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Thanks for celebrating a great 75 years!

Some may find some irony here: We professional wordsmiths at *The Clarkston News* are struggling to find the words to adequately express our thanks to everyone who helped make our 75th anniversary celebration a success.

The open houses last Friday and Saturday — and the many weeks of preparation — would not have been possible without those who attended (of course) and those who provided valuable services to help make everything just right.

In no particular order, we offer public praise and gratitude to the following:

- Ace Hardware of Ortonville manager Tim Tyler helped immensely with our office painting project. He measured our offices and calculated the amount of supplies needed, delivered those supplies, picked up unused supplies and answered all our questions throughout the project.

- Rudy's Market helped with both products and services. They provided work gloves when we forgot to buy them during our wall-washing and a hand cart when we moved furniture. Their staff hung our flag over our door on Friday, and provided the champagne for Friday's open house.

- Lisa's Confection Connection provided the tasty anniversary cookies (complete with "75th" frosting) for Saturday's



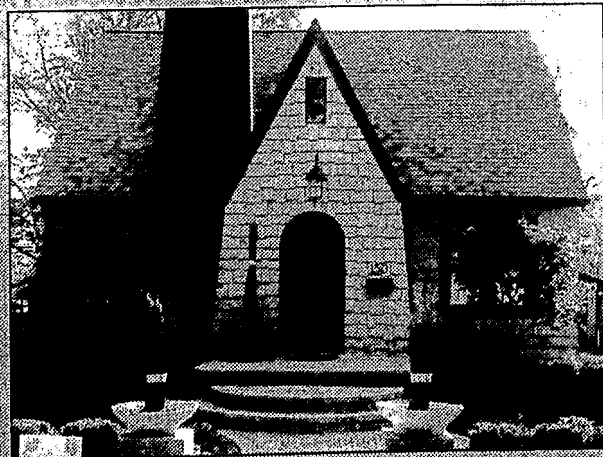
The Clarkston News reporter James Martinez helps Keith and Joseph Auchterlonie make authentic pressman's hats.
Photo by Don Schelske

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Clarkston SCAMP announces its 23rd home tour

BY JAMES MARTINEZ
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Six Clarkston houses will be featured and offer a little something for everyone. This year's houses are all within 100 yards of Clarkston's Mill Pond and should provide a peek into the history of the city, as



The Detkowski Home

well as a glimpse into varying lifestyles.

The annual home tour for Clarkston SCAMP will take place June 4 and June 5. The tour is the biggest annual fundraiser for SCAMP's summer camp for multiply impaired children and young adults.

The Detkowski Home, owned by Cherie Detkowski at 150 N. Holcomb, blends antiques and reproductions economically into its 1,200-square-foot 1927 frame.

Visitors encounter a feeling of warmth with its fireplace and abundance of green and ivory colors which make the house a comfort on a cold winter day.

The home's most memorable room, "the cubby", is perfect for a child's playroom with its red and yellow angled walls that peak at the low ceilings.

A Japanese Maple, boxwoods, lambs ear and other plants create an unforgettable landscape that adds a final distinguishing characteristic to this tour stop.

The Campanaro Home is actual the main portion of a house that was originally built on Main Street in 1880. In 1923 the home was moved to 10 Roberston Court where it's remained ever since.

Historically speaking, early last century the house was the first of what became the Parke Lake subdivision.

For its age and style, the high ceilings throughout the house are unique and add to the mix of older features and modern convenience. Off the master bedroom the master bath's Jacuzzi tub, flanked by mirrors below a window, exemplify this blend. Behind the mirrors, you can find a walk-in closet and a "water closet," consisting of a toilet and shower.

Janet and John Vernier own the Vernier Home at 85 East Washington, which was built after the couple's house burned down in 2001. After the initial shock of losing their home, the Verniers brought in the expertise of a custom home builder.

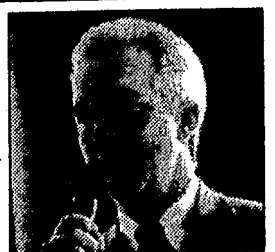
Eighteen months later, this large stone and brick house was complete. Many of the interior designs came from design centers and home magazines. A unique feature of the house is the "garden suite," with its flowery interior designs and a willow tree in the window.

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Millstream

Read all about the
Community Awards.

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See more pics from our Open Houses!

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Sports

Girls track
wins regionals!

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Traffic dodging...



Tom Phipps of American Legion Post 63 collects donations from a motorist at the intersection of Washington and Main Street on May 19. Photo by James Martinez

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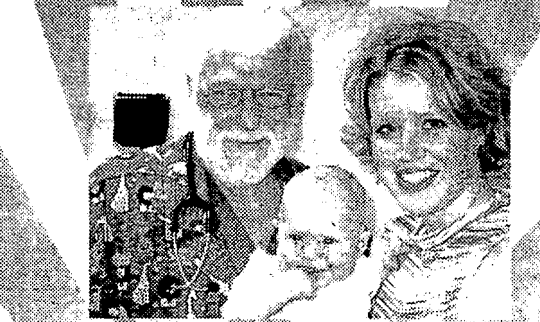
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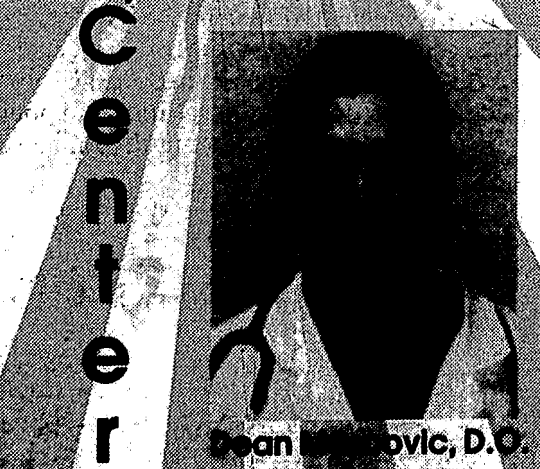
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Summer

Safety

Tips

Every summer we treat a number of people at our urgent care for a variety of preventable conditions. As a friendly reminder to keep you and your family from having to visit us, I thought I'd discuss how to avoid some of the more common injuries.

Eye Injuries: Actually we treat people year round for eye injuries but it seems when the weather warms people really find ways to traumatize their eyes. Most are minor but some cause permanent disability and most important, all of them are preventable. Sight is our most precious sense so it always a good idea to wear safety glasses.

Hearing Protection: Damage to your ears may take years to develop but once it has occurred it is irreversible. This means wearing ear protection every time you're using power tools, operating machinery, or attending a concert.

Safety Gear: Not wearing a helmet when biking, rollerblading, skateboarding or riding motorcycles just doesn't make sense. Closed head injuries are devastating both for the individual and their family. Even minor head trauma can cause recurrent headaches and permanent memory problems.

Insect Bites: With the emergence of West Nile Virus this has become a hot topic. The basic rules are to cover up near dawn and dusk when mosquitoes are most active and keep screens

on your home in good repair. Also, the American Academy of Pediatrics recommends DEET containing products for anyone over the age of two years.

Lawn Tools: Removing safety guards and not wearing hand protection are two of the most common causes of injuries we see at CMG. Every time you service a piece of machinery it is important to make sure that no power is supplied to the moving parts and that you wear thick leather gloves to protect your hands.

Pesticides/Herbicides: Many of the pesticides and herbicides we use are in fact very toxic chemicals. It is imperative you follow the directions exactly and take great care not to inhale any of these substances or let them contact your skin or eyes. Be smart and use these products in well ventilated areas while wearing a respirator, safety glasses and rubber gloves. It is also a good idea to avoid spraying on windy days as an unexpected wind gust can cause accidental exposure. If you think you may have been exposed notify poison control immediately at 1-800-poison-1



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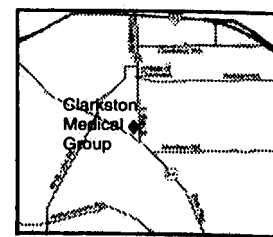
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The Second Front

Briefly

Memorial Day Parade

On May 30, Independence Township and downtown Clarkston will host the annual Memorial Day Parade.

Beginning at 10 a.m., the parade steps off from the intersection of Buffalo and Church Streets, travels West down Main Street, turns into Washington Street, and then continues around Holcomb Road to end at LAkeview Cemetery. The highlight of the parade will be the Clarkston High School Marching Band.

At the cemetery, a special guest speaker will read the Gettysburg Address. To end the ceremony, veterans will read the names of deceased veterans of Independence Township. Flags for the honored fallen were placed on Sunday.

CHS seniors to party 'All Night'

The Clarkston High School seniors will be retiring their cap and gowns on June 1— and then partying the night away with classmates.

The Senior All Night Party is scheduled for June 1 at the Clarkston Christian Association. The doors open at 10 p.m. and the fun stops at 5 a.m.

The night will include a casino, hypnotist, cash cube, prizes, and food and refreshments.

Tickets are still available. For more information, contact Clarkston High School at 248-623-3600.

L Brooks Patterson promises free WI-FI



Oakland County Commissioner L. Brooks Patterson addressed the Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce on May 19. Patterson spoke about his plan to make wireless Internet available across Oakland County. He would like to make the basic level free to use for anyone with access.

Patterson felt wireless Internet providers would agree to provide a level of free service in exchange for access to Oakland County's tornado towers, light poles and traffic lights to which small service boxes could be attached.

"We would immediately close the digital divide," said Patterson. "We're giving (the wireless Internet providers) something they can't get."

Alpha Club finishes the year

BY CHRISTINA ULAJ
Clarkston News Staff Writer

The Pine Knob Elementary Alpha Club completed another successful year.

Students involved in the group were active in team work, completing homework assignments and helping each other whenever necessary.

One memorable project included making table centerpieces for the adult Alpha Club Annual Fund-raiser. The students have participated in lectures with guest speakers from organizations including: Over Land & Under Water Expeditions; Detroit Zoological Institute; and North Oakland Headquarters Land Conservatory.

PKE students walked away from these presentations with knowledge on watersheds, the importance on our land and steps to protect the land.

Each student who participated in the Pine Knob Elementary Alpha Club is encouraged to live by the Optimist Creed: "Remember to look at the sunny side of everything and strive to make your optimism come true. Make others feel good about themselves and carry a smile with you at all times."

A message from Alpha Club Leaders: "We wish all the club members good luck in the sixth grade next year, and please consider continuing what you have begun by joining the Jr. Optimist Club."



Pine Knob Elementary Alpha Club members celebrating their last day as part of the organization.

"Salute to Safety"

Police, fire and EMS personnel to be honored

BY CHRISTINA ULAJ
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Local police, fire and EMS personnel go above and beyond for Clarkston and surrounding communities. Now, plans for celebration in their honor are well underway.

Clarkston Health Center, Sunrise Senior Living and community partners are coordinating "Salute to Safety," a safety and wellness event on June 4.

"We are looking forward to promoting safety," said Marie Bristow, Clarkston Health Center. "We just want to encourage everyone to practice safety."

The goal of the event is to promote and encourage safety throughout the community; salute and thank our local police, fire and EMS personnel; and donate net proceeds from the event to the Clarkston Philanthropic Endeavor for placements of AED's (Automatic External Defibrillator) through the community.

"We chose to donate AED's because we wanted something that these local personnel have their hands around," said Bristow. "AED can save lives and the personnel all support it."

The event will offer activities including: child fingerprinting, smokehouse encounter, kids' safety relay and playground safety, AED demonstrations, choking

education and more. Entertainment will include live music, a magician, dance troops, gymnastic teams, face painting and a barbershop quartet.

The event is free to the public and does have sponsorship levels — Event Sponsors are \$500 and Activity Sponsors are \$175.

Event Sponsor level includes: logo on all event sponsor signs, logo on volunteer t-shirts, appreciation ad in *The Clarkston News & Penny Stretcher* next to the Ernie Harwell article, plaque of appreciation, and acknowledgment during salute ceremony.

Activity Sponsor level includes: logo on activity sponsor sign by a predetermined activity noted above (assigned on a first come basis) certificate of appreciation and acknowledgment during the salute ceremony.

The day will begin at 2 p.m. with a ceremony honoring police, fire and EMS personnel in the communities of Clarkston, Brandon Township, Groveland Township, Independence Township, Springfield Township and Waterford.

"Salute to Safety" will take place on June 4 at the Clarkston Medical Campus from 11 a.m. — 4 p.m. For more information, contact Marie Bristow at 248-620-4290.

CHS Senior Spotlight



Name: Nicole Keusch
Parents' names: Debbie and Jim Keusch
Favorite Subject: Social Studies
School Activities: Peer mentor, National Honor Society
Outside Interests: Leadership team of church youth group (Clarkston United Methodist Church)
What are your plans after graduation? I'm going to U of M to study International Business.
Where do you see yourself in 25 years? Having a good job, traveling to different parts of the world and having a family.
Best friends are people who: you have fun with and are always there for you.
What worries me most about the world is: the lack of understanding between different cultures.
I will make a contribution to my community by: continuing to do various community service projects.

"Prom Promise 2005" Seniors to sign the dotted line

BY CHRISTINA ULAJ
 Clarkston News Staff Writer

Prom is almost here.

What is the number one point to check on your prom to do list?

The safety of yourself and fellow classmates.

Randolph's Salon is joining hands with the SADD chapter of Clarkston High School Students Against Drunk Driving and Waterford Mott High School to keep prom night a safe one with the "Prom Promise 2005" project.

Students who promise not to drink and drive on prom night will receive a free hair design and style from Randolph's Salon at either the Clarkston or Waterford locations.

"We're pleased to have the opportunity to sponsor Prom Promise for the second year at Clarkston high School," said Scott Randolph. "We also look forward to starting the tradition with Waterford Mott High School this year."

Randolph's Salon and SADD want to get the word out that heavy drinking is especially dangerous for teenagers because the brain is still developing, and that alcohol related damage incurred at a young age can have long term effects.

The promise is available for students and parents upon purchasing prom tickets. The promise must be signed by both the students, parents and SADD advisors.

Prom is an unforgettable time. To the students of 2005, please be safe and make that promise.

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Opinion

Reporting for Duty

I was actually born just up M-15 in Davison, but spent all except a few early years growing up in Northeastern Michigan. My father worked a couple of stints in the Air National Guard, so our family was fortunate to settle permanently in Alpena where my mother grew up.

I have a wonderfully supportive family. My father, Robert, serves in the Air National Guard full time at the Combat Readiness Training Center in Alpena as a master sergeant. My mother teaches sixth grade at Long Rapids Elementary School near Alpena. I also have an older brother, Keith, who works for Plante&Moran.

My younger sister, Elaine, just graduated from Saginaw Valley State University. The baby of the family, Rob, just completed his associate's degree at Alpena Community College and just returned from working with a leadership group in Gambia.

During my childhood, I played soccer, basketball and baseball. While little more than an average athlete, my claims to fame are a broken nose via an elbow by an Elk Rapids defender and having played every single soccer field position during at least one game during a varsity season, including keeper.

I worked a paper route in my neighborhood at the age of 12, my first job in the media. Through the route, I made spending money and ran from one set of dogs after another. *The Alpena News* came out after school on weekdays and early morning on Saturday. One particular Saturday while pedaling up a dirt road, I dozed off and apparently hit a pothole which sent me flying over the handle bars. Luckily, I only had three houses left before I could go home and crawl into bed.

Raised a Catholic, I attended a private elementary school and completed my education at the public secondary schools. In high school, I lettered in varsity soccer and was in National Honor Society.

After high school, I graduated in 2002 from Michigan State University with a bachelor of arts in history with a political science minor. While at Michigan State, I was active in housing events ranging from operating the weight room to participating on several floor soccer leagues.

After graduating, I completed the year-long teaching internship and earned a Michigan teaching certificate. My internship was at Williamston High School where I taught U.S. History and sociology. I also was a volunteer keeper coach for the girls' junior varsity soccer team.

The past two years, I was in various teaching positions in the Waterford School District.

Recently, I enrolled in additional English undergraduate classes at the University of Michigan-Flint. My classes ranged from Shakespeare and Greek literature to writing composition theory and creative writing. I worked as news editor of *The Michigan Times* where I covered local politics and sports while developing an intense interest for covering government of all levels.

In my spare time, I enjoy reading various types of materials and particularly like Ernest Hemingway stories. I also enjoy the occasional fishing trip and attending the Brown Trout Festival held in Alpena every summer.

I look forward to meeting all of you and to continue the informative reporting carried on by my predecessor.

At
Ease



James
Martinez

We hope Fortinberry is innocent of charges

On our front page last week, our lead story started with this headline:

Judge Fortinberry faces state charges

This has caused some readers confusion. Well, actually only the word "charges" has caused concern. Some have argued that, with malicious intent, we threw the word *charges* into a headline to imply Judge Dana Fortinberry of the 52-2 District Court, here in Clarkston is guilty as charged.

Not true.

In fact, we'll go so far as to say we hope they are not true. We like Dana. Judge Fortinberry has spent time in this community (before and continuing after her judgeship) volunteering for many causes. She is a community-minded individual in both spirit and body. But, a newspaper, no matter how big or small must report to keep the trust, confidence and respect of its community. We cannot play favorites with people we like.

In the past this policy has hurt us financially (advertisers have favorites, too and they tend to pull fi-

nancial support when their favorites get whacked). This policy will hurt us in the future. Regardless, the policy stands -- our community demands it.

Last week we reported on Formal Complaint No. 78 before Michigan's Judicial Tenure Commission. In the official complaint, we read: "Respondent (Judge Fortinberry) is *charged* with violating her judicial and professional duties as set forth in the following paragraphs . . ."

Newspaper reporters, editors and headline writers are not lawyers. We do not communicate in legalese. We are, and write for Mr. and Mrs. Average American. Charge, as a noun, can be a formal claim of wrongdoing. Synonyms are: complaint, count, indictment and rap. In the real world, the one we live in and report on, the word *charges* does not imply guilt or innocence. It simply means somebody is being looked at and that sooner or later will be judged.

Until otherwise judged, Judge Dana Fortinberry is innocent of all charges. When the judge's gavel falls, readers can be sure *The Clarkston News* will report what happens -- whether we really want to or not. **DPR**

Clarkston
News
Editorial

My Thanks and Good Wishes

I wanted to take a moment to thank all those who offered their support for me in the recent school board election. Although my bid was unsuccessful, the race was close and I was heartened by a larger voter turnout than most of us expected.

I also wanted to share my response on a couple of questions many have asked me since the election. First, "What was it like running in a local election?"

Quite simply, it was a lot of fun. A local election is a much different experience than what I imagine the larger political elections to be. Some of my favorite memories include re-connecting with old friends and making new ones as well. People would call the house and questioning my position on issues (and share theirs). Folks stopping me at restaurants and wishing me luck. My neighbor and her boys driving around collecting many of my signs the day after election to save me time. A parent telling me that she was supporting me because one of my statements spoke directly to her situation.

There is no distance between us in these local elections. This is our home and these are our schools. I was truly honored to be a candidate and to receive such a large number of votes. I also appreciated the endorsement of *The Clarkston News*.

The second question I'm asked is, "Since you had such a strong showing will you run again?"

It really depends on two things. The first of which is can I make the commitment when the opportunity presents itself? The board term is for four years and I must feel I can maintain the time commitment for the entire term. I will have to assess my situation at the time to see if I am able.

The second factor is how the new board is performing. I ran because I felt strongly about several issues. First, how we manage our limited funding with rising costs. The last approved budget included dipping substantially into the current fund equity to cover operational expenses, to me this is not a sustainable business model.

Secondly, along with other parents, I felt the board has been unwilling to incorporate thoughts, views and

suggestions from parents on major issues. Contrary to statements made by others, I did not run because I was angry about the recent redistricting, but rather I felt that board members ignored good alternatives and that the district lacks good overall growth planning.

I think the new board should commit itself to the development of a comprehensive strategic plan for the district that encompasses more than just capital spending. This should be one of the first orders of business, right after moving elections from May 3.

The last suggestion is admittedly a hot topic on which the board, the administration and I will respectfully disagree. I feel it is inappropriate to spend money that could be used to hire or retain a teacher in order to have a separate election just for the school. If absentee ballots had not been mailed, and if no challengers had come forward, we might have spent this large sum on an unopposed election. It would be wiser to have the election in November when most people vote and when the school does not carry the cost alone. This way we can spend our money in the classroom where it belongs. I think it would be interesting to hear other views on this last topic; perhaps our local paper could solicit some citizens' input.

I would finally like to offer one last note of thanks for our local township clerks and the county clerk for running a smooth election. Also, thanks to our local papers for the good coverage.

Lets keep working together for great schools and a great community.

Your neighbor
David Lohmeier

Letters
to the
Editor

Can't get enough of
our Letters to the
Editor? Then please
go to page 23A.

A Look Back

At our community's
history through
the pages of
The Clarkston News

15 YEARS AGO (1990)

• Villagers say yes to cityhood: Villager voters turned out in the largest number ever recorded in voting history -385- to cast their ballots in favor of becoming a city Monday, May 21.

Just a half hour after the precinct closed, unofficial totals showed 228 yes votes and 157 no votes, which means another hurdle was passed in the process of cityhood for the Village of Clarkston. The vote totals must be verified by the Oakland County Board of Canvassers.

• Memorial Day parade in works: Memorial day 1990 will be marked with a parade in downtown Clarkston followed by a ceremony at Lakeview Cemetery, Independence Township.

Sponsored by Campbell Richmond Post 63 and Chief Pontiac Post 377 of the American Legion, the parade begins at 10 a.m. at the corner of Church and Buffalo streets.

25 YEARS AGO (1980)

• Concert traffic to flow one-way: Before summer's end, a portion of Sashabaw Road may be converted to a one-way street after each Pink Knob Music Theatre concert.

The change would make all three lanes of Sashabaw one-way from the theater's marquee to the I-75 entrance ramps.

