are \$40/person. Please call Debbie Riccardo at (248) 623-9340 or Mary Beth Baker at (248) 625-3933 for more information.

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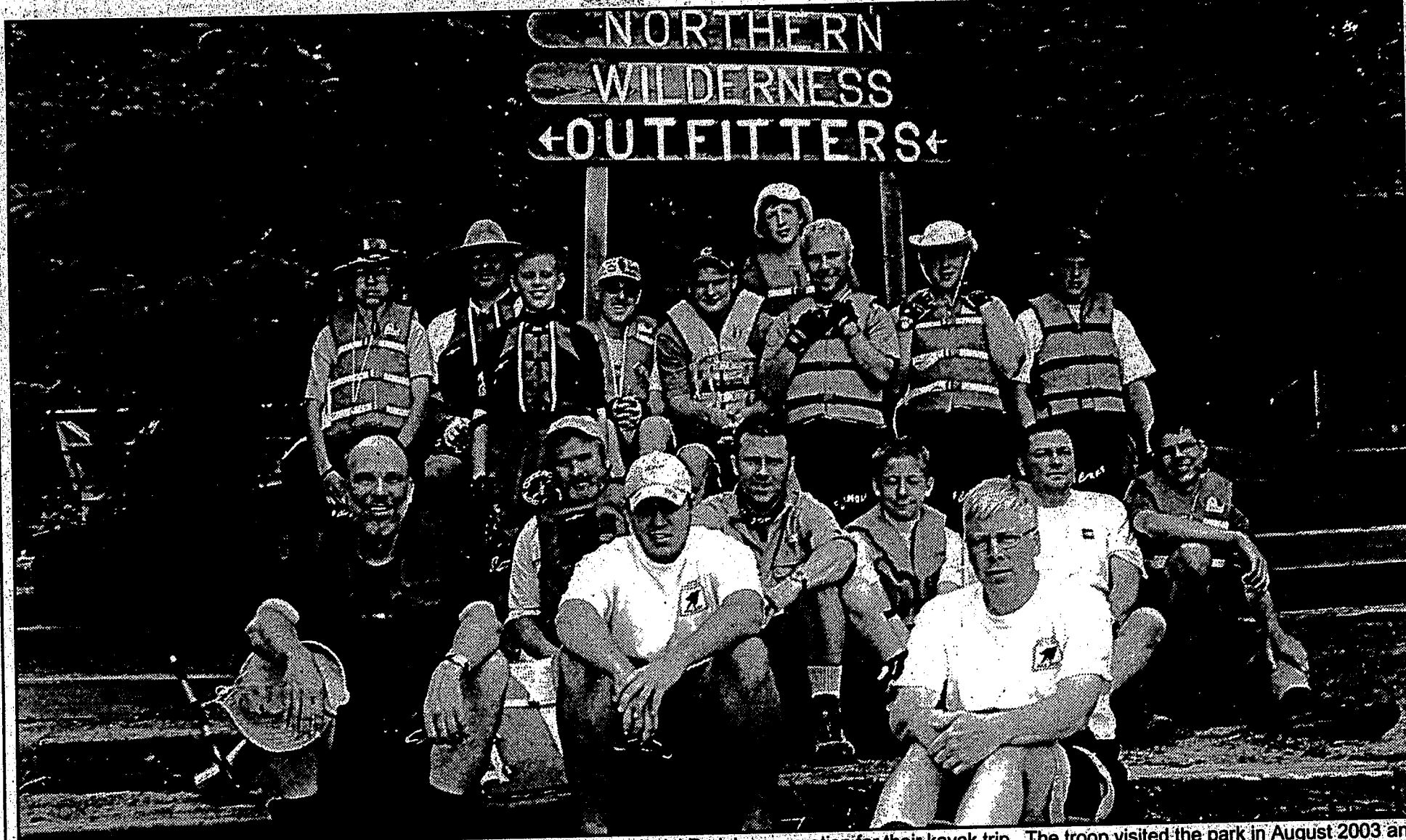
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Milestones



Kari and Jeffrey Kren
Kari Jan Stanley married Jeffrey Kren at Calvary Lutheran Church in Clarkston on Oct. 5, 2002, with Pastor Jonathan Heierman officiating. Kari, daughter of Ron and Connie Stanley of Clarkston, is a 1993 Clarkston High School graduate. She also holds a bachelor's degree from Michigan State University with a master's degree in nutrition from the University of Michigan. Jeff, son of Patricia and the late Michael Kren from Indianapolis, Ind., is a graduate of Alma College. A dinner reception was held at Paint Creek Golf Club in Lake Orion. The couple honeymooned in Aruba and reside in Chicago, Ill.

At school...

Ronald E. Grinold, of Clarkston, was named to the summer honors list at Central Michigan University for earning a 3.5 or higher grade point average.

The Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine welcomed two of Clarkston's own into the Class of 2007 including Kathryn Kopec, a 2003 graduate of the University of Dayton biology program, and Kelly Kozma, a 2001 graduate of the University of Michigan biopsychology program.

Kopec is the daughter of Greg and Theresa Kopec of Clarkston. She attended Clarkston High School, graduating in 1999.

Kozma is a 1997 Clarkston High School graduate and is the daughter of Earence and Betty Kozma.

Sarah Bates of Clarkston joined the incoming fall class of Michigan State University-DCL College of Law as a first year law student.

The daughter of Kevin Bates and Susan Anderson, Bates attended Our Lady of the Lakes in Waterford and earned an undergraduate degree in social relations from Michigan State University.

Heather Pritchard of Clarkston enrolled at Lipscomb University in Nashville, Tenn. this fall, and plans to study communications.

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In service . . .

Andrew R. Boissoneau graduated from the Army ROTC (Reserve Officer Training Corps) National Advanced Leadership Camp at Fort Lewis, Tacoma, Wash.

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Boissoneau is the son of Peter and Virginia of Clarkston. He is a 1997 Clarkston High School graduate, and is currently attending Eastern Michigan University.

In clubs . . .

Carolyn A. Phelps of Clarkston recently enrolled in the American Quarter Horse Association Horseback Riding Program.

