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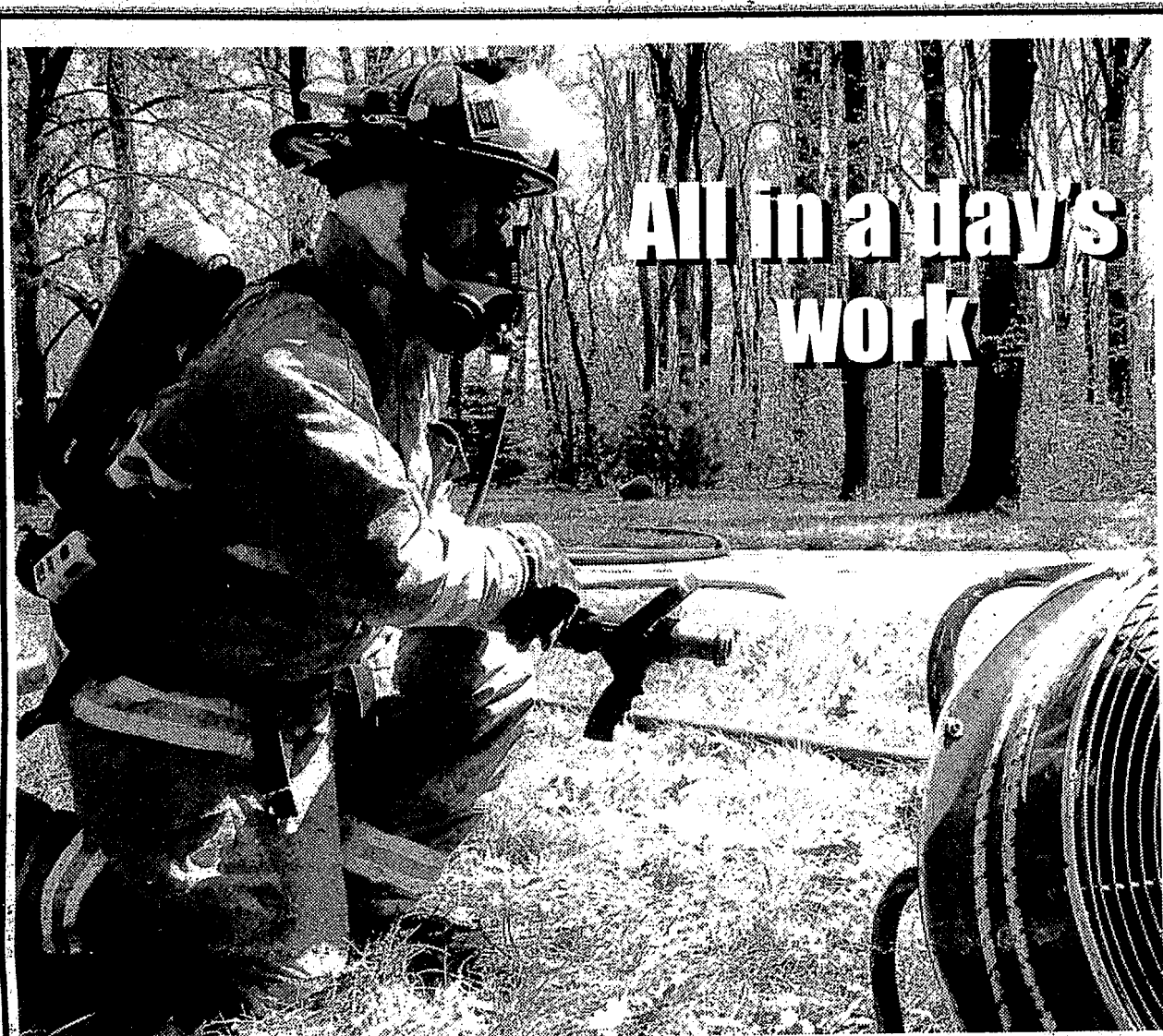
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An area firefighter stands ready with a hose on April 26, as other firefighters set a controlled fire for training purposes. For more photos, please see page 12A. Photo by James Martinez

## Commission denies Orco request

BY JENNY MATTESON  
Clarkston News Editor

After more than a year of presentations and discussions, the Independence Township Planning Commission has turned down a rezoning request from Orco Investments in favor of their own.

During the April 27 meeting, commissioners voted twice on Orco's request to rezone almost 70 acres from single family residential to planned shopping center and highway commercial (C2 and C3) - once to table the issue and later to deny the rezoning. The property is located on the northwest corner of Sashabaw and Waldon roads near the I-75 interchange.

The commission's first vote of the night tabled Orco's request so board members could consider their own, self-initiated rezoning.

The planning commission's rezoning would change the parcel from single family residential to local commercial, planned shopping center, office service one, office service two and multiple family. Considerations for the rezoning are based upon recommendations from Township Planner Dick Carlisle's Sashabaw Corridor Study.

"The manner in which these are proposed are very logical and in patterns that reflect other uses in the area,"

said Carlisle, "very typical of what we are seeing in the town center area."

Carlisle also spoke about potential liability problems arising with the passage of the commission's rezoning request. He particularly spoke in regards to the timing in relation with Orco Investment's proposal.

"I understand Mr. Carlisle's concerns about liability, but this also means responsibility. This plan also has some legal liability down the road," said Trustee Larry Rosso, who represents the township board on the commission.

"I believe though the density represented here truly represents the density across the road and the density surrounding the area. I believe this is the best way to protect this property."

"I think it's time to take a stand for people in regards to these two proposals," added Commissioner Richard Egan.

After lengthy discussion, the planning commission voted unanimously to accept the rezoning.

In regards to Orco's presentation, Robert Jacobs, Esq., a representative for the company, spoke briefly on the request:

"We can't use the property as currently zoned. The  
Please see Orco, page 31A

## Voters say 'Yes'

19.2491 millage passes,  
Armstrong elected to board

BY ANDREW DUPONT  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Voters approved a proposal for a 10-year, 19.2491 non-homestead millage by Clarkston Schools and chose Joseph Armstrong as the next member of the Clarkston School Board on May 2.

The millage passed with 2,623 votes for and 1,154 votes against of 3,777 voters, a 69-31 margin. Only 10 percent of approximately 37,140 registered voters in the district turned out for the election.

A 1,997 - 1,109 victory came for Armstrong, 60, after a quiet campaign against Renata Erickson. Armstrong will replace Secretary Sheila Hughes, who did not seek reelection.

Armstrong is a resident of Springfield Township and has lived in the Clarkston area for 30 years. Armstrong and his wife Linda have four children - Josh, 30; Troy, 28; Rachel, 26 and Tyler, 16. Tyler is currently a junior at Clarkston High School.

Though he lives in the Clarkston area, Armstrong worked as a teacher for the last 34 years at West Bloomfield High School.

Look in future issues of *The Clarkston News* for more on these results and what they mean for the district.

## Clarkston News submits FOIA

BY ANDREW DUPONT  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Examining benefit packages for administrators and employees of the Clarkston School district will have to wait a little longer.

Obtaining all the required information was delayed last week by a notice from the school district for *The Clarkston News* to submit a request under the Freedom of Information Act to obtain specific details about the benefits for specific administrators.

Such information was originally requested in an e-mail dated April 5 to Anita Banach, director of communication and marketing. Banach replied by phone, saying there are general benefit package options, but that specific regarding individuals was not readily available.

A verbal request for the general package information.  
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## A little touch of spring...

Independence Township resident and chairman of the Library Grounds with the Clarkston Farm and Garden Club, Anita Andes works on the flowers in front of the library on April 27. Photo by James Martinez

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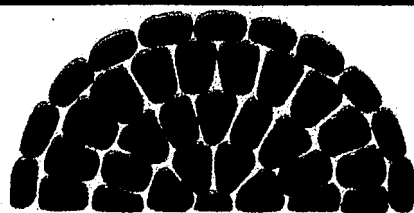
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## The Point After

By Al Zawacky

My first and only meeting with Steve Howe occurred more than 25 years ago. Yet, when I heard the tragic news about his death, I was surprised how much of this meeting was still indelibly preserved in my memory.

The occasion was "Steve Howe Night," a special tribute to the Clarkston High School alumnus during halftime of a varsity basketball game. It was December 1980, and Howe was a 22-year-old prodigy, an extraordinary athlete who had just been named National League Rookie of the Year after a superlative maiden season pitching for the Los Angeles Dodgers. I was a far-less illustrious 24-year-old rookie reporter with the *Clarkston News*, excited at the opportunity to interview a big-league star.

I doubt very much if Steve Howe would have remembered me or anything from the 20 or so minutes that we sat and talked in the old Clarkston High School cafeteria, but the impression the experience left on me proved lasting. Envy is an emotion alien to my nature, but it was difficult not to be a bit envious of the supremely confident young athlete who sat across from me that evening — fielding each question as easily as he would a slow one-hopper to the mound.

Steve Howe had self-assurance and aplomb, and struck me as a bit cocky — but it was an attitude redeemed from arrogance by the fact that he had a lot to be cocky about. Good looking. Gifted athlete. Articulate. A pretty wife at his side. And now, fame and fortune, too. Pardon the cliché, but this man did indeed seem to "have it all."

About the same time, I visited his parents' home off of Clarkston Road, interviewing his mom, dad and younger brother. I remember his mom describing how she jumped out of her chair, yelling, "That's Steve! That's Steve!" the first time she saw her son pitch on television. The family's pride and excitement in having a budding baseball star as a son and brother was palpable. I sensed a similar pride in Paul Tungate, the former Clarkston High School athletic director, who had coached Howe as a youngster. And it was a pride shared by the entire Clarkston community.

Just 10 months after our 1980 interview, Howe helped the Dodgers win a World Series, and appeared to be in the early stages of a brilliant, hall-of-fame-caliber career. But while his pitching prowess never seemed to desert him, his judgment and cool-headed aplomb did. The result was a checkered career darkened by frequent suspensions and controversy. As a baseball fan, I followed his career and could only lament what could have, *should have*, been — if only Howe had been able to conquer his demons.

Now he is gone, a life ended all too soon, and his family, friends and fans are left with their memories. In has been 10 years since he pitched, and 48 is, of course, extreme old age in the world of professional athletics — but I am still reminded of some lines from "To An Athlete Dying Young," by A.E. Housman: *The time you won your town the race/We chaired you through the market place/Man and boy stood cheering by/And home we brought you shoulder high. Today, the road all runners come/Shoulder-high we bring you home/And set you at your threshold down/Townsmen of a stiller town... And early though the laurel grows/It withers quicker than the rose... And silence sounds no worse than cheers/After earth has stopped the ears.*

I wish there were some way I could thank Steve Howe for that interview, for taking the time to sit down with a small-time, inexperienced reporter and politely answer questions he had probably already heard hundreds of times.

And, if I may presume for just a moment to speak for his hometown, I'd also like to tell him: Clarkston will never forget you, Steve.

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# The Second Front

## Clarkston baseball legend dies at 48

BY DAVE PEMBERTON  
Clarkston News Sports Writer

Steve Howe, who's life was full of ultimate highs and lows, died on April 27 when the pickup truck he was driving rolled over in Coachella, Calif.

According to reports, Howe's pickup truck left the roadway and rolled several times, ejecting Howe from the vehicle. The accident occurred around 5:55 a.m. about 130 miles east of Los Angeles.

Whether or not drugs or alcohol was a factor is yet to be determined. Howe was 48 years old.

During his life, Howe became a baseball legend in Clarkston and across the nation.

He helped lead Clarkston to the 1976 Class A state title. Former Clarkston baseball coach Paul Tungate remembers fondly how great Howe was in high school.

"He was the best high school pitcher I ever saw," Tungate said. "He was a team player. He did anything you asked him to do. He didn't take a lot of coaching. He was naturally talented. He wasn't arrogant. He fit with the team and carried his load."

After high school, Howe played for the University of Michigan from 1977-1979.

He then made the big leagues and won the 1980 National League Rookie of the Year Award as member of the Los Angeles Dodgers. He also helped the Dodgers win the 1981 World Series and pitched the final out in the deciding game.

His professional baseball career started out like a dream, but was later marred with controversy. Howe was suspended seven times for drug problems and was the first player ever banned from baseball for life for drug use in 1992.

An arbitrator later reinstated him after the season. His final season was in 1996 with the Yankees and he was cut in June. He attempted a comeback in 1997 with Sioux Falls of the independent Northern League, but was critically injured in a motorcycle accident in Montana and charged with drunk driving.

Over his major league career, Howe was 47-41 with 91 saves and a 3.03 ERA with the Dodgers, Twins, Rangers and Yankees.

Many who knew Howe do not remember him for the negative things that happened during his career. Tungate's favorite memory of Howe was forged one weekend while the Dodgers were playing the Cincinnati Reds.

Howe called Tungate and told him to bring his wife and two kids down to Cincinnati to see the game.

"I'll never forget it," Tungate said. "He called us and told us to come down for the weekend. He paid for



Steve Howe at the start of his senior season for the CHS varsity baseball team in 1976. Archive photo

everything. The kids got a chance to meet some of the players. We all still remember it. That's the kind of guy he was. He stayed in touch with the people who helped him."

Tungate said he was shocked when he heard what happened on Friday and hopes people remember Howe for the positive things he did in his life.

Howe is survived by his wife, Cindy, daughter Chelsi and son Brian.

## Briefly

### Condos approved for Pine Knob

After much debate and review, the Independence Township Planning Commission approved a conceptual site plan for 81 condominiums at Pine Knob Golf Course.

The development is proposed for 15 acres of what is currently the driving range and part of an adjoining parking lot on the property. The portion of the property is zoned multiple family.

Developer AAC Acquisitions originally approached the township with a much larger development that included shifting a portion of the scenic easements covering the property. The proposal asked to construct 150 detached condominiums on the back nine holes, located near Sashabaw Road and I-75.

The township voted in December 2005 to not shift the easements at that time. After that decision, AAC Acquisitions representative Mario D'Agostini said the company would be preparing an "apartment-style" development of some sort.

For more information on proposed development at the Pine Knob Golf Course, please go online to [www.clarkstonnews.com](http://www.clarkstonnews.com) and type in "Apartments planned for Pine Knob."

# NAACP meeting school officials

BY ANDREW DUPONT  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Whether or not a teacher at Clarkston High School allegedly harassed a black student in front of his classmates is still up for debate.

But Superintendent Dr. Al Roberts is hoping to resolve the racial matter in a meeting between district officials and representatives from the NAACP on May 8.

The debate goes back to September 2005, when the student's mother complained the teacher asked the youth about the use of a derogatory racial term in reference to his skin color.

According to Anita Banach, director of communications and marketing for Clarkston Schools, discussion between the teacher, student and administrators occurred at that time, and the matter was considered resolved by the school district. That is until April 13, when the dis-

trict received a letter from H. Wallace Parker, chief counsel for the Northern Oakland County Branch of the NAACP.

According to Banach, the district sent two letters in response to Parker's complaint requesting an opportunity to discuss the matter in person.

Banach said there are conflicting reports of what happened in the classroom that day, stating the class discussion was in regards to the appropriateness of studying literature that contained offensive language, and the racial slur was only one of the words listed.

Harassment of students is strictly prohibited by district policy and is defined as "inappropriate conduct that is repeated enough, or serious enough, to negatively impact a student's educational, physical, or emotional well being. This would include harassment based on any of the legally protected characteristics, such as sex, race, color, national origin, religion, height, weight, marital status, or disability."

Punishment for harassment includes discharge from employment. So far, no action was taken against the teacher, and according to Roberts there is no reason to take action as there is no proof the teacher did anything wrong.

Roberts did not respond directly to questions submitted. Commentary from Roberts was received through Banach. "Disciplinary actions must be based on fact and when they are necessary. They are not discussed publicly," Roberts said.

Parker could not be reached for comment on the matter.

**'...inappropriate conduct that is repeated enough, or serious enough, to negatively impact a student's educational, physical or emotional well being.'**

**-Clarkston Schools Harassment Policy**



## Driving for blood

St. Trinity Lutheran Church on Sashabaw Road sponsored a blood drive on April 25 from 2 - 8 p.m. Above, Independence Township's Ted Evans donates blood as nurse Joan Cylkowski of the American Cross offers guidance. Photo by James Martinez

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# Ideas shared at joint bank robbery meeting

BY JAMES MARTINEZ  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Most everyone walked away from a meeting held between Independence Township officials, the Oakland County Sheriff's department and local bank personnel satisfied.

On April 25, the groups met for two hours at the Independence Township Library to discuss issues relevant to bank security. The meeting included a presentation by FBI agents to provide further insight on how to prevent and respond to bank robberies.

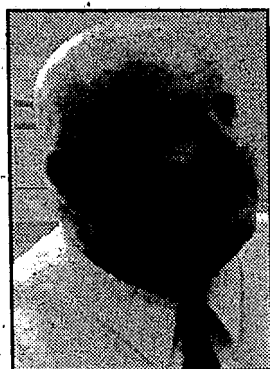
"It went excellent with a lot of good dialogue from bank personnel. The feedback from them was that it was long overdue and a good resource. Some expressed a desire to make it a yearly thing," said Sergeant Matt Baldes, of the Oakland County Sheriff's Department, who organized the event.

"In this business, (bankers) are competitors, but on a community level they are peers and it is in their best interest to take care of each other," he added.

Assistant Vice President of Risk Management Debby Chisholm with Clarkston State Bank echoed Baldes.

"I walked away confident (the police department) is willing to help and no calls will go unanswered," said Chisholm. "They gave us reassurance that on anything out of the ordinary, 'You give us a call and we'll follow up on it.'"

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**Sgt. Matt Baldes**  
Oakland County Sheriff's Department

Oxford Bank's Assistant Branch Manager Sondra Hale also left the meeting satisfied with area bank and law enforcement procedures when dealing with robberies.

"The local law enforcement here is awesome. Our substation is great. They have some state of the art stuff," said Hale. "I'm in (banking) for the customer service, but the risk is there and you can't stop that. If they're going to come in, they'll come in. Each and every bank stands shoulder to shoulder in regards to (bank robberies)... We don't want to stick our heads in the sand, we want to be proactive."

The meeting came about after Inde-

pendence Township supervisor Dave Wagner suggested it to Lieutenant Dale LaBair a few months ago.

"I was surprised by the response of the banking community because it's a tight knit community," said Wagner. "It was fantastic. I think we need to do more of this type of thing with other businesses and even with citizens at town hall meetings."

During the meeting, Baldes and other personnel from the Independence substation explained their procedures, quality of video surveillance and how the banks and law enforcement could work well together. Special agents from the FBI also gave helpful advice on detection, prevention and pre and post robbery procedures.

One of the more important results of the meeting was a contact list being assembled for banks. The list is designed so banks can establish communication on a local level when security is threatened.

"The contact sheet gives you a specific person to call and tell about a robbery or unusual circumstances," said

Chisholm.

Baldes highlighted the contact list as a positive step in the right direction to help law enforcement officials and banks respond.

"Some of them said they didn't even know a bank was robbed until they read it in the paper," said Baldes.

"If I can get a real good picture of a suspect, I can quickly email it to other banks. It's a benefit to all parties to have the contact list."

For Chisholm, having tellers prepared to look for and respond to possible robberies is key to handling robberies.

"If you approach someone instead of them approaching you, it may scare them off," said Chisholm.

Banking representatives took away examples of security measures employed at other institutions that could be helpful to prevent robberies.

Chisholm said she learned larger banks often coordinate with local police departments to conduct mock robberies to better prepare tellers to handle the situations.

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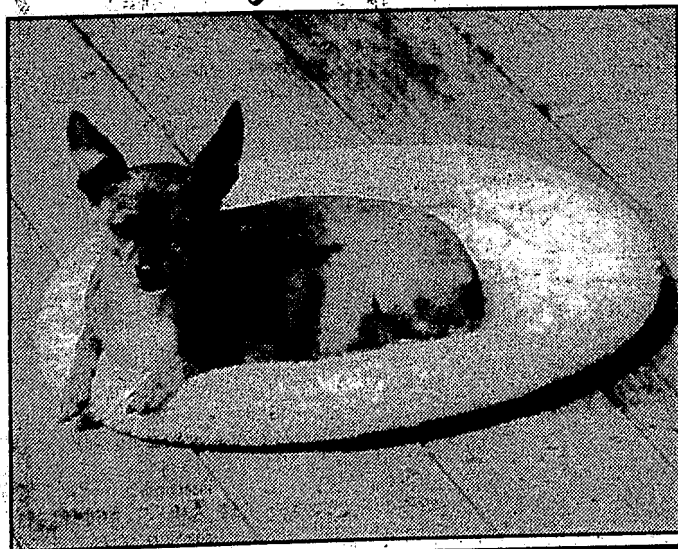
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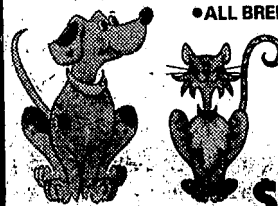
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Don't worry, this will be helpful later. While interviewing someone like Peter Cavanaugh, featured in Millstream this week, I could not help thinking back to find something I did that was remotely rock 'n' roll and remembered a lesson that should be applied before reading his book "Local DJ."

My first semester, in what some would call a fit of identity crisis or a terrible way to impress the college girls, I grew a beard.

Now I know, the old-timers out there are probably thinking, "He was just 18. How big could that beard be?" Well, it was long, thick and ungroomed (look right).

At times in history class, I would place my pen in the beard until it was needed for notetaking. When reaching for it, my hand never got within five inches of my chin. Needless to say, I shaved the thing over Christmas break after about four hundred "Grizzly Adams" comments from frat boys who had the originality of oxen. (Note: when you see someone with a big beard, you can rest assured they've heard: "Hey Grizzly Adams" before)

The other reason for shaving the beard was I sleep on my stomach and the thing pushed my head so far back my neck hurt. I needed a good neck, as an eighteen-year-old there was a lot to see at MSU.

What is my connection between Cavanaugh's book "Local DJ, A Rock 'N' Roll History" and my beard, besides it representing one of my feeble attempts at rebellion? When I had my beard, I drew constant looks from people who judged me before I opened my mouth.

Police officers watched me assuming I was about to dash behind a corner and light something up. People in stores stepped away in quite obvious fashion like I was Pigpen from Peanuts. Teachers, who chose to hand out papers by calling names from lowest grade to highest, looked confused when I walked up to get my paper last.

So the connection here is, if you read Cavanaugh's book don't be turned off by some of the content and vulgar language; there's a lot of commentary there. The book lives up to the sex, drugs and rock 'n' roll attitude that made nuns squirm in the sixties. If you set the book down, you're missing an insight to a generation in our country where people were divided.

We're heading in a somewhat similar direction facilitated by different circumstances. I'm not sure the great cultural changes socially will be there, but the mistrust of government, growing discontent among youth and a perceived global threat sure are. (You know the saying by Mark Twain which goes something like this: "History doesn't repeat itself, but it sure rhymes a lot.")