50 YEARS AGO (1955)

• Township To Observe Memorial Day: As in years past, the Campbell-Richmond Post, American Legion, has planned a program for Memorial day in Clarkston.

• Springfield Opens Davisburg Park: At a Springfield Township Park Commission meeting held Monday, May 16th, Werener M. Hoy, chairman, announced the board members were unanimous in offering the facilities of the Davisburg Park to all who care to take advantage of them. All the grounds and equipment are being readied now, and reservations for use of the buildings may be had by calling Ward Lowes at Melrose 7-5398.

• Clarkston Local: The Baccalaureate Service for the Clarkston High School Seniors will take place in the school auditorium on Sunday evening, June 12. The Commencement Exercises will be the next night, Monday, June 13.

Memorial Day and red poppies

"Poppies! Poppies! Poppies!"

-- Something the Wicked Witch of the West may have uttered in the 1939 movie classic, "The Wizard of Oz"

I know Memorial Day is at hand. And it's not cuz I'm a veteran, genius or anything so noble or extravagant. Nope, not me. Atlas Township resident Jill Stodula wanted me to run this column I wrote in 2003. So that is what I'm doing.

Quite simply, I know the day we remember those who died in service to this country is upon us because I replaced the dusty and faded red paper poppy that hung from my rearview mirror for the past 12 months.

In towns across this nation, graying and weathered veterans don their uniforms to stand in roadways and in front of stores to sell paper poppies. Monies raised from these sales and those made by the wives and daughters of veterans help different veteran causes (not to stock the bar with booze as I have heard some speculate). So, I always feel obligated to pull out some green backs, purchase a poppy and say "thank you." There's been a red paper poppy somewhere in every vehicle I have owned over the years.

Come to think of it, Pops Rush, my dear and departed father, always had one in his car, too. At any rate, I always kinda figured it was a fundraising gig, but I never -- until now -- researched the origins of the red poppy tradition. And, since I invested a finite amount of my life into this research, you too must suffer or be enlightened -- choose your pick. Regardless, we're taking this ride together. There is no escape.

Legends of poppy fields popping up over battlefield are reported from the time of Genghis Khan, through the Napoleonic wars and up until the first World War. Why, you may be asking? Well, dear reader, because as any Master Gardener knows, poppy seeds can lay dormant for years, only to germinate when the soil they lay in gets turned up.



don
rush
don't rush

After particularly bloody battles, the war dead were left or buried under the battlefield. The battlefield turned graveyard, turned to soil and poppies grew.

In 1915, Canadian military medic John McCrae penned the poem, *In Flanders Field*:

In Flanders Fields

In Flanders Fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.
We are the Dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie,
In Flanders Fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders Fields.

In 1918, an American woman, Moina Michael wrote:

*We cherish too, the Poppy red
That grows on fields where valor led,
It seems to signal to the skies
That blood of heroes never dies . . .*

She then adopted the custom of wearing a red poppy in memory of the sacrifices of war and also as a symbol of keeping the faith. After that, those darned French adopted the custom and took it one step further. So the story goes, Madam Guerin, after returning from the United States, made and sold red poppies to raise money to benefit orphaned children and destitute women in war torn France.

Folks in England, Australia, France, Canada and the good old US of A, still continue this tradition.

From Botanical.com: Red poppies are "Corn Poppies." This plant does not contain opium.

Corn Poppies, *Papaver rhoeas*, however, does contain a mild sedative that has been used since the Romans were tops in the world.

Enjoy the holiday and remember to remember.

Just Jotting...

The building housing *The Citizen* newspaper in Ortonville has its own well. As such, it is checked four times a year by the county and once a year by the state for tadpoles, roe and other swimmy things. A lady named Jeanine with the county environmental department checks the checking.



Jim
Sherman
jim's
jottings

She's probably not allowed to loosen up or expect what are meant to be light comments. Like when we talked recently I said, "You and Dr. Cortez have something in common. Both of you are interested in my water." I guess she didn't know Dr. Cortez is my urologist.

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A survey last week concluded we citizens' opinion of the U. S. Congress has never been lower. We're sick and tired of the bickering, the negativity, the accusations with or without foundation, lack of respect, dignity and kindness and just plain bitterness that prevails there. I know my memory is short, but hasn't it always been that way?

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What's your image of Detroit? What's the image of Detroit in the mind of those who fly into Metro Airport and go into Detroit via I-94? Will that image be changed to, or made more positive when Detroit visitors after next fall go under a bridge being constructed over I-94 near Telegraph Road?

A lot of our taxpayer money, \$12 million of it, is being spent with that single goal in mind. It must just plain thrill the people in Engadine to know some of their money is being spent on Detroit image building for an All-Star baseball game and football game.

We won't even go to Detroit to fly out of, let alone fly into and drive east. But there it is, without a viewing window like St. Louis' arch, without Joe Louis' fist, without a peace sign or click-it or ticket sign. I'll bet before the games begin someone will put a finger on it.

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So I hear this radio commercial for a John Deere tractor with cruise control. Since I own a John Deere tractor I know they are advertising a riding lawn mower-snow thrower-blade tractor.

Why in the world would anyone want cruise control on their tractor? With all the trees, shrubs, curbs, flowers, stones, etc. in a yard it would get as much use as cruise control on a car headed north Friday afternoon on a 2-lane highway.

Knowing you'd want to know the exact model of this accessory for the ridiculous, I called salesman Tom. He said, "Jim, I believe you have cruise control on your tractor."

"You mean that handle sticking out of the fender by my right arm?"

"Yes!"

I am man, therefore I do not have to read instruction books or listen to salesman-chatter while buying anything. The handle looked nice, the tractor did what I wanted, so why wonder about its purpose?

Just for the helluvit I put my tractor on cruise control, and just as I've reasoned, it's a totally unnecessary and useless accessory because of all the obstacles I cited above.

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Still on the lawn-thing, I've used the grass and weed killer Round Up for a few years. Prior to this season the makers said, "Visible symptoms may require a week or more to appear, with burndown usually occurring in 2-4 weeks."

The current Round Up: "Fast acting technology -- results in 24 hours. Weeds yellow and wilt within 24 hours with complete kill in 1 to 2 weeks."

My experience with pre-2005 Round Up was maybe allow 6 weeks for killing. My experience with 2005 fast acting is: For 24 hours it's a fertilizer. After a week, continue mowing. After two weeks, take a vacation and assume when you get back what you wanted dead will be.

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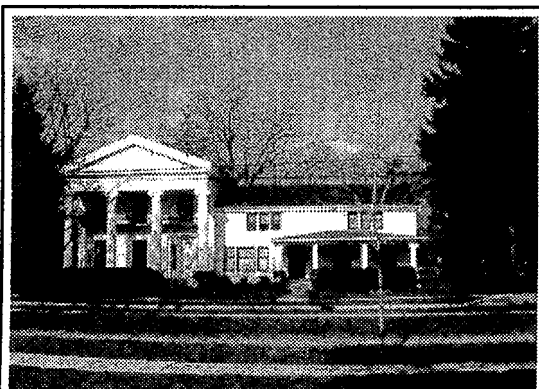
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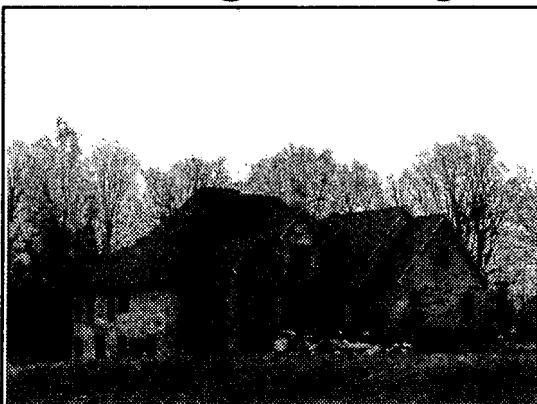
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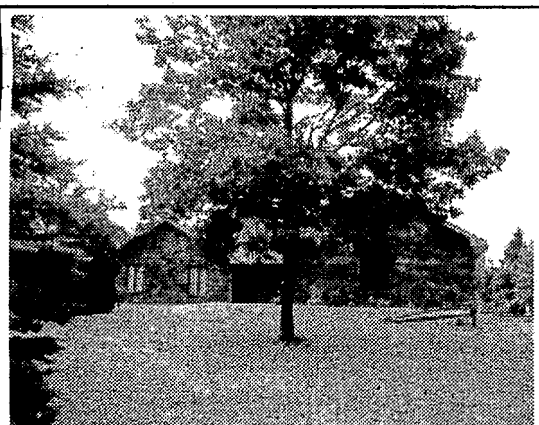
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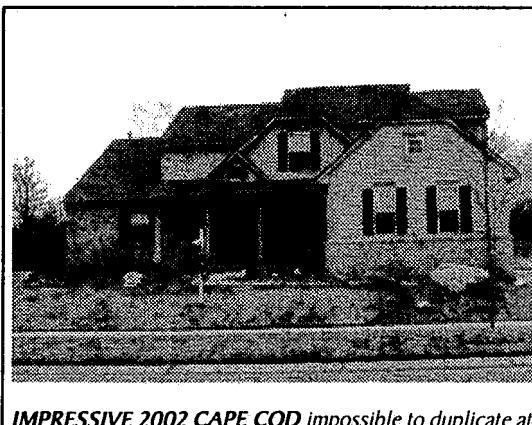
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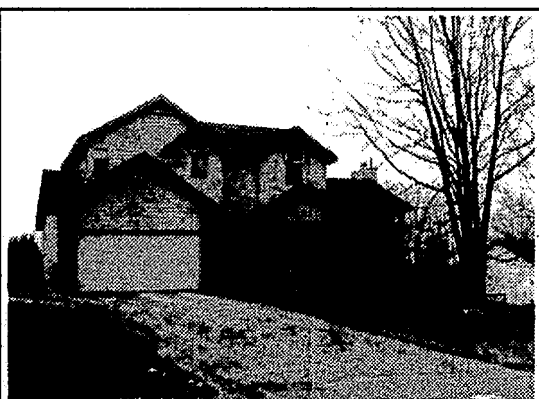
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Police and Fire

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May 16: Two women were given citations for soliciting without a permit on Mockingbird Lane.

A female student reported being harassed by a male student who allegedly threw pennies at her at Clarkston High School.

An unidentified man reportedly walked from Walgreen's on Dixie Highway at the White Lake Rd. intersection. Employees in the back of the store called to the cashier at the front to report that the man had not paid for the beer he was carrying. The cashier asked the man several times to show receipt of purchase, but the man continued walking from the store.

May 17: An identity theft involving several AT&T accounts was reported.

Threats reported on Lorie Dr.

Illegal dumping reported on Dixie Highway at Frank's Nursery. The 38-year-old suspect reportedly acknowledged dumping trash because he could not pay for garbage removal service.

A man reported his wallet stolen from the Deer Lake Athletic Club.

An employee dispute was reported

at Dairy Queen on S. Main St. Both employees wrote an employee report and continued working.

Discharge of firearm to dispose of wounded deer.

A woman reported mysterious injury to her dog that resembled a possible bee-gun wound on N. River St. near Clintonville.

Purse reported stolen from a building in Water Tower Place on Dixie Highway.

May 18: A 30-year-old Detroit man was arrested for carrying a concealed weapon after being pulled over on I-75 south of Clintonville Rd.

A 31-year-old man was reported to receive injuries after jumping out of his friend's pick-up truck after an argument on Clarkston Rd. near the Sashabaw intersection.

A person was ticketed for soliciting without a license on Springmeadow.

Breaking and entering and larceny of a vehicle reported on Lochmoor Court.

A small Derringer pistol was found by an employee in the Clarkston Motor Inn while cleaning.

May 19: Larceny from vehicle on S. Main Street near Washington St. reportedly by a 17-year-old male, who was also suspected of being a minor in pos-

session of intoxicants.

A 46-year-old man was reported for domestic assault on Meadows Drive.

May 20: A 26-year-old man was arrested for his operating while impaired second offense on Dixie Highway near Waterford Drive.

Possible domestic dispute reported on Rattalee Lake Rd. near the Allen intersection.

A 23-year-old man was arrested for domestic assault on Laurelton Rd. near the M-15 intersection.

Two men were issued for soliciting without a license on Oakhurst Lane.

A 22-year-old man was arrested for operating while intoxicated on Main St. near Middle Lake Rd.

Domestic assault reported on Pine Needle Rd.

May 21: A firearm was discharged to dispose of wounded deer on M-15 near Rattalee Lake Rd.

May 22: a 23-year-old male was arrested for operating while intoxicated on Dixie Highway near Pine Ridge Rd.

A firearm was discharged to dispose of wounded deer on Waldon Woods Dr.

A motorist was arrested for operating while intoxicated and possession/use of marijuana.

A fight was reported between two

Springfield Township

May 15: A man reported being physically assaulted while attending a gathering on Walnut Hill Rd.

Embezzlement report from Subway.

May 16: A man was discovered unresponsive by his neighbor at a residence on Hutchinson Rd. He was pronounced dead on the scene.

May 17: A home invasion was reported in a house on Tucker Road while the residents were away on vacation.

A student put a fellow student in a sleeper hold causing the first student to faint at Oakland Technical Center. No charges were filed.

May 18: Reports of burglary and theft from a residence on Rattalee Lake Rd. A BMW was reported missing and possible motorcycle theft was reported.

May 20: A loose calf from 8000 E. Holly Rd caused traffic jams on I-75. The calf was destroyed to prevent further disturbances.

Larceny from vehicle on Broadway near the Andersonville intersection.

May 22: Trespassing reported near the deadend at Woodland Trail.

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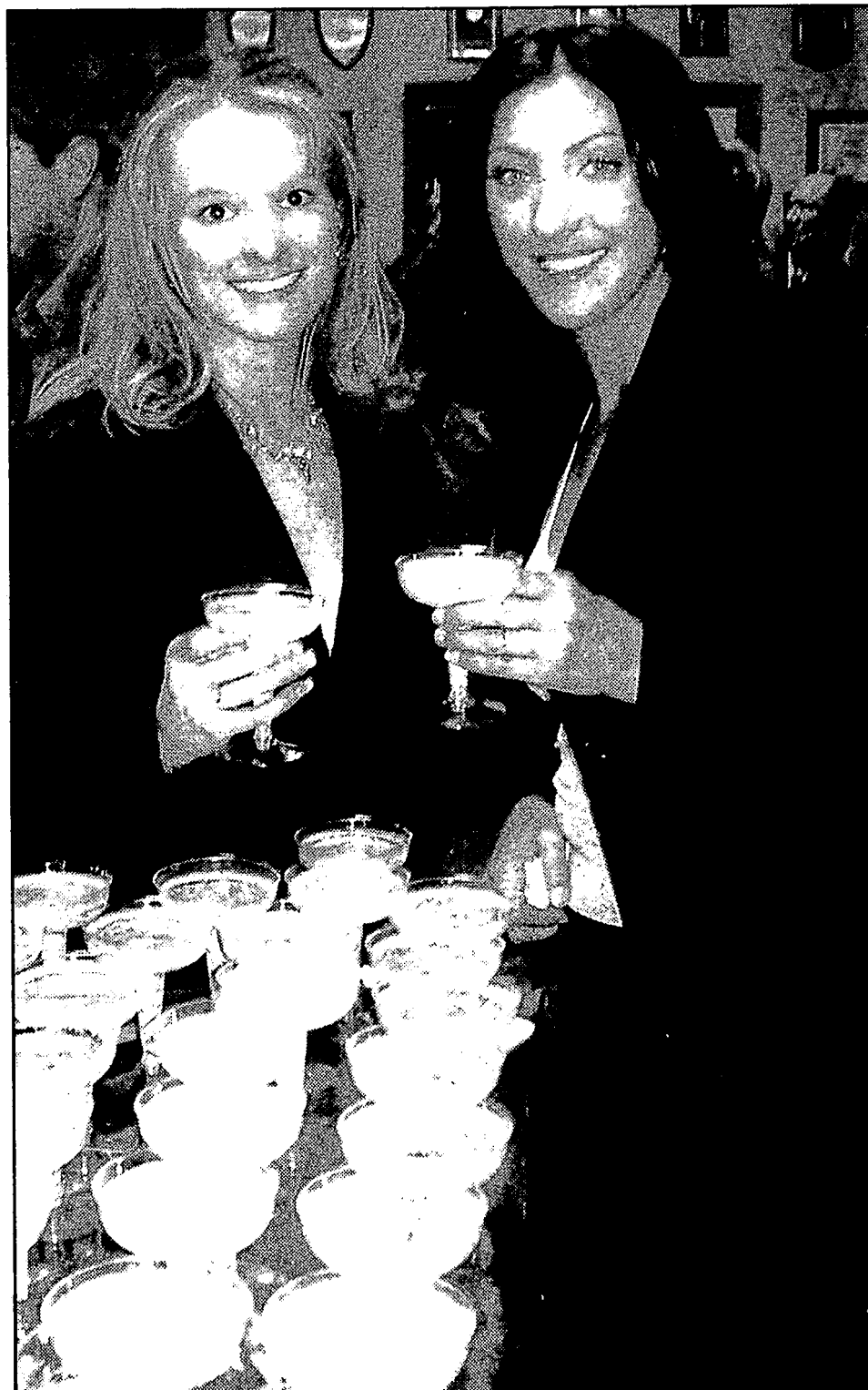
The Clarkston News' Publisher Jim Sherman poses with State Senator Mike Bishop and Michigan Representative John Stakoe while displaying proclamations dedicated to the paper on the floor of the Michigan House of Representatives and Senate. Photo by Noah Purcell



Teri Bendes, event planner and enthusiast with the Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce, is flanked by Clarkston News advertising representatives Debbie Denton and Joy Vander Weel at the open house.



Toasting at The Clarkston News' 75th anniversary party (from left) Clarkston Lions President Brace Case, Independence Township Trustee Larry Rosso and Independence Township Treasurer Jim Wenger. Photo by Don Schelske



The Clarkston News editor, Jenny Matteson, with reporter Christina Ulaj, toast to another 75 years of news, family and friends at the 75th Anniversary party.

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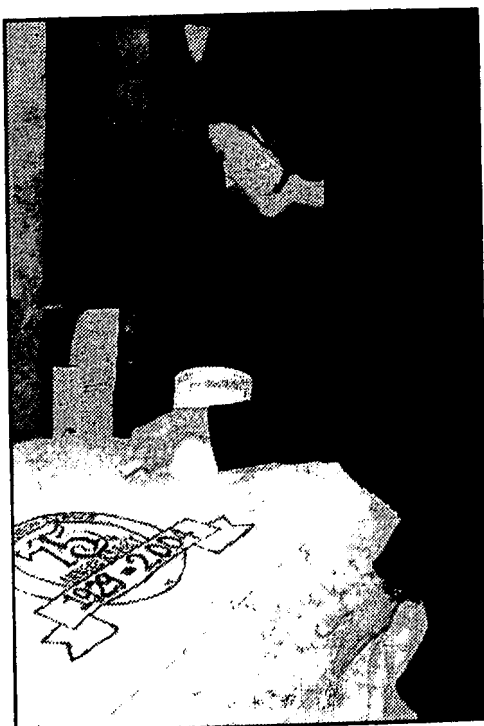
The Carpentier's spent the day with *The Clarkston News* in honor of the 75th Anniversary. The Carpentier's also walked away with a front page souvenir and a couple pressman hats.



Michael Vander Weel and his mother, Joy (an advertising representative for *The Clarkston News*), model their pressman's hats, made from actual newspaper pages. Photo by Don Schelske



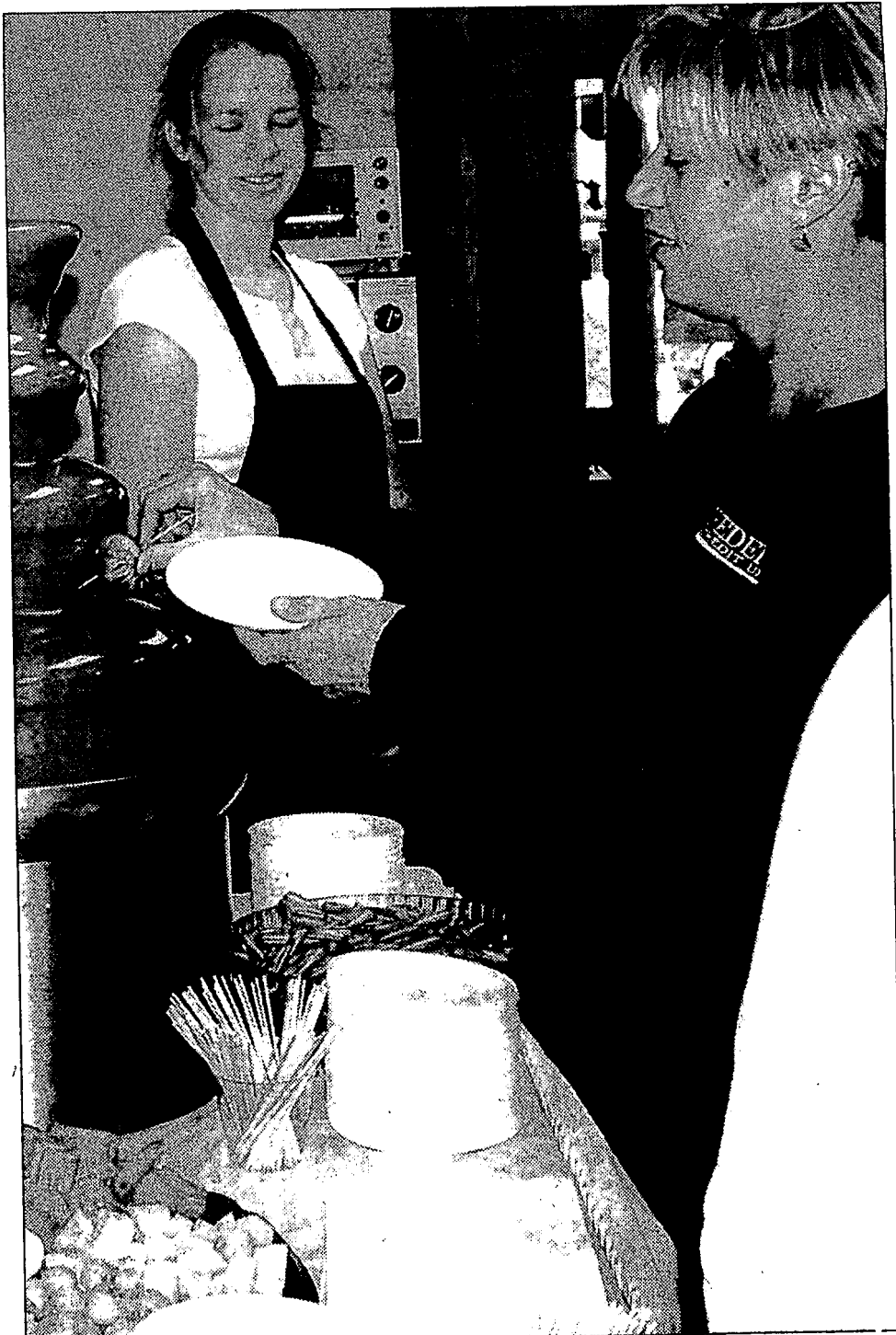
Several Legislators came out to recognize *The Clarkston News* at the 75th anniversary party on May 20. (Left to right) Springfield Township Clerk Nancy Strole, State Senator Mike Bishop, Clarkston City Mayor Sharron Catallo, *The Clarkston News*' publisher Jim Sherman, State Representative John Stakoe, Clarkston City Manager Art Pappas, Independence Township Treasurer Jim Wenger, County Commissioner Tom Middleton and U.S. Senator Mike Rogers' Press Secretary Sylvia Warner.