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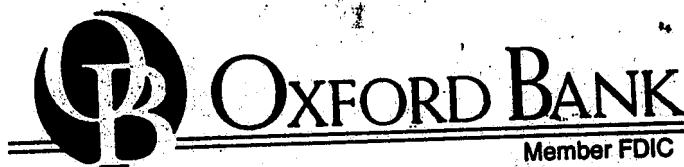


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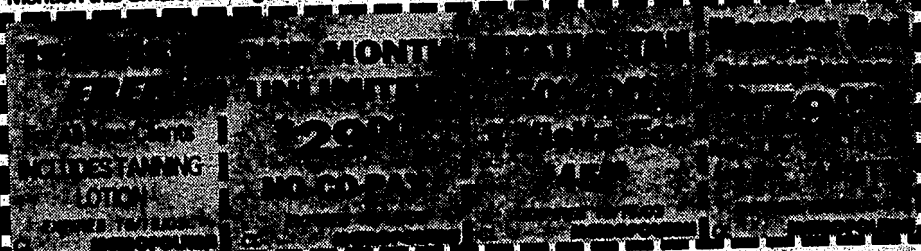
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Religion

Local Catholic Mass Station begins

BY JENNIFER NEMER
Clarkston News Staff Writer

To accommodate for the overcrowding in churches within the local Catholic community, a Mass Station has begun in Davisburg.

Carol Compagnoni, of Clarkston, is on the Mass Station Steering Committee, made up of parishioners within The Vicariate of the Lakes, a collective group of parishes in northern Oakland County including Our Lady of the Lakes, St. Daniel, Holy Spirit and St. Rita.

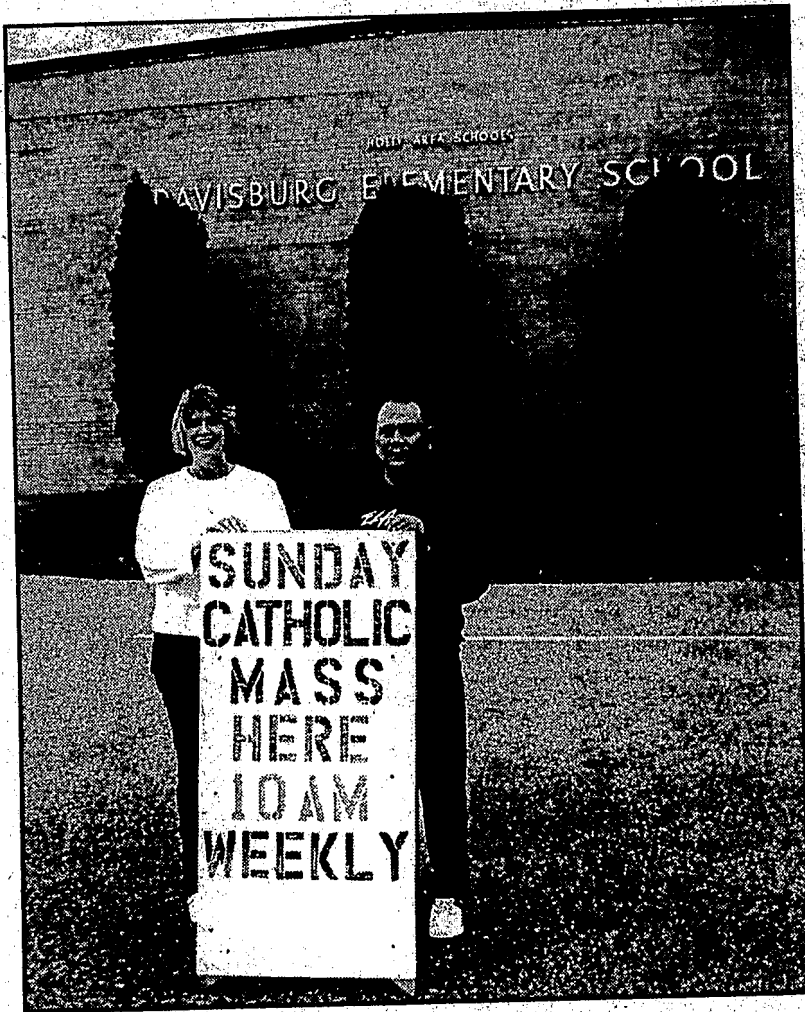
She explained, "It's how a parish starts. It doesn't start with a building and a church. But as a collective group of community people attend regularly. Over time, and with a steady income, along with the support of the Archdiocese, a parish will be built."

The idea is that the Mass Station will eventually become a "mother church" to the local parishes.

It was the Vicariate of the Lakes, as part of their pastoral planning process approved by Adam Cardinal Maida in 1999, which established the need for a new parish in Davisburg, upon reflection of the demographics and growth in the area, Compagnoni said.

The Archdiocese then purchased parcels of land, approximately 130 acres on Davisburg Road, just west of Ormond Road, for a future church building.

"Instead of taking the very expensive step of enlarging present worship and formation centers, it seems timely to establish a Mass Station in the Davisburg area, to see if there is interest and a pioneering spirit for beginning something new,"



Pictured is Carol Compagnoni, a member of the Mass Station Steering Committee, and Friar Albert Sescon. The Davisburg Mass Station will meet at Davisburg Elementary until resources and attendance allow for a new parish to be built in Davisburg. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

Compagnoni said.

She and the Steering Committee began meeting on July 14 in preparation for the first mass, which was held on Sept. 14 inside the Davisburg Elementary cafeteria.

Approximately 250 parishioners attended. Friar John West, from St. Rita in Holly, presided and presented the Mass Station with its own cross.

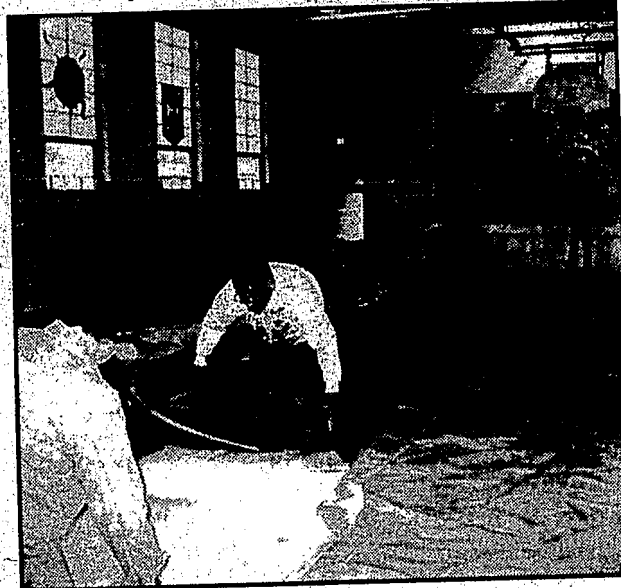
In only three weeks, the parishioners have outgrown the cafeteria, and on Sept. 28, they moved their service to the gymnasium.