THE BOOK IS PROBABLY NOT A GOOD IDEA FOR KIDS. I know that's not rock 'n' roll to say, but that's my disclaimer. I don't think it's going to warp anyone, but parents should be warned.

I'd apply the Marilyn Manson/Guns N' Roses test (depending on your age) before deciding to read it. If you thought Guns N' Roses were taking us to hell in a handbasket, don't pick up the book. If you thought Marilyn Manson was the final sign of the apocalypse, run. You won't be able to appreciate this book for what it is.

"Local DJ" discusses the evolution of rock music from a front row seat and shows Michigan's role in the whole 60's scene. Many chapters end with little paragraphs putting things into a historical perspective. The plight of early radio being so influential and coming from Flint is also an interesting side-bar as you consider the current state of the city and the medium now. For more info visit [www.wildwednesday.com](http://www.wildwednesday.com).

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# Opinion

## Thank you Jim Sherman, Sr.

Dear Editor,

This letter is in response to Jim Sherman, Sr.'s column from April 26, "Decaying morals lead to rotten language."

From my perspective, decaying or rotten language could lead to true expression. Too many lies, too much held-in anguish, too many outside forces can bring rotten feelings out via what is termed "rotten language."

With a little awareness, this habit can be kicked. Rotten emotions can grow new crops of truth.

We are not necessarily who we say we are. It's more of what we do with what we say. We learned as children, "Sticks and stones will break my bones, but words will never hurt me." Could this be

a lie that stuck?

Release yourself from the lie and build a more credible self. Each of us can be a heart listener by refraining judgement of another. Fertilize that soil, neutralize that acid - gardens only yield what one puts into them.

Give children a new message: "Sticks and stones may break my bones, til they mend - lies will hurt me if I let them."

Thank you Jim Sherman for exposing this important cliché that could perpetuate segregation. Opinions are hidden values.

I am grateful to be a citizen of the United States of America, a country where expression is encouraged, necessary and valued.

Maria Rotondo Mark  
Clarkston

Letters  
to the  
Editor

## Thanks for all you do...



Alex and Marilyn Pirie shared an afternoon together. Alex is secretary of the Senior Advisory Committee.

Photos provided by Tom Mitcham



Good food, good times and good friends. Bob Borrer, Jan Wagner and Jean Neff hang out at the senior center volunteer luncheon.

Volunteers with the Independence Township Senior Center were given a great big "Thank You" at the annual recognition luncheon on April 26.

"I'm not sure how long we've been doing this, as long as I've been here and that's seven years," said Director Margaret Bartos. "This is our way of showing our appreciation."

"This is one event the volunteers don't help with. The staff does it all."

Volunteers were treated to a delicious lunch and top-notch entertainment from the Clarkston High School Madrigal Singers and Clarkston Melody Makers.

Independence Township Parks and Recreation Director Mike Turk expressed his gratitude for everyone's generosity, "Thank-you, thank you and thank you."

Around 120 guests attended the event at the American Legion Hall on M-15.

"Finding a place big enough to hold everyone is becoming more and more difficult every year," said Bartos.

Sponsors for the luncheon included Clarkston Medical Group, Pine Tree Place, Oxford Bank, Lewis E. Wint & Son TRUST 100 Funeral Home, Kroger Pharmacy and Home Instead Senior Care.



## A Look Back

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

### 15 YEARS AGO (1991)

• Van crashes into office, Springfield Chiropractic picks up the pieces: A pair of senior citizens had an appointment at Springfield Chiropractic May 1, but they neglected to park their van outside.

Instead, the van crashed through the front bay window of the Dixie Highway business.

• This July 4th to be a blast: Plans are underway for the Fourth of July celebration in downtown Clarkston.

### 25 YEARS AGO (1981)

• Clarkston's historic district under scrutiny, Ordinance nears final draft: Clarkston's Village Council is close to tying up loose ends of the proposed historic district ordinance currently under draft - and expects to finalize the law's wording within the next two weeks.

• Ben Powell Disposal sold: Ben M. Powell Disposal - a Clarkston institution of 40 years - has been sold.

Leonard Smith, owner of Clarkston Fuel Supply and Jerry Powell, of Ben M. Powell Disposal, signed the deal the afternoon of May 4.

The company's name will be changed to Smith's Disposal Inc., Smith said, and the trucks will continue to be stored at 6440 Clarkston-Orion Rd.

### 50 YEARS AGO (1956)

• Many New Books In Township Library: Just Arrived: 200 outstanding juvenile books.

Boys and girls go to the library and find exactly the books you will enjoy.

• Former Clarkstonite Accepts New Post: The following article was taken from a California paper, The Oakland Tribune - Mazy Wompole Salter, associate planner with the Contra Costa County Planning Department since January 1949, has resigned the \$590 per month position to become county planning director in Placer County.

• Young Men Head Senior Class: Top standing students in the senior class at Clarkston High School are Ron Johnson, valedictorian and Gary Robertson, salutatorian.

• Banquet Closes Bowling Season: The Clarkston Women's Bowling League closed the season with its tenth annual banquet held at Old Mill Tavern on Wednesday evening of last week.

## Get a load of this!

Sometimes you get e-mail that makes you blush. And, no, I am not talking about those XXX rated e-mails you think I'm talking about. Naked women aside, once in a while a reader sends me something that is really, uhm, embarrassing.

W-a-a-y back in March I received an e-mail from a Lake Orion High School graduate who now is a broadcast/theater type at Central Michigan University. Said student, Greg Ott, sent me a three-minute video project he completed while at Lake Orion High. The title: *Video Tribute to Don't Rush Me*.

I didn't know what was going on. Didn't know if something v-e-r-y bad was going to unfold before my very own eyes on the computer monitor. Didn't know if it was going to be "blue" or if somebody was just going to yell at me. So, in private, I first opened the mail -- no need to give sons Shamus, 8, and Sean, 6, an early education.

I clicked the start button and the video played. "He's the type of guy when you first meet him, he's not like everybody else . . . you kind of wonder what's going on," a young man with big sideburns told the camera.

Cut away to another strapping young lad, "If it weren't for him I would not be where I am today . . . alive."

Cut to a black screen with two words in white:

**Don Rush**

Ah, yes. Youth. The video was/is family friendly. I thought Greg and his classmates actually did a good job on their "documentary." At least the production value was good and I hope they got a good grade (if not, they were robbed!).

It's all tongue in cheek with such lines as, "I am now a successful person because of Don Rush and the lessons he can teach us all." That was from Kevin Hoban.

In closing, the sideburned guy, Chase Moore tells viewers, "I hope some day, when my kids are older that I'll be able to leave an impression on them like he's left on me -- be able to teach them what he's taught me."

Gripping stuff . . . I'm all choked up. If you want to check it out go to [www.clarkstonnews.com](http://www.clarkstonnews.com) and then click on Don't Rush Me. Open this column up and on the spot that says, "Click here."

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Hey, with modern technology -- web cams, cell phone cams and video cams -- maybe we should have a contest to see who can come up with the best "Don't Rush Me Documentary."

Send in to [dontrushmedon@charter.net](mailto:dontrushmedon@charter.net) and we'll get them posted, maybe do an on-line poll or something. I don't know, but we'll come up with something as a prize. If anything it will at least be fun.

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Here's something my very own wife e-mailed me, to share with you:

#### Corporate America as we know it today

A Japanese company and an American company decided to have a canoe race on the Missouri River. Both teams practiced long and hard to reach their peak performance before the race.

On the big day, the Japanese team won by a mile. The Americans, very discouraged and depressed, decided to investigate the reason for the crushing defeat. A management team made up of senior management was formed to investigate and recommend appropriate action. Their conclusion was the Japanese team had 8 people rowing and 1 person steering, while the American team had 8 people steering and 1 person rowing. So American management hired a consulting company and paid them a large amount of money for a second opinion.

They advised that too many people were steering the boat, while not enough people were rowing. To prevent another loss to the Japanese, the American's rowing team's management structure was totally reorganized to 4 steering supervisors, 3 area steering superintendents and 1 assistant superintendent steering manager. They also implemented a new performance system that would give the 1 person rowing the boat greater incentive to work harder. It was called the "Rowing Team Quality First Program," with meetings, dinners and free pens for the rower. There was discussion of getting new paddles, canoes and other equipment, extra vacation days for practices and bonuses.

The next year the Japanese won by two miles.

Humiliated, the American management laid off the rower for poor performance, halted development of a new canoe, sold the paddles and canceled all capital investments for new equipment.

The money saved was distributed to the Senior Executives as bonuses and the next year's racing team was out-sourced to India!

Comments can be e-mailed to [dontrushmedon@charter.net](mailto:dontrushmedon@charter.net)

## Conway & Korman, loved & remembered

Harvey Korman is 79. Tim Conway is 72. Ninety percent of the people who came to see them at the Soaring Eagle Casino were in the same age bracket.

These are the people who watched the duo perform for many years on the Carol Burnett television show. They did single and double skits then, and they're doing the same in their public appearances now.

We who made up the majority of the audience last week in Mt. Pleasant, let nostalgia reign, and absorbed the current acts perhaps even more than the originals.

A much younger couple sat at our table, and got as much laughter and appreciation from the stage humor as we did. The skits and comments were understandable and were probably made especially funny because the audience could relate.

Toward that end, the "aging" comments, like gravity's affect on the body, the need for Depends and the fact that sleep and rest more often wins over other activities.

In the background the *Carol Burnett Show* theme is aired while Tim Conway does one of his old man shuffling routines. At the closing they ask the audience for a favorite Conway skit, and didn't accept any until someone called for the "dentist" skit.

For non-knowers, Conway plays a student dentist who, while working on Korman, sticks himself in the hand, head, leg and hip with a hypodermic needle of Novocaine. It's a bumbling, but very funny routine, though undoubtedly you had to be there to appreciate it.

But, the 3,000 in the auditorium started laughing as soon as the suggestion came from the audience.

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I swore to myself (which isn't all that unusual) I would never watch major league baseball again, particularly the way the Detroit team played in recent years.

However, just to tell you what I think of the offerings of television these days, I lifted my clicker finger as it hit on recent Tigers' game.

Pudge Rodriguez, the catcher was at bat. After every pitch, whether strike or ball, swung at or not, he made the sign of the cross. He got a hit.

As soon as he got back to first, after rounding the bag, he went through this routine: Sign of the cross, raised a single open hand and his eyes to the sky, then scratches himself . . . you know where. It's the place all baseball players scratch until they think they have broken the record for scratches per pitch.

You see, there's nothing else to do while waiting for the pitcher to resin his hands, stare at the catcher, stretch and scratch before releasing the ball.

And now you know why baseball is billed as the great American pastime.

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Now, direct from the UP's Porcupine Press, Great truths that little children have learned:

1. No matter how hard you try, you can't baptize a cat.

2. When your Mom is mad at our Dad, don't let her brush your hair.

3. You can't trust a dog to watch your food.

4. Don't sneeze when someone is cutting your hair.

5. If your sister hits you, don't hit back. They always catch the second person.

6. Never ask your 3-year-old brother to hold a tomato.

7. Never hold a dust-buster and cat at the same time.

8. You can't hide a piece of broccoli in a glass of milk.

9. Don't wear polka-dot underwear under white shorts.

10. The best place to be when you're sad is in Grandpa's lap.

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Laughing stock: Cattle with a sense of humor.

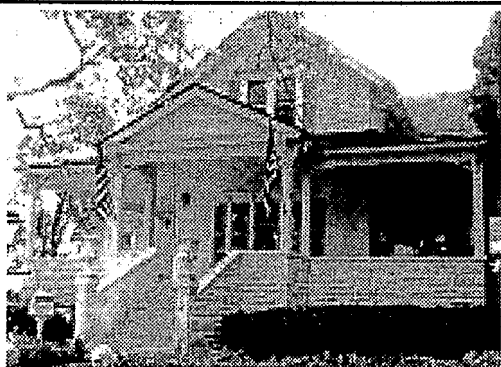
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# Police and Fire

## Independence Township

**April 24:** Eight oil paintings valued at \$10,000 reported stolen from restaurant on M-15 the night of April 23.

Purse stolen from vehicle at business on Dixie Highway near White Lake Road. The purse was recovered in a nearby store parking lot with a credit card missing.

**April 25:** Employee at a business on S. Main Street reported possible death threats heard from a third party.

**April 26:** Four hubcaps stolen from vehicle parked at Park 'n Ride on Sashabaw Road near I-75.

**April 27:** 49-year-old man from Atlanta, Michigan, transported to Genesys Hospital after collapsing at a work site on Bristol Park Drive. According to reports, the man struck his head on a cement floor during the fall and was administered CPR.

Percussion mallets and other band equipment stolen from Sashabaw Middle School on Pine Knob Lane.

26-year-old Roseville man arrested for operating his vehicle while intoxicated while traveling north on Sashabaw. The vehicle had tinted windows and according to reports was pulled over for defective equipment. P.B.T. results were .127.

Police dispatched for people arguing outside of a business at the intersection of Sashabaw and Maybee roads. After

stopping the suspected vehicle, a search unveiled suspected marijuana and drug paraphernalia. The three Clarkston men (ages 18, 19, 19) were released pending warrants.

**April 28:** Independence Road resident stated that at some point between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. someone poured motor oil and placed pieces of bologna on her car. There were also obscenities written on the windows.

Camcorder, two digital cameras and approximately 54 ink cartridges stolen from business on Dixie Highway near White Lake Road.

**April 29:** Police dispatched to a Sunnydale Drive residence for a missing 6-year-old around 9:30 a.m. The child was found at a car dealership on M-15 after employees saw the child walking alone down M-15 and called police.

27-year-old Waterford woman arrested for domestic assault on Reese Road around 4 a.m. The woman called police after a dispute with her boyfriend.

**April 30:** 47-year-old Independence Township woman arrested for domestic assault on Dartmouth after a dispute with her daughter.

Deputies dispatched for possible suicidal subject sitting on the Waldon Road overpass at I-75 with his feet dangling over. Police were notified by the man's friends who also observed him lying in the middle of Waldon Road. Police grabbed the man as he started to step

down from the overpass. He was transported to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital for involuntary committal. P.B.T. results were .117.

Arrest warrant requested for a 19-year-old Pontiac man suspected of possessing marijuana. The man was pulled over for a cracked windshield on Maybee Road around midnight. A search of the car revealed a baggie of marijuana, digital scale and other paraphernalia.

**May 1:** 25-year-old man from Solidaridad, Mexico, arrested for operating his motor vehicle while intoxicated on Telegraph near Dixie Highway around 4:19 a.m. Police were flagged down by a citizen who stated that two males were passed out in their vehicle at a traffic light for westbound Telegraph. The passenger was left at a nearby gas station. P.B.T. results were .11 and .12.

## Springfield Township

**April 24:** Computer stolen from residence on Ember Road.

Stereo, radar and other electronic equipment stolen from vehicle on Shore Road. The driver's side window of the car was broken.

Resident reported receiving a \$761.85 cell phone bill from a company he does not have an account with.

**April 25:** Laptop, briefcase and electronic supplies stolen from vehicle on Norman Road.

Tools and supplies totaling an estimated \$7,306 stolen from resident's work vehicle parked on Norman Road.

**April 26:** Police assisted fire department with a 36-year-old Clark Road man having medical problems at his residence. The man was transported to Genesys Hospital at 2:07 p.m. via Star Ambulance.

Edgar Road resident reported her car missing. The car was parked at 1 a.m. and discovered gone at 7 a.m.

Three total cases of stolen hubcaps from vehicles parked at the Park 'n Ride on Dixie Highway near I-75 reported on April 25 and 26.

**April 29:** 28-year-old Clarkston man arrested for domestic assault after a dispute with his wife on Andersonville Road.

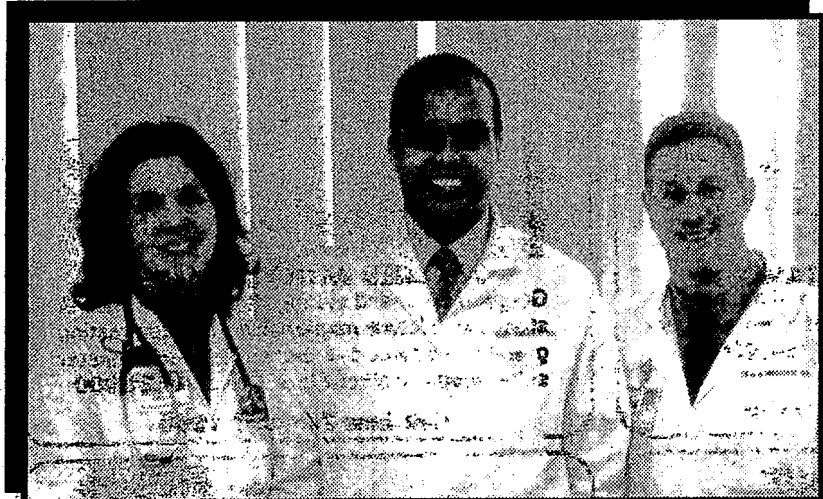
**April 30:** Domestic assault reported on French Lane at 2:58 a.m.

## City of Clarkston

**May 1:** According to Police Chief Ernie Combs, someone attempted to break into a downtown business on Main Street overnight. While no entry was gained, there was damage to the back door and a pry bar discovered in the vicinity. A day shift employee of the business called police when the damage to the door was discovered. The case remains under investigation.

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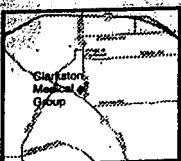
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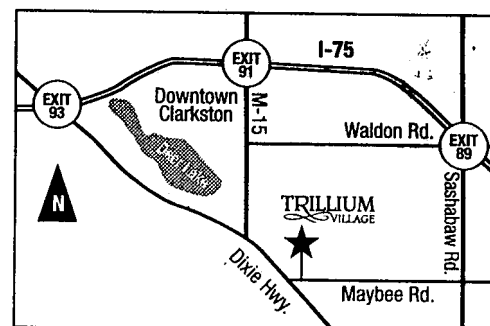
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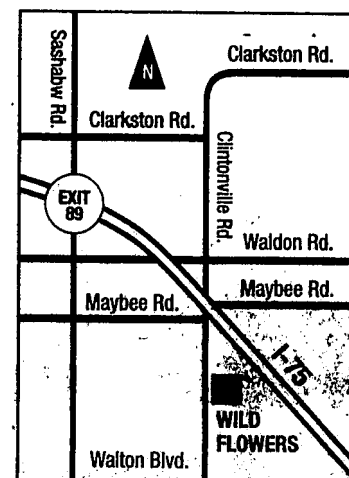
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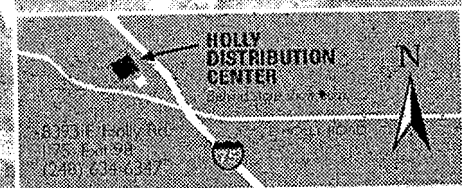
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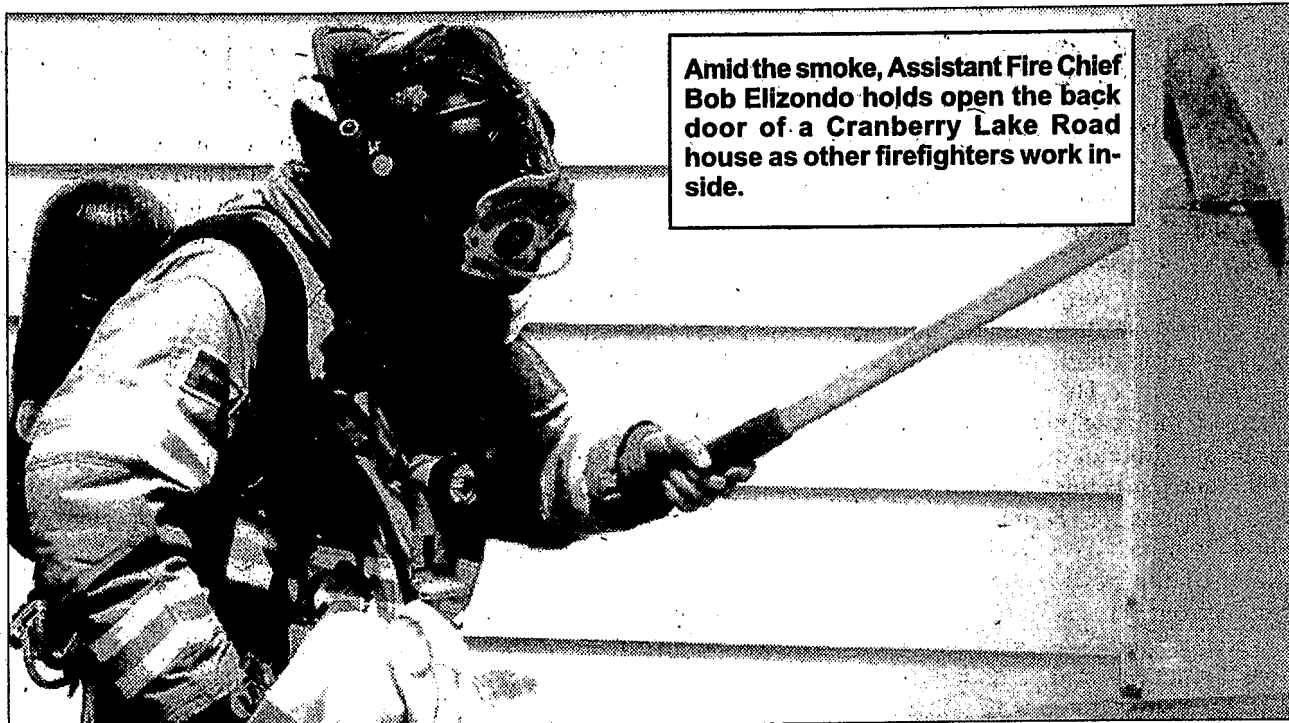
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# Schools to answer survey questions in 'School Link'

BY ANDREW DUPONT  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Several anonymous readers submitted questions for the Clarkston School district with their answers to a recent survey by *The Clarkston News*.

Those questions were submitted via e-mail to the Clarkston School district. The following is the text of the response from Anita Banach, director of communications and marketing:

"Thanks for sharing the questions with us. We will respond to each of the pertinent questions through our School Link publication (which is sent to every mailbox in the district) as well as updates on our Web site. If you would like to share the names of the respondents, please do so. We will be happy to send them a personal response.

We take great pride in communicating with our school community. As always, we encourage everyone to contact the district directly for quality information regarding the schools. I am pleased to say that this happens on a daily basis through conversations with teachers, bus drivers, administration, email contacts, building newsletters, personal meetings and contacts to the Board of Education."

The following questions were submitted:

- Why is there no visible effort by the district to study the possibility of sharing services with other districts to save money and to consolidate with neighboring districts if possible?