Reporter Christina Ula cuts the cake at *The Clarkston News* 75th anniversary party. Photo by Noah Purcell



Former editors enjoy looking through past issues of *The Clarkston News* during their visit to the 75th party.



Guests enjoyed dipping pretzels, fruit and cookies into the chocolate fountain from The Chocolate Moose. Photo by Noah Purcell

Students walk to raise money



Clarkston High School students (left to right) Jenna Leach, Kevin Harris and Andrea Scarlett were in charge of getting the word out for the St. Jude's Walkathon based in Depot Park on May 21. The event, which was put on by the CHS student council, raised \$1,400 to help cancer research. "We felt it was a really good cause and we felt we could help," said Dani Angell, who helped set up the event for the CHS student council. Sponsors included Lewis E. Wint & Sons TRUST 100 Funeral Home; Eagle Graphics and Publishing; Dr. Tack and Dr. Nanney; Sam's Club donated a gift card for the purchase of bottled water; and Kroger donated some water as well. Photo by Noah Purcell

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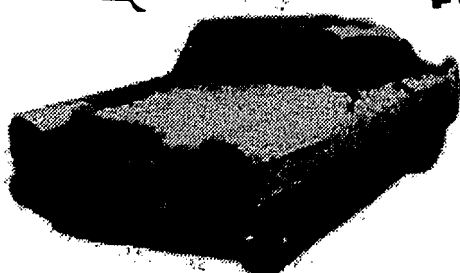
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Springfield Fire Department continues water source search

BY JAMES MARTINEZ
Clarkston News Staff Writer

The Springfield Township Fire Department is having difficulty locating dry hydrant water sources.

In the past there was much more waterfront footage available for the department to use, Fire Chief Oaks said, but development over the last few decades has filled previously used spots where trucks would pull up to pump water.

"People do not want you digging a ditch through their yard, and you have to check it once in awhile. Most people don't want that. I can't blame them," commented Oaks.

This creates a problem because most of the hydrants are private systems. Springfield Township lacks a public water system.

Many recent searches for dry hydrant locations have run into problems in the remaining accessible areas.

"It's hard to put a dry hydrant every five miles, first you have to have the water to put it in," Oaks acknowledged.

A dry hydrant needs water at least five feet deep in order to avoid the muck near the bottom. The depth level is also extremely important in winter, a time when the largest amount of major house fires occur. The fire department must be able to dig past the freeze line, which if conditions are difficult, can cost valuable time in setting up the dry hydrant source.

A dry hydrant system consists of an eight inch pipe that comes from a lake, pond or tank from which a pump truck can pull water out. The pipe remains empty until the truck arrives to pump the water.

Currently, if water is needed in an area that lacks the proper dry hydrant, a call is placed to a mutual aid tanker from a neighboring department who provides the necessary water.

Other potential sources are created when development comes and a particular business has its own private source. These sources can often be used for public use. Newly constructed neighborhoods also sometimes put in a retention creek which can be used as a dry hydrant.

The search will continue as the department looks to improve the situation while working with the Springfield Township Board.

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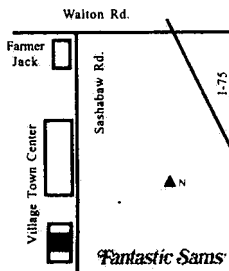
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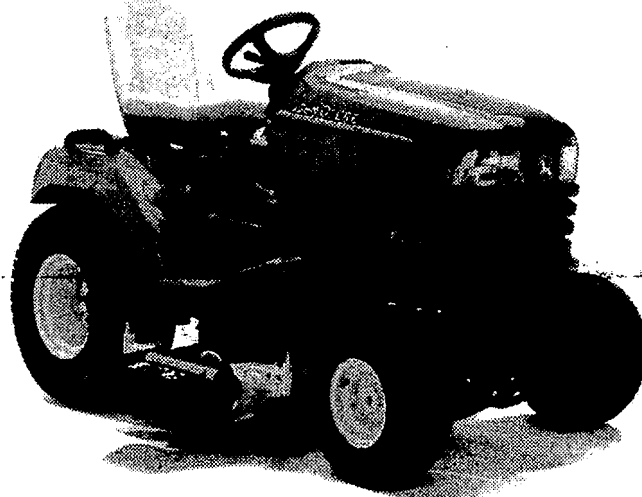
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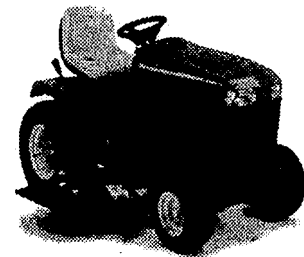
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Funeral home concept gets narrow approval

BY DON SCHELSKE
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Developers of a proposed funeral home in Springfield Township have the green light to proceed, but it is a very light shade of green.

A motion at the May 12 township board meeting had a long list of conditions, and passed by a 4-3 vote.

The issue concerns a 4.2-acre parcel on the southwest side of Dixie Highway near Softwater Lake. Marcie Harrington of Clarkston proposes to build a funeral home at the site, with a possible 6,720-square-foot office building in the future.

Trustees previously tabled the issue to allow the petitioner to revise plans

based on concerns voiced at an April 14 public hearing. The hearing was required because of the special land use and because the property is in the Dixie Highway "overlay" zoning district.

On May 12, builder Chris Hertz and engineer Jim Scharl explained several revisions to the plan, but the board said the verbal explanation was not matched with adequate revisions on the written plan.

Hertz outlined several revised plans, including the relocation of the funeral home's footprint an additional 10 feet back from the roadway, the reduction in parking spaces from 96 to 66 to allow for better "stacking" of cars in funeral processions, and a berm and additional screen-

ing from an adjacent residential area.

Several board members noted revisions on a site plan drawing were not accompanied by revisions in the written "narrative," and some said the plan still lacked needed detail.

"You must get enough detail for us to determine that special land use items have been taken care of. I don't think we have it," said Supervisor Collin Walls. "The fact that the narrative didn't even get changed made it difficult to prepare for this evening's meeting."

"I realize this is a concept, but I was looking for something beyond the basic," Clerk Nancy Strole said, noting lack of details for a patio area behind the funeral home and inadequate

screening from the adjacent property. "To me, screening is critical."

Trustee David Hopper said the lighting plan had not been revised since the last meeting.

"I don't know if it meets the ordinance," Hopper said.

In addition to screening and parking, board members asked for more detail concerning the plan's two "community features" required by the Dixie Highway overlay district zoning to enhance pedestrian traffic. The petitioner proposed a seating area in front of the funeral home just off the required safety path and the patio area to the rear of the funeral home.

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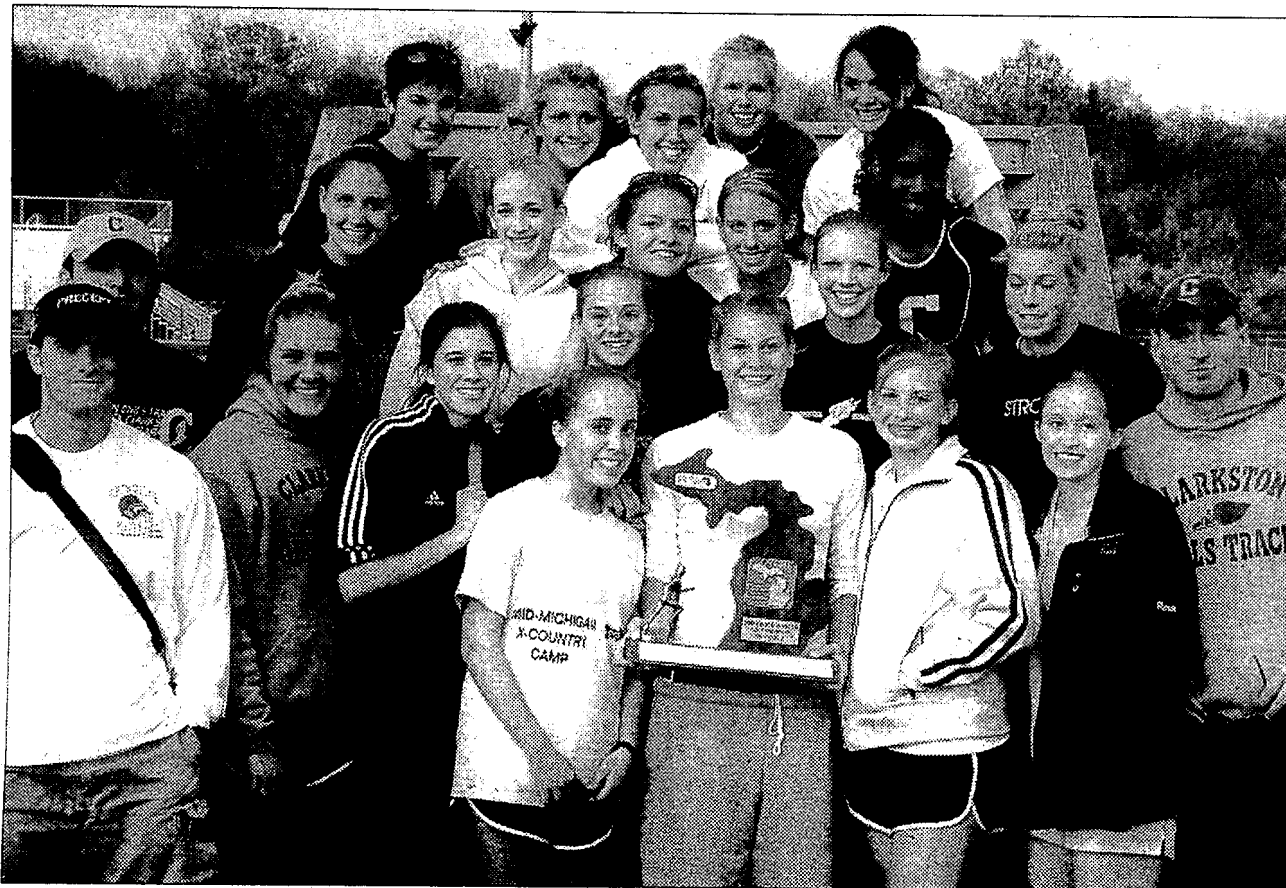
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Clarkston News Sports

Girls track regains regional crown from Grand Blanc



The girls track team took back the regional title from Grand Blanc on May 20. Photos by Noah Purcell

Fractions of a second cost several boys a trip to Rockford

BY NOAH PURCELL

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Jenny Morgan's personal record in the 1600 was eclipsed by Grand Blanc's Geena Gall's 4:45.50, but the Clarkston runner did some overshadowing of her own in the 3200 at the regional meet on May 20.

Morgan's feet seemed unburdened by mortal constraints as she smoothly carved around the Holly High School track to finish in 10:33.70, nearly eight seconds and three fourths of a track ahead of her closest competition — helping Clarkston capture their second regional title in three years.

"I love the two mile, I'm glad that I got in a good time," said Morgan. "Team wise we had a really good effort. It's really exciting to be a part of this team."

Clarkston won the meet with 126 points, Grand Blanc

was second with 100 points, followed by Lake Orion with 78.

While Morgan and her fellow distance runners are the core of the program, Clarkston's victory was assured by some unexpected victories in the field events from freshman Stephanie Thorstad in the long jump (15'10.5") and freshman Taylor Rademacher in the high jump (5'02").

"It was a total team effort," said Clarkston Coach John Yorke. "We came out of the field events a lot farther along than we thought we'd be."

Aside from Morgan, Thorstad and Rademacher, the Wolves will be represented quite well at the state meet in Rockford on June 4.

Please see Regionals on page 17A



Jenny Morgan set a blistering pace in the 3,200. She finished first with a time of 10:33.70.



Athlete of the Week — Dan Osterhage

The Athlete of the Week is varsity tennis captain, senior Dan Osterhage. Osterhage and his partner Zach McDonald beat their heavily favored counterparts from Brother Rice in straight sets, 6-1, 6-1, in the number three doubles flight in the first round of the Regional tournament on May 20.

Coach Chaz Claus felt Osterhage was worthy of the Athlete of the Week distinction due to his actions in practice and off the court.

"I always try to make my teammates feel accustomed to the team and make sure they fit in," said Osterhage. "We've grown a lot as a team. A lot of other teams don't have what we have. Our team's skill level has increased a ton."

Osterhage first started playing tennis as a sopho-

more when Claus, his history teacher and then junior varsity coach, enticed him into joining the program.

"I'm not really that skilled at tennis. (I get by) on athleticism to make plays," said Osterhage.

Aside from tennis, Dan also played on the varsity soccer team at CHS.

Next year, Osterhage plans on leaving Clarkston, where he has lived with his parents Bob and Cindy for the past eight years, to attend school at the University of DePaul of Indiana. Currently his GPA stands at 3.58 and he plans to study history or political science in college.

In his spare time, Dan enjoys seeing movies, playing Halo and chess.

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Regionals

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The 3,200 relay team of junior Lyndsay Smith, senior Gillian Nordquist, junior Lisa Sickman and junior Beth Hoekstra finished in first place with a time of 9:35.90. Senior Stephanie Parkin led a long list of Wolves who also qualified for the state finals, with second place showings in the 100 hurdles (15:00), long jump (15'9.5") and the 1600 relay (4:07.40) with senior Liz Mengyan, Smith and Morgan.

Morgan (4:51.7), Mengyan (5:01) and Sickman (5:14.40) qualified for states in the 1,600, and Nordquist (11:30.20) and senior Anne Oltman (11:34.60) qualified in the 3200.

The boys side of the track did not hold the same success for Clarkston.

"Tenths of a second made a big difference to us," said Clarkston Coach Walt Wyniemko.

In the 200, junior Gregg Knappe finished in third place with a time of 23.00 – five-tenths of a second slow for a state qualifying time. Junior Nick followed just behind Knappe with a time of 23.10.

Knappe also finished one-tenth too slow to qualify in the 100 with a time of 11.2. Junior Brad Gale also missed making the cut to states with 15.4 in the 110 hurdles, four-tenths of a second too slow. Gale also finished sixth in the 300 hurdles. Senior Jake Meissnest finished sixth in shot put.

"We accomplished our goals of running hard, enjoying competing and improving over the course of the season," said Wyniemko.

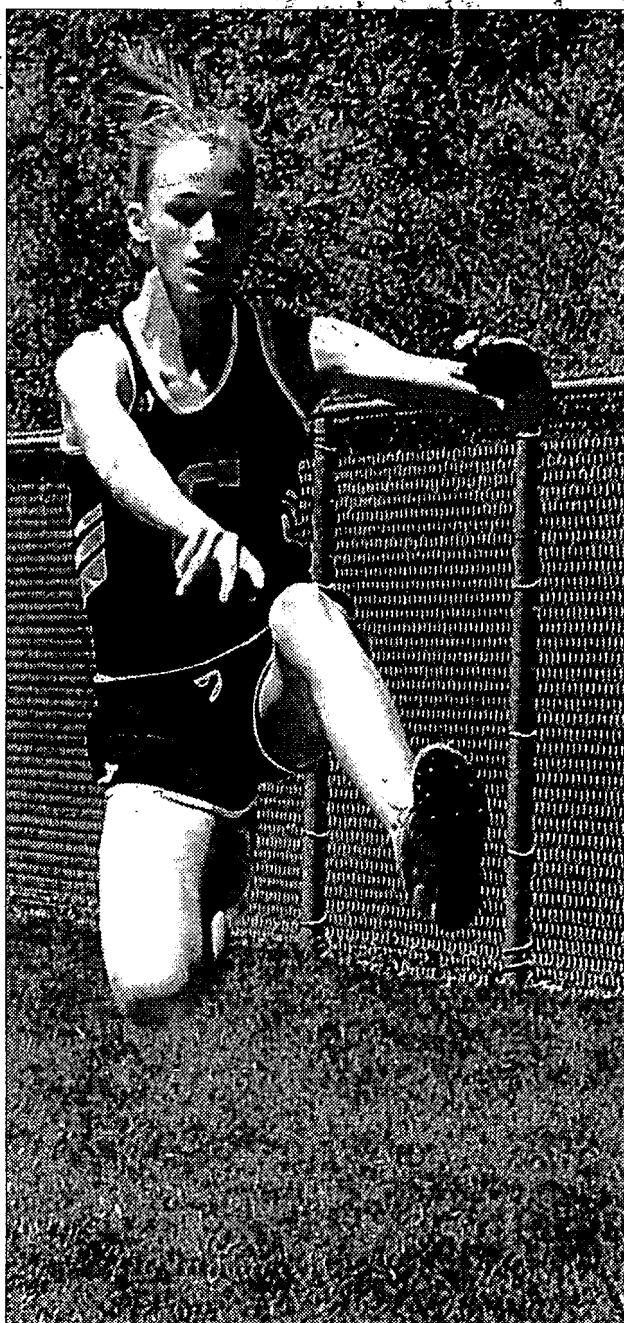
Next up for both track teams is the league meet on May 24, which finished too late for this edition of *The Clarkston News*. Both teams will run in the county meet on May 27, which will also serve as the girls team's final tuneup before the state finals.

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Jake Meissnest finished sixth in the region with a shotput throw of 45'05.5". Photos by Noah Purcell



Stephanie Thorstad took first in the long jump at regionals, helping Clarkston capture the title.

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Work exercise into your routine on the road

By Ernie Harwell

If you travel a lot for work, like I did for so many years, it can be difficult to maintain healthy habits. The secret is to watch what you eat and drink and to develop a routine that includes some exercise and to follow it religiously.

When I was traveling with the Tigers, I had a routine of waking up at 7 a.m., eating a light breakfast and then walking for about 45 minutes to an hour. For many of those years, I was joined by Tiger manager Sparky Anderson. Afterwards, I'd relax a bit, do some work, have a light lunch and then go to the ballpark.

If you spend a lot of time traveling, try developing a routine of getting out for a walk or a light jog in the morning. It's a great way start the day, get some exercise and take in the sights wherever you are. And please remember to take care of your health before it's longgggg gone!

Ernie Harwell, "the voice of the Detroit Tigers" for more than four decades, retired after 55 years behind a major league microphone. Today, at age 86, Ernie's days are filled with serving as a health and fitness advocate for Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan and Blue Care Network, public appearances, writing, traveling and taking long walks with "Miss Lulu," his wife of more than 60 years. His latest book, a collection of his baseball columns titled "Life After Baseball," is available at local bookstores or by calling 1-800-245-5082.

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Tennis will maintain depth, needs ace for next season



Clarkston tennis will lose senior Paul Chun (right) to graduation, but sophomore Brett McMillen will be back. The No. 2 doubles tandem beat a heavily favored Brother Rice duo in the opening round of the regional tournament on May 20. Photo by Noah Purcell

BY NOAH PURCELL

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Coming into the regional tournament, Clarkston's tennis team did not have the talent to win, but the Wolves made sure they were relevant by the end of the day.

Two Clarkston upsets of Brother Rice doubles in the second and third doubles flights allowed West Bloomfield to take the regional crown with a score of 28 points.

"(West Bloomfield and Brother Rice) are strong programs year in and year out. They are the cream of the crop and that's what we are working towards," said Clarkston Coach Chaz Claus.

Clarkston's best win of the day came in the third doubles flight courtesy of senior Dan Osterhage and junior Zach McDonald, who posted a 6-1, 6-1 victory over their counterparts from Brother Rice.

"Realistically, the three doubles settled (the regional). We kind of put Rice on the ropes," said Claus.

Senior Paul Chun and sophomore Brett McMillen worked harder in the second double flight, but managed a come from behind victory against Rice in three

sets.

Also picking up wins to help Clarkston tie for fourth place with 10 points were No. 1 single senior Amit Surapaneni and No. 3 single Eric Maesch.

With the conclusion of the regional tournament, and the wolves missing the cut for states, the season is over, but Claus feels it was a success — especially in terms of the future of the program.

"We'll be as deep next year as we were this year," said Claus, who could return ten players from this year's team.