Friar Albert Sescon from the Archdiocese of Cebu, Philippines has been appointed to the Davisburg Mass Station.

"This Mass Station is by no means in place to close any of the existing parishes. Its purpose is to alleviate the growth that has taken place in the area," Compagnoni noted.

"Of course, it takes time and we don't know the future. But the community has come out in a real positive way. We're so excited we can't stand it," she said.

Mass is held every Sunday at 10 a.m. Davisburg Elementary is located at 12003 Davisburg Road.



Parishioners place a temporary flooring on the gym of Davisburg Elementary in preparation for mass on Sunday. Photo by Jennifer Nemer.

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Clarkston High School students release balloons prior to the Friday, Sept. 19 varsity football game. The event was in memory of fellow student Jasmine Dinsmoore, who died Sept. 11 after being involved in a four-vehicle crash on Dixie Highway Sept. 9. Photo by Don Schelske



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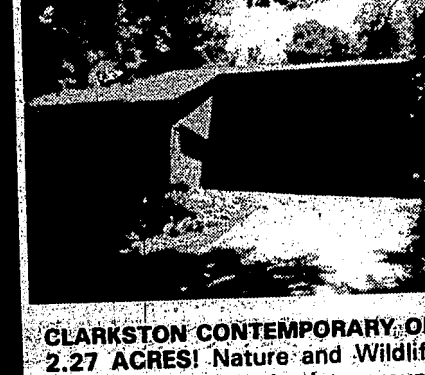
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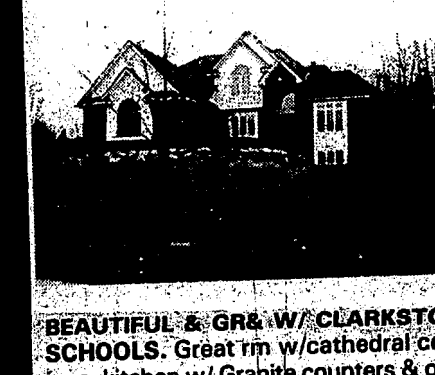


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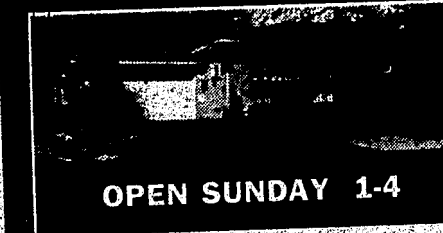
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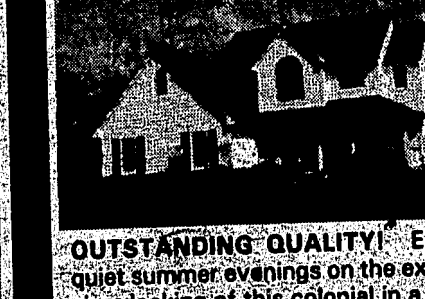


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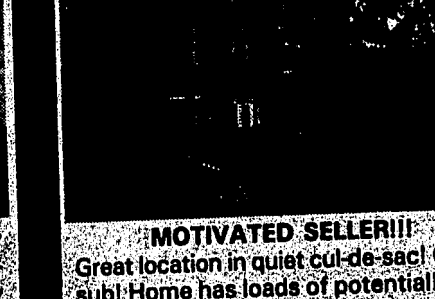
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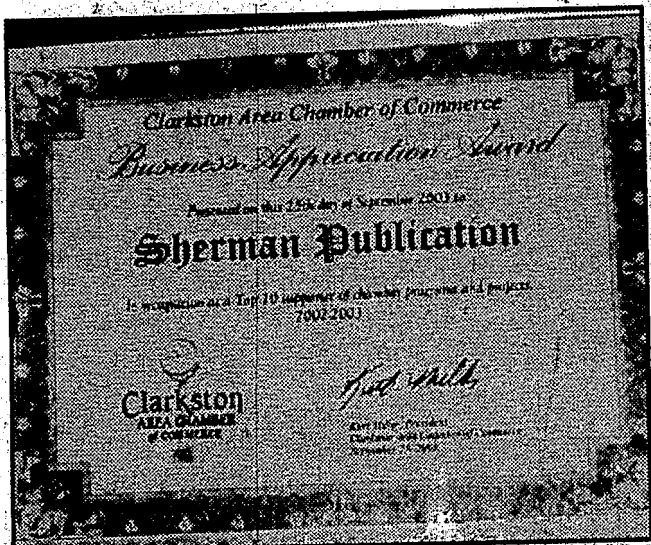


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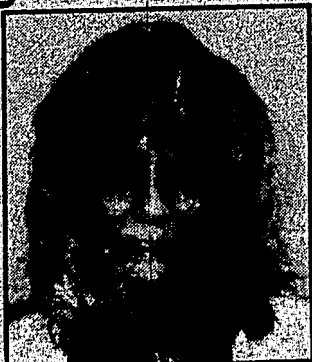
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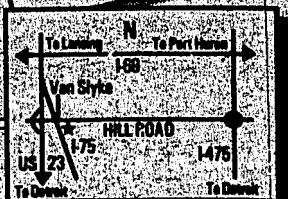
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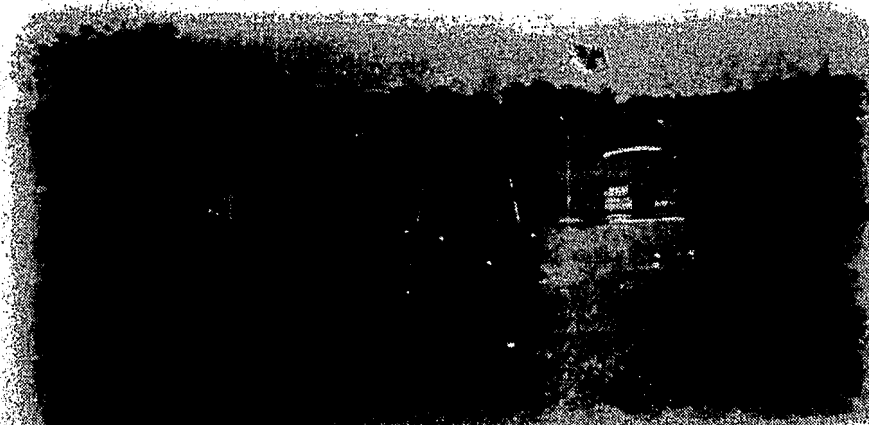