- What changes to course offerings and personnel does the district foresee in response to the newly approved state graduation requirements? Does this indi-

cate reduced resource requirements for high school electives, Renaissance High School and vocational training? How are Renaissance and voc training funded today? How/when will this affect the middle school and junior high curriculum?

**'We will respond to each of the pertinent questions through our School Link publication (which is sent to every mailbox in the district).'**

— Anita Banach  
Director of Communications and Marketing, Clarkston Schools

- How ethical is it for the school board president (Karen Foyteck)'s family to do business with schools for a non-bid job?

- Why don't we use all of our new buildings 12 months?

- What are the realistic plans for handling future growth of our district?

- Why doesn't the school board publish notices in our community paper anymore? How can we know what's going on if the school board doesn't pub-

lish notices?

- Will another high school be necessary?

- Have they considered changing their pay scale (for teachers)?

- Why doesn't the middle school offer more after-school opportunities?

- (Can you) explain the mixed message by collecting more than 18 mills?

- How many special education students do they have? What is the cost to educate a special education student?

- Where does all the money from the Homecoming dance go? Tickets cost \$20 per student, the dance is in the school, no refreshments were served. I can only see a small portion of the money collected being paid to decorations, DJ and janitorial staff. I think the money from the dance should off-set the prom cost for graduating seniors and the school should stop asking for

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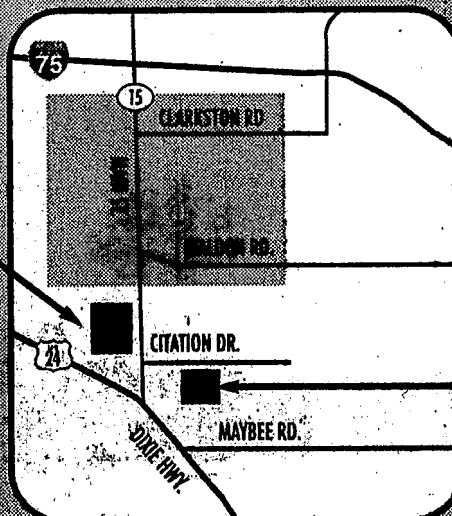
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# No action on senior center ballot issues

BY JENNY MATTESON  
Clarkston News Editor

The plodding pace to create ballot language for an August senior center bond issue and millage is frustrating some members of the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee.

At the March 7 regular meeting of the Independence Township Board of Trustees, Advisory Committee Chair David Lohmeier voiced that frustration.

"We on the commission are worried about the timing - we'd hope to come before the board at this time with a proposal, but the information wasn't available," said Lohmeier.

Lohmeier detailed several lacking pieces of information needed before making a formal proposal:

- The official construction costs for the new senior center.
- The language for both the bond and millage proposals.
- Whether or not the new senior center will include a gymnasium.
- With what name to reference the project and new senior center.

As stated in the March 8 edition of *The Clarkston News*, township officials and advisory committee members did receive copies of proposed ballot language late on March 6. Copies of the language were also available at the March 7 meeting.

However, Lohmeier emphasized during the meeting that the advisory committee did not have time to review the documents.

The proposed language for the bond issue is calling for a \$3 million project. At this time, the language does not include a set number of years the bond can be outstanding or the authorized millage amount to pay back the debt.

A four-year, 0.5 mill is listed in the proposed language for the senior operational millage. This millage would create a new tax in the township.

The language proposed in both instances makes reference to senior use, but includes language for recreational and community purposes.

"Speaking for myself at this point, I'm a little concerned about the millage proposition," said Lohmeier. "First on the half mill, I think we'll be way below that. Also, the language needs to be very specific to the senior center, not to parks and recreation."

"We need more than enough to do the job, but not so much that we overshoot. I want to caution us at

Please see Senior Center, page 15A

# Police, library millages on August ballot

BY JENNY MATTESON  
Clarkston News Editor

There will be plenty to consider in regards to Independence Township for the August election - including two millage renewals.

At the April 18 regular board meeting, trustees approved ballot language for both the police and library millages.

The police millage, after Headlee rollback, is 2.0547 mills. The original millage was authorized by voters in 2002 at 2.5641.

Township officials state in the ballot language the amount of revenue expected for collection is

\$3,385,434. The township currently contracts for 29 Oakland County Sheriff's office employees in the Independence Township substation.

The library millage is 0.6910 mills, rolled back by Headlee from 0.7500 approved in 2002 by voters. According to the ballot language, the township will collect around \$1,138,529.

"This is a renewal only. There is no increase in either millage amount. The only new revenue would be from new construction or inflation," said Finance Director Susan Hendricks during the April 18 meeting.

Please see Millages, page 15A

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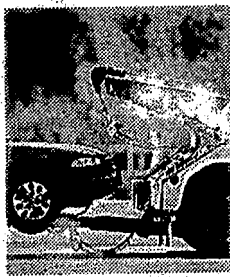
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## Senior Center

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building too much into this proposal."

Trustee Dan Travis agreed to keeping the bond issue and millage proposal for senior center use only.

"I'm glad to see this language finally," said Travis. "I know the timing is short and hypercritical."

Supervisor Dave Wagner said the township's bond attorney advised against making the scope of the bond issue and millage too narrow. Both he and Treasurer Jim Wenger voiced concerns about creating a fund balance (savings fund of unused revenue) with

the senior millage, while funding for parks and recreation continues to be cut.

"There's no wiggle room right now in parks and recreation. I would hate to see money sitting there in a fund balance for the senior center while parks and rec is struggling," said Wenger. "It's a fine balancing line."

On March 7, Lohmeier requested for the information on the senior center's building construction be provided as soon as possible. He told board members having that information in a line item format is important for public presentation.

A three-page schematic of the proposed senior center was distributed during the board meeting. The schematic is based on a design presented by Wagner

in January.

However, no specific costs for the design were available at press time. When asked, Wagner reiterated an overall price of \$3 million.

Independence Township has until 70 days before the August election to submit ballot language. The Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee hopes to return to the board with a recommendation this month.

The group is also planning an information gathering trip to the Rochester Senior Center this month.

To learn more on the background of the Senior Center land deal go online at [www.clarkstonnews.com](http://www.clarkstonnews.com) and browse our archives.

## Millages

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Treasurer Jim Wenger stated during the meeting the Headlee Amendment will continue to rollback the amount each year until 2010.

"We will need to do a truth in taxation or ask voters for a new millage to increase the amount, but we're not doing that," said Wenger.

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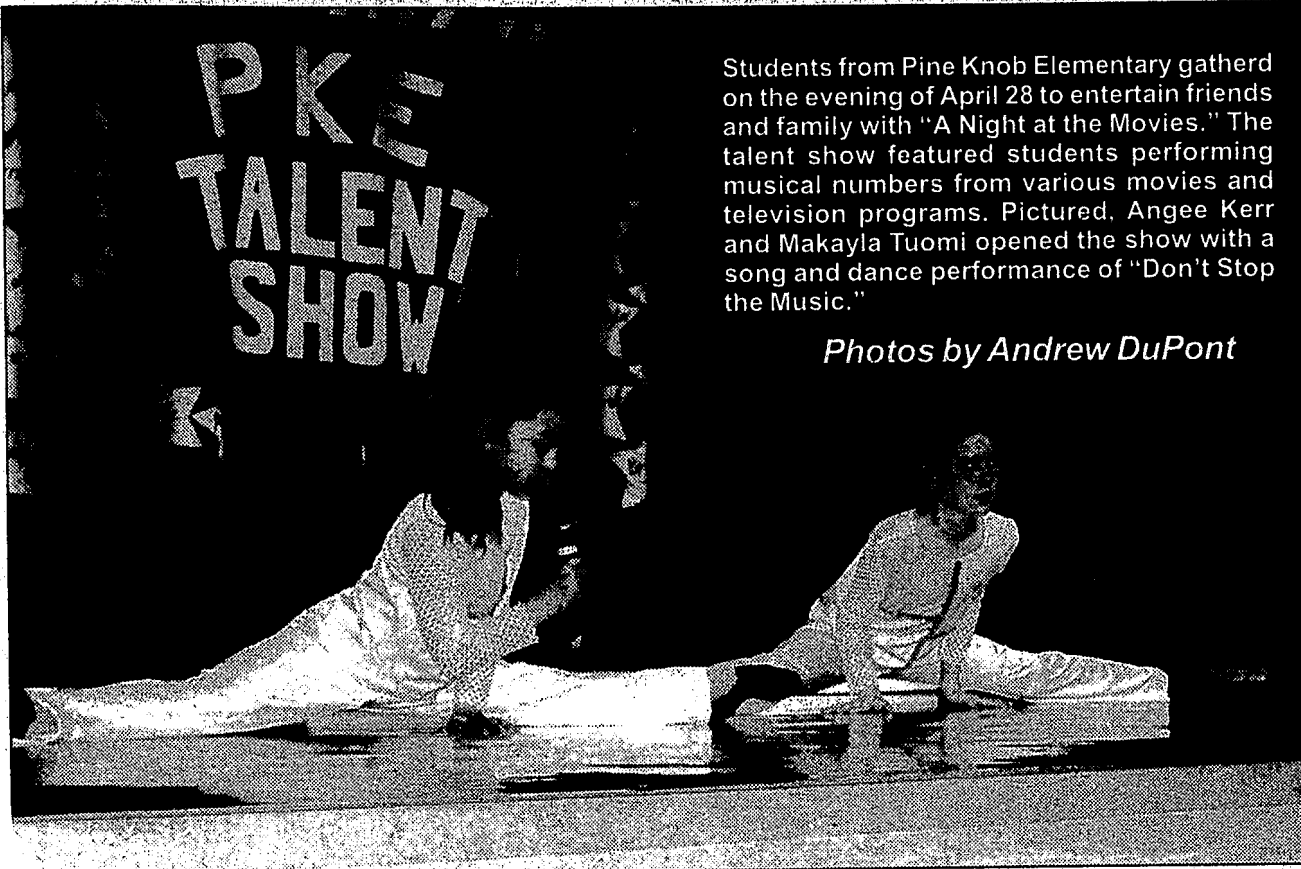


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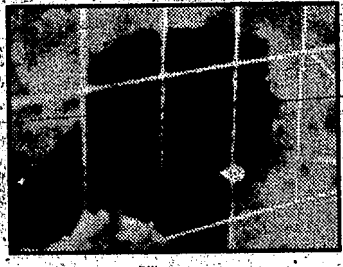
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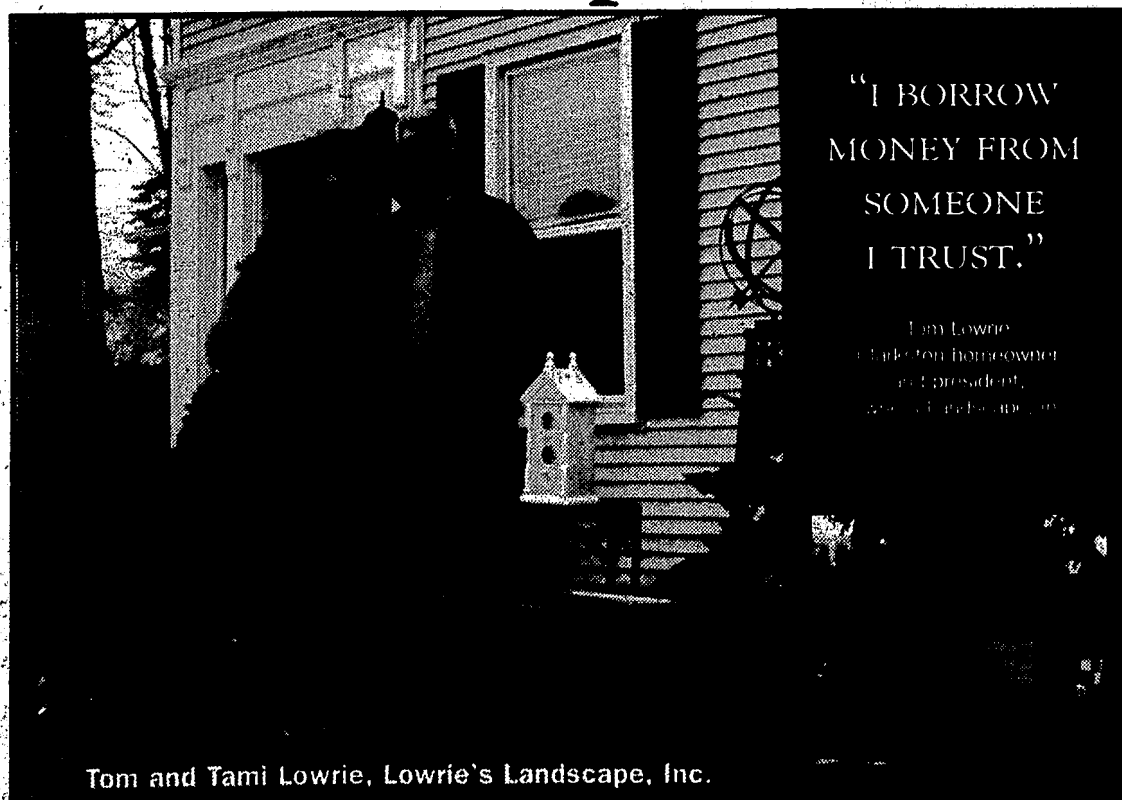
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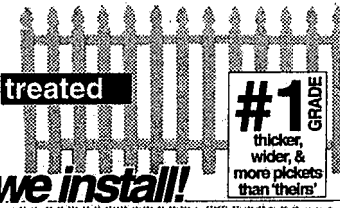
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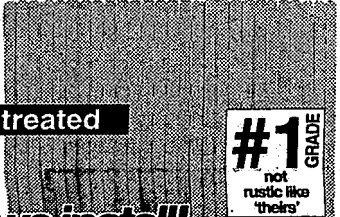
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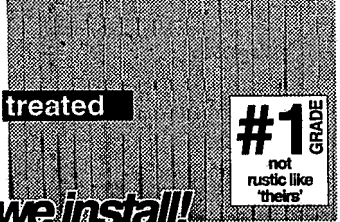
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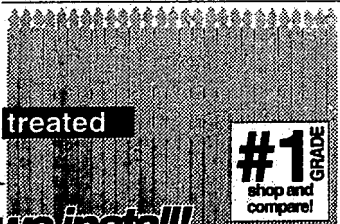
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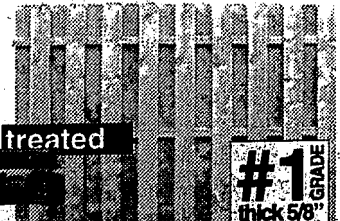
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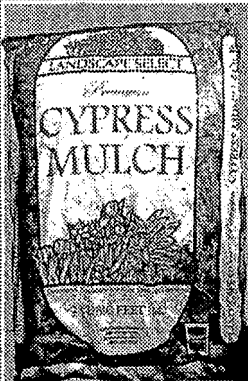
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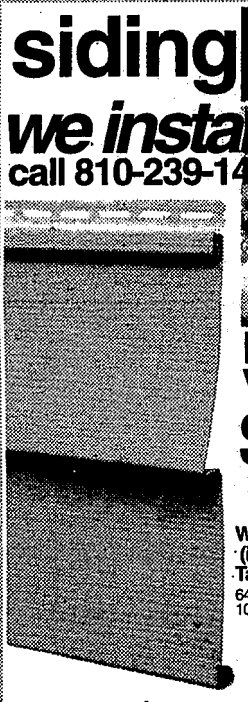
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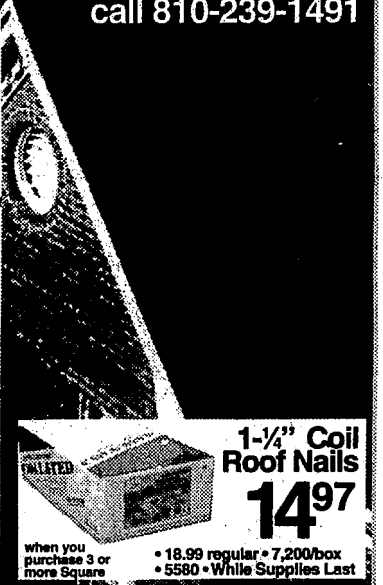
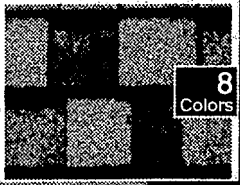
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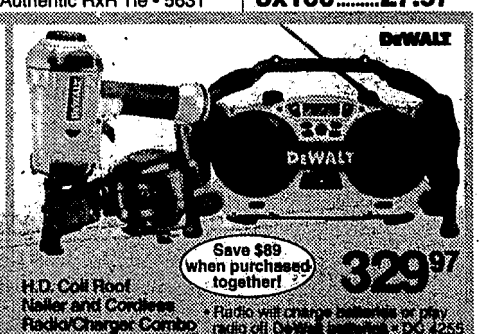
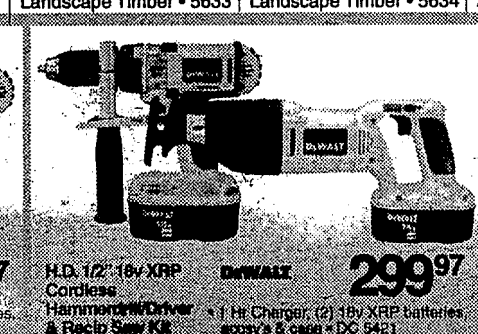
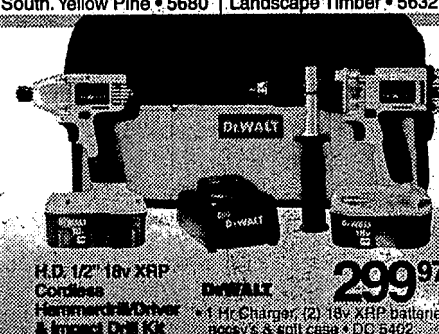
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# Exchange students give thanks with concert

BY JAMES MARTINEZ

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Smiling faces were abundant at Clarkston United Methodist Church on April 29.

About 50-60 local Youth for Understanding USA exchange students performed a talent show including songs and skits intended to show their gratitude to their host families.

"They did very well. There were funny and worked very hard. It went very well," said Tracy Molzon, whose family hosted a student. "There wasn't a dry eye there."

The Molzon family of Independence Township has housed Martha Ehrich, 16, of Germany since November and have thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

"She became part of the family," said Tracy, who along with her husband Marc, and children Bryce, 18, and Kyra, 16, opened their home.

"My kids learn so much from her and that's exciting. It's exciting to teach her too."

Martha also talked fondly about the exchange experience.

"It's probably been the best year of my life," said Martha. "You have stereotypes (coming over) and that's not true... most people here are like me even though they are American. It's been more than (I expected) I thought I'd come here and just want to go home, but I don't want to."

In addition to providing a place to live, meals and encouragement, the Molzons exchange cultural perspectives and customs with Martha. The "family" also shared a vacation to Hawaii.

"It was awesome. I would have never thought I would have gone to Hawaii... it's something I'll never forget," said Martha.

Recommending the experience to other families with children, Tracy Molzon said all involved got along famously.

"They all just got along like brother and sister. That's not to say they don't fight like brothers and sisters," she laughed.

With Martha's departure scheduled in June, the Molzons agree they will miss her.

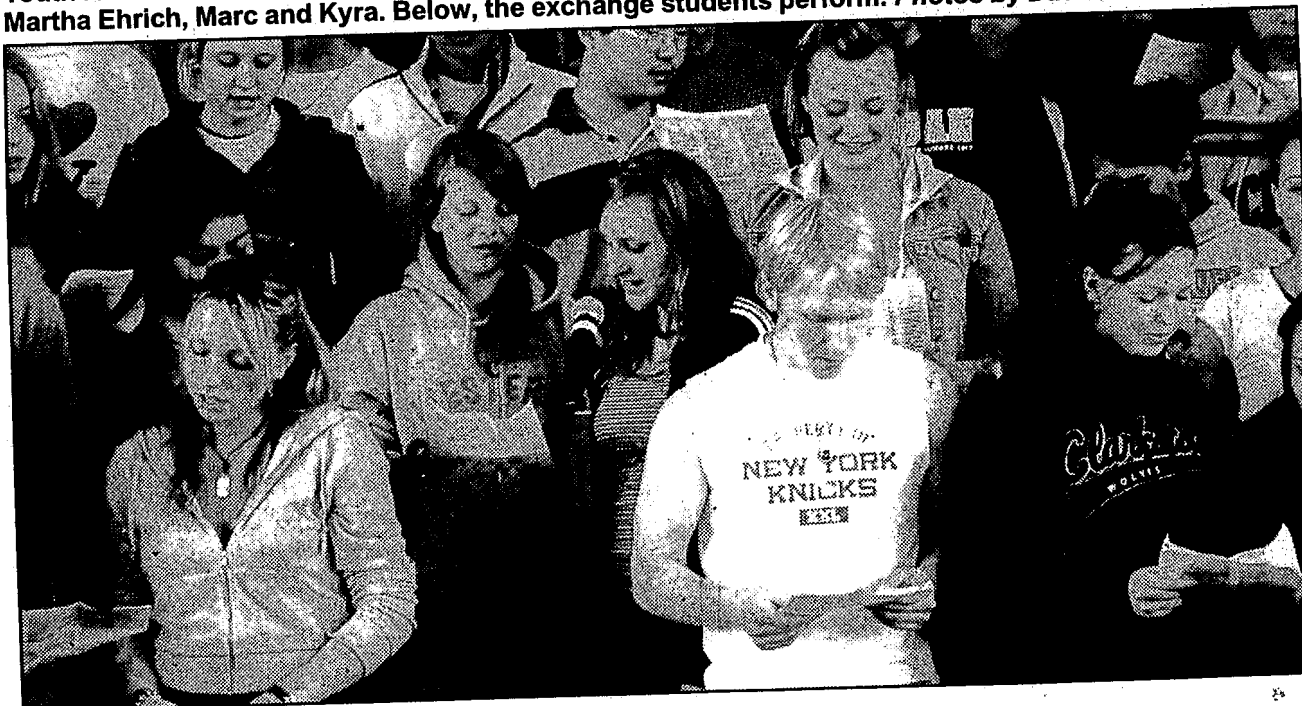
"It'll be really sad. Everyone will miss her," said Kyra. "I learned a lot about friendships and the German culture and what's going on there."

Youth for Understanding is looking for local families to host high school boys and girls for next school year.

For more information about Youth for Understanding USA, visit their Web site at [www.yfu-usa.org](http://www.yfu-usa.org) or call Barb Kilkka at 248-932-0811 or 1-800-872-0200, ext. 242.



Martha Ehrich, 16, of Germany, lives with the Molzon family of Independence Township as part of the Youth for Understanding USA student exchange program. From left to right: friend Nichole Mayer, Tracy, Martha Ehrich, Marc and Kyra. Below, the exchange students perform. Photos by Dave Pemberton.