This season saw a marked improvement in the Wolves record as they leapt up from a 1-7 mark a year ago to 4-4-1 this year.

One thing the Wolves will be lacking is a solid No. 1 singles player, something they are losing in Surapaneni.

"(Surapaneni) might not have been able to hang with the elite players, but he knew what to do on the court. He needed very little coaching and he won a lot of matches for us," said Claus. "As we sit right now, I don't think we have a true No. 1 singles player. We're going to have to see in the off season who works hard and develops."

Wolves hope losses now will become wins later

BY NOAH PURCELL

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Even the darkest night gives rise to a brighter day.

A true statement when looking at either the Clarkston softball team's last week of play or the team's outlook on the future.

"You have to make the routine plays and we sometimes make the routine plays spectacular — or better yet, we don't make them at all," said Clarkston Coach Don Peters.

Clarkston began the week on a high note as the Wolves split a double header at Troy Athens on May 18. Megan Sperry was the winning pitcher in a 4-3 first game victory. But the Wolves could not sweep the Lakers as they lost the next game 5-4.

The road was no easier on the wayward Wolves as Lake Orion played the role of the poor host, winning both games of a doubleheader on May 20, 8-0 and 7-1.

The Dragons, ranked No. 8 in the state by the coaches association, sunk the Wolves into a funk which carried over to the first day of play at the Madonna tournament on May 21 and 22.

Clarkston was defeated by Marion, 6-1; Northville, 10-1; and eventual tournament champion Belleville, 3-0 on May 21.

"(Losing is) a growing process for the coach as well. It reenergizes you because you have to work with the girls on things like fundamentals," said Peters.

The second day of the tournament carried a bit of redemption for the Wolves as Clarkston beat Groves, 7-2; and West Bloomfield, 5-4. Sperry picked up the win against West Bloomfield and Shana Horn was on the hill for the victory against Groves. Sarah Burger notched saves in both Clarkston wins.

The Wolves will have to go the rest of the way without the services of Kaitlyn Williams, Lindsay Upchurch and Jenna Beno due to various maladies.

"It'll be interesting to see what a couple of kids from JV can do for us," said Peters.

Peters does think the experience and amount of games played, paired with work during the summer, will serve the Wolves well next year, as the team will not graduate any players.

In an attempt to get as much competition in as possible, Clarkston scheduled a doubleheader against Goodrich on May 24, which finished too late for this edition of *The Clarkston News*.

To close the regular season, Clarkston will host a doubleheader against North Farmington on May 25.

Clarkston host districts this year, which due to a smaller than normal field, will start on June 4.

The Wolves play Waterford Mott at 10:30 a.m. on June 4. Clarkston's original first round opponent, Pontiac Central, was exiled from post-season play by the MH-SAA after not turning in their officials rating sheets for the past two years.

Duffers seek bountiful harvest next year

BY NOAH PURCELL

Clarkston News Sports Writer

At the beginning of the season, Clarkston golf Coach Larry Sherrill was not really sure what he had this year.

"I said at the beginning of the year it was going to be a learning year — and we learned a lot this year," said Sherrill.

The Wolves lost four seniors from a team which finished 11th in the state last year. While Clarkston's season is over, Sherrill is pleased with their sixth place finish in a regional draw of 16 in Traverse City on May 23, and is optimistic in regard to the future.

"We talked a lot about (next year) before we left Traverse City. I think we are going to be a very good team next year," said Sherrill.

While the Wolves will be losing seniors Lyndsey Kitson and Lauren Moore, most of the pieces will be back next year, including centerpiece junior Jackie Schram, who led the Wolves in Traverse City with a score of 84.

Sherrill was impressed all season with the way Schram helped her teammates on the course — aiding others in both the technical and mental side of the game.

Minjoo Lee, who shot a 106 at the regionals, and Lu Kuhta, who walked off the 18th hole with a 111, will both return next year. Sherrill hopes that with the right summer training both girls will continue their steady improvement.

While summer training will not follow a rigid pre season schedule along the lines of football, Sherrill has a long list of tournaments and other events the girls can enter to further hone their craft over the recess.

"The more 18-hole tournaments they play, the better they become," said Sherrill. "They know what it takes to be good."

Another bright star on the horizon for the Wolves is the JV team's undefeated record this past year. Sherrill expects that some players making the jump from the JV to varsity could offset the team's losses.

Kickers waiting for their lucky bounce

BY NOAH PURCELL

Clarkston News Sports Writer

In a season where most bounces have not gone their way, the Clarkston soccer team refuses to simply play out the string before the long summer vacation. The Wolves still have teeth and Clarkston Coach Annette Richardson hopes her team will start brandishing them soon.

"Our record (4-6-5) doesn't show how good we have played this year," said Richardson. "(We) are not having a bad season. (We've) just had some bad luck."

Of Clarkston's six losses on the year, five have been by one goal.

On May 19, the Wolves were back on the winning side of the ball for the first time in seven games, beating Seaholm 1-0 behind goalkeeper Emily Pierce's fourth shutout of the season. Lauren Smith scored the game winner for Clarkston.

No sooner had the Wolves captured a small amount of wind in their sails then OAA division II power Stoney Creek blew into town on May 20 beating Clarkston by

a score of 5-0.

The loss to Stoney Creek also marked the final time the soccer team will play at the soccer stadium at Clarkston Middle School as the varsity program will play at the newly synthetic upholstered CHS stadium next year. The game also held special significance as it was senior night.

Richardson felt that the contributions from seniors Taylor Hosner, Amanda Henderson, Emily Munchiando, Jenna Przybycien, Lauren Smith and Amanda Leach will be hard to match next year.

"They will be really missed. They are all hard workers," said Richardson.

The Wolves' games against Grand Blanc on May 23 and Dondero on May 24 finished too late for this edition of *The Clarkston News*.

"Two wins going into districts would be great," said Richardson.

Clarkston opens districts on May 31 at Davison. Should the Wolves advance, they would face Carman Ainsworth at Grand Blanc on June 2.

Clarkston soccer loves the kids



Emily Raun takes aim at the goal on Youth Soccer Appreciation Night on May 16 during halftime of the Clarkston varsity soccer game against Avondale. Some 60 kids took shots on goal during halftime of the varsity and junior varsity games. All received free hot dogs for their efforts. Photo by Noah Purcell

When the gods go bowling, Clarkston's bats are silent

BY NOAH PURCELL
Clarkston News Sports Writer

Perhaps some terrible cataclysmic event will take place if the Farmington and Clarkston baseball teams meet this year – because Mother Nature has been showing the two teams a bad turn.

"The pride factor is still there. (Farmington is) in first place and we'd like to beat them," said Clarkston Coach Phil Price.

The first game between Farmington and Clarkston, originally scheduled for April 27, was snowed out and the double header scheduled on May 23 was rained out.

The Wolves were hoping to catch the OAA division I leading Falcons at the right time, as on May 21 Clarkston had just won the Manuel tournament.

"Playing Oxford in the first game, we gave up a run in the first inning and I was like 'Here we go again,'" said Price, speaking to his team's penchant for allowing big innings. "But our kids responded and put up eight runs in the bottom of the inning."

After reeling off eight runs in the bottom of the first, Clarkston coasted to a 12-2 victory against Oxford in the first game of the Manuel tournament. Steve McIsaacs got the win on the hill, pitching four innings while striking out five and allowing zero earned runs.

While Clarkston only had seven hits in the contest, they managed to consistently stuff the bases by drawing 10 walks. Mike Kittle, hitting from the leadoff spot, went 1/1 with three runs scored and a pair of stolen bases. Eric Ogg and J.J. Lange also stood out against Oxford as each went 1/2 with a double.

In the tournament final, Brandon proved no match for the Wolves as Clarkston prevailed 13-1. Josh Hall struck out seven and allowed zero earned runs over five innings pitched for the win. Eric Bryan was the man at the dish going 2/3 with two doubles and three RBI's. Steve McIsaac also carried a big stick going 3/3.

Clarkston's dominant play over the weekend was refreshing as the Wolves came in licking their wounds from a three game losing streak. The Wolves 8-0 loss to Lake Orion on May 16 was a harbinger to a fruitless doubleheader against West Bloomfield on May 18.

"We didn't have a lot of fight in us (against West Bloomfield)," said Price.

In the first game, the lone bright spot for Clarkston came on Ogg's two-run homer late in the game. In the second game, the Lakers swamped the Wolves defense with runs, winning 14-2 in six innings.

"Too many of our games, we are either getting mercied or mercying someone," said Price.

Clarkston has a smattering of games before district play opens. The Wolves doubleheader against Waterford Kettering on May 24 finished too late for this edition of *The Clarkston News*.

To close the season Clarkston will make up their oft-rescheduled meetings with Farmington. The doubleheader has been rescheduled for May 25 at CHS.

Clarkston is hosting districts and play will open on May 31 against Pontiac Central. The winner of the Clarkston-Central game will move on to face Waterford Kettering on June 4 at 10 a.m.

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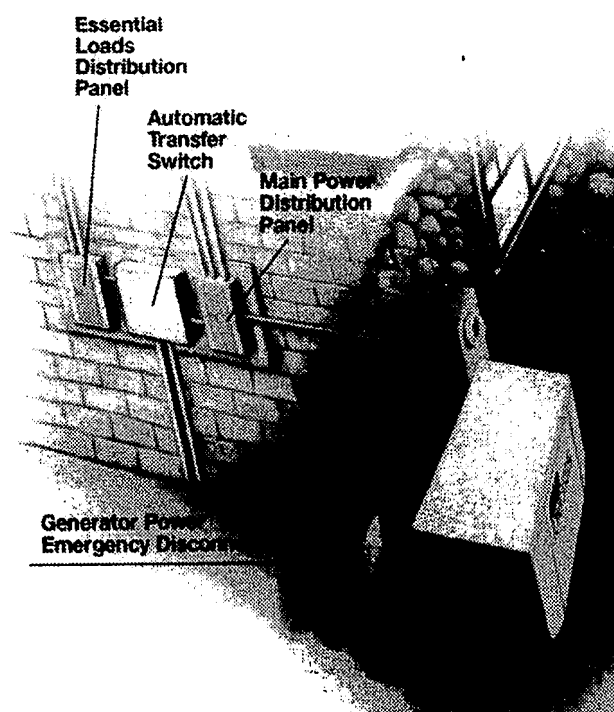
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Scamp

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In a seating area of the main level of the house, an original oil by Curd Heyden hangs over a fireplace and adds to the English hunt theme. Adjacent to this is a "pub," which is surrounded by cherry crown moldings. Neighboring the pub is a wine cellar with a barrel ceiling made of oak flooring.

At 52 South Holcomb, the **Joyce Little House** is owned by Joyce Little and was built circa 1880. The house is a treasure trove of sentimental objects.

An antique-filled living room with Royal Dulton and Hummel figurines, as well as other pieces from loved ones, provides a warm and nostalgic setting. Many of the rooms have their own unique pieces, like the treasured lamp once owned by Little's aunt.

Little's favorite room, the kitchen, houses a large fireplace and small seating area that provide a back view of downtown Clarkston. Adding a beadboard backsplash, a chic lamp over the sink and a coat of vanilla-colored paint have brightened up the kitchen dramatically. The butcher-block countertop, however, is thought to have been built with the kitchen years ago.

The **Swayne House** at 109 Wompole Drive is owned by Tom and Lynne Swayne. A flowery feel flows through the house and is based from themes Lynne Swayne saw in photos believed to have been shot in 1926.

The kitchen looks new with its polyurethane oak cupboards. Lynne Swayne gave a fresh look by sanding, priming, painting and waxing them herself. The Franciscan Desert Rose plates that hang in the cubby are the same pattern her grandmother had.

The living room reflects the flower motif with floral wallpaper and sofas. An antique baroque mirror with beveled glass and lamp over the dining room table add to the amazing attempt to reenact the old photos.

Once known as a birthing house, the **Wilson House** at 18 North Holcomb, built in 1906, is owned by Greg and Amy Wilson.

The Wilson's have worked at keeping the history of the home alive. Their bedroom wall contains a seam

that marks where the recovery rooms were once divided. The bathroom doorway was also kept narrow to recreate the feel of the original passageway between the delivery and recovery rooms.

The tour weekend begins June 4 in the evening with the Patron's Showcase Night, which includes a tour of all homes followed by champagne and hors d'oeuvres reception at Oakhurst Golf and Country Club. The evening requires reservations in advance. The cost is \$150 Platinum Patron, \$125 Gold Patron or \$85 Silver Patron.

On June 5, tours begin in the afternoon and include refreshments. Reservations are recommended. Tickets are available for \$22 in advance or \$25 dollars at the door. Seniors also can pay \$22. Red Hat member groups of 10 or more will receive a special price of \$20 if tickets are purchased in advance.

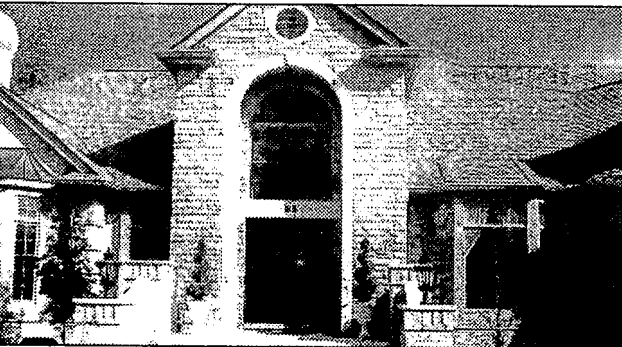
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open house

• Heaven Scent Catering grilled and served great hot dogs on Saturday.

• Dollar Warehouse and Party Rental provided tables and chairs for Saturday's open house.

• Amy's Cakes in Waterford supplied our 75th anniversary cake, complete with our anniversary logo (and deserves special thanks for last-minute "repair" made necessary by our area's wonderful traffic).

• The Clarkston Department of Public Works supplied barricades to help us reserve space in our parking lot for the Saturday open house.

We also have special thanks for contributions to our 75th anniversary special section in last week's edition:

• David Savage of David Savage Photography loaned computer images from a collection of old photographs held by the Clarkston Community Historical Society.

• Connie Lektzian-Scafe loaned photographs from her personal collection and study of Clarkston history.

• The Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce conducted research into some of the community's historic businesses.

• Anita Banach, director of marketing and communications for Clarkston Community Schools, helped with historic school information.

• Former *Clarkston News* editor Maralee Cook shared reflections on how technology changed the way editors put together the paper each week.

• Former *Clarkston News* sports writer Mel Vaara pulled from his own experience and memories to give a detailed history of Clarkston school sports.

• Independence and Springfield Township senior citizens offered their personal remembrances of Clarkston "back when."

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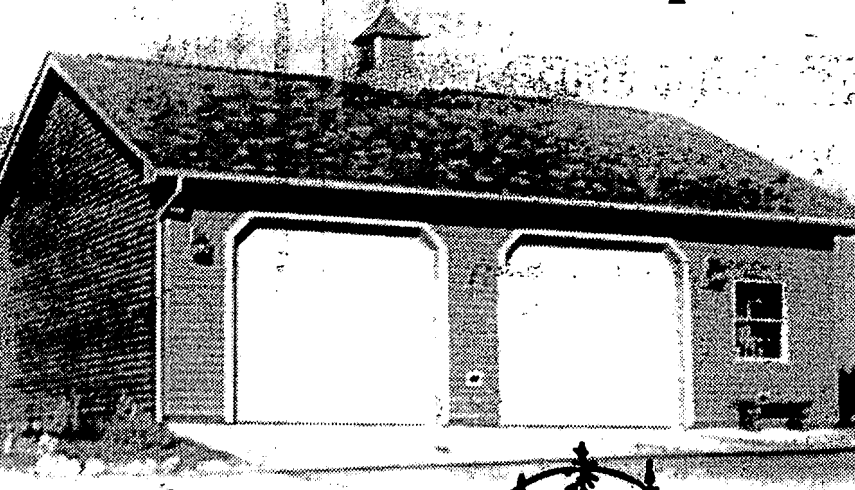
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Walls expressed doubt that the rear patio would qualify as a "community" feature.

Scharl, noting the need to go to the planning commission for additional approvals, protested the board's detailed questioning.

"I was under the impression we were here for a special use permit," Scharl said. "I'm sitting here like this is a

site plan review."

Walls said he understood the objection, but said board members are entitled to offer "opinions" on the proposal.

"You haven't met the first basic test yet of what's required in the Dixie Highway overlay district with what's presented," Walls said.

With a consensus that many details were lacking, board members debated whether to again table the request or to pass a "detailed" conditional approval.

Walls offered the motion to approve

the special use permit, with the wording that the submitted plans "do not currently, but could" meet the township ordinance.

The motion included seven detailed conditions dealing with issues such as screening, parking, lighting, the "community features" and relocation of overhead utility lines.

Even though he made the motion,

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Walls joined Strole and Trustee Roger Lamont in voting against the motion.

Trustee Marc Cooper summed up the feelings of the four who voted yes.

"We need to give them a chance," Cooper said. "If we're going to approve it when they make these changes, at least they can keep going forward so they're not losing another month."

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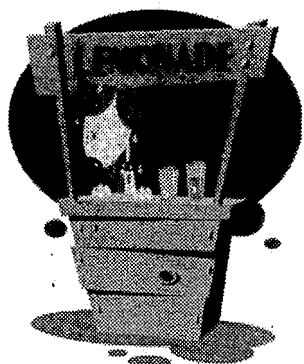


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It would be appropriate to dot the "i" in Clarkston, except there is no "i" in Clarkston. There are two "i"s in Michigan State.

Jim Sherman once told me he couldn't afford to pay me for writing for the News, even though I had

offered to do so for no charge. Maybe I should have asked for a higher salary. Jim needs more golf, more than four times per week.

Thanks for all the space you provided for my letters during the past year. I got a lot of feedback on them from the man on the street. Some day, I may even hear from Buckeyes if they should happen to learn to read.

Just imagine... your staff will be bumping up against 50 when the 100th Anniversary is celebrated.

Will you ever convert to Spartan or a Wolverine? Good luck to Don Schelske, who will now be much closer to home. His quality writing will be missed.

You missed the poem on the north wall of the donut shop on Main Street. It's a gem.

Thought of the day: If you borrow money today, do it from a pessimist. They won't expect to be paid back.

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Harry Knitter
Independence Township

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Intentional Retake

People Poll

Where do you see Clarkston in 75 years?



"Middle of a bigger more populated area."
—Sandra Havens
Clarkston



"Pretty much the same, more stores maybe. Clarkston is pretty far behind."
—Craig Miller
Clarkston



"A lot larger, expanded downtown, more shopping."
—John Schindler
(with Haley and Noah)
Clarkston



"Hopefully still a small town community, not too overgrown. We like the small town feel."
—Julie Nickoley
(with Anna)
Clarkston

By Laura Weiner

The Clarkston News' Millstream

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

Honoring those who make Clarkston great

BY JENNY MATTESON
Clarkston News Editor

"We are gathered here today to honor those individuals that elevate the Clarkston community and make it the great place it is to live. Simply, this is what Clarkston is all about." — Luc Poirier, Awards Committee Chairman.

Representatives from throughout the Clarkston area gathered on May 18 to honor those who "make Clarkston, Clarkston" at the 20th Annual Community Awards. The awards were a part of the 2005 Michigan Week celebrations.

The Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce hosted the event, which was sponsored by Oxford Bank.

The awards breakfast kicked off at 8 a.m. with a breakfast buffet by Liberty Golf and Banquet.

The Community Awards Program is "designed to honor individuals, groups and businesses in the Clarkston Area who have given their time, energy and talents to better the community in which everyone lives, works, worships and attends school."

Nominations were accepted in seven different categories. Congratulations to the following:

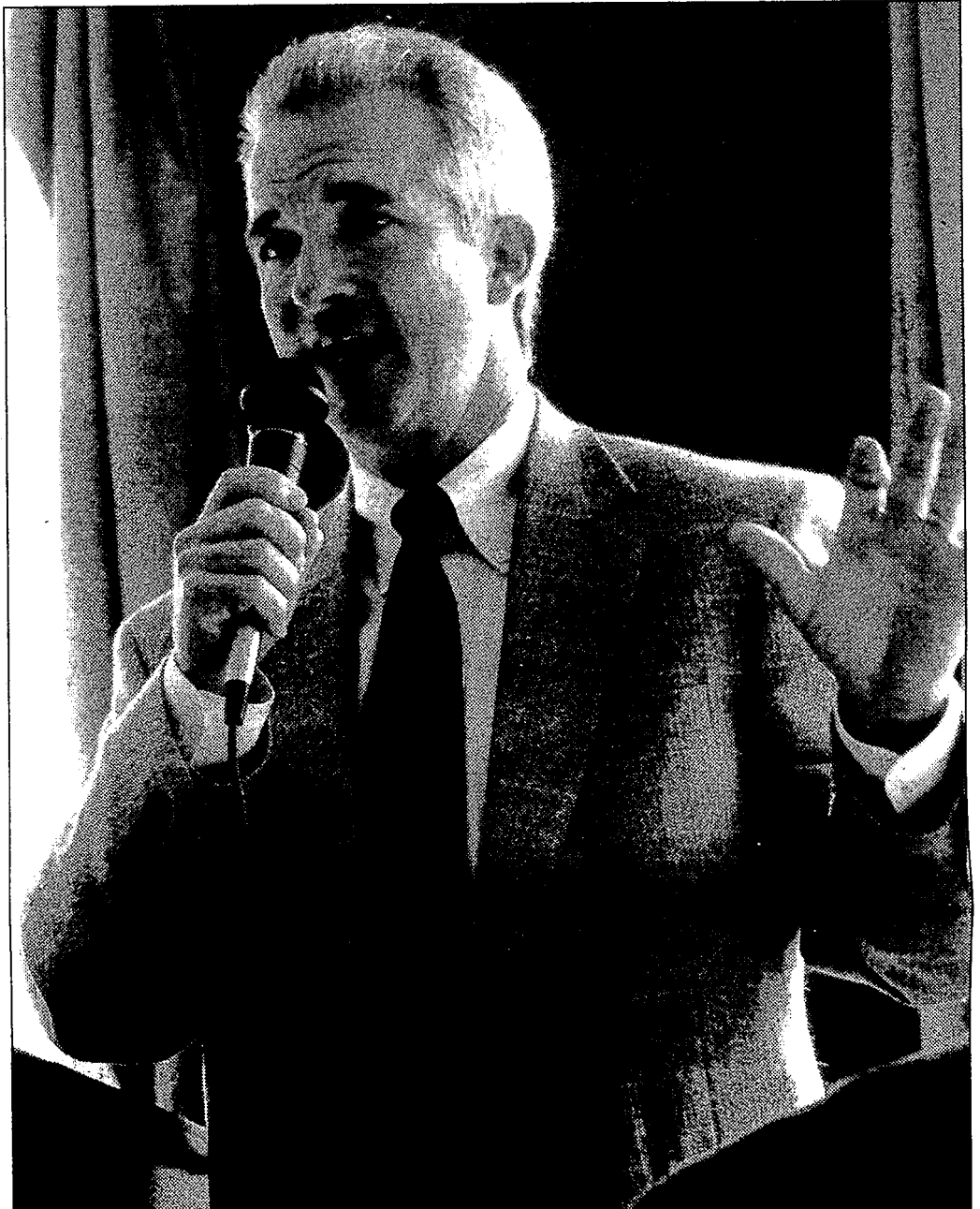
- Clarkston State Bank was honored with the Community Beautification Award. The company's enhancement of the Main Street corridor, which includes their newest branch at the corner of Main and Citation Drive, complements their downtown branch and the historical flavor of the area. Clarkston State Bank removed a building from the 1950s and created a "beautiful" addition. Fred Ritter nominated the local business.