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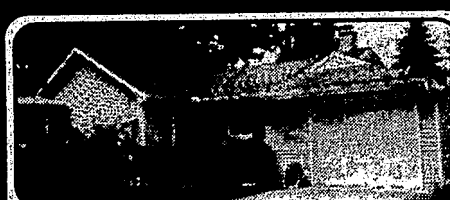
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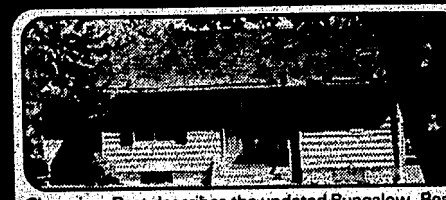
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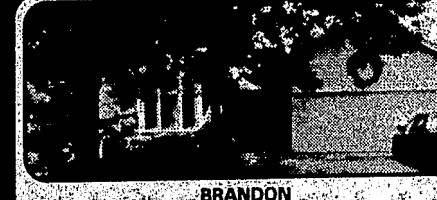
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pital, but hated administration.

"I was very unhappy doing that. If you really a real nurse or physician or social worker or whatever you

are, your great happiness is taking care of people. Little kids and old people, they're wonderful. Of course, everybody is. We see the best of the world, all these

people."

O'Neill's love for taking care of people has spread into his family. Daughter Kari manages NOMC. His sons Mike and Danny work in various capacities there as well. His son Timmy is a physician at Genesys Hospital and will soon be coming to practice with dad in Clarkston. The O'Neills also have daughter Megan, who works for the Ave Maria Foundation, and son Devon, who passed away in a car accident, and 12 grandchildren.

"A physician is totally supported by your family. Your family is your lifeline and life's blood of how you work."

O'Neill said it's people like his family, those in the office and in the community, who "prop" him up.

"People do things for me and I'm greatly appreciative of it. I'm cognizant of the fact that I'm a smaller part of a larger whole where a lot of people are doing things that make your life easier and much more efficient. You can do a lot of things in a day because really people are doing most of your work around you and you aim to direct that," O'Neill said, pointing out he hasn't been in a shopping center for 40 years.

He also praises community organizations, senior citizen care facilities, police, fire, local politicians and churches for doing their part in helping take care of the local people.

"We need our communities where we look after each other."

In looking out for others, he'll always give his patients words of advice.

To the kids, he'll say things like, "Do what your teachers say," "Listen to mom and dad," and "Be nice to all the boys and girls at your school."

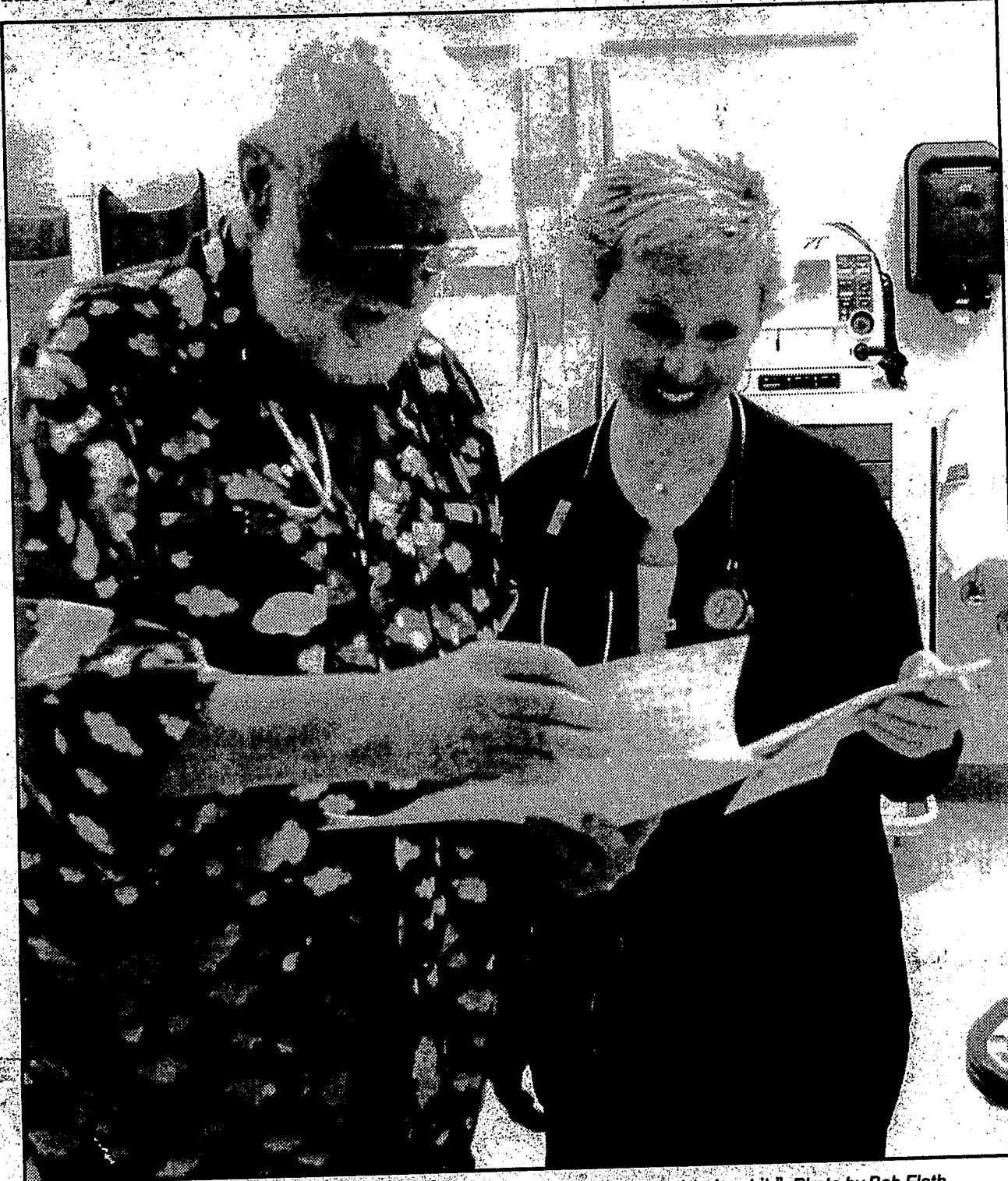
"I never miss an opportunity to reinforce what parents and teachers do every day. Let's get these kids raised. That's when community comes together," he said.