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money from the Junior parents and the community to fund the senior all-night party.

- How many additional teachers could be hired if the position of school spokesperson was eliminated? In what way does (the communications department) contribute to the instruction of our students? I do not think it would be unreasonable to expect school board members, the superintendent and his administrative staff to speak for themselves.

- Why are they spending thousands of dollars on such things as new football turf, cars for the administration and

many other frivolous things rather than on the three 'R's'?

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- Is (the district's) existence really necessary? Could our tax dollars be put to better use if we were not paying for the duplicity of the salaries of the many overpaid administrators?

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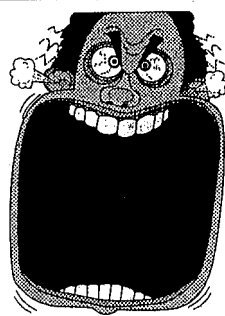
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# Clarkston News Sports

## Girls track remains in driver seat in OAA

BY DAVE PEMBERTON  
Clarkston News Sports Writer

The Clarkston sprinters continued their strong start this season and helped the girls track team earn two league victories.

The Wolves sprinters won the 100 hurdles, 800 relay and 400 relay to help Clarkston defeat rival Lake Orion 68-59 on April 27.

Two days earlier, the sprinters won the same three events to lead Clarkston to an 81-47 victory over Troy.

Autumn Touchstone won the 100 hurdles at both meets and was a member of the winning 800 relay teams. Touchstone was joined by Laura Kupe, Melissa Martinez and Erin Hoffman on the 800 team.

Kupe, Martinez and Hoffman, along with Megan Valley, made up the 400 relay team. Kupe anchors both relay teams and was pleased with how well her teammates ran. She had a lead to work with both times she was handed the baton against Lake Orion.

"The relays are a team sport and I have to continue all the hard work my teammates put in the relay," Kupe said. "I have to finish what they started."

The Wolves are known for their strong distance runners, but the sprinters have performed well this season and are a big reason why Clarkston is 4-0.

The addition of Kupe paid off for Clarkston. Kupe did not run last season because of an injury. Kupe said the sprinters are a hard working group.

"We are competitors out there," Kupe said. "We work hard and we want to win. We know the distance girls are going to win. If we can win, it just makes the team stronger."

Stephanie Thorstad also had a nice day against Lake Orion. Thorstad won



Clarkston's Kristen Cross competes in the high jump during the dual meet against Lake Orion. Photo by Dave Pemberton

both the long jump and the high jump. Lisa Sickman won the 1600 run and Stephanie Morgan won the 800 meters.

Clarkston took eighth place out of over 20 teams in the West Bloomfield Invitational on April 29. Clarkston finished with 24 points, two behind seventh place Pinckney. Milford won the event with 70 points.

The Wolves won three of the 16 events. Thorstad won the high jump with a jump of five feet and six inches, which was six inches ahead of the second place finisher.

Stephanie Morgan won the 1600 run defeating Milford's Carlie Green by just over seven seconds.

The 3200 relay team of Tiffany

Kincaid, Jenna Leach, Beth Hoekstra and Lisa Sickman edged the team from Saline by 0.7 seconds to win the event.

The Wolves next Invitational is on May 5 when they head to Ohio to take part in the Mitchell Roosevelt Invitational.

Clarkston's dual meet with Pontiac Northern on May 2 finished too late for this edition of *The Clarkston News*.

## Athlete of the Week – Clarkston Riverdaws

BY DAVE PEMBERTON  
Clarkston News Sports Writer

The nine-year-old Clarkston Riverdaws won the Clarkston Classic tournament this past weekend in the program's first games.

This is the first season the Riverdaws had a nine-year-old team.

The Riverdaws lost 10-0 to the Oakland Whitecaps in their first game. They bounced back to defeat the Rochester Diamond Kings 12-3 and then defeated Oxford 3-2 in extra innings.

Clarkston avenged its loss to the

Whitecaps with a 6-5 victory in the championship game.

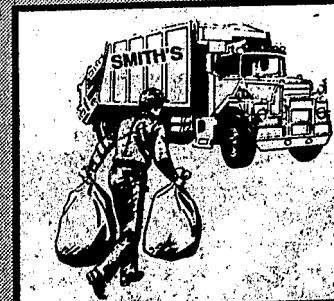
Riverdaws Coach Kirk Stegmeyer said he didn't know what to expect.

"I think it's going to strengthen the Riverdaws organization," Stegmeyer said. "We are going to be developing talent. Once they get to 14 or 15-years-old they will have two extra years of experience. Also, in the past some of the good nine and 10-year-old players used to go to other programs in Lake Orion or Oxford or Waterford because the Riverdaws didn't have one. Now they can stay here."



The Clarkston Riverdaws: (front left to right) Alex Stegmeyer, Ryan Liszewski, Bradley Schultz, William Scarlett, Adam Goeringer, Griffin Barta (middle) D.J. Zezula, Adam Klebba, Jacob Conroy, Tyler Creager, Joe Popp (back) Coach Kirk Stegmeyer, Randy Liszewski, Dave Creager, Head Brian Zezula. Photo provided.

See more pictures of the Riverdaws on page 28A.



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# Clarkston coach founds tournament

BY DAVE PEMBERTON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Clarkston softball Coach Don Peters is considered by many to be a legend in the Michigan softball world.

Peters has over 500 career wins. He led Ortonville Brandon to a state title in 1994 and to the final four in 1995 and 1999. But what he might be known for most has nothing to do with coaching.

He is the creator of the biggest high school softball tournament in Michigan called the Michigan Stars Tournament.

Peters started the tournament back in 1992 with 36 teams at the Suburban Fields in Rochester. This weekend at Liberty Park in Sterling Heights, 48 teams will compete for eight different titles.

The amount of teams is not what makes the tournament special. The quality of the teams is. All the top teams from the state come to the Michigan Stars tournament for the competition.

This year's tournament features three of the top four teams in Class A: No. 1 Regina, No. 2 Lakeland and No. 4 Milford.

Teams from Alpena, Imlay City, Flushing and Clio will also make the trip to Sterling Heights. Peters said the tournament turned out to be everything he wanted.

"We started it for two reasons," Peters said. "One, to promote fast-pitch softball and second, to give high school

girls a large tournament experience. Not all girls can play travel softball and experience the big tournaments. We thought we could do that.

"It was very popular the first year and we wanted it to be an on-going thing. The tournament became in such high demand we expanded it to 48 teams. We could increase it to more teams, but we don't have the space."

The tournament awards eight different trophies.

Teams are placed into pools and the winner of each pool goes into the championship bracket.

Two second place teams receive wild cards into the championship bracket based on their ERA. The rest of the teams are placed in brackets based on their finish in the pool.

Peters looks forward to taking Clarkston to the tournament this weekend. The Wolves face Warren Mott at 8:30 a.m. on May 6. Peters said as a coach he loves going to the tournament.

"It's nice to get a chance to play some tough competition and still be able to comeback on Sunday and have a shot at a championship," Peter said.

"The biggest thing is seeing a bunch of different teams and seeing how good you are. See how you match up with the good teams. Somewhere down the line in the tournament, you have to play a good team."

# Baseball team in a slump

BY DAVE PEMBERTON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Spring break did not come at a good time for the Clarkston baseball team.

The Wolves were 2-0 and ranked No. 7 in the state before the break. The week back, the Wolves went 4-3 and followed that up with a tough 8-4 loss to rival Lake Orion on May 1.

"We were playing real well before spring break, but then we had that 12 day layoff so that threw a wrench into what we were doing," Clarkston Coach Phil Price said after the loss to Lake Orion. "Today was one of the better games we played. They battled, but we gave them too many things."

"We have to stop beating ourselves. We didn't make them earn all the runs. A couple we just gave to them. When you play a good team like Lake Orion you can't just give them runs."

The Wolves (6-4, 1-3) took an early lead against the Dragons. Steve Vanderheyden and Steve McIsaac each had an RBI single in the first to give Clarkston a 2-0 lead.

McIsaac pitched out of two jams in the first two innings. In both innings, Lake Orion left a man on second and third.

In the third, the Dragons' Joe Barnes hit a triple and then scored on a wild pitch. Clarkston's McIsaac was then able to get three straight outs with a man on third.

The Dragons started off the fourth with three straight hits and tied the game on a fielder's choice double play.

Lake Orion added two more runs in the sixth and Dragon Nick Dunstan hit a double in the seventh that scored three



Mike Kittle delivers a pitch against Troy on April 28. Photo by Dave Pemberton.

runs.

Clarkston tried to mount a comeback in the seventh, but fell short. Brian Phillips hit a two-run homer in his only at-bat in the bottom of the seventh.

"I thought McIsaac did a real nice job pitching," Price said. "His pitch count

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### Only you can look out for your outlook

By Ernie Harwell

I think most of my attitude about taking personal responsibility for your own quality of life and health rubbed off from my dad, who contracted multiple sclerosis when he was about thirty years old, and died at seventy-two. Despite being unable to move his lower limbs during those many years, he had a sharp mind and a terrific outlook on life.

He was upbeat all the time and never let his physical condition get him down. He loved to have people visit and always had great stories and jokes ready for them. I think a lot of that was passed along to me. I saw that he had such an amazingly positive attitude and how much it meant to the quality of his life - and to the lives of those around him - every single day.

So it's probably not too surprising to those who really know me, that I consciously decide every day that I'm going to do something positive for my health and my outlook on life. I figure there's simply no guarantee that I - or anyone else - will feel good without making fitness and a positive outlook a personal commitment.

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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, 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 entitled "Life After Baseball," is available at local bookstores or by calling 1-800-245-5082.

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# Boys track topples Colts, falls to LO

BY DAVE PEMBERTON  
Clarkston News Sports Writer

Brad Gale had a memorable week for the Clarkston boys track team.

Gale won six events during the Wolves two dual meets and finished in the top five in three events at the West Bloomfield Invitational on April 29.

Gale won both the 100-meter hurdles, the 300-meter hurdles and was part of the winning 1600-meter relay team during Clarkston's 80-48 victory over Troy on April 25.

He followed that by winning the 100-meter hurdles and anchored the winning 400-meter relay and 1600-meter relay teams in the Wolves 88-40 loss to Lake Orion on April 27.

Gale then took fifth place in the 300-meter hurdles and third place in the 110-meter hurdles at the West Bloomfield Invitational.

With the win against Troy and the loss to Lake Orion, the Wolves are now 3-2. The Wolves won just five of the 16 events against the Dragons.

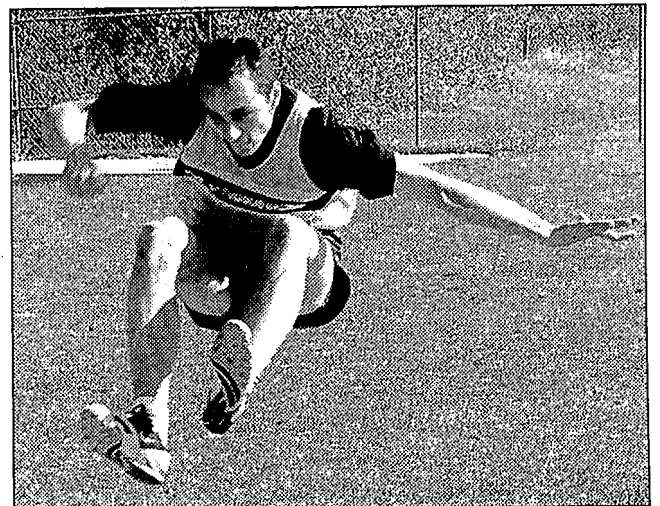
In addition to Gale's three wins, Nick Lamora won the 800-meter run and Matt Alexander won the 400-meter run. Alexander's win was a good sign because this was his first time running the 400.

"I'm not usually in this event so I was a little nervous," Alexander said. "I'm usually in the 800. I didn't really know what to expect. I just ran hard. I just want to do whatever the team needs me to do."

Alexander may continue to run the 400-meter due to his success against Lake Orion.

The Wolves next compete in the Ashley Relays at Mott on May 6.

Clarkston's match with Pontiac Northern on May 2 finished too late for this addition of *The Clarkston News*.



Kamil Dechnick competes in the long jump. Photo by Dave Pemberton.

## Boys tennis squad splits pair of conference matches

BY DAVE PEMBERTON  
Clarkston News Sports Writer

The Clarkston boys tennis team stumbled in its first match after spring break, falling 7-1 to Rochester Adams. However, the Wolves responded with a 6-2 victory over Farmington.

Clarkston Coach Chas Claus said he didn't think the break affected his team against Adams. He thought everyone played well against the Highlanders, but they are a tough team.

"We played Adams very good," Claus said. "They are at the top of the OAA II. They have a strong singles lineup. They

are the favorite in the league and they showed why."

Claus was very pleased with the team's response against Farmington. In a few matches this season, the Wolves had a chance to win if they could take a couple flights that went to three sets, but couldn't come through.

Against the Falcons, Clarkston was up 3-2 with three flights going to three sets. The Wolves needed to win two to take the match or one to tie. Clarkston was able to take all three to win in convincing fashion.

"That was our best match so far,"

Claus said. "The three flights came threw when it counted."

With the win, Clarkston improves to 2-3 and 1-2 in league play.

The Wolves also took part in the Grand Blanc Tournament on Saturday and tied for seventh place of out eight teams. West Bloomfield edged East Lansing to win the tournament.

The tournament featured some tough competition including Birmingham Groves and Detroit Country Day. Claus is hopeful the competition will help improve his team.

"That's why we play the elite level

teams because we eventually want to be an elite level program," Claus said. "We play the tough competition so we can get better and hopefully translate that into some wins."

The Wolves will attempt to pick up a couple conference wins in its next two matches. The Wolves took on Berkley on May 2, which finished too late for this edition of *The Clarkston News*. Clarkston then hosts Troy Athens on May 4.

The two matches are important since they will help determine where the Wolves are seeded in the OAA II tournament on May 11.

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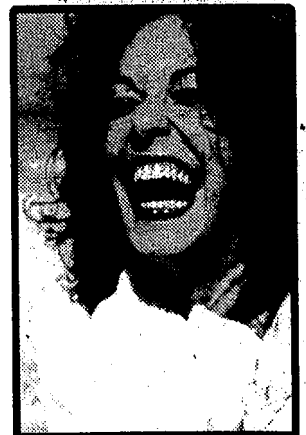
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# Softball sweeps three of four double headers

BY DAVE PEMBERTON  
Clarkston News Sports Writer

A couple late mistakes against Waterford Kettering on April 26 prevented Clarkston from going a perfect 8-0 last week.

Instead, the Wolves went 6-2 in four doubleheaders on four straight days.

Clarkston started off by defeating Sterling Heights Stevenson 4-1 and 4-3 on April 25. The Wolves then played their first two conference games of the season against Kettering.

In the first game, the Wolves were up 3-2 entering the seventh inning. Kettering had two hits to start the inning and a throwing error allowed Kettering to tie the game at three.

Olivia Cook hit a sacrifice fly to give the Captains a

4-3 lead. Kettering's Lyndsey Reynolds and Kaliah Kapp followed up by each hitting an RBI single to give their team a 6-3 lead heading into the bottom of the seventh.

Clarkston was not able to recover and get anything going in the seventh.

Linsey Upchurch hit a RBI double in the fifth during the second game to give Clarkston a 1-0 lead. Kettering scored two runs in the sixth to take a 2-1 lead.

Clarkston responded when Trisha Martens hit a sacrifice fly to drive in Kara Wandrie to tie the game at two in the bottom of the sixth.

Neither team had a hit in the eighth inning. Kettering took the lead in the ninth when Sami Tatu hit a RBI single. The Captains added two more runs in the inning.

Cook struck out the side in the bottom of the ninth to give Kettering the win.

Clarkston Head Coach Don Peters said he told his team they could play with Kettering and had a chance to win both games.

"We could have just as easily won both games," Peters said. "This is a really young team and they need to realize they can play at this level and start doing it. We just made a couple mistakes. We had a chance to win both games. We just didn't do it."

Clarkston responded the next day by defeating Stoney Creek twice. The Wolves won the first game 6-2 and the second game 7-3.

Megan Sperry earned the win in both games. Sperry pitched seven innings in the first game, with no earned runs and 12 strikeouts. In the second game, Sperry pitched four innings and struck out five.

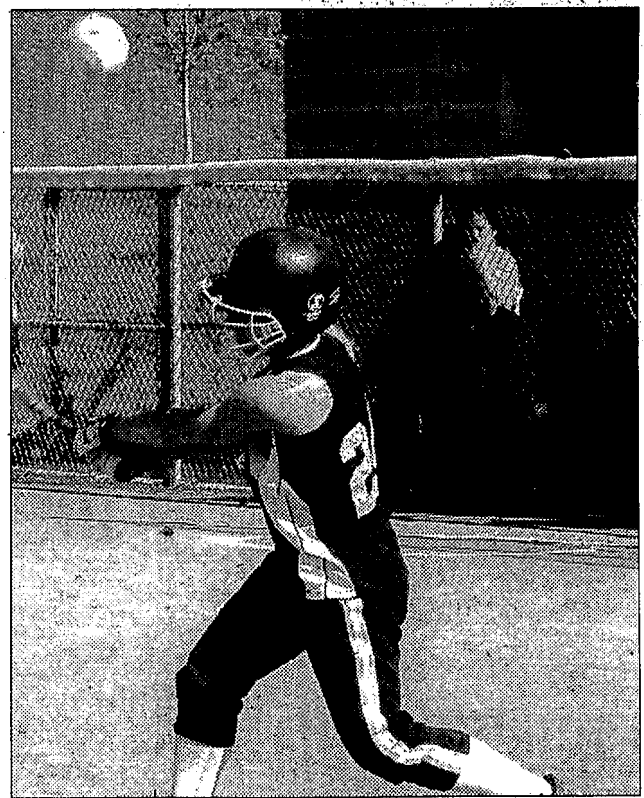
Amber Giroux had two RBIs in the first game and Wandrie had one RBI and two RBIs in the second game.

The Wolves ended their four consecutive doubleheaders by defeating Utica Ford 5-4 and 7-5.

Sperry pitched seven innings and had 10 strikeouts to earn the win in the first game.

She picked up the win in relief in the second game. She came in during the fifth and struck out four in two and two-thirds innings.

Peters said he thinks having the eight games helped



Caitlin Morris fouls off a pitch against Waterford Kettering. Photo by Dave Pemberton

make the team better and didn't feel fatigue was a factor.

"I don't put a lot of thought into those type of things," Peters said. "The spring is weird. You might be playing a whole bunch of important games back-to-back. You might get snowed out or whatever. I just tell the girls to be ready for anything. I just want to play ball."

"I think something like this is good for us because we start to develop that mental discipline. If your tired, so what. You might go 18 innings in a district game."

The Wolves are now 10-4 and 2-2 in league play. Clarkston will look to continue its winning ways when it faces Lake Orion on May 3 and then competes in the Michigan Stars tournament on May 6 and May 7.

## Baseball

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got up high and we're just not going to do that to a kid. When a pitch count gets high, the game isn't worth it."

Vanderheyden went 3-for-3 before hurting his knee in the top of the seventh. McIsaac went 2-for-2 with one RBI and a walk and Eric Ogg went 2-for-3 and scored a run.

On Saturday, Clarkston went 2-1 at the Chippewa Valley tournament. The Wolves defeated Chippewa Valley 11-7, lost to Dakota 19-4 and beat St. Clair Shores Lakeshore 14-1.

The two wins were welcome for the Wolves after they fell 3-2 to Troy on April 28 and 3-2 to Royal Oak Kimball on April 26.

The results for the May 2 game against Brandon were not available at press time for this edition of *The Clarkston News*.

Clarkston faces West Bloomfield on May 3 and Farmington on May 5 in league action. The Wolves then face Ann Arbor Pioneer on May 6.



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Alex Propson takes aim for the 10-year-old Riverdaws.



Max Fliegner, 10, pitches for the Riverdaws.

Photos by Dave Pemberton

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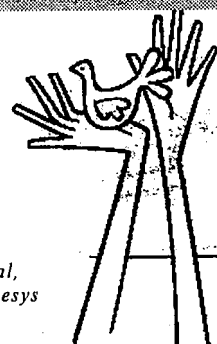
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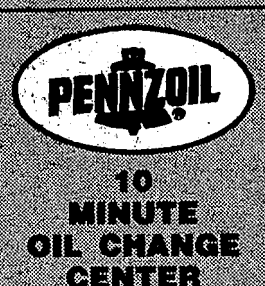
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## FOIA

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mation was submitted, and in reply, *The Clarkston News* received a fax with general benefit package information but no specifics.

An additional request for specific details regarding administrator's benefits was e-mailed to Banach on April 26.

In her response, Banach stated, "I am not exactly sure what you are requesting, as I have already provided you with all the benefit information provided directly from the contracts. Please put in writing, in the form of a Freedom of Information Request, what you are looking for so that we may better serve you and have a formal record of your request."

On May 1, a FOIA request was submitted to Superintendent Dr. Al Roberts for documents reflecting specific benefit package details (i.e. - retirement benefits, health insurance, transportation benefits, memberships dues and all other applicable categories) for the following individuals: Superintendent Dr. Al Roberts, Deputy Superintendent David Reschke, Executive Director of Business Services Bruce Beamer, Executive Director of Pre-K and Elementary Education Geraldine Moore, Executive Director of Technology and Information

Services Matt McCarty, Executive Director of Human Resources Linda Nester, Director of Food Services Janet Allen, Director of Communications and Marketing Anita Banach, Director of Transportation Kevin Bickerstaff, Athletic Director Dan Fife and Director of Building and Grounds Wes Goodman.

Under law, once a request is submitted, the receiver has five business days to reply.

Banach responded the same day, first stating that the district contacted a FOIA expert to see if disclosing individual's selections for benefits is an invasion of privacy. In contact later in the day, Banach said the information requested would be provided.

The federal FOIA applies to government agencies, but all states have their own laws regarding the disclosure of public records from public agencies. Michigan's FOIA applies to all public bodies that received a majority of their funding from state or local sources, including public school districts.

There are exceptions to both the federal and state FOIA laws, such as interfering with law enforcement proceedings or unwarranted invasions of privacy.

When more information regarding these benefit packages becomes available, it will be reported in a future edition of *The Clarkston News*.

## Local man arraigned for running down flagman

BY COLIN BAUMGARTNER  
Review Staff Writer

A hit and run left a construction flagman working on Joslyn Road in Orion Township last week lucky to be alive.

The flagman was directing traffic at a construction site on Joslyn Road near Judah Road at 9:41 a.m. on April 26, and was severely injured when the driver of a small dump truck struck the man and then drove over his legs.