- The Community Enhancement Award was presented to the newly-formed Clarkston Area Lions Club. The club has moved aggressively to organize and begin supporting charity and community activities. Recently, the organization received full recognition from the International Lions Club, and continues to grow and thrive in membership.

In their brief time since establishment, the club has initiated local support for "Kidsight," vision testing for small children; collected, reconditioned and distributed used eyeglasses and hearing aids; and "Lions Care," assistance for local needy families. The Lions use 100 percent of all funds they receive to sponsor charity projects.

During his acceptance speech for the award, President Brace Case honored all area service organizations by having those members stand and be recognized.

"These people are in the game," he stated, "and we encourage everyone to



Tom Lowrie, owner of Tom Lowrie's Landscaping on Dixie Highway, was selected as this year's Business Person of the Year. Photo by Jenny Matteson

join us."

- The Community Collaboration Award went to a diverse group of individuals and organizations that formed the "Bridgewater Park Apartment Homework Club." Groups participating in the project include Bridgewater Parks Apartments (Gary Lloyd), Clarkston Area Youth Assistance (Jeff Allsteadt), Independence Township Parks and Recreation (Kelly Hyer) and Clarkston Community Schools.

The Homework Club was introduced at the Bridgewater Park Apartments in May 2004. The program makes tutoring available at no charge to children who reside there and face academic difficulties and possible failure.

The club meets Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays in a three-bedroom apartment made available by the apartment's manage-

ment. Volunteer coordinators Anita Demster and Joyce Bleim organize the program. Clarkston Community Schools provided on loan school room furniture and "at-risk" grant monies for supplies.

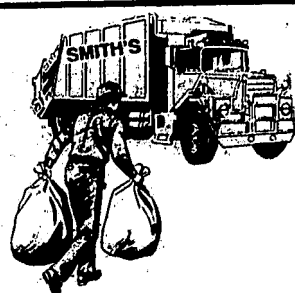
At this time, 22 students are enrolled in the program and 12 volunteer tutors address their needs.

Cassandra Goulding with CAYA nominated the club.

- Imagine this — the winner of the Adult-Youth Volunteer Award was unable to accept her plaque because... she was off volunteering!

Joyce Bleim, chairperson of the CAYA Mentors Plus Program, was nominated by co-worker Goulding for her work with children in need of loving, caring and concerned

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Around Town

State Rep. John Stakoe will sponsor district office hours on Friday, May 27.

From 10:45 a.m.-noon, Stakoe will be available at the Independence Township Hall, 90 N. Main St. in Clarkston. From 1-2 p.m., he will meet with constituents at the Springfield Township Hall, 12000 Davisburg Road.

No appointment is necessary. Residents unable to meet Stakoe during scheduled hours can contact his Lansing office toll free at 1-866-334-0010 or by e-mail at johnstakoe@house.mi.gov to make an appointment.

There's always plenty happening at the Independence Township Senior Center:

• The softball season for those 55 and older is well underway, but there's still time to sign up. Games are held on Mondays and Wednesday, with practices on Fridays. Players are placed on a team according

to ability.

Those under 55 can come to the Friday practices! Teachers on summer vacation welcome!

• Come and experience the bounty of culture September 7-8 at the Stratford Festival.

The trip includes two matinee shows — Shakespeare's comedy "As You Like It" and the classic Broadway hit "Hello Dolly" — as well as accommodations at the Festival Inn and elegant dining at The Church Restaurant.

Time for shopping and exploring is scheduled. Optional tours, such as "Chat with Actors," will be announced.

The cost is \$259 for a double room and \$321 for a single. Non-residents please add \$10 to the prices. A \$50 deposit is due at registration, with the balance due on July 1.

For more information on these and other activities, please contact the senior center at 248-625-8231.

The Clarkston Jaycees have announced the Independence Township Fourth of July Parade theme — "Independence Through the Decades" — and invite people in the community to create celebrations of independence based on their favorite decade.

The parade will be at 10 a.m. on Monday, July 4 in downtown Clarkston. Prizes will be awarded for first, second and third place; best use of theme; and judge's choice. Potential parade entrants are asked to make a donation (minimum \$10), which will help offset the costs of the parade.

Immediately following the parade, join Independence Township Parks and Recreation's annual "Festival of Fun" at Clintonwood Park.

The Jaycees are looking for volunteers to help on parade day. Those interested in being a part of tradition or would like a parade entry application are asked to contact Parade Chairman Tim Sievers at 248-975-6313 or tasievers@hotmail.com.

A widowed support group will meet at 7 p.m. on Thursday, June 2 at the Independence Township Senior Center at Clintonwood Park.

The topic of discussion will be "Caring and Sharing Support," with the objective of learning to support one another and learn from those who understand the loss of a spouse.

Facilitator is Alicia Brown, M.A., L.P.C., bereavement counselor at Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home.

There is no charge and no need for pre-registration. Men and women of all ages who are recently widowed are welcome. Refreshments will be served.

For more information or to be added to the mailing list, call 248-625-5231.

At 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 4, the public is invited to explore the Davis Lake Overlook and Eaton Meadow Preserve with naturalist Linda Hoogterp at the Shiawassee River Day Walk.

Meet at the parking lot behind the old township hall at the corner of Broadway (Davisburg Road) and Eaton Road in Davisburg.

Presented by the North Oakland Headwaters Conservancy, this is the fourth in a series of leader-guided walks through preserved properties.

To register or for more information, call 248-846-6547.

The Clarkston Health Center, Sunrise Assisted Living and several community partners invite you to participate in "Salute to Safety" to honor the local police, fire and EMS personnel.

"Salute to Safety" is set for June 4 from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Activities include car seat inspections, child finger printing, smokehouse encounter, carnival games, face painting, water tower rescue, fly-over at the salute ceremony, AED demonstrations, and much, much more!

All proceeds from the sponsorships and event ac

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Donations will help kids keep kicking...

Independence Township Parks and Recreation employees show off some of the bounty they have collected for the Kicks for Kids program. Independence Township Parks and Recreation is still accepting donations of any soccer equipment for the Kicks for Kids program. All the equipment is being sent to children in Iraq. Pictured are (back, left-right) Jennifer Yingling, Dana Steiner and Denise King. (front) Erin Trepte, Amy Tower, Lisa McCoy and Jeff Morris. Photo by Noah Purcell



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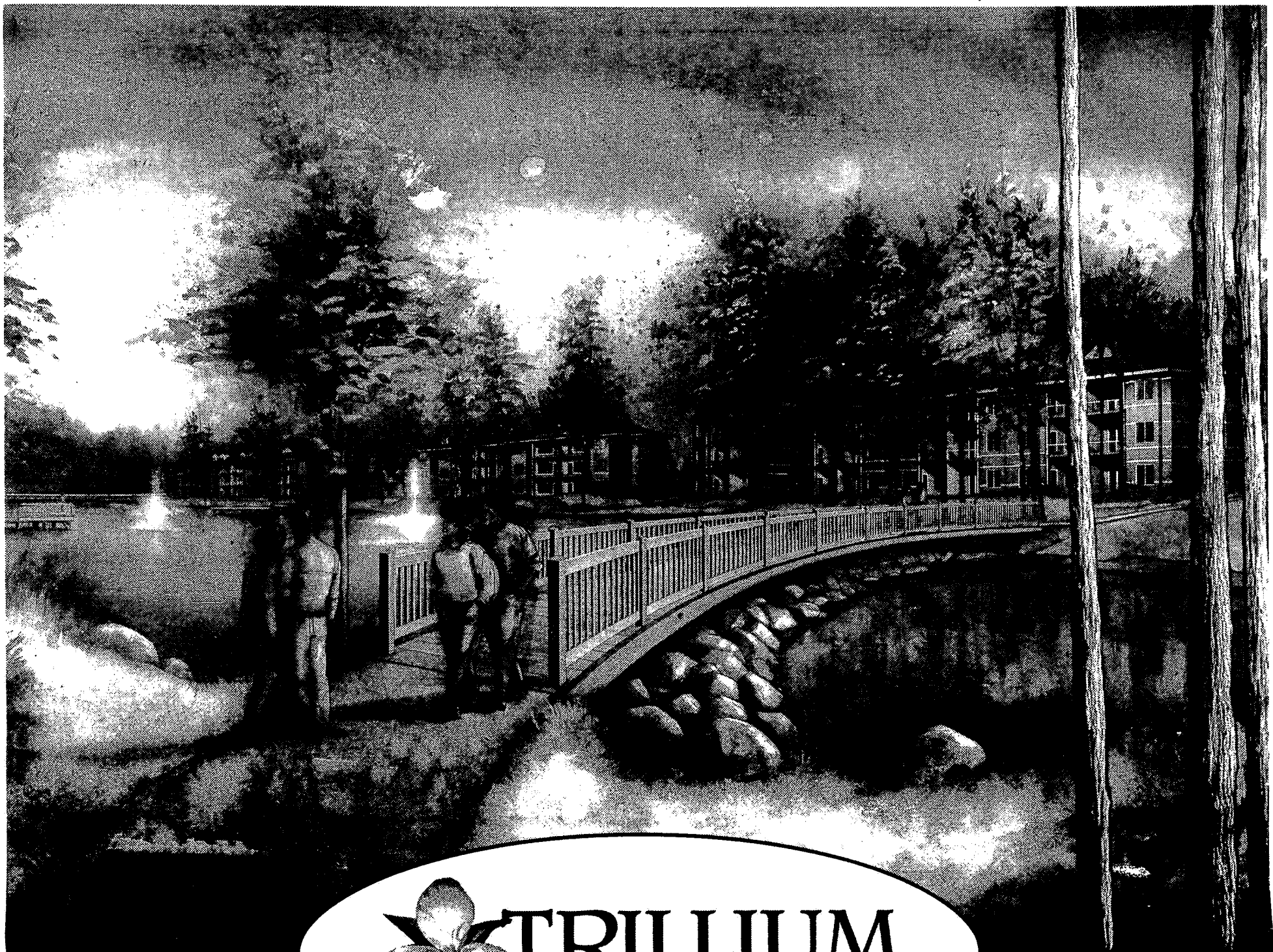
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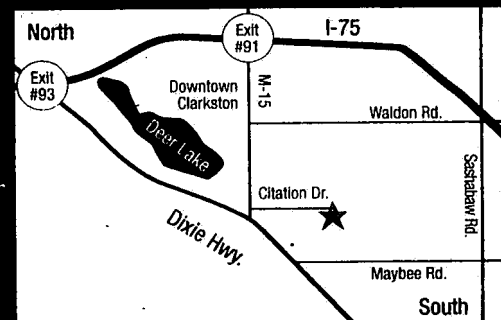


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Milestones

Congratulations, newlyweds



Laura Watson and Justin Lingle were married on Nov. 27, 2004 at Clarkston United Methodist Church. Pastor Jill Zundel officiated in the double-ring, military, fall-theme ceremony attended by 150 guests.

Parents of the bride are Rich and Bonnie Watson of Clarkston.

Parents of the groom are Tony Lingle and Mary Hayes of Haltom, Texas.

A 2000 graduate of Clarkston High School, the bride holds a Bachelor of Science in mathematics from the University of North Carolina and currently teaches secondary mathematics at Jacksonville (NC) High School.

A 1998 graduate of Haltom (Texas) High School, the groom is a helicopter mechanic with the U.S. Marine Corps in Jacksonville, N.C., where the couple now resides.

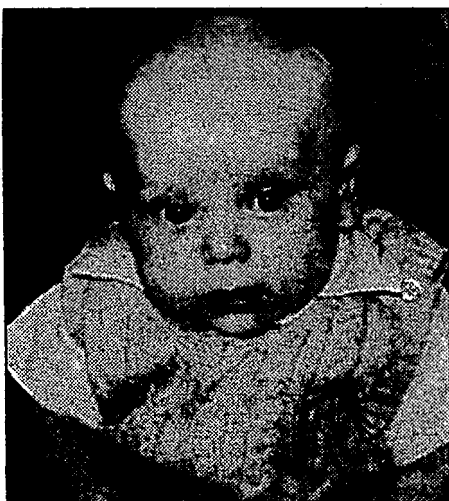
Welcome, Gavin Farnsworth

Jerry and Linda Miller of Clarkston wish to announce the arrival of a new grandchild, Gavin Alexander Farnsworth.

Gavin was born on Feb. 11, 2005 to Geoffrey and Kelley (Miller) Farnsworth of Whitefish Bay, Wisc. at St. Joseph Regional Medical Center in Milwaukee.

At birth, Gavin weighed 6 pounds, 11 ounces and measured 19-1/2 inches.

Other grandparents are George and Mary Lou Farnsworth of Bloomington, Ill. Great-grandparents are Betty Kelley of Bloomfield Hills and Ann Farnsworth of Bloomington, Ill.



Serving our country...

Army Pvt. Robert W. Dodge has graduated from One Station Unit Training (OSUT) at Fort Knox, Ky., which consisted of basic military training and advanced individual training.

The first nine weeks of initial entry training, or basic combat training, the soldier received instruction in drill and ceremony, weapons, rifle marksmanship qualifications, bayonet combat, chemical warfare, field training and tactical

exercises, marches, military courtesy, military justice, physical fitness, first aid and army history, traditions and core values.

Dodge is the son of Susan C. and stepson of Tom R. Gahan of Davisburg Rd., Davisburg.

His wife Sarah, is the daughter of Mac Woody of Deerton. He graduated in 1998 from Pontiac Northern High School.

Air Force Airman Joshua D. Valenti has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

During the six weeks of training, the airmen studied the Air Force mission, organization and military customs and courtesies, performed drill and ceremony marches, and received physical

training, rifle marksmanship, field training exercises and special training in human relations.

The airman is the son of Charlie Valenti of Longview Drive, Clarkston and Denise Valenti of Palomino, Warren.

Valenti is a 2003 graduate of Clarkston High School.

Belle Visage

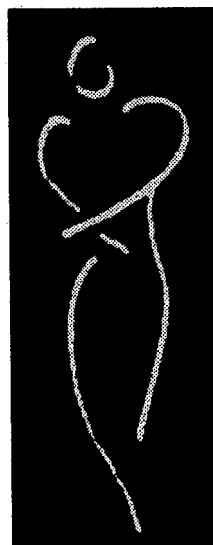
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Religion

Managing changes in life

I enjoyed the recent anniversary commemorative edition of *The Clarkston News* celebrating 75 years of business and community coverage. As a life long resident of Clarkston and a 1972 graduate of Clarkston High School, I particularly enjoyed the pictures from the past, especially the ones from the class of '72. My, how the area has changed.

When I was just a child, I remember going to the feed store on Clintonville Road to buy food for my grandfather's chickens. Many of our neighbors had chickens, horses and even pigs. The area looked much different back then, and certainly smelled a lot different.

Unlike many other people, I always looked forward to and even anticipated the changes that came our way. I thought it was great when we could ride our bikes to the new shopping centers and restaurants instead of only the local party store. Since that time, we now have most every service available and oh, what traffic we now have.

At one time we were able to ride our bikes on even the paved roads with only a minor concern for traffic. Now we sit in our cars at just about every corner waiting for traffic to clear enough to safely pull onto the road.

It is interesting to me how through the years everybody has tried to preserve the area to the condition it was in when they came to town. It makes sense. After all, you move to a community because you like it, so why would you want to see it change? I, of course, didn't have much choice. I was a child and my parents made that choice for me. I was a natural

born city slicker being raised in a rural town. I didn't have to head off to the city because it came to me.

Of course, for some people who have come a long the way, this was not something they were waiting to see, but an evil to be resisted. I can certainly sympathize with people wanting to dictate the conditions in the area they choose to live. The impact can be very great on our view of the quality of life. Unfortunately, change is inevitable. Our only recourse is to try and manage its impact on our life. This is what community planning is all about.

As a minister who works with people, I have noticed that people often spend a great deal of time resisting some of the natural changes in life. Life dictates constant change. We have been changing since the day we were born and will certainly go through many more until the end comes.

Our life purpose also goes through tremendous change. Each stage of life has its own purpose and we must be constantly changing in order to fulfill our purposes for living. We must accept the inevitability of change while also recognizing the need to respond to change in a way that does not simply overwhelm us or direct us without us having a handle on what is happening.

For me, the most important help in the changes of my life have come from a growing and progressive experience with God. Just as my relationship with my wife, children and family have changed over time, so should there be a corresponding development in my relationship to God. What I needed from my relationship with God when I was a child is far different than the relationship I need now. God doesn't change, but I certainly have. Have you considered the need to evaluate your relationship to God? This may be a good time.

(Loren Covarrubias is founder and pastor of Mt. Zion Church in Independence Township.)

Spiritual Matters



Pastor Loren Covarrubias

In our churches...

A thematic study of the Old Testament and New Testament, "Knowing God," will meet 9:30 a.m. Wednesday mornings with Eucharist at 11 a.m., and from 7 - 8:30 p.m. on Wednesday evenings at the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection.

The studies will run through June 1 (no sessions on May 11).

The Church of the Resurrection meets at 6490 Clarkston Road. For more information, call 248-625-2325.

Join a journey through the earliest days of the church to explore how it grew from a few frightened disciples to an unstoppable movement empowered by the Holy Spirit.

Calvary Lutheran Church will look to the biblical book of the Acts of the Apostles to learn how the first century — and 21st century — church is shaped and lives out its mission.

The Sunday studies continue through June 5. Children's programming will be from 9:32-10:45 a.m., with nursery provided all morning. Worship services will be at 8:15 a.m. (traditional), 9:45 a.m. (blended) and 11:15 a.m. (contemporary).

Calvary Lutheran Church meets at 6805 Bluegrass Drive, at the southwest corner of I-75 and M-15.

Calvary Lutheran Church offers the Wednesday evening FEAST, food for body and soul, continuing through May 25.

A catered dinner will begin at 6 p.m., followed by praise and worship, then small groups and classes for all ages, ending at 8:30 p.m.

For more information, call the church at 248-625-3288. Calvary meets at 6805 Bluegrass Drive at the southwest corner of I-75 and M-15.

The First Baptist Church of Clarkston announces its *Jumpin' Jungle Jamboree Summer Bible Adventure Program* for children June 13-16, from 6:20 p.m.-8:45 p.m. Children from nursery age through grade

Please see In Our Churches on page 13B

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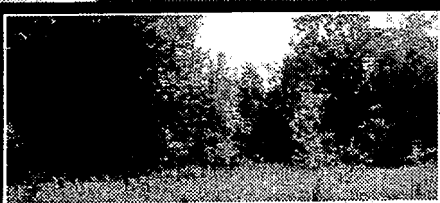
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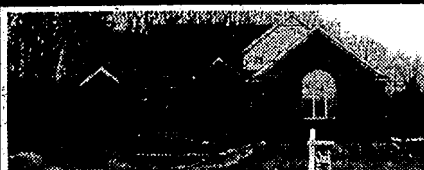
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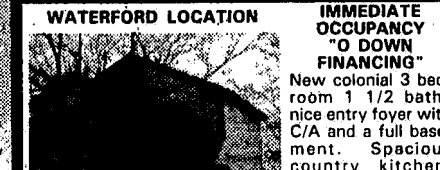
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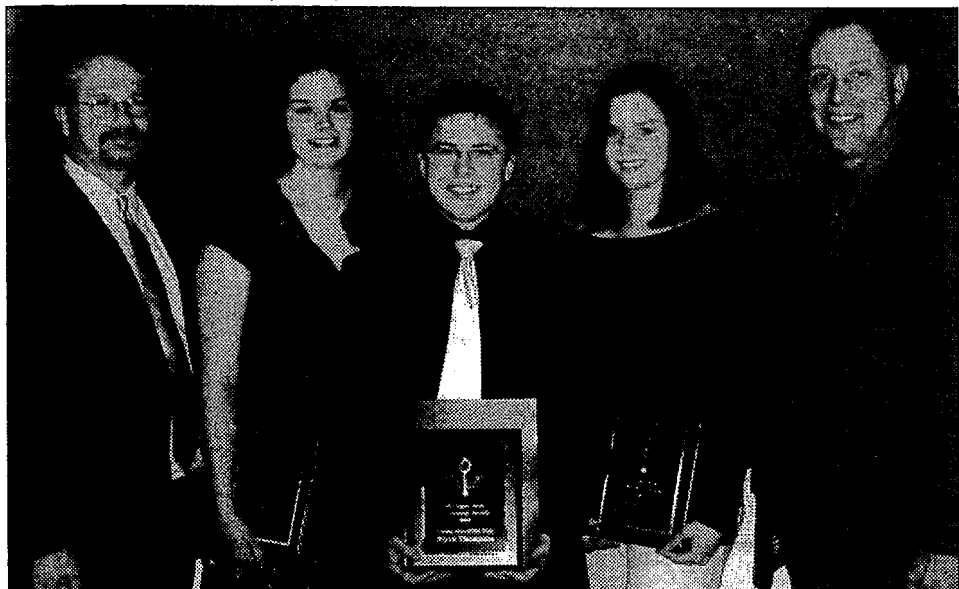


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Luc Poirier and Dr. Al Roberts congratulate Young Persons of the Year Award winners Sarah Julian (left), Bryce Thompson and Katherine Julian.