To the adults he'll advise them, "Don't smoke," "Love your kids to pieces," and "Be a good steward of the land."

"What's nice is when (patients) are really down and out, we can sit down and talk to people and tell them to get inside themselves spiritually and remind them that the Great Creator will look after them."

And O'Neill, who'll turn 69 in December, has no plans of stopping this care to his community.

"I would never retire. I will be very careful though that some time in my life I will slow down some. There's an old adage that says when you start out in life do something you love and then you'll never have to work the rest of your life. I've never told my wife I'm going to work. To me, it's just part of my life. I love every minute of what I do. I never tire of it. Retirement is something I've never even thought about."



O'Neill, 68, has no plans of retiring anytime soon. "I've never even thought about it." Photo by Bob Flath.



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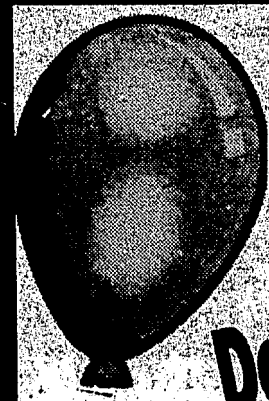
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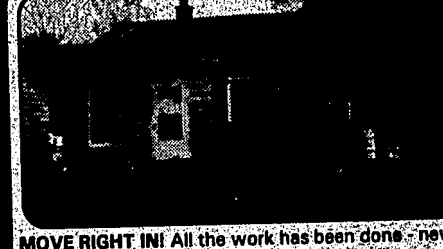
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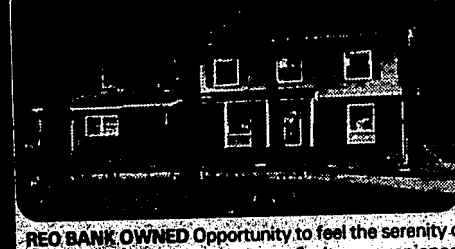
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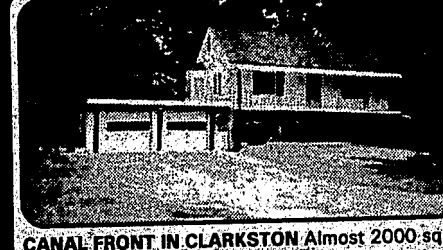
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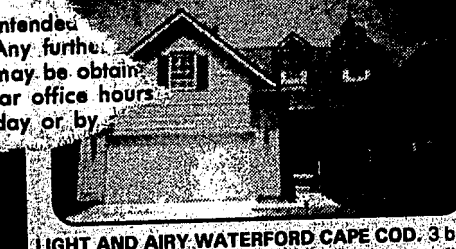
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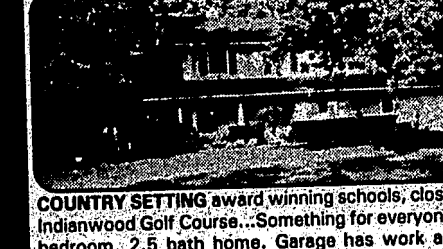
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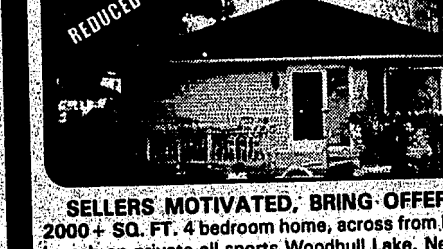
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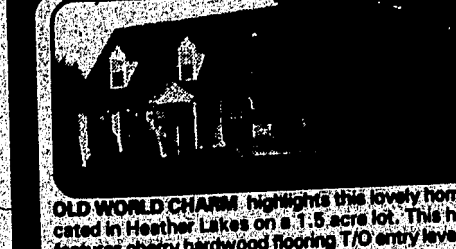
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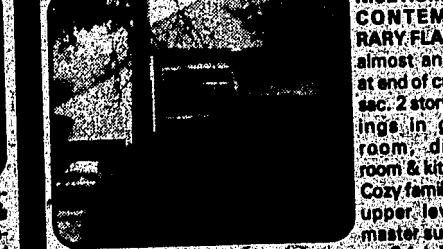
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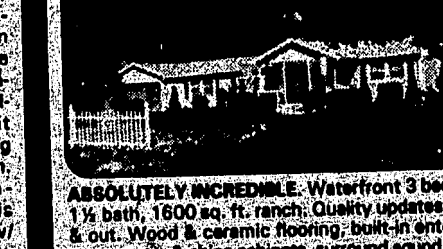
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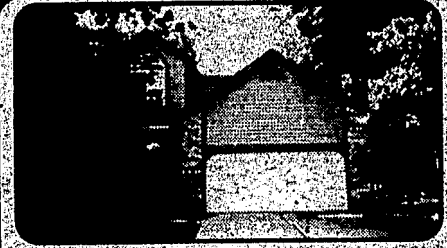