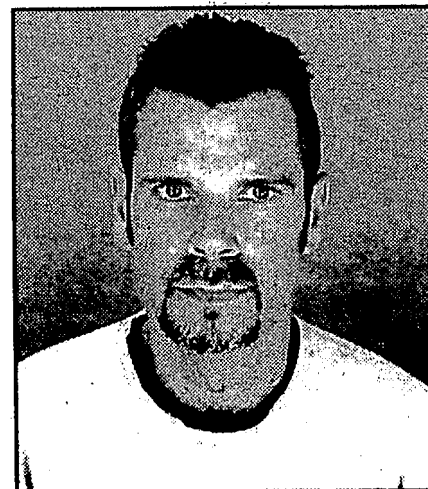
According to an Oakland County Sheriff's Department report, the driver fled the scene, but his dump truck was located and impounded from a construction site in Independence Township. He was later arrested.

The driver of the dump truck, 45-year-old Bryan Brette of Clarkston, was arraigned on April 28 on charges ranging from failure to stop at the scene of an accident, to felonious assault.

Brette (also known as Bryan Bette) is employed by Munro Construction in Berkley.

"Our belief is that it was an intentional act," said OCSO Lieutenant Bruce Naile.

Naile said Brette apparently became impatient while heading south on Joslyn, and crossed the double yellow line to pass stopped traffic.



Bryan Brette

He then stopped at the flagman and began shouting before accelerating and veering toward the man, striking him with a side mirror and knocking him to the ground.

The flagman, a 60-year-old man from Bad Axe who works for Dan's Excavating in Shelby Township, was transported to Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital, where he was admitted with a fractured vertebrae and fractured ankle, according to Naile.

The flagman was released, but was expected to return to the hospital.

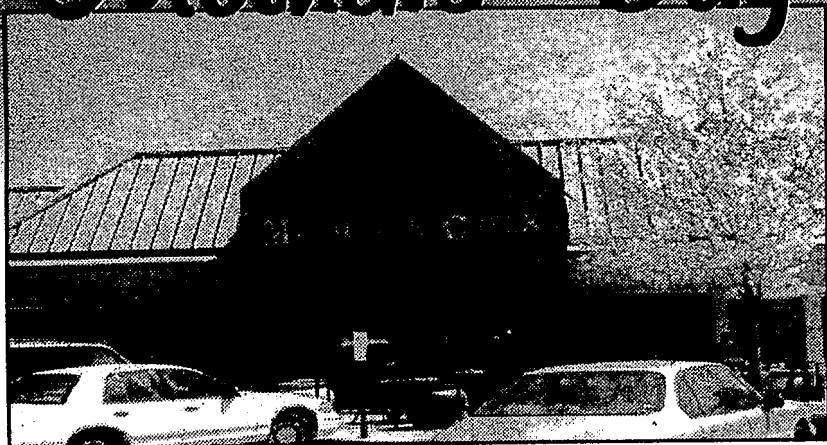
Brette, meanwhile, was held on \$30,000 bond.

"If he is released, he will have a tether placed on him," Naile said.

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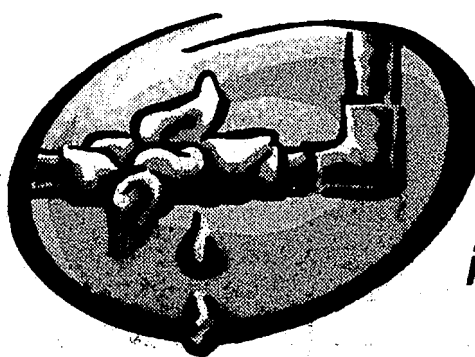
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## Orco

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current zoning is not appropriate... Furthermore, our testimony, experts and the reports we have given to you in presentation we believe establishes that the commercial zoning that is being requested is both reasonable, appropriate and needed...

"We believe that the zoning initiative, because I know that it is going to be the next matter before you, is not appropriate. We do not believe that the rezoning initiative by the township is a reasonable or appropriate use of the property... the property simply can't be used under the zoning initiative," Jacobs concluded.

During his remarks on Orco's proposal, Carlisle informed commissioners that the request is "not consistent" with the Master Plan, Vision 20/20 Overlay District or recommendations set forth in the Sashabaw Road Study. He did not recommend approving Orco's

request.

Township commissioners Dr. George Krull and Egan agreed with Carlisle, but took a slightly different approaches in the conclusion.

Dr. Krull referenced the many communities fighting "big box" developments and questioned whether Orco's representatives would want to be in that situation, "If you were working in one of those towns, would you want big development next to you?"

Egan did not agree with the answer received from Jacobs, "It was a little disingenuous to say that, in your written submission you were saying that this is the ideal, unique location for a big box store, and then to say you'd be happy living beside that yourselves if it was done well - I'm not going to go any farther with that."

No public comment was held during the meeting. The planning commission voted 7-0 to deny the rezoning.

Whether Orco Investments will pursue further avenues is uncertain at this time. The developer goes before the township board at 7:30 p.m. for a residential proposal also on the table for the property.

## Orco not finished

BY JENNY MATTESON

Clarkston News Editor

Although Orco Investment's proposal to rezone 70-acres at the intersection of I-75 and Sashabaw and Waldon roads for commercial and "big box" development was denied, the developer is not done in Independence Township.

Orco will be before the township board tonight, May 3, at 7:30 p.m. in the Clarkston Schools Administration Building, to discuss a residential proposal also on the table for the same 70-acre parcel.

In the current version of the proposal, Orco is asking to develop 456 homes, townhouses and apartment-style units on 66 acres of the property. The remaining four acres would be used for commercial.

The meeting is open to the public.

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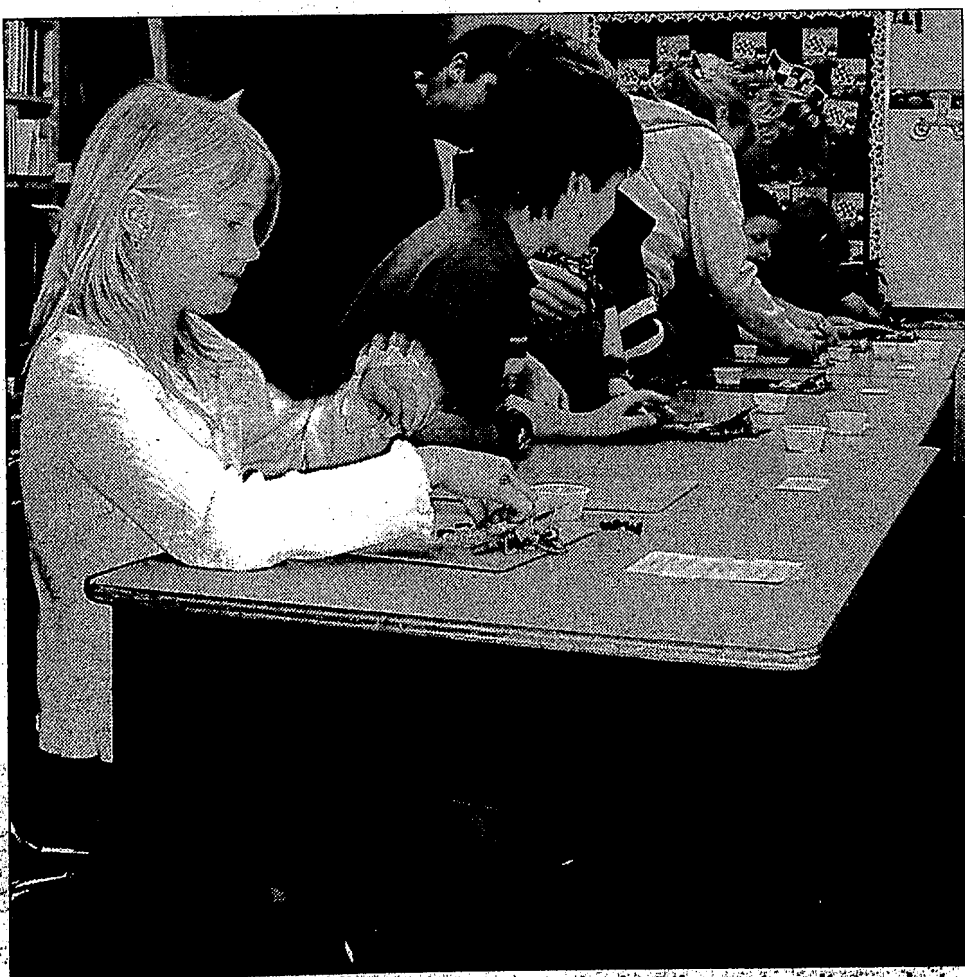
# CE Students Discover Michigan

Family night at Clarkston Elementary gave parents a chance to spend time with their children while they have fun and learn. This year's theme was "Discover Michigan," and every station visited featured fun ways for students to learn more about their home state.

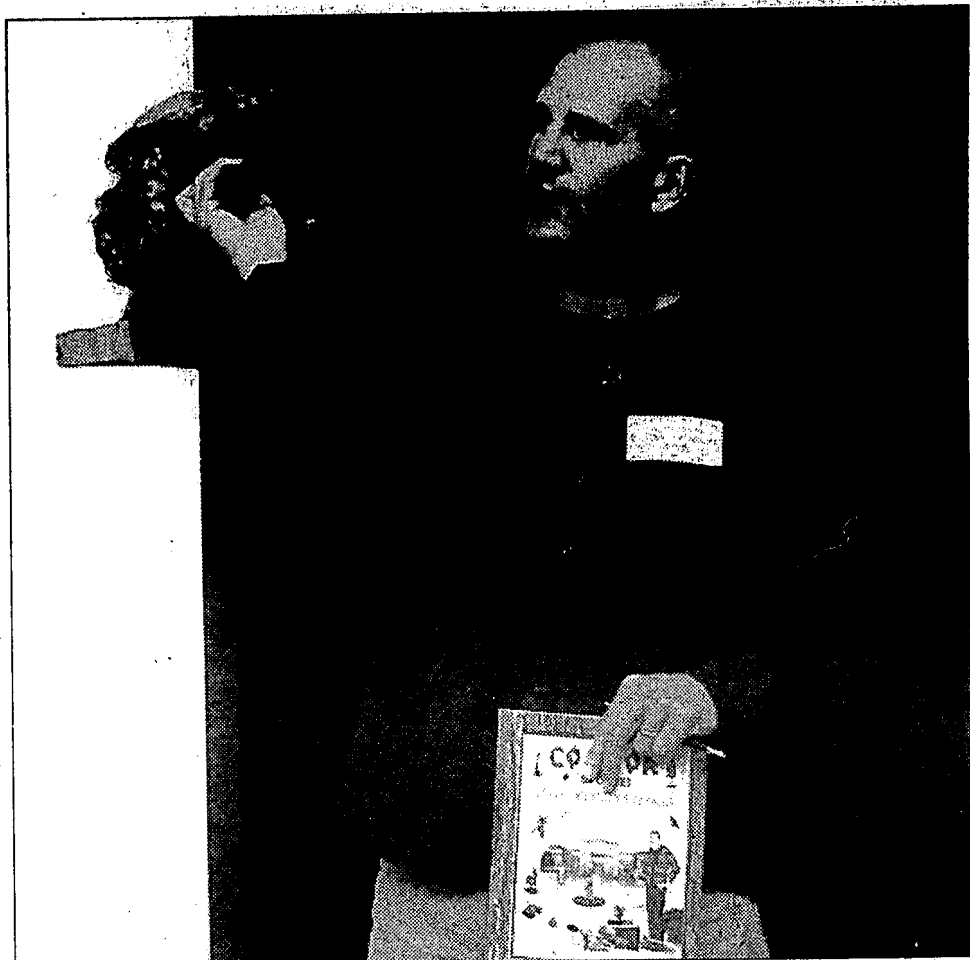
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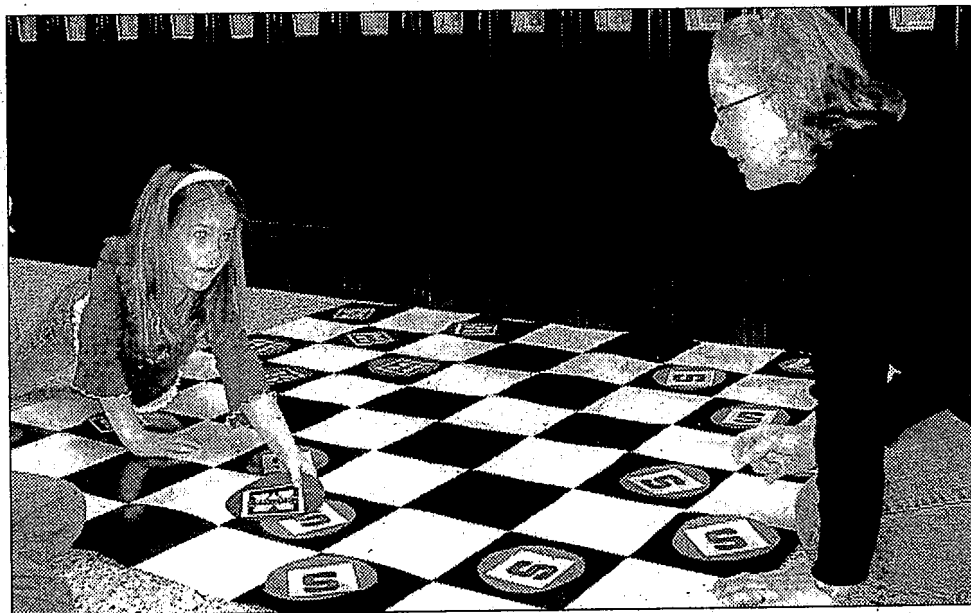
Four-year-old Isbelle Kline snags a fish in the Outdoor Michigan room.



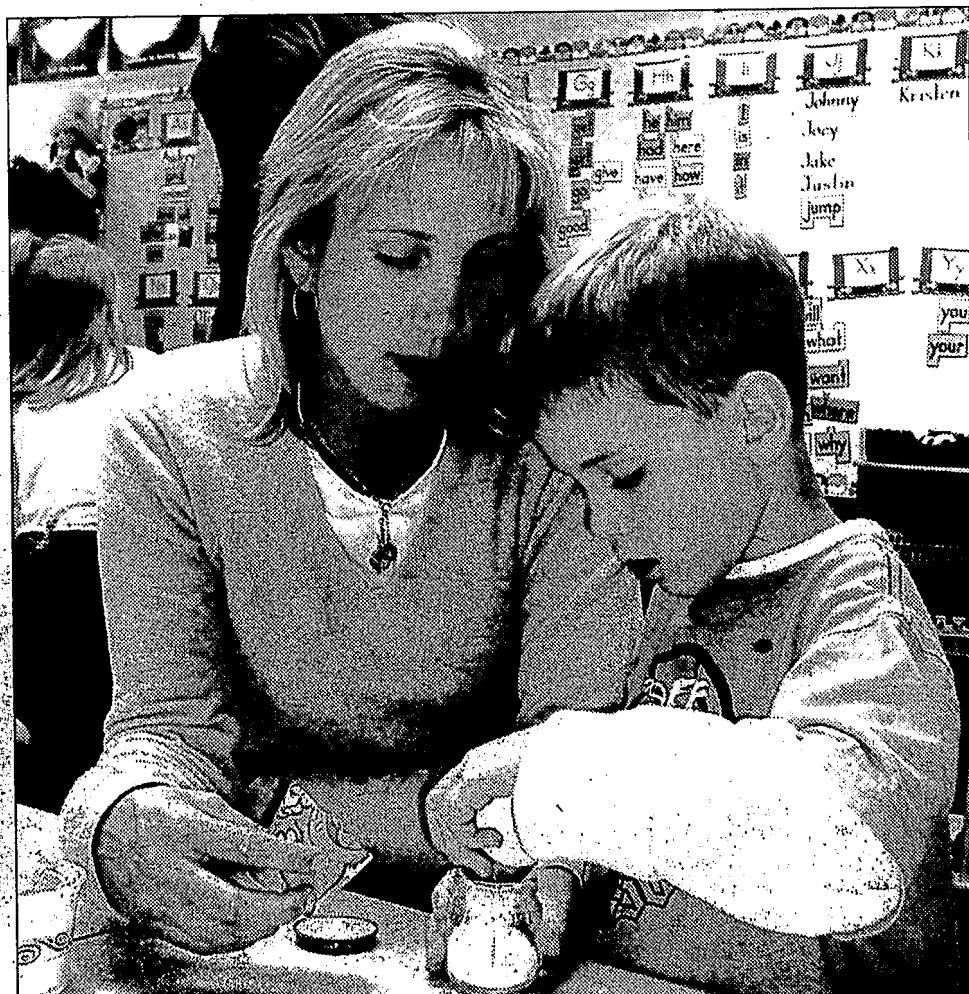
You can't talk about Michigan without mentioning the motor-city, and students learned why Detroit earned that name. Marissa VanHorn sits at the end of a student assembly line making "cars."



Earlier in the day, students got a visit from local author and chainsaw artist Gary Elzeman, who told them about how he carved the 11 state symbols and wrote a children's book about them.



Chloe Brueck makes a move against her mother Ronnie in University Checkers, where one team played as the University of Michigan and the other as Michigan State University.



Amy Beattle helps her son Joey create sand art at the station about Sleeping Bear Dunes.



## People Poll

### Pistons or Red Wings?



"Pistons. They have better depth and a great system."  
— John Jacobs



"Red Wings. They have won it before so they can do it again."  
— Sarah Ritter-Williams



"The Pistons. They are more consistent."  
— Brad Stricklin



"The Pistons. The Wings have no passion and no offense."  
— Levon Shook

By Dave Pemberton

# The Clarkston News' Millstream

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

## Coming to a theater near you

BY JAMES MARTINEZ  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

On a winter day in Flint in the early 70's, a disc jockey working for WWCK-FM heard a knock on the window and looked up. Peter Cavanaugh waved with an attitude and then proceeded to pee his radio station call letters, WTAC, into the snow before speeding off in his car.

This and many other scenes from Cavanaugh's career on the radio, retold in his book "Local DJ, A Rock 'N' Roll History," may soon be hitting the big screen with ties to reknown film producer Michael Moore.

Cavanaugh worked in radio from the late 1950's to 90's in New York, Iowa, Ohio and Flint, Michigan. He served as one of the most influential people on the Michigan music scene — helping promote concerts featuring the likes of Bob Seger, Ted Nugent, MC5 and Alice Cooper at Mt. Holly, Sherwood Forest in Davison and other places.

During his career, he carried Chuck Berry's guitar case, introduced Jimi Hendrix, made fake credentials to meet the Beatles in Detroit in 1964, introduced Bill Cosby, who made fun of him on stage for 10 minutes, loved Led Zeppelin and turned up music as loud as possible whenever he could.

Starting in this edition, *The Clarkston News* looks at Cavanaugh's career and how he came to Independence Township. To order the book, look to [www.wildwednesday.com](http://www.wildwednesday.com).

### "Support your local radio friends"

Blue Lake Entertainment purchased the movie rights to Cavanaugh's book "Local D.J., A Rock 'N' Roll History" recently. BLE is run by Kathleen Glynn, wife of Michael Moore, director of "Roger & Me," "Bowling for Columbine" and "Fahrenheit 9/11."

According to Cavanaugh, discussions first started with Moore and Glynn in April 2005, with a contract signed in Jan. 2006

'Kathleen is looking to have a script developed by a major Hollywood writer and she doesn't quite know who that might be yet. She sees it as sort of a combination... of 'Almost Famous' and 'Dazed and Confused'.'

— Peter Cavanaugh

Former WTAC radio personality  
Independence Township resident



A young Peter Cavanaugh circa 1975 at Flint's WTAC. Photo provided

for "Local DJ"'s film rights. As Cavanaugh worked on the book from April to June in 1994, he sent pieces to Moore and Glynn, who he has had ties with since Moore's earlier Flint radio days in the 1980's.

According to Cavanaugh, the book appealed to Moore because of his ideas about the 1960's as a renaissance period that ushered in a degree of change that will not be completely discernible for many years.

"He was very complimentary, as far as the book summing up not only a chronological history of rock 'n' roll from a Michigan perspective, but you had the double action of playing the music and being influential upon

the music," said Cavanaugh.

"(Michael and Kathleen) said, 'We really want to take "Local DJ" and do something with it, but we're not sure what yet.' They were just starting work on "Sicko,"" said Cavanaugh.

Three options are being looked at, said Cavanaugh. The three tentative ideas include: a documentary of Michigan music during a time where many things were happening on a national level; a movie about a DJ from Syracuse, New York, being in the right place at the right time who runs into rock 'n' roll; or a production emphasizing the radio industry discussed in the book.

"Kathleen is looking to have a script developed by a major Hollywood writer and she doesn't quite know who that might be yet. She sees it as sort of a combination... of 'Almost Famous' and 'Dazed and Confused,'" said Cavanaugh, who plans to work with the writer on the script.

"I'm very honored to be in such esteemed company. I've known Michael and Kathleen through the years and I know them as friends sitting around my office at WWCK in Flint with my feet up on the desk telling jokes," said Cavanaugh.

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There's so much happening at **Independence Township Parks and Recreation:**

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Registration begins April 6. Course taught by Sgt. Tom Wanless, a certified instructor.

• Come join Fred Townsend, birder extraordinaire, to share the fun of "**Birding**" on this early morning walk. Learn the techniques of recognizing our different feathered friends while discovering some of their interesting behavior. Find out why healthy habitats are so important.

The event is May 6 beginning at 8 a.m. at Davis Lake Overlook and Eaton Meadow Preserve in Davisburg. The event is free and open to all ages!

• Come out and **Explore Spring** with Jonathan Schechter, popular naturalist and writer. Discover the diversity of plants and animals that live in Kimball's woodlands. Many wildflowers, frogs, salamanders, birds and mammals await the participants.

Join all the fun on May 14 at 1:30 p.m. in Kimball Sanctuary in Clarkston. The event is free and great for all ages!

To discover more about Independence Township Parks and Recreation, call 248-625-8223.

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The **Widowed Support Group** will meet on May 4 at 7 p.m. in the Independence Township Senior Center.



## Enjoying hometown history

Second graders from Pine Knob Elementary kicked off the Clarkston School District's historical tours this past Friday with visits to downtown buildings. Pictured are Gabby Newton, Matthew Johnson, Nolan Stesney and Joey Gwisealla, Jr. checking out the Clarkston News building and newspaper. Photo by Jenny Matteson

This month's topic is "In Search of Our New Self: Creating Our New Identity." The meeting is facilitated by Bereavement Counselor Alicia Brown.

All are men and women recently widowed are invited to attend the free session. No registration necessary and walk-ins are welcome. Refreshments will be served.

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Looking for a great read? Then stop by the **Springfield Township Library's Used Book and Bake Sale** May 4-6! The event is sponsored by the "Friends of the Springfield Township Library."

Hours for the sale are 10 a.m.-8 p.m. on May 4, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. on May 5, and 10 a.m.-noon on May 6. Saturday is also Bag of Books sale day.