Fred Ritter shakes hands with Business Person of the Year Award winner Tom Lowrie between Luc Poirier and Dr. Al Roberts. Photos by Jenny Matteson



Jay and Jeff Bleim, with CAYA Board President Jackie Fromm and Committee Chairperson Luc Poirier, accepted the Adult-Youth Volunteer Award on behalf of Joyce Bleim.



Dr. Al Roberts congratulates Steve Hyer on being honored with the Citizen of the Year Award.



Luc Poirier with Beautification Awards winner representatives Angie Logan, Clarkston State Bank branch manager and Jim Kabana, owner of James A. Kabana, Inc., the new bank's builder.



The Collaboration Award went to the Bridgewater Apartments Homework Club: (left-right) Luc Poirier, Christina Masak, Miki Clark, Stephen Carson, Kelly Hyer, Anita Demster and Dr. Al Roberts.



The Clarkston Area Lions Club won the Community Enhancement Awards. Pictured are (left-right) Luc Poirier, Vince Peralno, Brace Case, Steve Hyer, Angela Tenbusch, Mike Mercier, Ron Savage, Richard Cox and Dr. Al Roberts.

Awards

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adults in their lives.

In addition to chairing the Mentors Plus Program, Bleim is also the assistance chairperson for the Bridgewater Park Homework Club. Last summer, she was co-leader of a weekly drop-in summer program at Bridgewater Apartments. She is also a driver for Meals on Wheels, serves in the mission program through the United Methodist Church and coordinates the monthly food drive between the church and Lighthouse North.

Since Bleim was unable to attend the awards breakfast, her husband Jay and son Jeff accepted the award in her honor.

"We're very proud of her in our family," said Jeff.

• There are so many active youths in the Clarkston community, selecting those for the Young Woman and Man of the Year Awards is always a challenge.

This year's recipients for the Women's Award is Clarkston High School seniors and twin sisters Katherine and Sarah Julian.

Not only have the Julian sisters demonstrated outstanding academic accomplishments, but also an extensive list of extracurricular activities both in and out of school. Their greatest love, though, is volunteering with K-9 Stray Rescue.

"It's so hard to find an organization that works with animals that will let you volunteer if you are not 18," said Sarah. "We enjoy working with this group."

Young Man of the Year Bryce Thompson is not an unheard of name in the CHS halls. He is a member of the National Honor Society and the varsity soccer team. His musical gifts have led him to several performance groups and his passion for volunteering has taken him on adventures as far away as Brazil to build a school.

Katherine and Sarah will attend Albion College in the fall, while Bryce looks forward to pursuing degrees in ministry and music.

• Following in the footsteps of his wife, Kelly, Steve Hyer was honored with the privilege of being Citizen of the Year. Steve was nominated by Dr. Al Roberts for his dedication and willingness to serve.

"Steve Hyer is a young man of many talents and boundless energy," wrote Roberts in the nomination form. "He uses these attributes in a myriad of ways throughout our community."

Just a few of the organizations Hyer belongs to include the Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce (Board of Directors), Clarkston Community Schools Board of Education (vice-president), Clarkston Area Youth Assistance, Clarkston Coalition for Youth, Clarkston Area Lions Club, Clarkston Local Business Network (past president), Clarkston Foundation and Independence Township Parks and Recreation (volunteer).

In addition to all this, Hyer mentors a youth through the CAYA program. In fact, Roberts describes in his nomination a time when Hyer traveled to another district to sit through a 3-hour middle school track meet and support the youngster.

"Steve gives all activities his reliability, high energy and passion to better serve our community," concluded Roberts. "If this doesn't describe a Citizen of the Year, I don't know what does."

• There was no award more highly

debated among the Community Awards Committee than that of Business Person of the Year.

However, if local businessman Fred Ritter is to be believed by his introduction at the breakfast, Tom Lowrie used his amazing ability in psychokinesis to raise the arms around the table and win the final vote.

Lowrie, owner of Lowrie's Landscaping on Dixie Highway, has been an active and successful in the Clarkston community since 1979, recently celebrating its 25th year in business.

Aside from his many volunteer activities and service organizations, Lowrie is also one of those "unsung heroes" that often work "behind the scenes." As a business owner, Lowrie rarely seeks recognition or advertising for the many, many donations of time, materials and workers his company makes.

The most recent example of Lowrie's generosity is the principal role his company played in the labor and landscaping of the Clintonwood Spraypark. Another "little known" fact is his donation of his barn for the building of parade floats of year.

Newest Eagle Scout continues family tradition

BY JAMES MARTINEZ

Clarkston News Staff Writer

When Scott Huber received his Eagle Scout rank on May 15, he followed in the footsteps of his father and grandfather continuing a tradition that has been with the family since the 1940s.

Scott's grandfather, Dr. Henry A. Huber, a 1946 Clarkston High School graduate, was the first Eagle Scout from a Clarkston troop. "Hank" Huber explained how his small troop would meet in the high school gym in 1941.

"The troop didn't have many scouts that had attained any rank. I think the highest ranking scout was a Second Class and he had earned that with some other troop and then moved to Clarkston," Hank Huber said.

Hank Huber credited improved leadership and the growing competitive nature among the members as to why the troop flourished.

"We had a starting fire with matches contest which developed some interest and then we started doing projects too, like collecting papers during World War II," Hank Huber said.

"When I left in 1946 for the University of Michigan, there were two or three other Eagle Scouts," Hank Huber continued.

David Huber, Hank's son, participated in scouting when his family lived in Lansing. He earned his Eagle Scout ranking by completing his service project, which resulted in putting a hiking trail through a wilderness area. For his project, David worked alone and spent around 40

to 50 hours on the trail.

For his project, Scott completed landscaping at the Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church. The project involved working with a group, a change from requirements his father had to follow.

"There was 180 hours of planning in my project and nine hours of actual working time," Scott said.

Hank Huber did not have to complete an Eagle Service project like his son and grandson, and commented on some of the changes over the years.

"Scouting had more of a regimented military aspect to it than it does now. There seems to be a lot more activities and travel now, a whole new realm but the basic concepts are the same," Hank Huber said.

Hank Huber also discussed how World War II had quite an impact on scouting, like gas rationing that affected how the troop could operate.

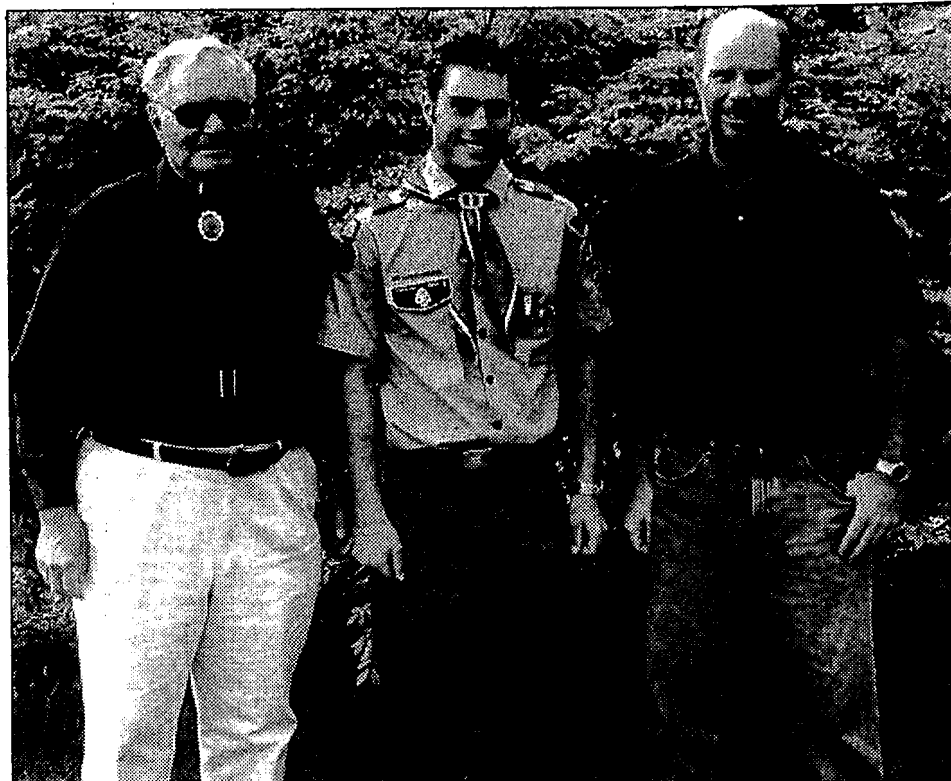
All three Huber men discussed the value system of scouting as being the major influence behind their family.

"Scouting's a good chance for you to grow," David said. "Values in scouting are things we value as a family too."

"Growing up is part of it. Also, it's finding a spot you can go that's safe, like a second family," Scott added.

The three Hubers had many stories from scouting that reflect the different eras, but similar influences and fondness for those times.

"Our scoutmaster owned a chicken farm, so we had chicken dinners for our banquets. We had to kill the chickens in



David, Scott and Hank Huber represent three generations of Eagle Scouts from Clarkston. Photo by James Martinez

order to get the chicken," Hank Huber laughed.

David remembered trips where his troop went camping in the winter to learn how to survive in the extreme temperatures.

"I still remember to this day, it was a record 28 below and I didn't stay warm," David laughed. "We toughed it out."

The Hubers carry their adventures and learned values with them. The scouting experience continues on as they all appreciate what scouting has brought to their lives.

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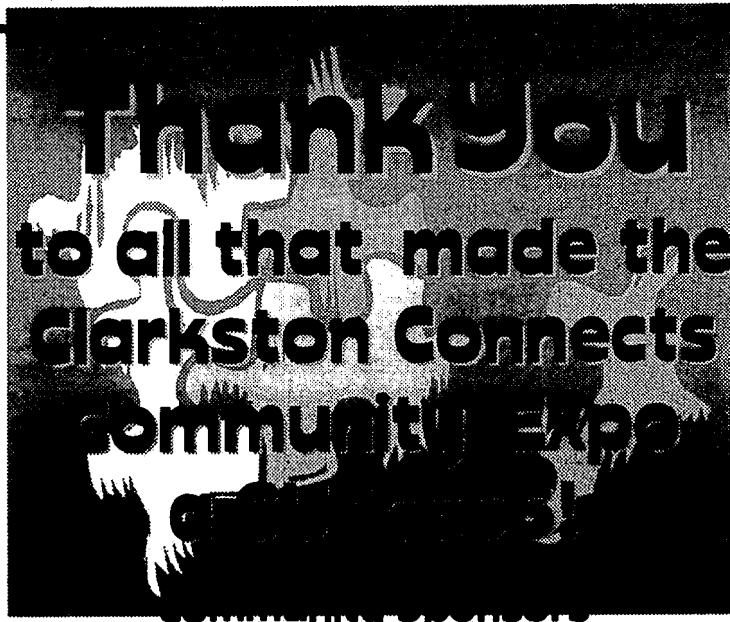
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Be patient in helping a child learn cooperation

Last month we discussed appropriate parent expectations for a young child's ability to cooperate. Now, we'll continue in more detail on how you can help your young child cooperate to solve problems.

Deciding who owns problems helps you know, as the parent, what to expect. It also helps you think about what to do next. If you own the problem, you need to take action (Can your child get hurt? Are they too young? Am I being disrespected?). If your child owns the problem (if you answered no to the above), you might want to let your child handle it. Or you might want to help your child solve the problem.

Children learn more about cooperation when they feel that you value their feelings and wishes; when you show you have faith in them. What you do will depend on the child's age, type of problem and how often the problem happens.

Positive Parenting



Jennifer Arkwright

want attention "on demand." Parents can feel like these demands never stop. In this situation, teaching limits is important. Limits have to be explained in a respectful and kind tone, for example: "When someone is here talking with me, I can't play with you. You may ask a short question if you need me, but I won't be able to play right now." Children need to know what will happen if they don't respect the limits: "If you interrupt when I'm talking (to the other adult), I'll take you to your room." The child needs to know that you mean what you say.

Jealousy between sisters and brothers often needs limits too. With babies, toddlers and preschoolers, jealousy can become dangerous. One child may harm another child. You need to protect your young child from being hurt. Make it clear that you won't allow an older child to hurt a younger child: "We don't hit people. It's dangerous. If you hit, you won't be able to be in the room with your little brother."

Be sure to encourage your older child as often as you can. Also, spend some time alone with your older child each day. Make this a special time when your attention is only on the child.

Keep it Simple

Often, you can encourage cooperation with a simple choice: "If you want to play at John's, you need to pick up your toys first." We want our children to begin learning to count on themselves to solve some of their problems. Find ways to encourage children. Focus on helping them learn new skills and behavior.

Another example: three-year-old Nan and her mom are at the zoo. A lion roars loudly, Nan hides behind her mother. Her mother says, "It's very scary when a lion roars like that. What would help you feel less scared?" Nan suggests they hold hands tightly. They try it. After a while, Nan relaxes a little. Her mother says, "Your idea worked. You look happier now."

Set Needed Limits

Preschoolers are very insistent creatures! They

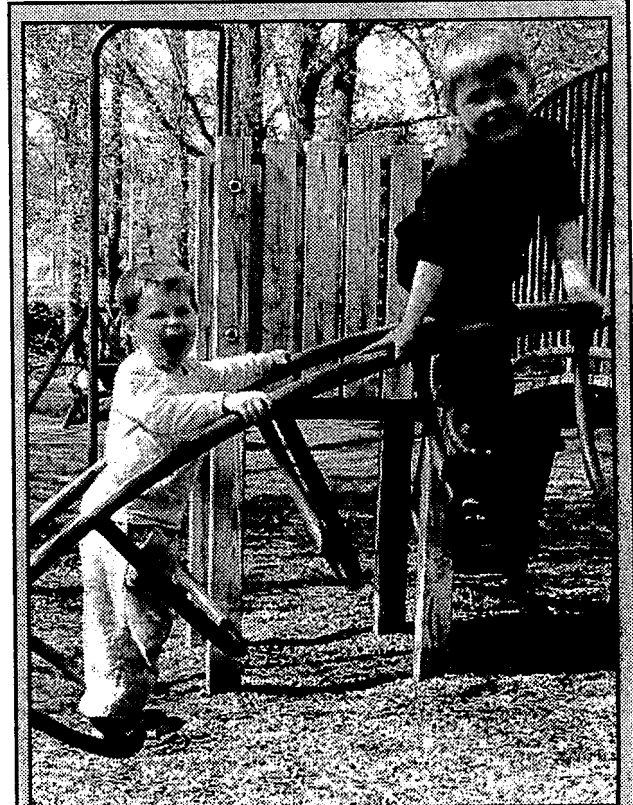
Exploring Alternatives

Another way to solve a problem is to talk the problem through with your child. You take the time to listen, talk and agree about a way to solve the problem. This is called exploring alternatives. Next month we'll detail these steps.

Remember, your child is learning cooperation slowly, over time. You are learning new skills, too. Be patient with your child — and yourself. Through your example and practice, you can make a relationship that teaches respect and cooperation.

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Arkwright holds a Masters degree in Counseling, teaches No More Whining parenting classes for Clarkston Area Youth Assistance and is an adjunct professor at Baker College. Parenting questions can be emailed to JenofArk@yahoo.com. Questions will be printed without the author's name, unless otherwise instructed.



Let's go to the park...

Garret and Jacob Ryglowski enjoy climbing on the playground equipment at Depot Park in downtown Clarkston. Photo by Don Schelske

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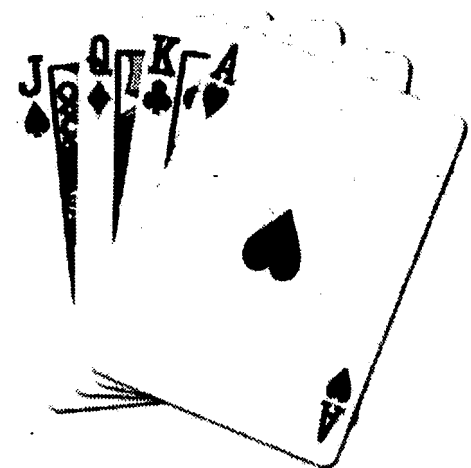
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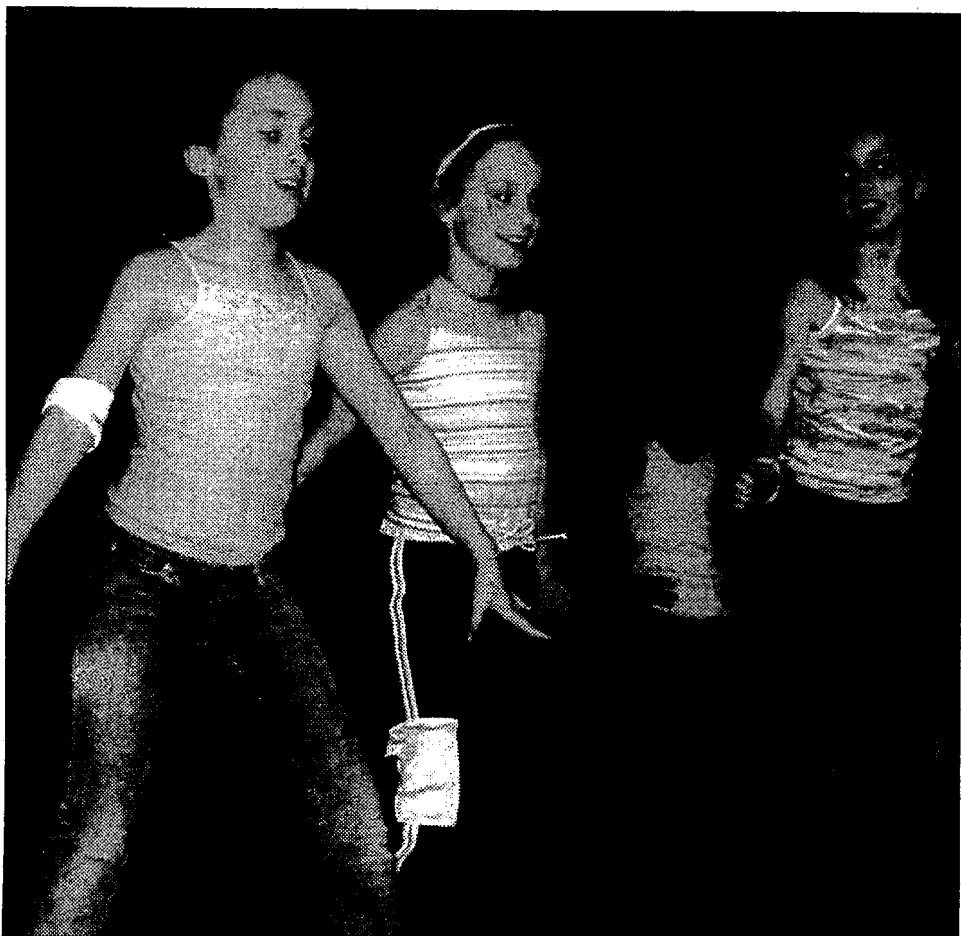
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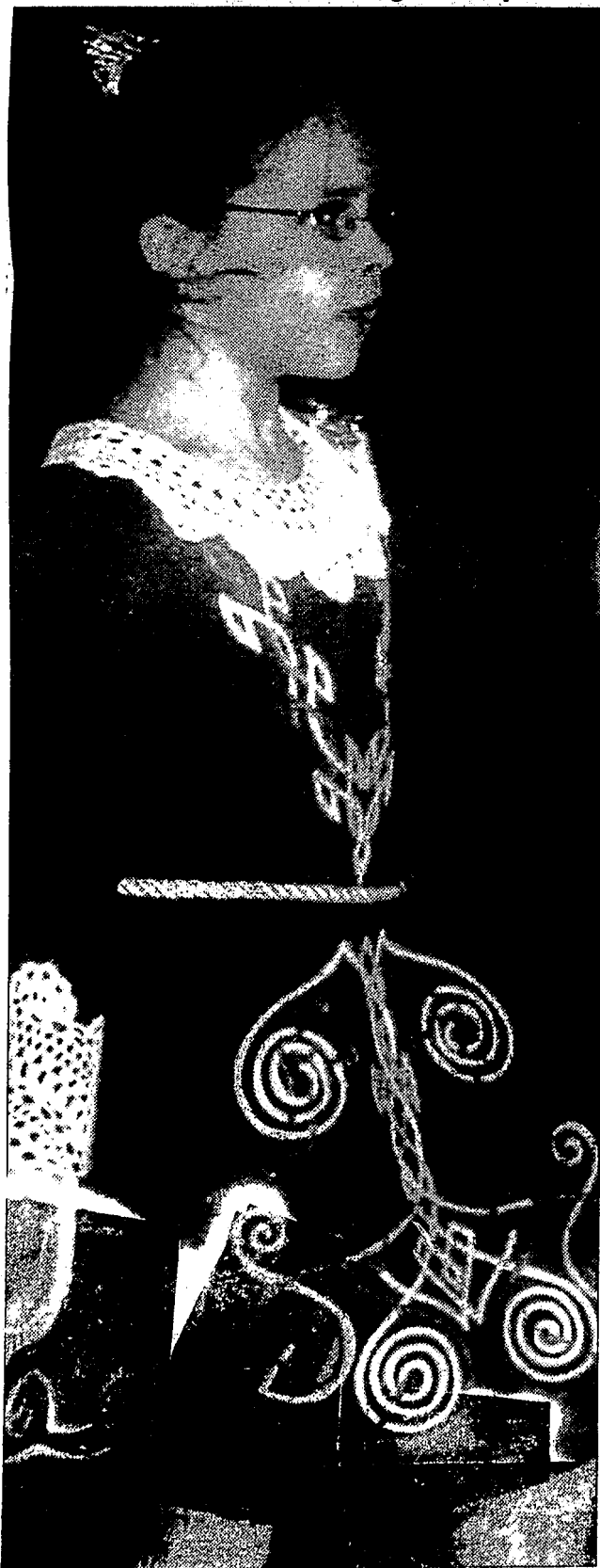