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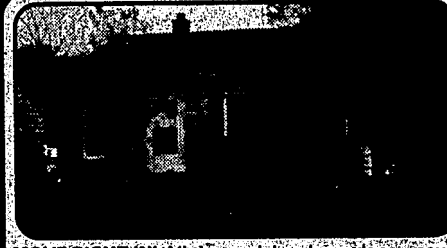
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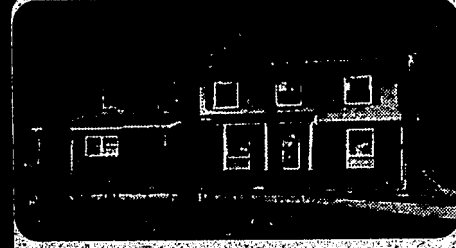
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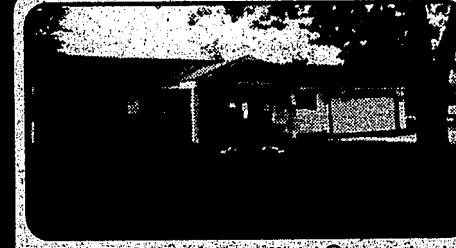
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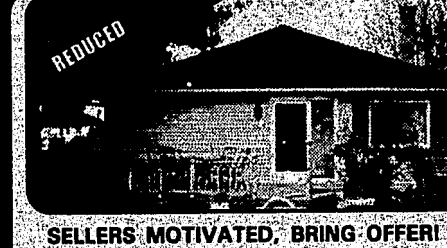
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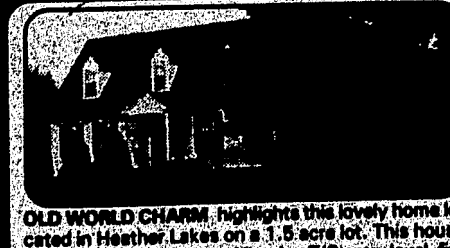
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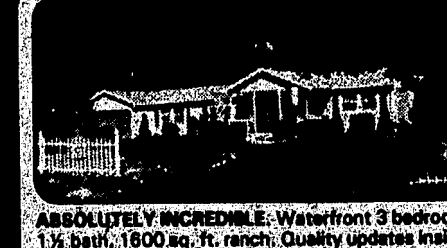
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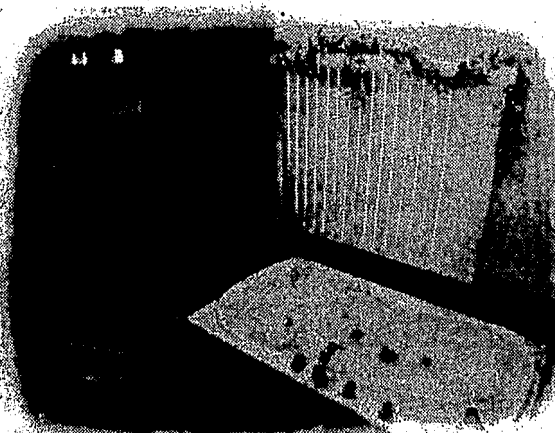
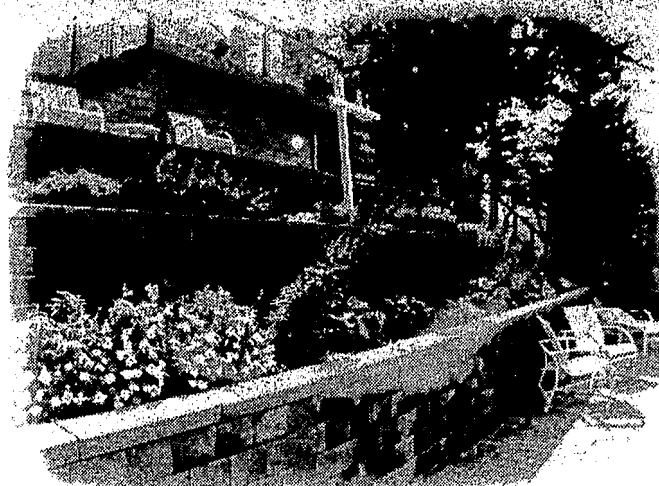
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PUBLIC NOTICE
CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON
375 DEPOT ROAD
CLARKSTON MI 48346
CHANGE OF MEETING DATE
OCTOBER 8, 2003

Due to the observance of Columbus Day on Monday, October 13, 2003, the City Council meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 8, 2003, at 6:00 p.m.

Artemus Pappas
City Manager

PUBLIC NOTICE

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Planning Commission of Independence Township, Oakland County, Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on:
Thursday, October 9th, 2003 at 7:30 p.m.
At the Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, Michigan, 48346 to hear the following petition:
FILE PC#2003-027

Mr. Michael Clark, Twenty First Century Development, Petitioner

REZONING REQUEST

FROM: R-1R (Rural Residential)

TO: R-1A (Single Family Residential)

Parcel Identification Number: 08-36-300-020, 021, 025 & 026
Common Description: Mann Road, East of Clintonville Road
20 Acres

Intended Use: Residential

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

JOAN E. McCrory, CLERK

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

SYNOPSIS

TAKEN BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE

Supervisor Stuart called the September 16, 2003 meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. at the Independence Township Library.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Present: Kelly, McCrory, Rosso, Stuart, Wagner, Wenger, Travis
Absent: None

There is a quorum.

1. Approval of the agenda as amended.
2. Approved the Consent Agenda as amended.
 - Approval of Minutes of September 2, 2003.
 - Approval of Purchase Orders in the amount of \$54,915.58.
 - Approval of Accounts Payable Check Run in the amount of \$653,551.90.
3. Approved motion for Mr. Wagner and Judge Fortinberry to consider other potential locations for receipt of gift on McCord Property.
4. Approved motion to award bid of Waldon Road Re-Vegetation to WH Canon.
5. Approved motion authorizing budget adjustment for Waldon Road Re-Vegetation Project.
6. Approved motion of Resolution Approving Notice of Intent to Issue Bonds.
7. Approved motion to purchase truck for Safety Path Program.
8. Approved motion authorizing budget adjustment for Safety Path Program Truck Purchase.
9. Approved motion to enter into Closed Session at 8:22 p.m.
10. Approved motion to reopen the Regular meeting at 8:28 p.m.
11. Approved motion to adjourn at 8:29 p.m.

Published: 09/30/2003

Respectfully Submitted,
Joan E. McCrory
Township Clerk

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The Planning Commission of Independence Township, Oakland County Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on:
October 9th, 2003 at 7:30 p.m.

Located at the Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, Michigan, 48346 to consider the following:

FILE PC #2003-023

**TEXT AMENDMENTS TO ZONING ORDINANCE #83
SECTION 5.30, ARTICLE V**

SASHABAW TOWN CENTER OVERLAY DISTRICT

Specific Design Standards within the Town Center Overlay District

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

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The Planning Commission of Independence Township, Oakland County Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on:
October 9th, 2003 at 7:30 p.m.

at the Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, Michigan 48346, to consider the following:
FILE PC#2003-006

Mr. Manny Kniashnycky, Liberty Investment, LLC, Petitioner

REQUEST REZONING

FROM: R-1A (Single Family Residential)

TO: PUD (Planned Unit Development)

Sashabaw Orchard Acres, Lot 1, 2, 3, and part 4 & 5
08-27-100-017, 024, 025, 026 & 027

Also

AMEND LIBERTY PUD FINAL SITE PLAN

08-27-300-007, 028, 08-27-326-001 thru 065, 08-28-400-005 & 007

TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL PROPERTY

Intended Use: Mixed Use

Common Description: West side of Sashabaw Road, North of Maybee Road

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TOWNSHIP BOARD AGENDA

7:30 p.m.