For more information, call 248-846-6550. The Springfield Township Library is located at 12000 Davisburg Road.

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The MOMS Club of Clarkston will host its annual **Mom2Mom Sale** on May 6 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Bridgewood Church (corner of Rattalee Lake Rd. and M-15). Tables are available for rent for those interested in selling their gently used baby and kid-related items.

For more information on table rental, please contact Amy Siwicki at 248-394-1157 or asiwicki1@comcast.net.

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Stop by the Sashabaw Meadows Clubhouse on May 6 for a **12-Hour Scrapbooking Crop** beginning at 10 a.m.

Enjoy crafting, conversation and prizes while showing support for local athletes. All proceeds from the event benefit the Stray Cats, a 13U girls AAU Basketball Club.

The cost is \$30 and includes catered lunch and dinner, free refreshments and snacks, entry for door prizes, entry for page contests and access to a Creative Memories consultant for help with all scrapbooking needs.

The clubhouse is located at 4359 Dogwood Blvd. in the Sashabaw Meadows Mobile Home Park. For more information or to get a registration form, please contact Pam Williams at 248-505-0116 or e-mail jpsbwilliams@hotmail.com.

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The snow is ending and golf season is almost upon us! The Clarkston Area Optimist Club is once again sponsoring a **Junior Golf Qualifier** for boys and girls ages 10-18 on May 7 at Liberty Golf Course.

The entry fee is \$50 and registration deadline is April 28.

Winners and qualifiers in each category will advance to the district tournament on June 19 and 20 (36 holes for ages 14-18) at Davison Country Club. Those who qualify will continue on to the Optimist International Junior Golf Championships at the PGA National Resort and Spa in Palm Beach Gardens.

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# Handle hair loss at Alternative Hair Center

BY JAMES MARTINEZ  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Those dealing with the stress and frustration of hair loss and balding can find relief at the Alternative Hair Center on Sashabaw Road in Independence Township.

At AHC, Manager Karen Henckel and her staff of hair technicians help people find confidence again after suffering from hair loss.

"When people have lost their hair, it's like they feel they are walking around with out their clothes on. A lot of people say they feel invisible," said Henckel.

People's reactions once they enhance their look at AHC make Henckel's work day.

"It's priceless, that's why I still do it. It's very rewarding to know you can help someone like that. And all of us who work here feel like that," she said.

AHC treats the five types of hair loss including Alopecia, female pattern hair loss, chemotherapy, temporary hair loss and male pattern hair loss. Treatment is conducted through nonsurgical methods which are completely reversible and cause no damage to the scalp or existing hair. AHC deals with patients one-on-one, custom fitting a hair system to clients' life-styles.

"There are so many different types of hair loss that no matter the type we can fix it through color, cut, style or whatever they want. You can bring a picture, I can create that. Between all of us on staff, we've seen it all," said Henckel, who emphasized AHC is not a hair trans-



Karen Henckel works at Alternative Hair Center located at 5730 Bella Rose Blvd. Photo by James Martinez

plant clinic.

"This is for dealing the reality that you've lost your hair and it's not coming back."

Henckel stresses that many people try medicines, but cannot get the results of AHC's hair systems.

"The drugs won't get the results de-

pending on what you want. If you want a full head of hair, the drugs won't do that. We will," said Henckel.

Recognizing the sensitivity many people enduring hair loss feel, Henckel and her staff strive to provide a comfortable, private atmosphere. Their building contains separate rooms for patients and

appointments are scheduled to eliminate unnerving waiting rooms filled with strangers.

"I try to make them feel comfortable. I sit down and have eye contact and listen to them. I've been doing this for a long time," said Henckel.

There is also a masseuse on staff who understands hair loss so customers can get massage therapy without worrying about being treated by someone unfamiliar with hair systems.

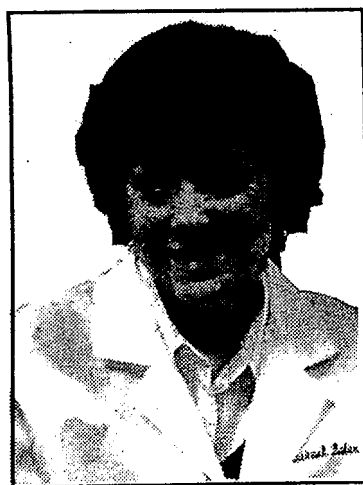
Helping people who have lost their hair due to chemotherapy has a special place in Henckel's heart. Her mother's death from breast cancer caused her to want to help "Look Good Feel Good," a program run by the American Cancer Society. The program prepares women undergoing medical treatments to cope with their hair and makeup concerns.

"Sometimes it's tough. You see someone younger than you are in this situation. It's really emotional," said Henckel.

In the future, Henckel hopes to host a fund-raiser at AHC to provide hair systems for people with the five types of hair loss who cannot afford the replacement systems.

Alternative Hair Center is located at 5730 Bella Rose Blvd, suite 300 off Sashabaw near DTE Music Theatre. The hours are Tuesday 10 a.m. - 7 p.m., Wednesday 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m., Thursday 10 a.m. - 7:30 p.m., Friday 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. and Saturday 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. For more information call 248-625-6560 or visit [www.alternativehaircenter.com](http://www.alternativehaircenter.com).

## Vitamin supplements ups and downs



Dr. Sholeh Vaziri M.D.

At least 30% of U.S. residents take some form of vitamin supplement regularly. With all of the information available, knowing whether to take a supplement and choosing the right supplement can be difficult. Vitamin supplements should never replace a healthy diet rich in fruits and vegetables. Some specific supplements may be beneficial in certain individuals and some supplements may be harmful if taken in high doses. While general guidelines do not replace a discussion with your physician, reviewed below are some of the vitamin supplements our patients frequently ask about.

**The Antioxidants-Vitamin E, C, A and B-carotene** The antioxidants in our diet act to protect against the damage done by free radicals. Free radicals are environmental and metabolic factors thought to be involved in tissue damage that can lead to heart disease and cancer. Vitamin E is found in vegetable oils, seed oils, and nuts. Vitamin C is found in citrus fruits and tomatoes. Vitamin A and B-carotene are found in meat and dairy products, yellow fruits and vegetables. Supplemental antioxidants beyond the recommended daily allowance (RDA) have not shown any consistent benefit in the prevention of heart disease and cancer. Excess vitamin E can interfere with blood clotting. High doses of supplemental vitamin A and B-carotene have been shown to increase the risk of lung cancer in smokers. Additionally, supplemental vitamin C has not been shown to prevent upper respiratory illness and can increase the development of kidney stones in some. Currently, no strong recommendation can be made for any benefit to supplemental antioxidant vitamins beyond the RDA.

**The B Vitamins - Vitamin B6 and B12**

The B Vitamins are found in meat, fish and dairy products. Vitamin B6 is also found in grains, soy, and vegetables. About 10-30% of older people have decreased absorption of Vitamin B12. Vitamin B12 deficiency can lead to anemia and neurological problems.

Seniors may benefit from a supplement with at least the RDA of vitamin B12.

Additionally, strict vegans can sometimes develop vitamin B12 deficiency. If there is a significant concern for Vitamin B12 deficiency, a physician can test for this. If severe, Vitamin B12 injections may be required periodically. The B Vitamins are also involved in the breakdown of homocysteine, a factor known to increase the risk of heart disease. However, it is not clear if supplemental B vitamin beyond the RDA decreases the risk. Research in this area is ongoing.

**Folate-Folate** is found in green leafy vegetables and meat. For women of childbearing age, a multivitamin supplement with at least 400mcg of folate has been found to decrease the development of neural tube defects in offspring. Any woman considering family planning should discuss folate supplementation with her physician. Like the B Vitamins, folate is also involved in the breakdown of homocysteine. Again, research continues to determine if supplementation decreases the risk of heart disease in patients with high homocysteine. Folate deficiency can cause anemia and levels can be tested if necessary. Excess folate supplementation can also mask Vitamin B12 deficiency.

**Vitamin D - Vitamin D** is found in fish and fortified milks. It is also manufactured in skin

cells. Along with calcium, Vitamin D is important for the maintenance of strong bones. Elderly people with little sun exposure and dark skinned individuals are at risk for deficiency and may benefit from supplement. The latest recommendations for Vitamin D intake to slow bone loss are 400 IU for those 51-70 years old and 600 IU for those over 70. Individuals with osteoporosis may require more and should discuss these guidelines with their doctor. Adequate calcium intake is also important to healthy bones and specific recommendations should be discussed with your doctor. In general, adults 25-50 years old should have 1000-1200 mg of dietary calcium intake daily. Post menopausal women and people with osteoporosis should have 1500 mg dietary calcium intake daily. An 8 oz cup of milk has approximately 300 mg of calcium. Other good sources of calcium include yogurt, cheese, broccoli, figs, beans and fortified orange juice. If dietary intake is not adequate, a supplement may be appropriate.

As with any supplement or over the counter product, always inform your doctor what you are taking. Remember side effects can occur even with dietary supplements and there is no "one size fits all" answer. Use your annual exam to review your diet and determine if supplements are appropriate for you.

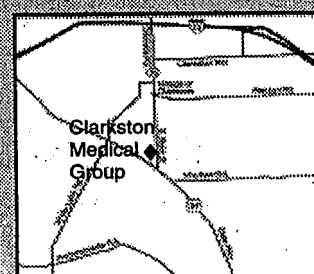
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## Milestones

### Diamonds and Gold



On May 5, 1956, Clifford (Bill) W. Smart and Dolores J. Muscat were married on Cliff's birthday at St. Williams Roman Catholic Church in Walled Lake, Mich. The couple is celebrating their 50th anniversary this year, and Cliff is celebrating his 75th birthday.

The Smarts are both graduates of Walled Lake High School. Cliff is a veteran of the U.S. Navy having served for four years during the Korean War.

The couple has made their home in Clarkston for over 40 years.

A family vacation is planned in honor of the occasion. Joining them in celebrating are their son Michael (Amy) Smart of Indianapolis, Indiana; daughter Christina (Mike) Smith of Clarkston; and daughter Jean (Jim) Smiley of Clarkston - as well as four of their grandchildren: Matt and Elissa Smith and Calleja and Chloe Smiley.

### Crawfords celebrate 25 years



Karen (Craft) Crawford and Ron Crawford celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on March 31. The couple currently resides in

Waterford and Delray Beach, Florida. Karen grew up in Clarkston and is a 1969 graduate of Clarkston High School.

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& some Saturdays.  
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1st child/\$40.00 for each  
additional  
Non-Resident: \$60.00  
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for each additional

#### Boys & Girls ~

Ages 9 & 10  
Boys Age As Of 7/31/06,  
Girls Age As Of 1/1/06.  
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Tuesdays, Thursdays  
& some Saturdays.  
Girls: Games Will Be On  
Mondays, Wednesdays  
& some Saturdays.  
June 3 - July 29, 2006.  
Resident: \$60.00 for the  
1st child/\$50.00 for each  
additional  
Non-Resident: \$70.00  
for the 1st child/\$60.00  
for each additional

#### Boys & Girls ~

Ages 11 & 12  
Boys Age As Of 7/31/06,  
Girls Age As Of 1/1/06.  
Boys: Games Will Be On  
Mondays, Wednesdays  
& some Saturdays.  
Girls: Games Will Be On  
Tuesdays, Thursdays  
& some Saturdays.  
June 3 - July 29, 2006.  
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1st child/\$50.00 for each  
additional  
Non-Resident: \$70.00  
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for each additional

#### Boys & Girls ~

Ages 13 & 14  
Boys Age As Of 7/31/06,  
Girls Age As Of 1/1/06.  
Boys: Games Will Be On  
Tuesdays, Thursdays  
& some Saturdays.  
Girls: Games Will Be On  
Mondays, Wednesdays  
& some Saturdays.  
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Resident: \$65.00 for the  
1st child/\$55.00 for each  
additional  
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#### League ~ Ages 15-18

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Saturday (varies by week). June 12 - July 29, 2006.  
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additional. Non-Resident: \$80.00 for the 1st child/  
\$70.00 for each additional.

Resident rates apply to those residing in Springfield Township. Children must be in the same family/household to receive the additional player rate. Game locations may vary and there may be travel to other communities. A copy of the participant's Birth Certificate is required with registration. For additional information or to register, please visit our website at [www.springfield-twp.us](http://www.springfield-twp.us) or contact our office at 248-624-8412.



# Religion

## Plate Faith

I remember sitting at the table staring at the broccoli on my plate. I had not put it there. I would never have thought of doing that on my own. However, my mother had and told me to eat it. That is when the contest began between her will to get me to eat it and my will to never eat broccoli in my life. I did not like the texture or taste. I suppose I also wanted to take my will out on the road and see how it was growing. The end result of this battle, of course, was the broccoli was consumed with large doses of milk and bread to get it down. Those keeping score....Mom and broccoli 1, me 0.

Throughout life, we keep running into those moments when what we would prefer to happen is not going to happen. We like our plate just the way it is and someone comes and either takes something off it or puts something on it without our permission. Then we are faced with the frustration of having wanted to have something that is no longer available to us or we feel forced to choke down what we do not like.

Like me in that chair some years ago, we may find ourselves starting a battle of wills against the realities that are before us. In those moments, perhaps, instead of getting lost in grief or filled with resentment, we can stand back and get a new perspective.

Our lives are not ours alone to live. What is upon

our plate is not nearly as important as living in relationship with the one who gave us our plate to begin with, God. Our lives are not for us to control. Our lives are gifts we are given to enjoy and use in service for others and to the glory of the one who gave it to us. The quality of our life is not found in the amount on our plate, it is found in discovering the one who loved us enough to give us a plate in the first place. The joy of life is found in sharing our plates with others whose plates are empty so all will have enough.

It took a lot of bread and milk to get that broccoli down. It takes prayer, worship and faith fellowship to help me today digest the difficult parts of life. Those same disciplines provide the opportunity to see blessings and discover joys that I would otherwise miss.

I said at the beginning the score was Mom 1 and me 0. The truth is that in blessed relationships there are no scores kept. There is only the ongoing dance of being cared for and cared by, giving and receiving, teaching and learning.

Today, I order broccoli of my own free will. I enjoy it. Who would have ever thought it possible? Mom did. The gift she gave me was that one day I would eat my broccoli. The gift I treasure is she cared enough to put it on my plate long ago. The gift I treasure is that God has given me a plate and invited me to the banquet of life along with you.

Bon Appetit!

(Rick Dake is pastor at Clarkston United Methodist Church)

### Spiritual Matters



Pastor Rick Dake

## In our churches...

St. Daniel Catholic Church hosts "Junk-In-a-Trunk Sale" on May 20 from 9 a.m. - noon in the church parking lot. Come and shop among the trunks for those special rummage sale items. All proceeds go to an orphanage in the Congo. For further info on the orphanage, go on-line at [www.stdanielclarkston.org/CongoOrphanage.pdf](http://www.stdanielclarkston.org/CongoOrphanage.pdf). St. Dan's is located at 7010 Valley Park. For more info call 248-625-4580.

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Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church welcomes the musical group "Men of Grace" on May 21 for morning celebrations at 8:15 a.m., 9:45 a.m. or 11:15 a.m. The members of "Men of Grace" are living examples of how a life can be transformed from one of addiction, abuse and violence to one filled with meaning and hope through faith in Jesus Christ. Calvary is located at 6805 Bluegrass Drive. For more information call 248-625-3288.

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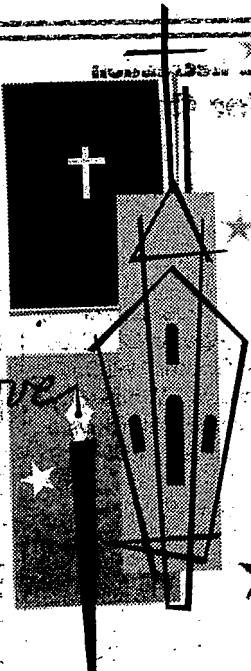
Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church hosts the FEAST on Wednesdays starting April 26 through May 24. The evenings feature a catered dinner at 6 p.m. with praise and worship at 6:50 p.m. and classes for all ages from 7:15 to 8:30 p.m. Activities include examining the credibility of the Gospel of Judas and other 'Gnostic' manuscripts and explores the historical claims of the bestselling novel and movie *The Da Vinci Code*. Calvary is located at 6805 Bluegrass Drive. For more information call 248-625-3288.

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Every Friday evening at 6 p.m., Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church is offering "Celebrate Recovery"

Please see In Our Churches, page 15B

# Church Directory



**ST. TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
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(248) 625-4644  
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625-3288  
Sunday Worship:  
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9:45 am (blended worship)  
11:15 am (contemporary praise)  
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5pm Evening Worship Service  
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Wed. 6:45pm Fit For Life -  
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**CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
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P.O. Box 451, Clarkston, MI 48347  
Office Phone: (248) 922-3515  
Sunday Morning Phone:  
(248) 425-4279  
Website:  
[www.northoakschurch.org](http://www.northoakschurch.org)  
Pastor Steve L. Brown

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email:  
[kjeile@christtheshepherdlc.org](mailto:kjeile@christtheshepherdlc.org)

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10:30 am Worship Service  
5:00 pm Choir Practice  
6:00 pm Evening Service  
Mon. 6:30 pm Awana  
Wed. 10:00 am Morning Prayer  
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7:00 pm Prayer Meeting &  
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Charlie Dean - Youth Ministry  
Laura Compton - Director of Lay  
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248-625-2325

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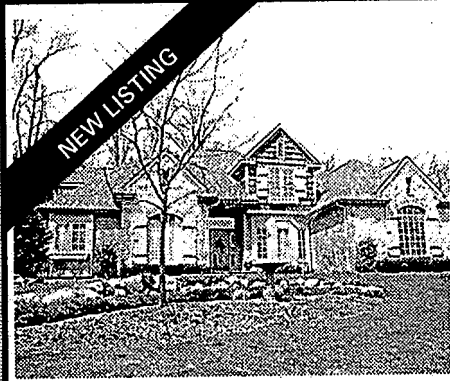
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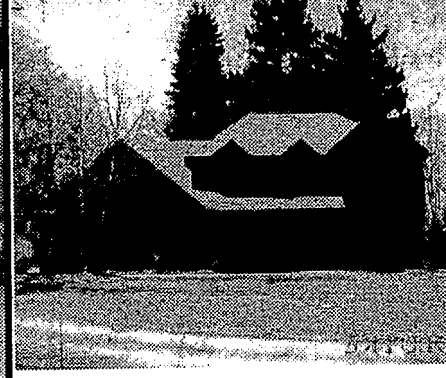
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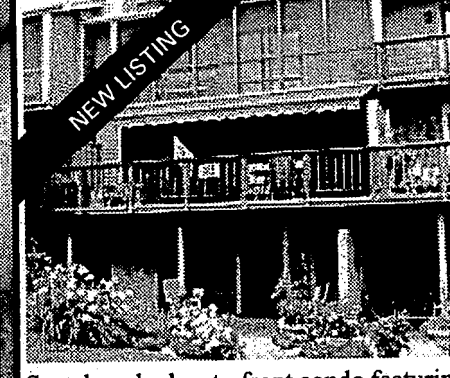
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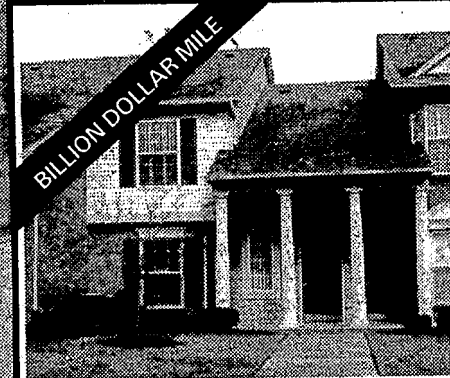
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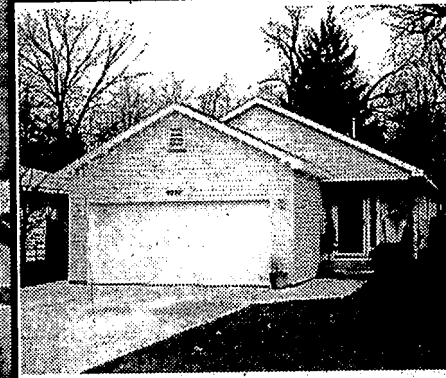
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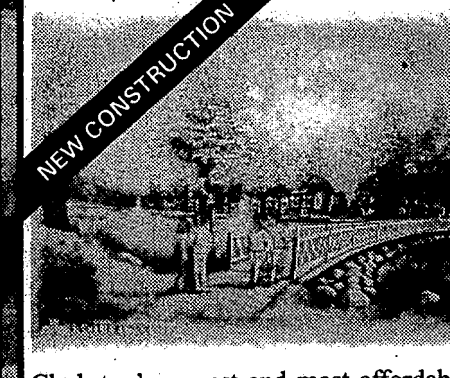
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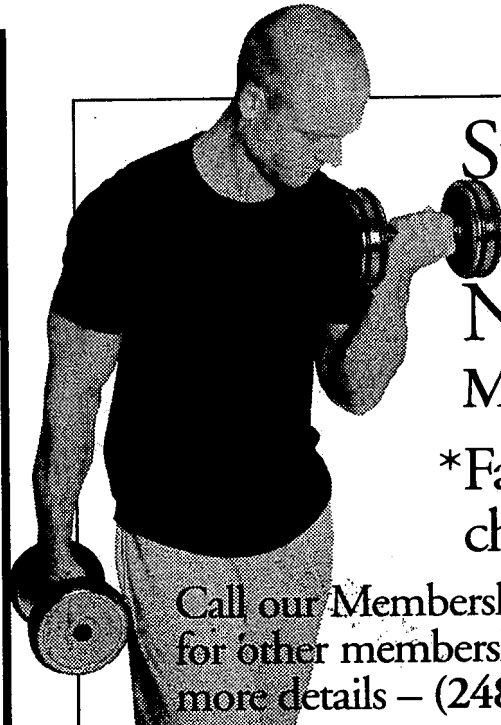
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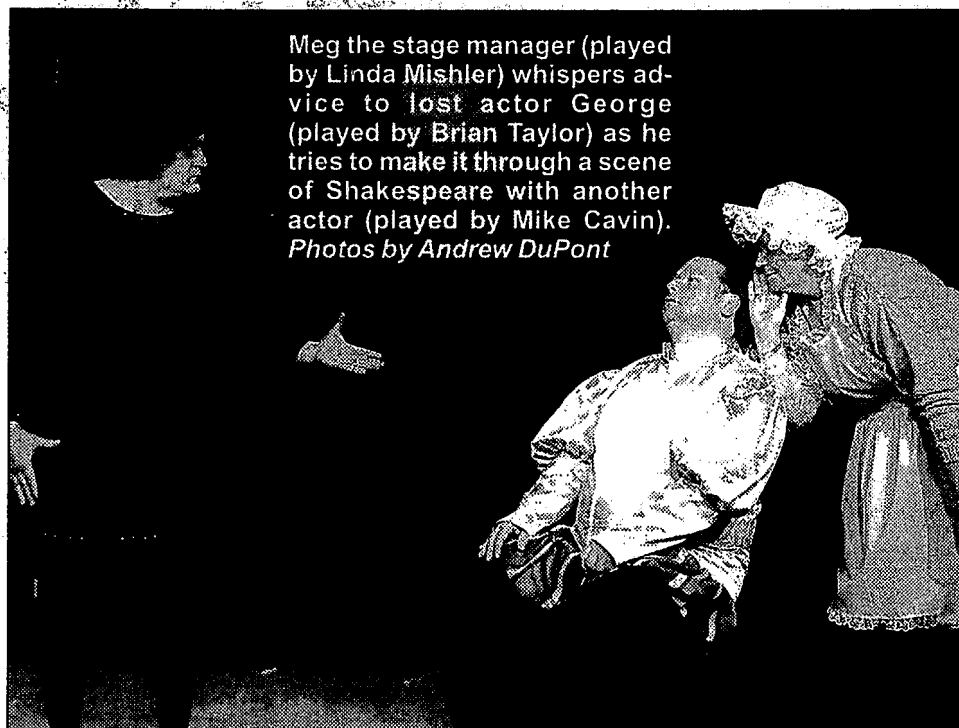
BY ANDREW DUPONT  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Varying from their usual repertoire, the Clarkston Village Players will present audiences with not one, but two completely different comedic performances in a single night as they present "An Evening of One-Act-Plays."