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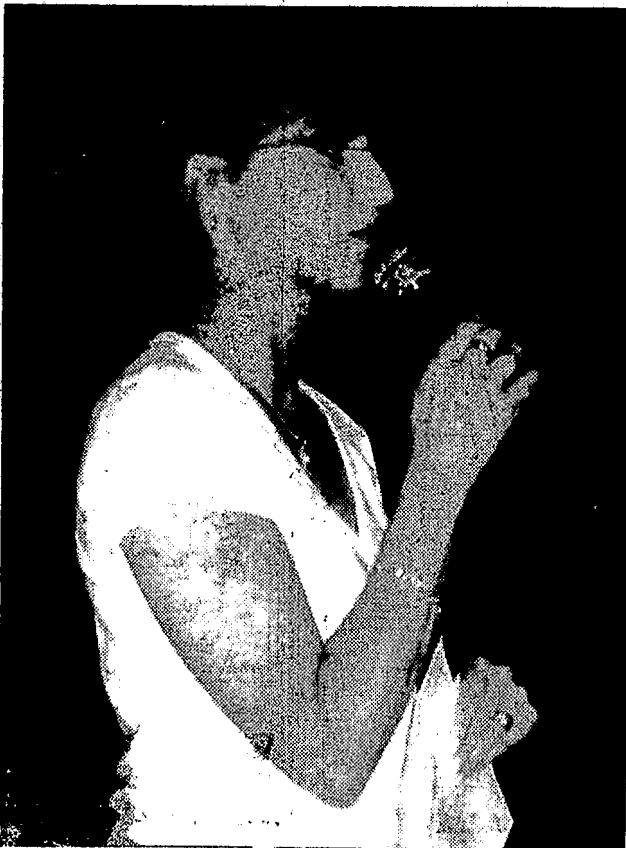
Students dance to the beat during the Independence Elementary Talent Show. Strumming the guitar came easy for IE students during the variety show.



Amanda Schlau does an Irish Step Dance

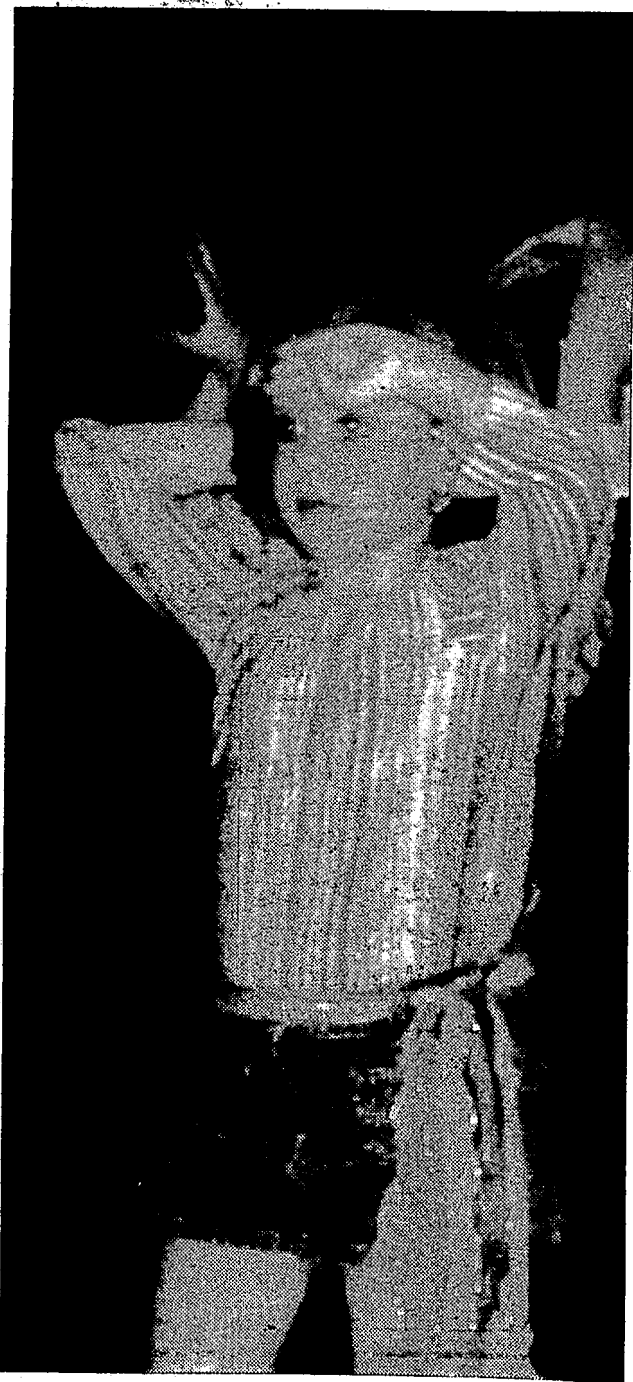


It was comedy central at Independence, May 19.



Laura Rodgers introduces the talent to the stage.

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Striking a pose is simple for this little one.

Plant-A-Row garden blooms into growth season



At the grand opening of the Plant-a-Row garden at the McCord-Stinckney Farm on May 21, volunteers planted peppers, tomatoes, lettuce, celery, broccoli, onion, potatoes and squash. Sandy Turner (left) helps girl scouts Taylor Louis (center) and Sarah Milano plant tomatoes. The girl scouts were working on their bronze badges.



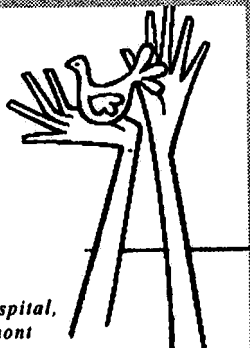
Mother and son spent some quality time together at the Plant-a-row garden. Rebecca and Chris Anastasi dig rows for planting.



Here, Pat Chase (left) and Stacy Bozynski lay a weed guard in between the rows. Photos by Noah Purcell

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Mark Gerald Keelean

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Mr. Keelean was preceded in death by his wife, Janet (Jenks). He was father of Mark (Nancy) of Waterford and Cindy (Jim) Pierce of Clarkston; grandpa of Christopher (Andrea), Jon (LeAnna), Andy (Alesha)

and Kirsten (Brandon) Phelps; great-grandpa of Blake, Gabriel, Anastasia; brother of Robert of Florida, Mary (Frank "Tink") Ronk of Clarkston and Janet Masters of Jackson; and brother-in-law of Mona. He was preceded in death by his brothers, George and Frank.

Mr. Keelean served in the U.S. Navy and retired from General Motors.

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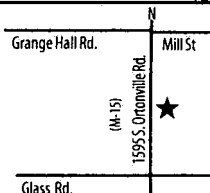
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Betty Rhoebea Fluegge

Betty Rhoebea Fluegge (nee Gaskell) died on Saturday, May 21, 2005 at age 83. A service to celebrate her life was at First Congregational Church of Greenville.

Mrs. Fluegge was born at home in Detroit on Sun-

day, July 17, 1921 to Harry and Lurah Gaskell. She was preceded in death by her parents and her brother, Dick Gaskell.

Survivors include her husband of 64 years, Ed; brother Bob Gaskell of Ada; sister Dorothy (Gale) Downes of Dearborn; five daughters, Judy (Jon) Clapp of Fremont, Jane (John) Elsinga of Grand Ledge, Janis Yonker of Grand Ledge, Joyce (Mike) Nienhuis of Clarkston, and BettyBeth (Rob) Johns of Grand Rapids; 10 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and many beloved nieces and nephews.

The family said she will be remembered for her love and compassion to those around her.

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June 21, "How to Define Yourself as a Leader."

July 19, "Boundaries in Leadership."

Aug. 9, "Identifying Traveling Companions for Leaders."

Sept. 13, "Enemies and Idiots: How to Deal with Toxic People."

Oct. 18, "Leadership is for Grownups."

Nov. 29, "Transcendent Character in Leadership."

For more information, contact Gayle Buschur, director of outreach and evangelism, at 248-625-3288, ext. 219.

Around Town

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tivities will be contributed to the Clarkston Philanthropic Endeavor for placement of AED (Automatic External defibrillator) throughout the community. Your donation is tax deductible.

For more information, or to sponsor an event, please call Marie Bristow at 248-620-4290.

Indian Springs Metropark has three special events scheduled on Saturday, June 4.

At 10 a.m. will be "It All Starts Here: The Huron River Headwaters" at the Educational Discovery Center. Join an interpreter collecting water samples followed by a discussion on the geologic history of the area. Fee is \$2 per person. To register or for more information, call 248-625-6640.

At 1 p.m., the Nature Center will host "Rattlesnake Ramble." Join an

interpreter on a snake hike looking for local snakes, including the rare Michigan Massasauga, the state's only venomous snake. Fee is \$1 per person. To register or for more information, call 248-625-7280.

At 8:30 p.m., the Nature Center will host, "Welcome Summer Stars." Join an interpreter and decorate a white or light-color t-shirt with the spring constellations followed by a marshmallow roast and story-telling of ancient sky legends, a peek at the planets and a time-travel experience. Fee is \$2 per child and \$3 for walk-ins. Pre-registration is required. In case of cloudy or inclement weather, an alternate date will be selected.

Indian Springs metropark and the Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority Metroparks, in partnership with Carl's Golfland, will host a junior golf tournament on July 15.

Winners at the Indian Springs tournament will advance to a regional final tournament held at

Kensington Metropark on Aug. 1.

Tournament fees and registration information are available at each golf course. For more information call Indian Springs at 1-800-477-3192 or call 1-800-23-GOLF-4.

The Clarkston High School Class of 1975 reunion is set for Aug. 13 at the Deer Lake Athletic Club. This event is open for all classes 1973-1977. Tickets must be purchased in advance. Please contact Ann Pytel at 248-620-1430 or email her at tpytel1111@comcast.net for more information.

A brand-new **Lions Club** has formed in Clarkston. Charter membership is available to men and women living or working in Clarkston and surrounding areas. Meetings are held every other Thursday night at Mesquite Creek (corner of I-75 and M-15) at 7:30-8:30 p.m. (social hour begins at 6:30 p.m.) For more information, contact Member Chairman Bob Jamison at 248-625-5493.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Decedent's Estate
FILE NO. 2005-298, 473-DE
Estate of RICHARD L. McNUTT, Deceased.
Date of Birth: May 9, 1912
TO ALL CREDITORS:
NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, RICHARD L. McNUTT, Deceased, who lived at 10421 Curtis Lane, White Lake, Michigan died April 16, 2005.

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

DOLORES DAPPRICH
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Because the People Want to Know

INDEPENDENCE TWP.

SYNOPSIS

TAKEN BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD
THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE
Supervisor Wagner called the May 17, 2005, meeting to order at 7:32 p.m. at the Independence Township Library.

Pledge of Allegiance.
Roll Call: Present: Kelly, Rosso, VanderVeen, Dunn, Wagner, Travis, Wenger
Absent: None

There is a quorum.

1. Approval of the Agenda as amended
2. Approval of the Consent Agenda
3. Approval of the minutes of May 4, 2005
4. Approval of Accounts Payable Check Run in the amount of \$1,976,341.06
5. Approval of Purchase Orders in the amount of \$2,082,802.13
6. Untabled Issue of First Reading of Rezoning of Holcomb Road Parcel No. 08-20-101-001
7. Tabled First Reading of Rezoning Holcomb Road Parcel No. 08-20-101-001
8. Approved Award Resolution for \$2,000,000.00 capital improvement bonds for water supply system
9. Approved appointment of Assistant Building Director and permission to post for Building Inspector
10. Approved motion to adjourn at 8:31 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Shelagh VanderVeen
Township Clerk

Published: May 25, 2005

PUBLIC NOTICE

Because the People Want to Know

INDEPENDENCE TWP.

JOB POSTING,

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE

The Director of Building, Planning & Zoning Services is accepting applications for the position of Building Inspector II. Please call (248) 825-8111 to receive a copy of the complete Job Description.

An employee in this classification is responsible for Code and Zoning Ordinance enforcement, plan review, and construction inspections.

Applicants must be registered as a building inspector/plan reviewer by the State of Michigan or be eligible for provisional registration. Must possess a valid drivers license, have a good driving record, and the ability to work outside in inclement weather. Experience as a building inspector is preferred.

The current wage for this position is \$19.36 per hour plus a full benefit package in accordance with AFSCME Union Contract provisions.

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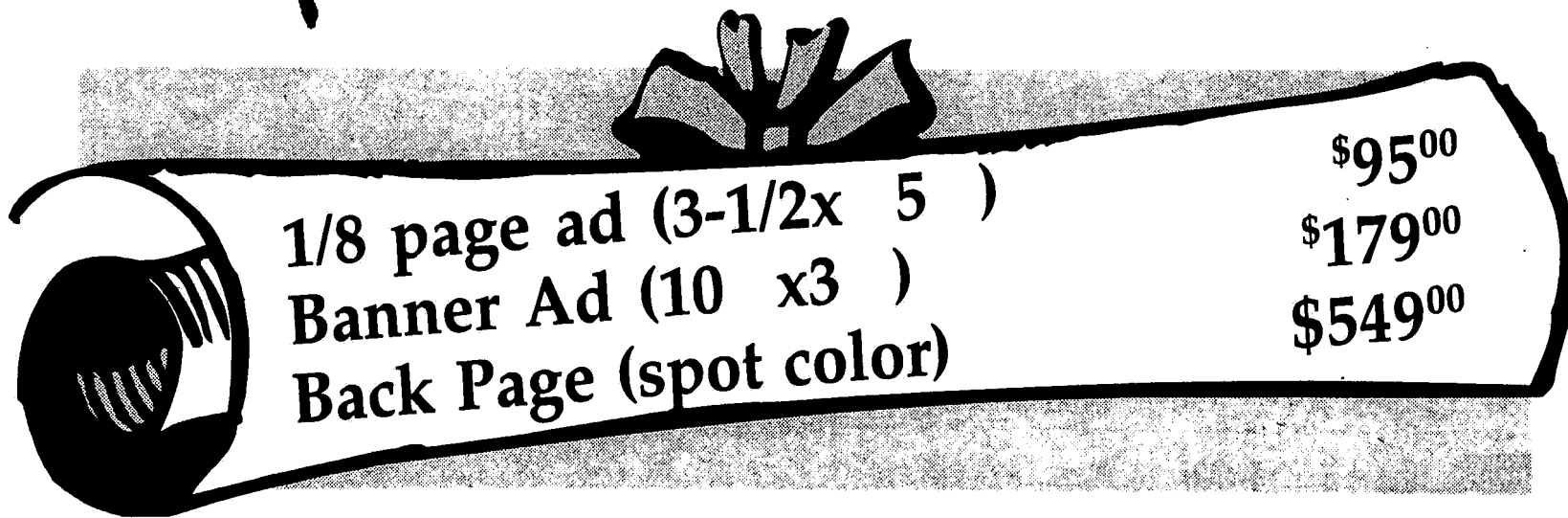
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The Clarkston News

Wednesday, June 2005

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LX18-dhft

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The Citizen
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LZM24-1

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CX44-4

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onto CDs in exchange for private living
quarters. 248-620-9175.
IILX44-2

ANTIQUE FIREARMS WANTED:
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paid. 248-628-7086. IILX23-2

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IILX22-4

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dhft

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IILX24-3

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693-5268. IILX24-3

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PIANO
TUNING
CERTIFIED P.T.G.
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CX19-tfc

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12 string acoustic guitar, \$150 obo.
Ibanez electric guitar \$350 obo. 588-
709-3472. IILX23-2

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You move. \$950. 248-391-1184.

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420-0919 IILX24-2
HONDA 21" rear bagger lawn mower,
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44" mulch deck, snowblower,
weights & chains. \$4,700. 248-328-
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CZ44-1

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3898. IILX44-2

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leaf/ lawn vacuum & mulcher- chip-
per- shredder, \$350. Sears power
washers, both \$200. Sears 9hp
mulching chipper- shredder, \$290.
Best offers. 248-989-8899. IILX23-
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100 FREE

FREE: PHOENIX electric organ, 248-
628-7271. IILX24-1f

FREE LARGE DOG house, 248-634-
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7270 IILX24-1f

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tractor tires. 248-663-8553 IILX24-
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Appliance	160	Lawn & Garden	080
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Farm Equipment	230	Real Estate	310
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Garage Sales	110	Rentals	290
General	170	Services	410
Greetings	020	Trucks	270
Help Wanted	360	Tutoring/Lessons	070
Holiday Items	010	Vans	260
Horses	220	Wanted	030
Household	130	Wanted To Rent	300
		Work Wanted	350

FREE SWING SET. Solid wood frame,
248-625-5600. IILX45-1f

110 GARAGE SALE

BIG SALE: ANTIQUES, collectibles,
old stove. Thursday, Friday, Satur-
day, Sunday 9-4pm. 375 Army Rd.,
Leonard, off Rochester Rd. IILX24-1

METAMORA CREEKSIDE Estates-
M-24 to Kile, 1 mile West. Quality
men's & ladies clothing, glassware,
jewelry, albums, many unique items,
etc. May 26-28, 9am. IILX24-1

CLARKSTON MOVING Sale. Multi
family. Thursday- Saturday 8am-4pm,
7436 Deer Forest Court (off Reese),
south of Rattalee Lake Rd. IILX24-1

MOVING SALE- Furniture,
housewares, trampoline, misc. Sat-
urday 9am-3pm. 6560 Nadette (Big
Lake/ Dixie), 248-935-0359.
IILX24-1

HUGE GARAGE/ Moving Sale- Furni-
ture, clothing, electronics, toys. 9720
Sashabaw (1/2 mile north of Inde-
pendence Oaks), Saturday & Sunday
9am-2pm. IILX24-1

MULTI FAMILY YARD Sale- May 28-
29, 9am-7pm, 4398 Baza, Leonard,
off Rochester Rd. Clothes, toys,
puzzles, snowmobile, treadmill, misc.
IILX24-1

YARD SALE MAY 26 & 27. 1489 E.
Lakeville Rd. 9am-4pm. IILX24-1

ESTATE SALE- Garage Sale prices!
Wednesday thru Sunday. Antiques,
collectibles, misc. 6150 Clintonville
Rd., north of Maybee, South of Waldon.
IILX45-1

HOUSEHOLD AND OFFICE items,
original art, pottery, planters, table
with 4 iron chairs, great values. 5195
Woodlane Rd., Clarkston. 48348 248-
628-0527 May 27 and 28. 9am-
4pm. IILX45-1

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CHURCH - CLARKSTON
1ST EVER RUMMAGE SALE!

IT'S HUGE!