TOWNSHIP LIBRARY

DATE: October 7, 2003

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call
4. Opening Statements and Correspondence
5. Approval of Agenda
6. Public Forum - Individuals in the audience have the opportunity to address the Township Board on an issue that is not on the agenda limiting their comments to not more than three minutes.
7. Consent Agenda
 - a. Minutes - September 9, 11, 22 and 23, 2003
 - b. Approval of Purchase Orders
 - c. Approval of Accounts Payable Check Run
- Public Hearing
 - 1. Andersonville Road, Lake Forest Drive and Lake Lane Road Improvement and Tentatively Designated Special Assessment District
- Unfinished Business
 - 1. Andersonville Road, Lake Forest Drive and Lake Lane Road Improvement and Tentatively Designated Special Assessment District
 - 2. First Reading of an Amendment to the Animal Control Ordinance
- New Business
 - 1. Promotion Request, Appraiser Aide to Appraiser I, Assessing Department
 - 2. Andersonville Road, Lake Forest Drive and Lake Lane Road Improvement and Tentatively Designated Special Assessment District
 - 3. Participation With Waterford Hill S.A.D.
 - 4. Liquor License Transfer Request - 6060 Maybee Road
 - 5. Rezoning Request from OS-2 to PUD Tom Althoff, Vision Development, Petitioner Proposed Sashabaw Car Wash, 1.35 Acres on Sashabaw Road, S. of Waldon, 08-27-201-022
 - 6. Permission to Purchase Sewer Equipment
 - 7. Appointment to Planning Commission
 - 8. Appointment to ZBA

Items removed from Consent Agenda for action or discussion will be moved to the last item under Unfinished Business. Only those matters that are listed on the agenda are to be considered for action.

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

LEGAL NOTICE

Lake Improvement Board For
Walters Lake

Independence Township

County of Oakland, Michigan

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION AND

CONFIRMATION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL

Notice is Hereby Given that at a meeting held September 8, 2003, the Lake Improvement Board for Walters Lake resolved to proceed with a five-year improvement program for Walters Lake (2004 - 2008) and confirmed a Special Assessment Roll for the project. Said assessments are final and conclusive unless attacked in a court of competent jurisdiction within 30 days of this notice.

This notice is being published pursuant to the provisions of Part 309 (Inland Lake Improvements) of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, Public Act 451 of 1994, as amended.

Lake Improvement Board
For Walters Lake

PUBLIC NOTICE

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INDEPENDENCE TWP.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday, October 15, 2003 at 7:30 pm at the Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, MI 48346 to hear the following cases:

- Case #03-0096 Robert R. Jones Associates, Inc., Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS EXTENSION OF VARIANCE PREVIOUSLY GRANTED FOR TEMPORARY CONSTRUCTION TRAILER
Deer Cross Drive, Lot 401, R-1B
Deerwood VIII
08-09-154-013
- Case #03-0097 Dorothy Fischer, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS FRONT YARD SETBACK VARIANCE OF 10' TO CONSTRUCT ENCLOSED PORCH AND RAMP
Heath Ave., Lot 160, R-1A
Waterford Drayton Sub No. 1
08-34-176-003
- Case #03-0098 Paula Wojtalewicz, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS SIZE VARIANCE OF 390 SQ FT TO CONSTRUCT ACCESSORY STRUCTURE
Rattalee Lake Rd., Lot 5, R-1R
Bessie Foreman Estates
08-06-476-011
- Case #03-0099 Joseph Sova, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO EFFECTUATE SPLITTING OF PROPERTY (LACKS REQUIRED WIDTH AT THE SETBACK LINE)
Hadley Rd., Acreage, R-1R
08-05-426-005
- Case #03-0100 George Lang, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO EFFECTUATE SPLITTING OF PROPERTY:
1) WIDTH TO DEPTH
2) WIDTH AT SETBACK LINE
3) 7+ FT SIDE YARD SETBACK VARIANCE FOR EXISTING HOME
4) SETBACK AND SIZE VARIANCE FOR ACCESSORY STRUCTURE
Clarkston Rd., R-1A
08-21-251-023
- Case #03-0101 Deanna Olsen, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE FOR GROUND SIGN, HEIGHT, SIZE, AND PLACEMENT TO BE CONSIDERED
Main St. S. O
08-29-258-012
- Case #03-0102 Robert Ritchie, Petitioner
APPLICANT REQUESTS SIZE VARIANCE OF APPROXIMATELY 809 SQ FT FOR ADDITION TO EXISTING ACCESSORY STRUCTURE (ALREADY CONSTRUCTED) PLUS SIZE VARIANCE OF APPROXIMATELY 197 SQ FT FOR 2ND ACCESSORY BUILDING (ALREADY CONSTRUCTED)
Allen Rd., Acreage, R-1R
08-08-300-029

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

Respectfully submitted,

Joan E. McCrory,
Township Clerk
Beverly A. McElmeel
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020 GREETINGS

PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN
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LX42-2

SALE OF DEFAULT Units: Thursday, October 16, 2002, 10 A.M. Lake Orion Self Storage Center, Inc., 180 W. Church St., Lake Orion, MI 48362. 100 yards east of Lapeer Rd. (M-24). 248-814-8140. Unit #10004- Courtney Clark: Table and chairs, clothes, chair, computer, vacuum, assorted boxes, and more. Unit #40036- Michael Bolton: Clothes, assorted boxes, and more. ILLX42-2

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110 GARAGE SALE

MOVING SALE: October 3-4, 880 Esther, Lake Orion (M-24, off Indian Lake Rd.); non-mechanical treadmill, washer/dryer, miscellaneous household items. ILLX42-1

GARAGE SALE: October 2, 3 & 4, 9am-5pm. Appliances, air conditioner, 19" color TV, VCR tapes & miscellaneous. 4428 Coastal Parkway, White Lake. 248-625-6889. ILLX11-1