"The Actor's Nightmare" by Rick Orloff revolves around a person who finds himself on stage replacing an injured actor. The performance becomes a series of plays within a play. CVP veteran Brian Taylor plays an actor who winds up playing parts that he has no clue about. Fortunately, Meg the stage manager (played by Linda Mishler) is available to assist him. Carol Taylor and Wendy Hedstrom play two women vying for the affections of the misplaced actor. Each character, including CVP newcomer Mike Cavin, plays several different characters from a variety of plays. Soon, the misplaced actor begins to think everything is just a dream, and hopes he will wake up before something ugly happens.

Unlike most CVP productions, there is no second act for "The Actor's Nightmare."

"The Whole Shebang" by Christopher Durang asks the question, "What if



Meg the stage manager (played by Linda Mishler) whispers advice to lost actor George (played by Brian Taylor) as he tries to make it through a scene of Shakespeare with another actor (played by Mike Cavin). Photos by Andrew DuPont

the entire universe was just some nerd's science project?"

Jennifer Gentry Saulski, who CVP regulars may remember playing "Teacher" earlier this season in "Defying Gravity," reverses roles and plays "Student," presenting her project for a final grade. Her project, however, is the heavens and the Earth. She gives her

final report to a panel of professors headed by the Dean (played by CVP veteran, Vern Vackaro). His assistants (played by CVP newcomers Beth Egan DeGuise and Ernesto Chavez) help the Dean evaluate the project. As part of the presentation, the student introduces two humans (played by Jerry and Linda Payton) as visual aids. However, the

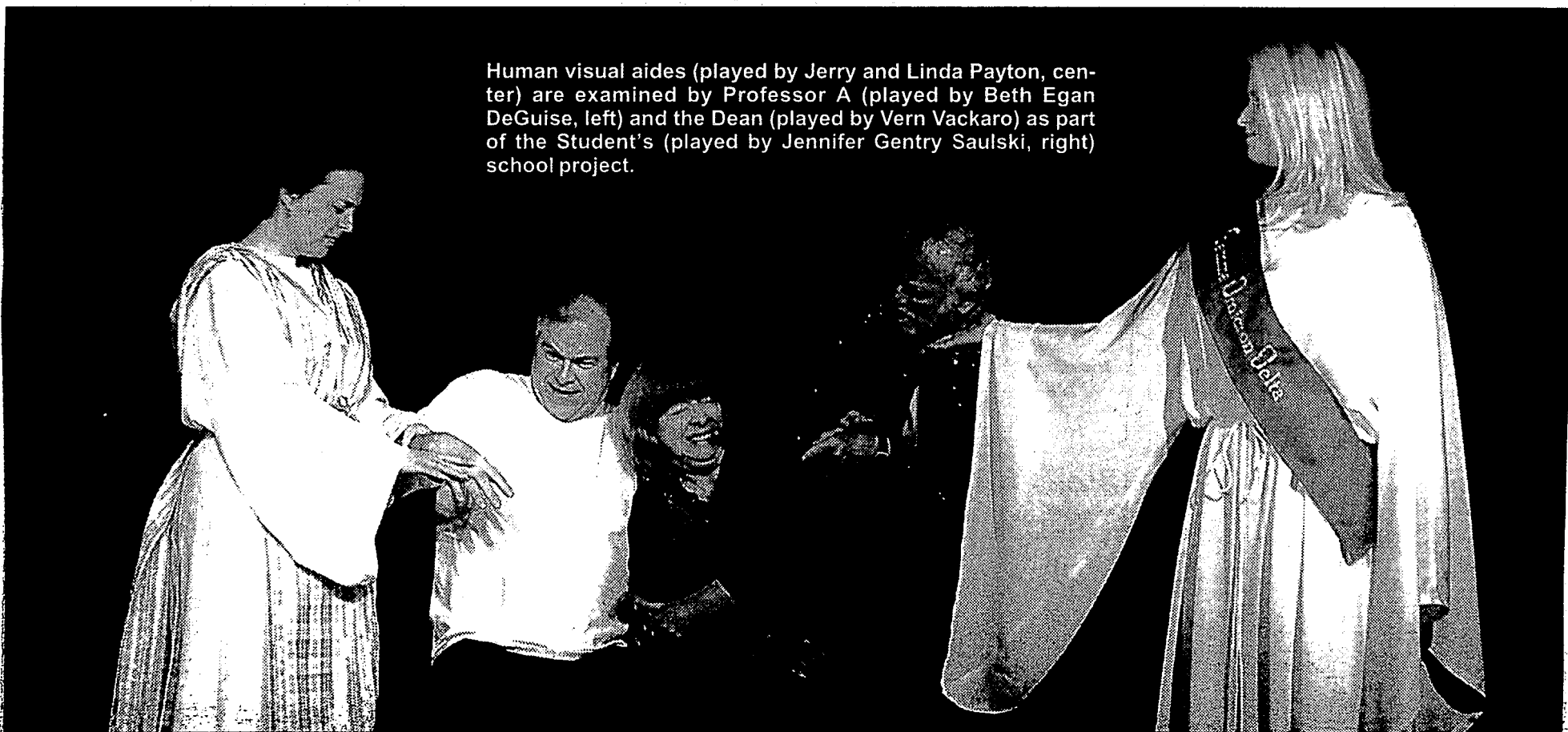
humans that arrive are not the subjects the student intended them to be. In fact, they're the exact opposite. What follows is a bizarre experience for everyone involved, and when the final grade is given, more fireworks erupt.

Both performances feature different casts, but are directed by Joseph Mishler, who also works as the theater director for Holly High School. Mishler said both plays demonstrate absurdity in their humor and are very different from each other. Mishler also said there is nothing profane or inappropriate for children in either production.

Performances of "An Evening of One-Act Plays" are scheduled for May 5-7, 11-13 and 18-20. Show times are 8 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays, 7:30 p.m. on Thursdays and 2 p.m. on Sunday. Tickets are \$12 for Friday and Saturday performances and \$10 for Thursday and Sunday.

Tickets are available for purchase through [www.clarkstonvillageplayers.org](http://www.clarkstonvillageplayers.org) or by calling 248-625-2511. They are also available by leaving a message on the Clarkston Village Players ticket line at 248-625-8811.

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Human visual aides (played by Jerry and Linda Payton, center) are examined by Professor A (played by Beth Egan DeGuise, left) and the Dean (played by Vern Vackaro) as part of the Student's (played by Jennifer Gentry Saulski, right) school project.

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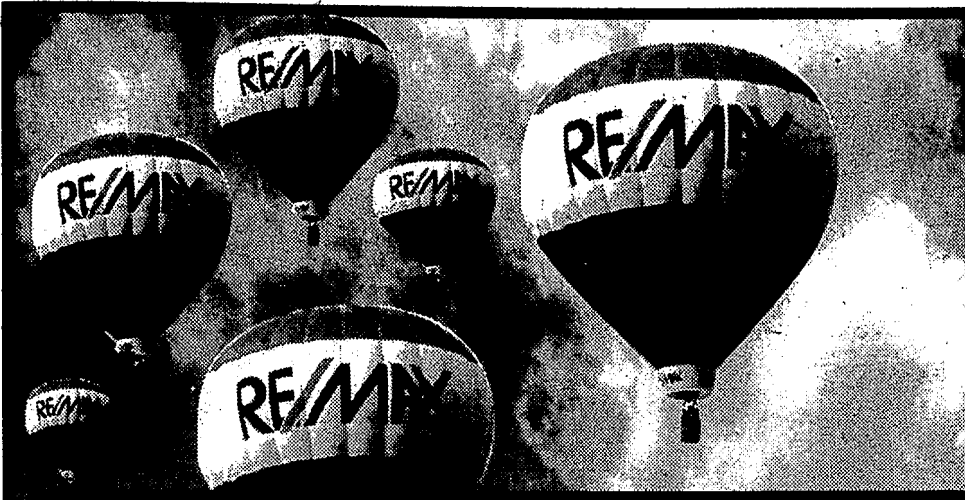


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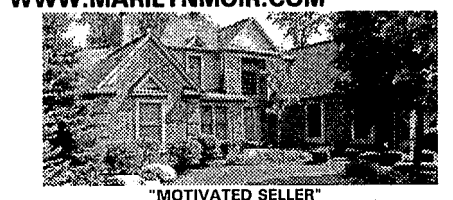
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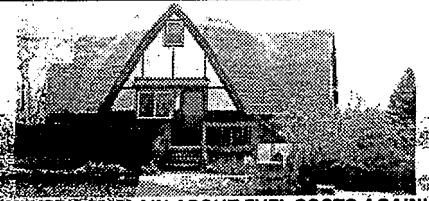
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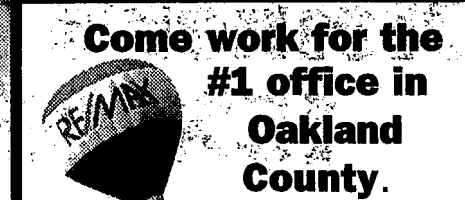
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# Millstream

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## "Trust yourself anytime you choose"

Ever since he can remember Cavanaugh wanted to be on the radio. He was six years old when his father, Donald, passed away. Donald worked as assistant in chief for the Veterans Administration in 1948 and was narrating a radio program called "News for Veterans" on July 29. Halfway through the script, he suffered a heart attack. Cavanaugh's mother insisted he not attend the funeral and ordered the transcription of the broadcast destroyed. He stayed at home with his radio, as told in "Local DJ."

"A lot of people who see that felt again it was instrumental in me getting into radio, the fact that my dad died on the radio. I'm sure that the fact that I remember it as clearly as I did has a part, but more influential was the phenomenon itself. When I was a little boy... (radio) was the window to the world."

"The fascination was always there. I guess in a weird way nothing was really real to me unless it was coming through the radio. So to really be real, I needed to get on the other end of that speaker. So when my dad died on the radio... the radio being there was enormous consolation because it was still there. My dad had left."

In Ironically, one of Cavanaugh's early experiences on radio came while attending Cathedral Academy, a parochial Catholic school in Syracuse, New York.

While there, he read "Saint of the Week" during "Catholic Hour" on the air at WHEN. The priest in charge kicked Cavanaugh off the spot after he discovered the teenager also worked on a rock station.

"They found out I was on the rock station and that was that. They had literally a cardiac arrest," laughed Cavanaugh.

Cavanaugh's career as a DJ, got off to a rocky start at radio station WNDR in Syracuse where he initially worked answering phones and writing weekend news. After convincing management to give him more responsibility than weekend news casts, Cavanaugh got his first shot at being a DJ in a one-hour audition late one Sunday night.

After writing down what he'd say and practicing lines and watching DJ's for hours, he felt prepared. As he reached to open the microphone channel he hit the "master-off" switch that sent the radio station into 20 minutes of silence.

"I wished I was dead. Even today thinking about it my stomach churns," said Cavanaugh. "It was midnight on a Sunday, meaning Monday morning. If it had to happen it's the best time because nobody's listening then. But to me the entire universe was plugged in."

By his senior year in high school, Cavanaugh was pulling "jock shifts" on weekends from 7 p.m. to midnight. As stated on the cover of his book, by the age of 16, Peter Cavanaugh had a 58 percent total audience share on WNDR in Syracuse, more than any other station combined.

While attending LeMoyne College, he worked a morning and afternoon slot and became involved in the "Sock Hop" business playing records at schools throughout central New York. He even started adding live bands to his presentations, renting out gyms and staging "Peter C. Rock 'n Roll Presentations."

Soon that talent, charisma and pas-

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Living in Independence Township, Peter Cavanaugh remembers his rock 'n' roll days fondly. Above, he sports his MC5 shirt. Photo by James Martinez



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## Millstream

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sion for music would land in Michigan.

### A silver lining for Flint on the darkest day

Cavanaugh's 1963 arrival in Flint was in part facilitated by one of the era's most famous and painful memories — the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. Being Irish and Catholic, Cavanaugh related to the president in many ways and was shocked by the assassination.

"I think due to the fact I lost my dad early on very young, I had really experienced enormous grief and that was sort of triggered again. I really... felt (Kennedy) was a father figure and had been taken away in the prime of his life (like my father)," said Cavanaugh.

While admitting he did not make that realization at the time, he understands now the deep of an impact the president's death had on him.

To mark the significance of Kennedy's assassination, Cavanaugh and his associates at the radio station in New York played somber classical music straight for four days from just the time Kennedy was killed to after his funeral. The music was sometimes interrupted by the latest news briefs, recalled Cavanaugh.

That night, Cavanaugh had a gig scheduled but could not bring himself to hold the event.

"As soon as it happened, I was like I'm not going to do a gig tonight. So I called the guy in charge up... he called the manager... so I walked out," said Cavanaugh.

Calling a friend in Flint who was WTAC's program director, Cavanaugh came to Flint for a job — a career move that paid twice as much as Flint glided along benefiting from the auto industry — and brought Cavanaugh to what arguably became Michigan's music center.

Look to next week's edition of *The Clarkston News* to see the conclusion of "Coming to a theater near you," which will discuss Cavanaugh's career once he arrived at Flint, his new book, and viewpoints on Michigan rockers past and present.



Above, Peter Cavanaugh sits with Michael Moore at WWCK in Flint in 1985. Moore and his wife Kathleen are interested in making a movie out of Cavanaugh's 2001 "Local DJ, A Rock 'N' Roll History" which chronicled Cavanaugh's contribution to early radio and the careers of rock greats Alice Cooper, Bob Seger, Ted Nugent and others. Photo provided

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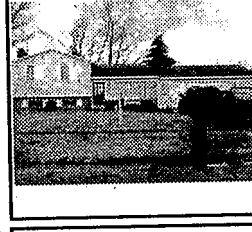
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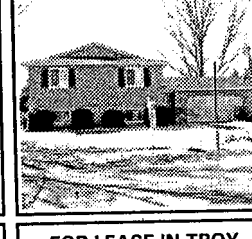
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Lots Of Updates  
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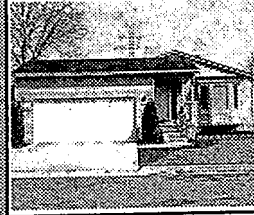
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3 Bedrooms  
Central Air  
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3 Bed, 2 Full Baths  
Office  
Florida Room  
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Open Floor Plan  
Gas Fireplace  
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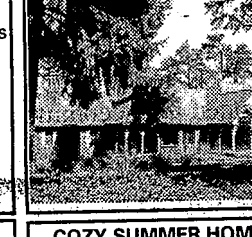
4 Bed, 1.5 Baths  
Hardwood Floors  
Wood Burner In L.r.  
Front & Back Decks  
Appliances Stay  
Immediate Posses-  
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Huron Valley Schools  
\$169,900 31DEC

**AVONDALE SCHOOLS**



Recently Updated  
New Roof, Windows  
Doors & Siding  
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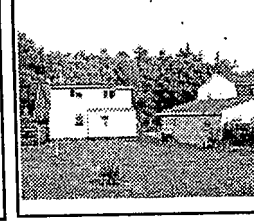
Spectacular Property  
Overlooks Private  
Pond  
Split Ranch Design  
Exception To Detail  
Granite Chef's Kitchen  
Hw & Ceramic Flrs  
Dual Staircases  
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**2 UNIT HOME**



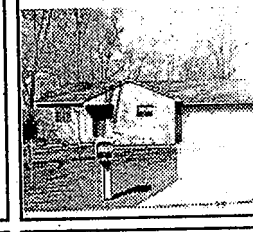
Prime Location  
Each W/ 3 Beds  
Separately Metered  
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**ADORABLE HOME**



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Patios & Walkways  
Access To Cooley Lk  
2 Car Garage  
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**COZY SUMMER HOME**



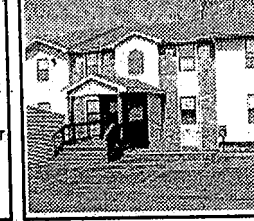
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Campground  
1993 Parkmodel  
On Corner Lot  
Fully Furnished  
Playground, Beach  
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And Much More!!  
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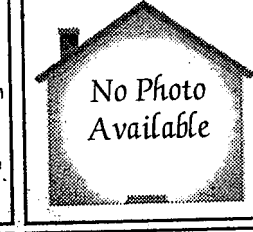
Beautiful 2.5 Acres  
New Roof & Windows  
Six Panel Doors  
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Cherry Kitchen  
\$222,000 64GRO

**ENTRY LEVEL CONDO**



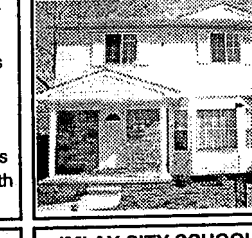
Waterford Schools  
2 Bed, 2 Baths  
Open Floor Plan  
Lg Master Bedroom  
Oak Kitchen  
Cabinets  
Balcony W/Storage  
Court Yard View  
\$135,000 50HOL

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Very Elegant  
Custom Upgrades  
Anchor Bay Schools  
Built In Bar & Wine  
Cooler  
Tons Of Storage  
Fir To Ceiling Windows  
Garden Tub In Mst Bath  
\$368,000 50HAR

**MADISON HGTS COLONIAL**



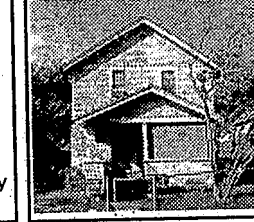
Built In 2001  
3 Bed, 2 Full Baths  
Open Floor Plan  
Extra Deep  
Basement  
A Must See Home!  
1420 Sq. Ft.  
Central Air  
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**REMODELED HOME IN DETROIT**



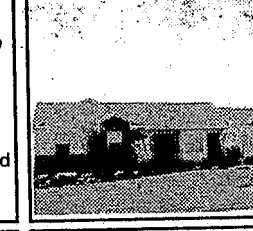
Redone In 2006  
New Kitchen  
Ceramic Tile  
New Carpet &  
Windows  
Neutral Colors  
Seller Motivated  
Immediate Occupancy  
\$109,000 12KIL

**AWESOME INVESTMENT**



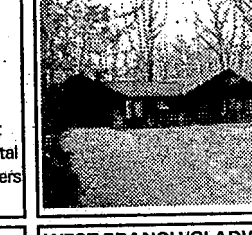
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Full Basement  
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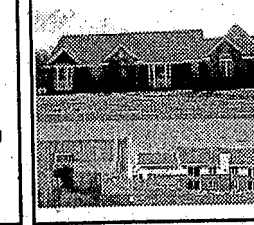
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Pole Barn & Chicken  
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Garage Has 220  
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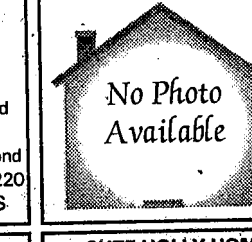
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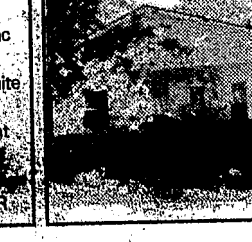
Enclosed Front Porch  
Central Air  
Fenced In Yard  
Newer Flooring In  
Kitchen  
Carpet Allowance  
\$108,000 34GLE

**WONDERFUL RANCH**



Great Corner Lot  
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Rebuilt Home  
New Kitchen W/White  
Euro Cabinets  
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3 Bed, 1 Bath  
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Large Deck  
Gozy Ranch  
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## Around Town

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Florida.

This is an entry level qualifier – and the first competitive match for many of the young golfers. All participants must have a working knowledge of the game, including course management. There will be no on-site lessons given.

Registration forms are available at Liberty Golf Course, all Clarkston Schools and by calling the Optimist Junior Golf Chair, Sherry Regiani at 248-625-5222.

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The Independence Township Senior Center has several upcoming events:

- Enjoy a "Proper Mother's Day Tea Time" in the center's "Victorian Parlor," i.e. Carriage House, on May 9 from 2-4 p.m.

The afternoon includes a variety of flavored teas, sandwiches and pastry delicacies. Bring a favorite tea cup for your own use or decorate a table for four.

Mothers, daughters and granddaughters welcome. Entertainment included. The cost is \$6 per person. Please sign up ahead of time.

- AARP Drive Safety Program is offering a **Defensive Driving Tips** class on May 10 and 11 from 1-5:30 p.m. The class is geared for those 50 and up.

Each participant will receive a workbook written especially for Michigan drivers. Check with your insurance company for possible discount rates to those who take this course.

The cost is \$10 for each participant to AARP.

- Ever dreamed of exploring the ancient tombs of the pharaohs?

Then join the senior center on a trip to the **King Tut Exhibit at Field Museum in Chicago** June 26-27. Tutankhamun and the Golden Age of the Pharaohs is a new exhibition that contains 50 major artifacts excavated from King Tut's tomb, including his royal crown. More than 70 artifacts from other royal graves as well.

The cost is \$299 for a double, \$389 for a single and \$279 for a triple. Included are accommodations at 4-

star Palmer House Hilton, the exhibit, Chicago sightseeing tour and architectural boat cruise, motorcoach and luggage handling, one breakfast, one dinner and a visit to Navy Pier.

Only a few seats remain so sign up soon!

- Visit the **Stratford Festival Theatre** on September 26-27 for an escape into another time. See the classic "Oliver" and Shakespeare's comedy "Much Ado About Nothing."

Accommodations at The Victorian Inn on the Park within walking distance to the Festival Theatre, Avon River and downtown. Elegant dining at Church Restaurant. Optional tours and motorcoach.