FRI., MAY 27 & SAT. MAY 28
9:00 am to 3:30 pm

(Proceeds Benefit Youth Group &
Grace Centers of Hope)

LOCATION: 7925 Sashabaw Rd.
just North of Clarkston Road
(1/4 mile North of Pine Knob)
CX45-1

MOVING/ GARAGE Sale- Furniture,
misc. items. Pebble Creek, off Stony
Creek, corner house. Friday- Satur-
day, May 27-28, 9am-4pm. IILX24-1

MOVING RETIREMENT Sale- 8051
Mary Sue St., Clarkston. May 28-29,
9am-7pm (Rain date May 31- June 2,
2). Hand, power and cement mason
tools, household items, furniture, side-
by-side refrigerator/ freezer, upright
freezer, fishing, hunting, camping
equipment, kids toys and books, en-
tertainment center, outdoor furniture,
1990 SeaNymph 17', 70HP Evinrude,
with trailer, trolling motor & many
extras. Troybilt tractor, 20HP, 46"
cut, with snowblades and other attach-
ments. IILX45-1

HUGE GARAGE/ BARN sale, May 27-
30, June 3-5, 9am-7pm, 2894 N.
Baldwin Rd. IILX24-2

LEONARD UNITED Methodist Church
Rummage & Bake Sale, Thursday,
June 2nd, 9am-4pm; Friday, June
3rd, 9am-1pm. IILX24-2

MULTI FAMILY, Friday and Saturday,
27th and 28th, 8am-4pm, Furniture,
household goods, kids clothes and
toys. 6397 Golf View Dr., Clarkston,
Off Maybee between Dixie Hwy and
Sashabaw. IILX45-1

HUGE MOVING SALE- May 27-29.
Selling all household items, hunter
green sofa plus matching loveseat,
black leather sectional, kitchen table
& chairs, beautiful dining room set,
children's furniture, wicker furniture,
lamps, artwork. Wildflower Subdivi-
sion, off M-59/ Rochester Rd. Call
Carolyn, 248-752-6555. IILX24-1

BARN SALE- May 26-28, 9am-5pm.
916 W. Davison Lake Rd., Oxford.
IILX24-1

SALE- 1 JERSEY ST., Oxford. An-
tiques, furniture, computer, miscella-
neous. Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
9-4pm. IILX24-1

LITTLE TIKES/ BABY, kids and ma-
ternity clothes and more, May 28-
28, 9am-4pm, 3936 Pratt Rd., 2 1/2
miles west of M-24 IILX24-1

LARGE GARAGE SALE- Friday, Sat-
urday, Sunday, Monday 9am-5pm.
79 Minnetonka (off M-24), Oxford.
IILX24-1

GARAGE SALE- on Capital Circle,
Orion Twp. Thursday and Friday, May
26th & 27th, 9am-3pm. Baldwin Rd.
to West on Maybee Rd. West of Roll-
ing Meadows Sub. Housewares,
Clothes, Furniture, Toys, Etc. IILX24-
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MOVING SALE- Saturday & Sunday,
May 28 & 29- Memorial Weekend!
Hardware, camping gear, crafts, pe-
tite clothing. Davison Lake Rd., 3
houses west of M-24. IILX24-1

GARAGE SALE

Lap tops, computers and parts
gas grills, boats,
and much more.
310 Bellevue.
Fri., Sat., Sun., 27, 28, 29 10am-
6pm.
RX24-1

GARAGE SALE- 69 W. Drahnner, Ox-
ford, May 28-28, 9am-5pm. IILX23-
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HOWLAND LAKE PINES- 204
Riseman Ct., Friday only May 27, 9-
3pm. West off Baldwin, south of
Seymour Lake. IILX24-1

ESTATE/ MOVING/ GARAGE- Satur-
day 5/28, 9am-6pm; Furniture, appli-
ances, household, 11710 Davisburg
Rd. IILX24-1

SEYMOUR LAKE UNITED Methodist
Church, 3050 Sashabaw Rd., Oxford,
Saturday, June 4th, 8am-3pm. 50%
markdowns hourly after 11am, break-
fast and lunch available. Also youth
car wash. IILX24-2

BARN SALE: Antiques, collectibles,
lots of unusual Vintage: ads,
furniture, dices cars, books, toys, pho-
tos, fire extinguishers, sleigh seat,
trunks, copper tub, washer, feed bags.
Downtown Oxford, behind Red
Knapps, Thursday- Friday 9am-5pm,
Saturday until noon. IILX24-1

ESTATE SALE- LIKE new condition
couch, Lazyboy chairs, loveseat,
cherry highboy, sewing center, bed-
room furniture, quilts, lamps, dishes,
seasonal and Christmas tree decora-
tions, misc. Thurs. Fri., Sat., Mon 9-
5. 7725 Perry Lake Rd., Amy Drive
off M-15 to right on Greenhaven to
Perry Lake Rd. 248-922-1712
IILX45-1

MOVING SALE- Clarkston, May 27-
28, 9am-4pm. 8625 Miller Rd., (Dixie
Hwy. north to Davisburg Rd., east to
Bridge Lake, north to Miller). IILX45-
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ESTATE SALE- 543 Atwater
Street, Lake Orion. Furniture, antiques.
IILX24-1

SASHABAW CREEK Meadows Sub
Sale. June 3-4, 9am-4pm, North of
Clarkston Road, West of Sashabaw.
IILX45-2

110 GARAGE SALE

PLANT SALE- Hostas and other varieties. Thursday, 10am-2pm, 327 North Shore. IIRX24-1

MAY 28TH, 9am-4pm. Hidden Forest Dr., Lake Orion, Rolling Meadows Sub (west of Baldwin, south off Maybee). Girl's clothes to 5, boys to 2. Crib, stroller, infant/young toddler toys, books, videos, ladies designer label clothes, lawn mower, weight machine, misc. household. IIRX24-1

MATERNITY, baby thru 4T, and men's clothes, toys and misc. May 28-29, 9am-4pm. 5705 Lakeview Blvd., off Hadley & Fox Lake. IIRX24-1

MULTI FAMILY SALE- Friday, May 27th. Baby stuff, new Pella windows, lots more. Off Ramsey, between Sashabaw & Seymour Lake Rd. IIRX24-1

BIG SALE: 255 Granger (1/4 mile east of M-15), Ortonville. Friday, Saturday, June 3-4, 9am-5pm. Two aunts moved, and I cleaned house! Some antiques, household, children's, yarn, crafts, books, & many items. And around corner- sale, 494 Edwards. Children's clothes, household, misc. IIRX24-2

MAY 27, 28, 29, 9-5PM. Lots of cool stuff. Bicycle, art supplies, electronics, furniture & more. 3170 Clipper Ct, subdivision corner of Seymour Lake Rd. & Sashabaw. IIRX24-1

120 CRAFT SHOWS

DRYDEN HIGH SCHOOL Athletic Boosters accepting applications for juried Christmas Craft Show for November 14, 2005. For more info, please call Janine, 810-796-3269. IIRX23-4

130 HOUSEHOLD

6 PANEL steel entry door, with side lights, minor dent, \$150. 248-922-3698. IIRX24-2

ENTERTAINMENT Center- solid oak, whitewashed, \$100 firm, 248-625-7827. IIRX24-2

OUTDOOR FURNITURE- Wrought iron patio set: glass top table & 4 chairs, with cushions, \$95 obo. 248-628-2825. IIRX24-2

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Dining Room Table

Solid wood, with bench & 4 ladderback chairs, \$300.

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150 ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES

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1981 SEA RAY- 18ft., with Shorelander trailer, good condition, \$3000. 248-693-3244. IIRX24-2

MOTORCYCLE TRAILER- 3 place, excellent condition, \$350. Craftsman 4" lawn sweeper, \$100. 248-933-6949. IIRX23-2

PROJECT GRADUATION 2005- All night party tickets available at school office, Patterson's Pharmacy and Oxford Leader. \$30.00/ after Janu-ary 1, 2005 is \$45.00 IIRX51-dhtf

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2003 TRAILITE 28ft. trailer, very clean, queen bed with separate entrance, stainless steel appliances, loaded, \$15,500. 248-627-6544. IIRX23-2

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COMPLETE BODY Workout system, with weight bench and 300 lb weights, \$450 new/ asking \$300. 248-969-0839 IIRX23-2

1998 34' COACHMAN travel trailer with slideout. Like brand new, \$15,500. 248-623-1474 IIRX24-2

FOR RENT: BOATWELL, ample parking, Lake Orion. \$650. 248-790-1343. IIRX23-4

ALUMINUM BOAT HOIST. 4,000lbs, canopy, electric motor, excellent condition, \$2300. 248-628-9729 IIRX24-2

REMODELED 8' CABOVER truck camper. New paneling, siding, furnace, etc. \$1,000. 248-628-2381. IIRX23-2

20FT. CEDAR Guide canoe, \$300. 14ft. Aero Craft boat & trailer, \$400. 16ft. Starcraft boat & trailer & duck blind, \$800. 15hp Mercury, \$1200. 10hp Johnson, \$200. 248-421-1785. IIRX24-2

COLEMAN CANOE, LIKE new, 3 life jackets & paddles. \$350. 248-620-3166. IIRX24-2

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ALUMINUM PADDLE Boat for sale, 2 person, good condition, \$250. Call 248-736-1037. IIRX24-2

PONTOON HOIST, 3 years old, \$1500 obo. 248-693-2989 IIRX24-2

1981 LUND PRO Angler, 35HP Johnson, heavy duty trailer \$2,250. 810-577-6172 IIRX24-2

BOAT HOIST- with cover, \$250. 248-672-2101. IIRX24-2

1982 LASTRADA 16ft. camper/ trailer, great condition, completely remodeled, sleeps 5, \$2500 obo. 248-627-6993 after 6pm. IIRX24-4

190 LOST & FOUND

LOST: AFRICAN GRAY parrot. Reward offered. His name is Oliver. Lost on Oak Hill Rd. May 22. 313-823-1765. IIRX24-2

LOST: TABBY, orange/ white, white tips on ears. Baldwin/ Stanton area. Please return to home in Oxford. 248-935-4142. IIRX23-2

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BRUSSELS GRIFFON & Affin Pinscher, loving, small monkey faced pups, brown & black. 8

250 CARS

1997 CADILLAC De Ville, immaculate. New brakes & tires. 58,000 miles. \$11,000. 248-625-3673. IICZM35-8nn

2001 TOYOTA COROLLA S- automatic, power windows & doors, sunroof, silver/black interior, 30mpg, \$8400. 248-252-2366. IILZ12-12nn

2001 NEON SE- Silver, 4 door, air, power windows/ locks, AM/FM/CD player. Great shape, clean, reliable. 54,000 miles, \$5700. 248-330-1702. IILX24-4nn

1997 PONTIAC TRANS AM- black, t-tops, leather, chrome wheels, 120,000 miles, new transmission, FloMaster exhaust, window tint, MP3 player, snow tires, rims, automatic, great condition! \$6800 obo. 248-625-1149. IICZM38-8nn

1999 VOLKSWAGEN BUG, 58,000 miles, manual trans. \$7,950. 248-393-0600. IILX24-4nn

1999 GRAND AM GT, good condition. Runs great. Custom wheels, leather seats, AM/FM/CD player, Teal color, moon roof, nonsmoker, 90,000 miles. Lots of new parts. \$8,000. 248-814-9622 IIRWZ21-12nn

GRAND PRIX SE, 2001, red/white metallic, great for returning student. Runs and looks great, 53K, \$7,750. 248-620-9353 IICZM45-4nn

VOLVO- 1985 wagon, 211k miles, 1984 Sedan, new tires and battery, engine problems, great parts car. 248-790-1558 IILX24-2

1984 CADILLAC ELDORADO Biarritz Convertible, 54,000 miles. Excellent condition. \$9,800. 248-933-4440. IILX13-12nn

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SHARP PROBE GT. 1993 Nonsmoker, tinted windows, alarm, fog lights, racing stripes, upgraded speakers, power moonroof, seats, windows, locks. New engine with only 40K. Runs great! Asking only \$2,800 obo. 248-760-7340. IILZ15-12nn

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1996 FORD CLUB wagon, 117,000 miles. New brakes, rear heat, A/C. Good condition. \$6,100. 248-393-8034. IILX21-12nn

2002 FORD FOCUS, ZTS, 4 door, dark grey, 65,000 miles, power windows, locks, new tires, 16" rims, excellent condition. \$6,950. 248-693-7494 IIRWZ15-8nn

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2002 CAVALIER- 2 door, 55,000 miles, all power, 1 owner, \$6425 obo. 248-693-2796. IILX24-12nn

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1995 SAAB 900SE- all options, red with black leather, excellent condition, \$3800. 810-636-3663. IILX23-2

1996 MUSTANG 3.8L. New paint, new tires. \$4,000. 248-276-9008. IILX23-2

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1991 PONTIAC SUNBIRD, red. Runs good. V-6 3100. \$900 obo. 248-343-8804. IILX24-4nn

2004 CHEVY MALIBU Maxx. Black, loaded. Only 11,000 miles. Blue book \$21,000, asking \$16,000. Website: oxfordsale.com 248-977-9996. IILX21-12nn

1994 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER Van, 146,000 miles, runs good, good tires, 9900 obo. 248-628-4333. IILX23-2

1986 CHEVY ASTRO, 65,000 miles on rebuilt engine, runs great, very dependable, little rust, \$1,100 obo. 810-797-8235 IILX23-12nn

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2003 PONTIAC MONTANA, silver, 3 passenger, AWD. Asking \$14,999. Website: oxfordsale.com 248-977-9996. IILX21-12nn

1993 GMC VANDURA, hightop conversion van, triple crown, loaded, TV, VCR, good tires, runs and drives great, well taken care of, ready for a long vacation, \$4,900 obo. 810-797-8235 IILX23-12nn

1997 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER, pay off balance of loan, \$5,100 or less. 92,000 miles. Contact Jim for more info. 248-431-7429 IILZ12-8nn

2000 DODGE GRAND Caravan. All options including upgraded interior package. Runs great, well maintained. 92,000 mostly highway miles. Well below Blue Book price, \$6,595 obo. 248-391-2162. IILZ13-8nn

2001 CHEVY EXPRESS Cobra Conversion Van, 12,100 miles, loaded, leather, like new condition, \$15,800. 248-693-2647 or 248-431-3390.

1996 DODGE CARAVAN, \$1500. 248-393-8477 IILX45-2

1999 DODGE Grand Caravan ES- black, gray leather, power heated seats, rear heat/ air, Infiniti sound, 1 owner, garage kept, new tires, 97,500 miles, \$5900 obo. 248-693-3341.

1994 SAFARI AWD, 4.3 auto., new tires, runs A-1, A-1 trans, believe need CV joint \$600. 248-693-7024.

1997 GMC SIERRA SLE- 2 door, extended cab, 4x4, 271, with cap, \$6000 obo. 248-210-5127; 248-335-9232. IILX45-2

2000 CHEVY SILVERADO 1500- extended cab, 271, 4x4, 118,000 miles, excellent condition, \$11,200. 248-202-3642. IILX24-12nn

2002 DODGE RAM SLT, 4x4, excellent condition, extras, \$19,500. 248-343-0383/ 248-236-0112 IILZ19-12nn

2000 S10 LS automatic, power steering, power brakes, air conditioning, 2.2L, 20+ m.p.g. Clean, original owner. 71,000 miles. \$6,000. 248-693-2014. IILZ17-8nn

2000 JEEP GRAND Cherokee Limited 4X4. Black, loaded, warranty, leather, CD changer. \$13,800. 248-391-6778. IIRWZ23-4nn

1997 GMC SIERRA- air, stereo, Stepside, black with silver interior, V-6, 5 speed, runs great, looks good, tonneau cover, styled steel wheels, new tires, \$3900 obo. 248-969-7938. IILZ24-12nn

1999 CHEVY TAHOE- 2 door, black, gray interior, 4x4, air, tilt, cruise, CD, tow package, full power, excellent condition, \$10,500. 248-240-3165.

1997 GMC YUKON 4x4, white and bronze, 110,000 miles, strong truck, some upgrades, fully loaded, well maintained, \$8000. 248-736-3272. IILZ19-12nn

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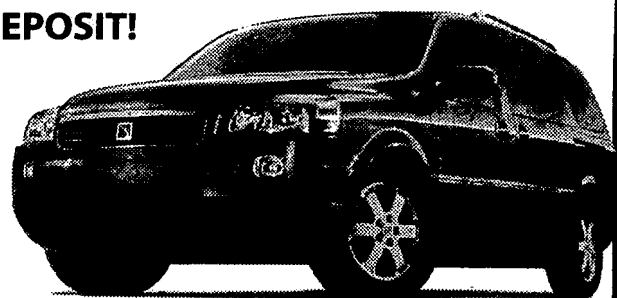
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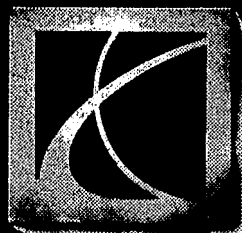
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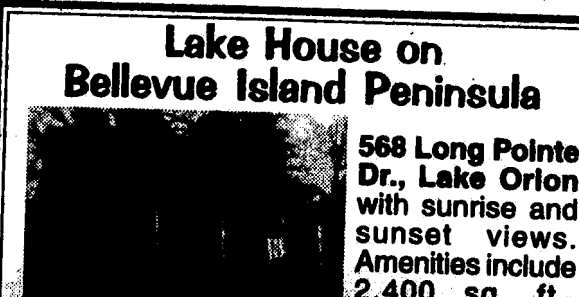
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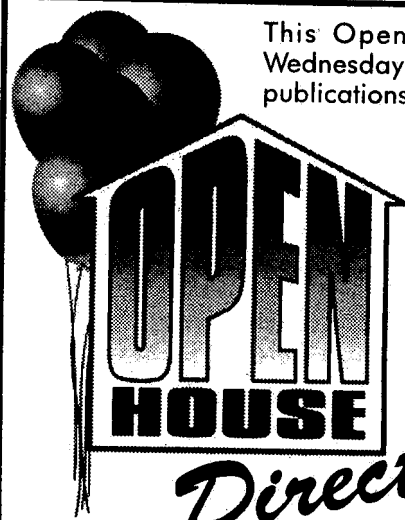
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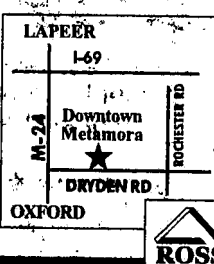
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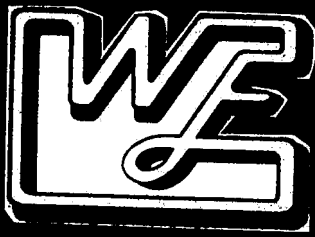
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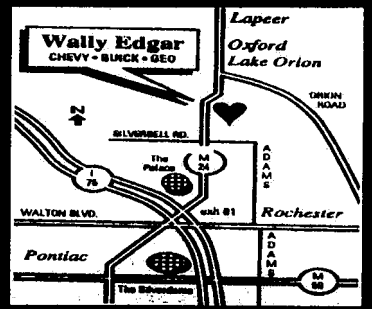
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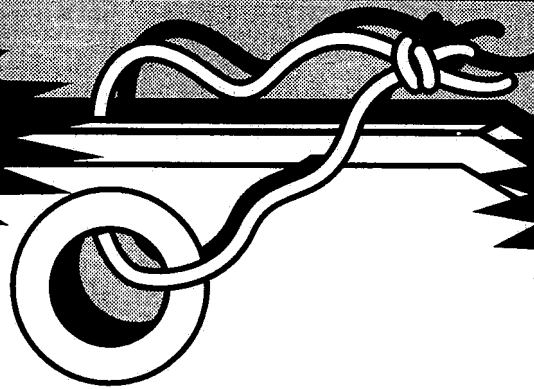
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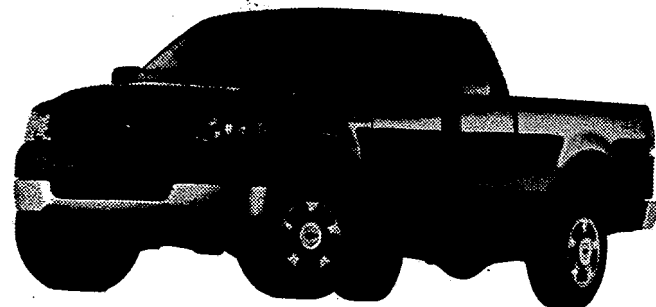
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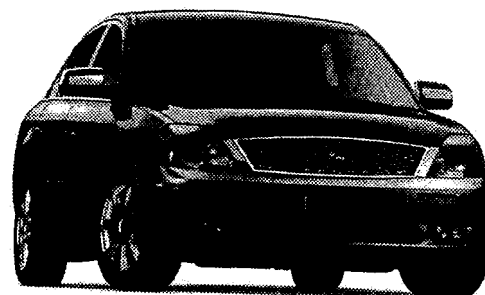
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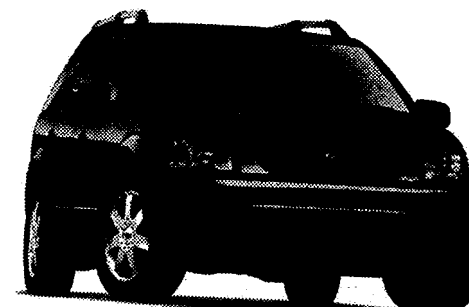
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For as low as

A month(1) with a 24 month low mileage Red Carpet Re-newal Lease. *

With \$2,525 customer cash due at signing.

Includes security deposit and acquisition fee; excludes tax, title and license fee. Customer cash due at signing is net of all rebates. Payment includes \$2000 RCL cash and \$500 First Time Buyer Matching Down payment.



Current Ford Employee lessees can Re-Lease a 2005 Freestyle SEL

\$276

For as low as

A month(1) with a 24 month low mileage Red Carpet Re-newal Lease. *

With \$2,172 customer cash due at signing.

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	\$1995 DOWN	\$995 DOWN	\$0 DOWN
Lease Loyalty	\$125* 24 mo.	\$169* 24 mo.	\$209* 24 mo.
Everyone	\$169* 24 mo.	\$209* 24 mo.	\$249* 24 mo.

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Was \$24,105

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	\$1995 DOWN	\$995 DOWN	\$0 DOWN
Lease Loyalty	\$99* 24 mo.	\$149* 24 mo.	\$199* 24 mo.
Everyone	\$149* 24 mo.	\$199* 24 mo.	\$249* 24 mo.

New 2005 DODGE DAKOTA QUAD CAB 4X4

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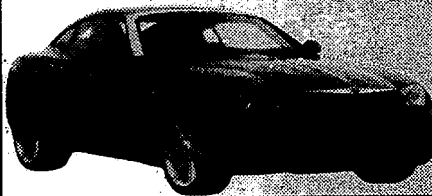
Now **\$18,578***

	\$1995 DOWN	\$995 DOWN	\$0 DOWN	1 PAY
Lease Loyalty	\$29* 24 mo.	\$49* 24 mo.	\$99* 24 mo.	\$1,499*
Everyone	\$49* 24 mo.	\$99* 24 mo.	\$139* 24 mo.	\$2,499*

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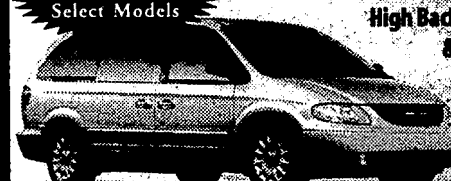
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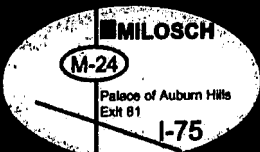
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