Antiques & Collectibles	150
Appliance	160
Auctions	090
Auto Parts	240
Bus. Opportunities	330
Card of Thanks	380
Cars	250
Child Care	340
Computers	140
Craft Shows	120
Farm Equipment	230
Firewood	050
Free	100
Garage Sales	110
General	170
Greetings	020
Help Wanted	360
Holiday Items	010
Horses	220
Household	130

In Memoriam	400
Lawn & Garden	080
Livestock	210
Lost & Found	190
Manufactured Homes	320
Musical Instrument	060
Notices	390
Personals	370
Pets	200
Produce	040
Real Estate	310
Rec. Equipment	180
Rec. Vehicles	280
Rentals	290
Services	410
Trucks	270
Tutoring/Lessons	070
Vans	260
Wanted	030
Wanted To Rent	300
Work Wanted	350

Outdoor Sale

Saturday, October 4
10am-5pm
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Clarkston

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GARAGE SALE: 4827 Hickory (1 mile east of M-24 on Brocker). Tools, generator, Y quad, Little Tykes, clothing, bed set, etc. 9-5pm October 9-10. 810-678-8000 ILLX42-2

GARAGE SALE: October 2, 3, 4. Davisburg, off Andersonville Rd. Follow signs from 4-H Fairgrounds. Bedroom furniture, baby and toddler toys, clothes, maternity, many household items. ILLX10-2

FALL YARD SALE: 126 North Slader. October 3-4, 9am-4pm. Baby girl's clothing, lots of household items. Rain dates: October 10-11. ILLX42-1

GARAGE SALE, 1980 Worcester, Oxford Woods. Sub off Drahnner & Queens. Wednesday & Thursday October 8&9, 9-4pm. 2 dinette sets, etc. ILLX42-2

BARN SALE

Lots of old goodies!
Saturday 10:00-5:00
Sunday Noon-5:00
8290 Sashabaw Rd.
(1 Mile N. of I-75)

CX11-1

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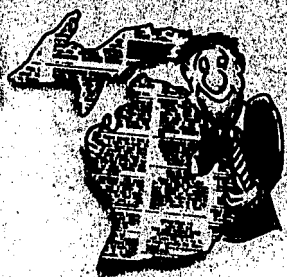
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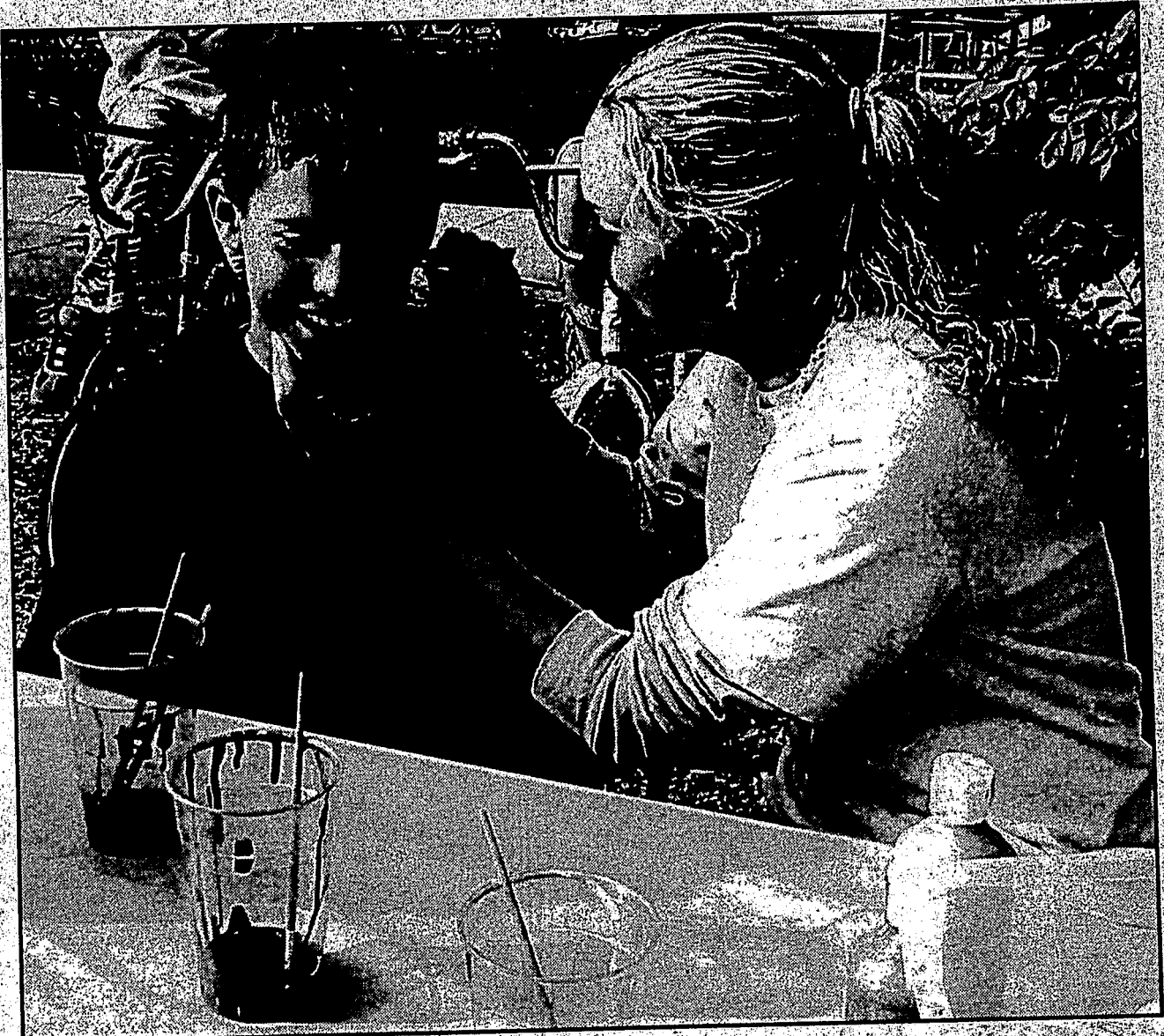
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Matthew Rodgers gets his face painted by sister, Brittany.



Brittany Turner tries her hand at the ring toss.



Andrew Reed takes aim at the football throw.



Paige Aresco and Ann Marie Frenzell enjoy a ball toss.

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the back page...



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