For residents, the cost is \$267 for a double and \$324 for a single. For non-residents, the cost is \$277 for a double and \$334 for a single.

Pickup a flier at the senior center to learn more or call 248-625-8231.

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Clarkston resident Tammy Speer is holding a **One-Day Benefit** for the Michigan Breast Cancer 3-Day Walk on June 3 at Community Bible Church on Crescent Lake Road in Waterford.

Speer is raising \$2,200 to benefit The Susan G. Komen Foundation, and she will participate in the 60-mile walk this summer.

The benefit includes gift certificates, arts, crafts, food, drink and raffles. 100 percent of the profits go to the 3-Day Walk.

For more information on the event, or to donate money to the cancer walk, please call Tammy Speer at 248-872-7901 or 248-618-8050. Information on the 3-Day Walk is available at [www.The3Day.org](http://www.The3Day.org).

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Look at all the great events at **Springfield Township Parks and Recreation**:

- Anyone interested in swapping their bright and beautiful perennials can attend the **Davisburg Perennial Swap** at Mill Pond Park on May 20. This is a great way to get that garden or flower bed started.

The swap begins at 10 a.m. sharp by the tennis courts. Take home as many perennials as you bring. Perennials must be in groups of two or three plants and

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in four or 6-inch containers. Please label all plants and know whether they grow in the shade, sun or both. Swap is held rain or shine. Please dress appropriate.

- You could save someone's life by taking **Infant, Child and Adult CPR**. The course is for June 6 from 6-9 p.m. at the Hart Community Center.

Certified instructors from McLaren Wellness Center will teach the proper techniques used in rescue breathing based on the American Heart Association.

Participants must be 10 years or older. A minimum number of participants are required to hold the class. Registration required by May 30.

Cost for the class is \$30 per person for residents and \$35 per person for non-residents.

- Do you have an 8-14 year old interested in babysitting? Then have them take the **Babysitting and Home Alone Workshop** on May 23 from 7 - 8:45 p.m. at the Hart Community Center. The session features several hands-on activities and discussions.

A certificate is presented upon completion of the class. Participants are required to bring an infant sized doll and a blanket.

A minimum number of participants required. Registration required by May 17. The cost is \$22 per person for residents and \$27 per person for non-residents.

- Don't miss out on this one ladies! Registration is required by May 5 for the **Pampered Beauties Mother's Day Celebration**.

Bring your mother, aunt, grandmother and friends for foot pampering, mini massages and makeup consultations on May 13 at the Hart Community Center. The event is for girls 5 and older.

Participants receive beauty tips and sample beauty products. Door prizes, snacks and beverages provided.

Space is limited for the event and each appointment time, so please register early. Appointments are one hour in length, and made on a first come, first serve basis. Appointment times are: 5-6 p.m. and 6-7 p.m.

The cost is \$20 per person for residents and \$25 per person for non-residents.

For information on these and many more activities, call Springfield Township Parks and Recreation at 248-634-0412.



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### INDEPENDENCE TWP.

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Independence Township Planning Commission, Oakland County, Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on:  
**Thursday, May 11, 2006 at 7:30 p.m.**  
At Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, Michigan, 48346 to consider the following:  
**FILE PC #2006-009**

#### TEXT AMENDMENTS TO ZONING ORDINANCE #83

Section 3.01. Definitions

Section 5.18. Environmental performance standards.  
Any further information regarding the above Public Hearing may be obtained at the Township Planning Office during regular Office hours 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday, or by phone at (248) 625-8111.

Shelagh VanderVeen, CLERK

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**FILE PC #2006-008**

#### TEXT AMENDMENTS TO ZONING ORDINANCE #83

Section 5.12. Site plan review. Subsection 4.b1. Procedures for Submission and Review of Application.

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

Shelagh VanderVeen, CLERK

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### INDEPENDENCE TWP.

#### ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet Wednesday, May 17, 2006 at 7:30 pm at the Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, MI 48346 to hear the following case:

Case #06-0014- Olafsson, Thor & Glenida, Petitioners  
APPLICANT REQUESTS VARIANCE TO EFFECTUATE SPLITTING OF PROPERTY (LACKS FRONTAGE)  
Clarkston Rd., 9.97 Acres, R-1A  
08-14-326-002

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

Respectfully submitted,  
Shelagh VanderVeen  
Township Clerk  
Nedra L. Lambert  
Secretary

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### CLARKSTON

CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON  
375 DEPOT ROAD  
CLARKSTON, MI 48346  
**SUMMARY**  
**CITY COUNCIL MEETING**  
**APRIL 24, 2006**

Meeting called to order at 7:01 p.m. by Mayor P. J. Tem Colombo.  
Roll Present: Brueck, Colombo, Johnson, Meyland, Ottman.  
Absent: Catallo, Wylie

Minutes of April 10, 2006, approved as presented.  
Agenda approved as presented.

Meyland reported on his meeting with Oakland County Sheriff Deputy Lieutenant LaBair regarding police coverage in the City of Clarkston. Ottman expressed concerns for traffic control, especially on Main Street and Holcomb Road. Brueck stated that the City should try to determine the best solution for police coverage.

Ottman reported that she was contacting Independence Township Supervisor Dave Wagner to discuss the Library agreement. Johnston reported that there would be a May 2 Landscaping workshop at the Independence Township Fire Hall No. 1, and a May 17 workshop for Rain Garden construction.

Chief Combs reported that he had discussed the vision problem due to parking at the Muffler Shop at Clarkston Road and North Main Street, and he will continue to monitor this area. Chief Combs also reported on various police activities in the City. Chief Combs in increasing traffic control in the evenings.

Pappas reported that the Michigan Week Community Awards would be presented on May 27 in the evening at the Clarkston Junior High School. The City will be obtaining tickets for Council and Commission members.

City Council passed a proclamation proclaiming May as Mental Health Month and called upon all government agencies, schools, institutions and citizens to impart the increasing awareness and consideration of mental illness and the need for appropriate and accessible services for all people with mental illnesses.

City Attorney Ryan conducted the first reading on the proposed Zoning Ordinance Amendment changing the property and 5-7 North Holcomb from R2 to RM.

Resolved That the City executes the agreement between the City of the Village of Clarkston and Oakland County Equalization Division for assessing services for the years 2006 and 2007. Pappas is to work with City Attorney Ryan and Building Inspector Stone to initiate action requiring the property owner of 160 North Holcomb to take corrective measures, or proceed with condemnation.

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Artemis M. Pappas, Clerk

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### INDEPENDENCE TWP.

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Independence Township Planning Commission, Oakland County, Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on:

**Thursday, May 25, 2006 at 7:30 p.m.**  
At Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, Michigan, 48346 to consider the following:  
**FILE #2005-015**

#### REZONING REQUEST

James Blanton,

American Legion Chief Pontiac, Post 377, Petitioner

From: REC (Recreational)

To: R-1A/PRO (Single Family Residential/Planned Rezoning Overlay)

Parcel Identification Number: Part of 08-35-351-011

Common Description: 18.37 Acres of 48.38 Acres

4819 Edgewood Dr. (Mary Sue Ave.)

American Legion Chief Pontiac, Post 377

Intended Use:

Single Family Residential

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

Shelagh VanderVeen, CLERK

## PUBLIC NOTICE



Charter Township of Springfield

### SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP SPRING CLEAN UP DAY !!

Saturday, May 13, 2006 Time: 7 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Springfield Oaks Youth Activity Center

12451 Andersonville Road, Davisburg, MI 48350

**Proof of Residency or Property Ownership Required**

#### FEES

|               |         |                   |                    |
|---------------|---------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Cars:         | \$1.00  | Tires - No charge | (no tires on rims) |
| SUV/Minivan   | \$5.00  | Freon Appliances  | \$10.00 each       |
| Pick-up Truck | \$10.00 | Batteries         | \$10.00 each       |
| Large Truck   | \$15.00 | Trailers          | \$10.00 & \$15.00  |

depending on size

Items not allowed are: brush, farm tractor tires, leaves or grass clippings, stumps, oil, propane tanks, paint, flammable liquids, concrete or bricks. **No Commercial Dumping.**

If possible, bag, box or bundle all trash.

MAY 20, 2006 HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION AT INDEPENDENCE TWP. D.P.W. ON FLEMINGS LAKE RD. CALL SPRINGFIELD OFFICE FOR DETAILS AND VOUCHER. 248-846-6520.

QUESTIONS: Call Supervisor's Office at (248)-846-6502.

Publish: May 03, 2006  
May 10, 2006

## PUBLIC NOTICE



Charter Township of Springfield

#### NOTICE

### REQUEST FOR VARIANCES ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Charter Township of Springfield will hold a meeting on Wednesday, May 17, 2006, beginning at 8:00 p.m. at the Springfield Township Civic Center, 12000 Davisburg Rd., Davisburg, Michigan to hear the following appeals:

PUBLIC COMMENT:  
APPROVAL OF MINUTES  
OLD BUSINESS:

- John Steckling 8006 Caribou Lake Lane, Clarkston, MI 48346, owner of Holly Greens Storage, to allow steel instead of the required masonry walls for a self storage building, per Sections 12.01 and 18.07 of Zoning Ordinance 26. Subject parcel is located at 10475 Dixie Highway. P.I. #07-03-451-006.
- Martin and Paula Rathsburg, 9663 Westwood Circle, Clarkston, MI 48350, to allow a five (5) foot rear setback rather than the required twenty-five (25) feet, and to allow a combined total of fifty-three (53) feet for front and rear setbacks rather than the required seventy-five (75) feet, per Section 18.11 of Zoning Ordinance 26. P.I. #07-03-426-015

#### NEW BUSINESS:

- Carl J. Solheim, 5607 Edgar Rd., Clarkston, MI 48346, to split the existing property by creating an access strip twenty (20) feet wide and approximately six hundred (600) feet long, per Sections 16.20 and 25 of Zoning Ordinance 26, in order to access the proposed rear lot from Edgar Rd. P.I. #07-25-301-012.
- Dale E. Elkins, 8693 Crosby Lake Rd., Clarkston, MI 48346, to allow a fifteen (15) foot side yard setback rather than the required thirty (30) feet, to construct a building sixty (60) feet wide by eighty (80) feet long. P.I. #07-36-376-012.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that the maps and variance requests may be examined at the Springfield Township Clerk's Office, 12000 Davisburg Rd., Davisburg, MI 48350 during regular office hours Monday through Friday. Written comments may be submitted to the Clerk's Office until the date of the meeting. Any one needing a special accommodation at the meeting should contact the Township Clerk at least two (2) business days in advance. 248-846-6510.

NANCY STROLE, Clerk

Published May 3, 2006



## Obituary

### Helen Opie

Helen Elizabeth (Ragsdale) Opie, 88, went to be with the Lord on March 30, 2006. She was a resident at Canterbury on the Lake in Waterford.

Mrs. Opie was the loving wife of Edward Cordell (Dell) Opie, Sr. of Flint. She is survived by her daughter Karen Elizabeth (Opie) Shinske of Brighton, Gaylord and Estero Beach, Florida; and her son Edward Cordell Opie, Jr., formerly of Flint, now of Clarkston.

She was grandmother to John E. Opie, David Opie, Edward (Corky) Opie III, Brett E. Opie, Martha K. Loukotka and Garrick B. Opie; and great-grandmother of Kate Opie, Morgan Opie, Megan Opie, Erika Opie, Jennifer Opie, Spencer Opie, Lindsay Opie, Alexander Loukotka, Graham Opie, David Opie, Jake Opie, Nicholas Loukotka, Bryce Opie and Brayden Opie.

A private family memorial service is scheduled for July at Sunset Hills Cemetery. Arrangements by the Brown Funeral Home in Flint.

## In Our Churches —

continued from 5B

ery." This is a Christ-centered recovery program to help people overcome life's hurts, bad habits and hang ups. The evening includes a simple meal, praise and worship, and group discussion. Calvary Evangelical is located at 6805 Bluegrass Drive. For more information call 248-625-3288.

## Davisburg garage sale

Come and browse one of Davisburg's biggest garage sales to find your hidden "Treasures and Treats" at the Hart Community Center on May 19 and 20 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The event is in cooperation between Neighbor For Neighbor and Springfield Township Parks and Recreation.

Neighbor For Neighbor is an all-volunteer, non-profit organization that provides food, clothing and financial assistance to families in crisis from Springfield, Holly, Groveland, Rose and parts of Independence and White Lake townships. The group formed in 1983.

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For more information on selling, please call Springfield Township Parks and Recreation at 248-634-0412. For more on Neighbor For Neighbor, please call 248-634-0900 or 248-620-9811.

## Walk n' Roll for SCAMP

Everyone is invited to Depot Park on May 7 to help out SCAMP. Registration for the "Walk n' Roll" event runs from 11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Participants can walk, rollerblade or ride a bike along a one mile, two mile or five mile route. Pledges collected will benefit the summer camp for impaired children and young adults. Walks are

scheduled to begin at noon, 12:20 p.m., 12:40 p.m. and 1pm. Free hot dogs and beverages will be available for everyone. T-shirts will be given away to students with \$50+ in pledges and adults with \$100+ in pledges. For more information, contact SCAMP at 248-620-1882 or visit their Web site [www.clarkstonscamp.com](http://www.clarkstonscamp.com)



## Bringing down the house

This backhoe leveled a building owned by the Clarkston School District on April 25. According to Clarkston Schools Director of Communications and Marketing Anita Banach, the building was previously rented to Comcast Cable and recently hosted the construction management firm during the past bond issue. The demolition leads the way for lining up the entrances of Clarkston Junior High School and Renaissance High, said Banach. Photo provided



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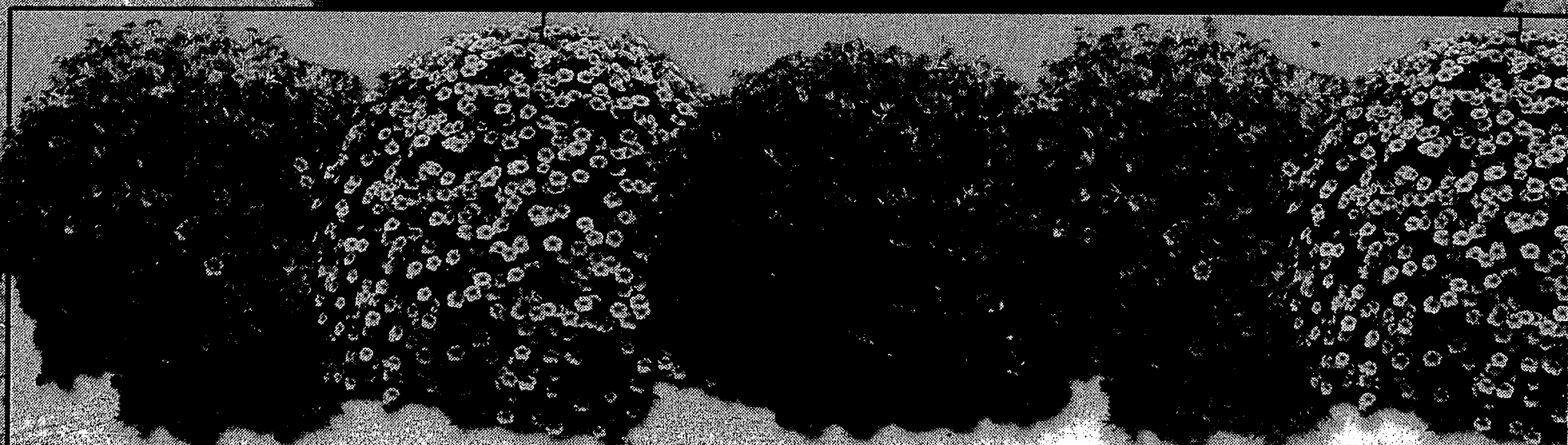
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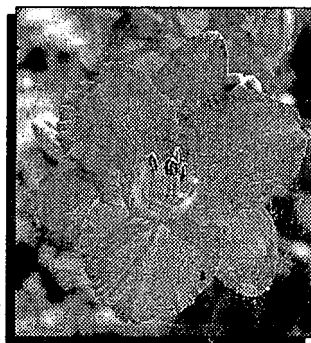
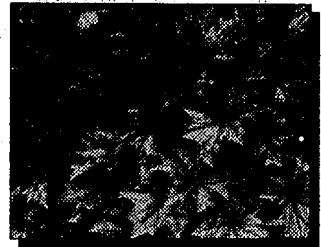
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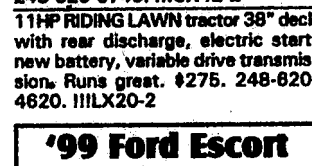
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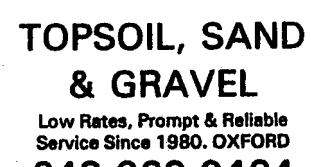
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| Appliance               | 160 | Lawn & Garden      | 080 |
| Auctions                | 090 | Livestock          | 210 |
| Auto Parts              | 240 | Lost & Found       | 190 |
| Bus. Opportunities      | 330 | Manufactured Homes | 320 |
| Card of Thanks          | 380 | Musical Instrument | 060 |
| Cars                    | 250 | Notices            | 390 |
| Child Care              | 340 | Personals          | 370 |
| Computers               | 140 | Pets               | 200 |
| Craft Shows             | 120 | Produce            | 040 |
| Farm Equipment          | 230 | Real Estate        | 310 |
| Firewood                | 050 | Rec. Equipment     | 180 |
| Free                    | 100 | Rec. Vehicles      | 280 |
| Garage Sales            | 110 | Rentals            | 290 |
| General                 | 170 | Services           | 410 |
| Greetings               | 020 | Trucks             | 270 |
| Help Wanted             | 360 | Tutoring/Lessons   | 070 |
| Holiday Items           | 010 | Vans               | 260 |
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NOTICE IS HEREBY given that on 5/  
26/06 at 9:30am, the following will  
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Lake Orion, MI.

Unit #141 Kevin R. Currie, Household  
appliances, misc. small appliances,  
misc. boxes/ bags, toys, hand tools,  
power tools, recreation equipment,  
other misc. items. Unit #K14 Kathryn  
Sarkisian, Misc. small appliances,  
household furnishings, misc. house-  
hold goods, misc. boxes/ bags, hand  
tools, other misc. items. Unit #A10  
J. Corbin, TV, misc. boxes/ bags,  
hand tools, power tools, recreation  
equipment, lawn care equipment, of-  
fice equipment, other misc. items. Unit  
#A13 Chris Farnsworth, Household  
furnishings, misc. household goods,  
misc. boxes/ bags, clothing, hand  
tools, recreation equipment, exercise  
equipment, other misc. items. Unit  
#B16 Brendan Texter, Misc. house-  
hold goods, misc. boxes/ bags, power  
tools, lawn care equipment. Unit #B7  
Kathryn Sarkisian, Household furnis-  
hings, misc. household goods, misc.  
boxes/ bags, clothing, toys, hand  
tools, recreation equipment, other  
misc. items. Unit #C48 John Michael  
Zalewski, Household furnishings,  
misc. household goods, misc. boxes/  
bags, hand tools, recreation equip-  
ment, other misc. items. Unit  
#C10 Laura Orvis, Household furnis-  
hings, misc. household goods, misc.  
boxes/ bags, clothing, toys, recreation  
equipment, office equipment, other  
misc. items, hand tools. Unit #E10  
James Keith Campbell, TV, power  
tools, recreation equipment, lawn care  
equipment, other misc. items. Unit  
#G3 Connie Walker, Misc. small ap-  
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## 110 GARAGE SALE

MOVING SALE- April 27 until all gone, 9am-5pm: 1025 Timber Lane (off Clarkston near Joslyn). IILX20-2

GARAGE SALE MAY 6, 10am-4pm. 545 Second St., Oxford, off Thomas Rd.: Records, paintings, games, tools. IILX20-2

GARAGE SALE- Saturday, May 6, 9am-3pm. Junior size 7-9 clothing, boy's 7-12 clothing, toys & misc. 297 Schorn, Lake Orion (off Miller/Orion Rd.) IILX21-1

BIG GARAGE SALE/ Fundraiser. Large items: 52" HDTV \$500, boat/utility trailer \$100, Kawasaki 400 street bike \$500, air hockey table \$125, girls mountain bike \$40, boys Freestyle bike \$40, Nissan Titan trailer hitch \$50. Also: golf equipment, hardware and household items. Dates: May 5-7 and 12-14, Fri. 9-6, Sat. 8-5, Sun. 10-3. Location: 767 Merritt, Lake Orion (48362). 248-693-0822 IILX21-2

SUB SALE- Clarkston, May 4th & 5th, 9am-5pm. May 6th 9am-noon. M-15. IILX21-1

ESTATE SALE- May 4th-6th, 57 Church St., Ortonville. Hand tools, sports equipment, household, garden equipment, misc. items galore. 9am-5pm each day. IILX20-2

MAY 4-6, 9am-4pm. Sofa, clothing, toys, household items & more! 1320 DeGoff Ct., Lake Orion (N. of Miller, E. of Conklin). IILX21-1

HUGE CHURCH Rummage Sale, Crown of Life Lutheran Church, 2975 Dutton Rd. (at Adams), Rochester Hills, Friday, May 5, 9am-4pm, Saturday, May 6, 9am-12noon (clothes bag day!). Children's items (from MOPS moms), clothes, books, kitchen items, Christmas decorations, and Loads More! IILX20-2

MOM-TO-MOM Sale- Saturday, May 6, 9:30am-1pm at Imlay City Christian School, 7197 E. Imlay City Rd. Call Susan, 810-798-8772 for information. IILX20-2

4 GARAGE SALES on Oak Terrace and Woodman in Ortonville. M-15 to W. Glass to Oak Terrace. Saturday May 6, 9am-4pm. IILX20-2

BIG 3 FAMILY Garage Sale- 2362 Galaxy Way, Lake Orion, (Joslyn/Waldon). Off Orbit Rd. Thurs. May 4th, Sat. May 6th, 9am-5pm. Clothes, furniture, household items and lots more. IILX21-1

GARAGE SALES- MAY 4th & 5th, 9am-4pm. 3723, 3725, & 3726 Rolling Meadows Sub, Baldwin/Maybee area. Kids clothes, toys & household. Follow green signs. IILX21-1

MOVING SALE- ROLLING Meadows Sub at Baldwin/Maybee, 3902 Long Meadow, Thursday through Saturday, May 4, 5, 6 9am-3pm. IILX21-1

MOVING SALE MAY 4-6, 9am-4pm. Furniture, dishes, pictures, toys, misc. 4630 Oakwood Rd. (between Sashabaw and Hurd). Great deals! IILX20-2

ESTATE SALE- Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 9am-6pm. 1241 Brown Rd., East of Joslyn, Antiques, tools, medical supplies, furniture, books, office supplies, old stereo and record collection. IILX21-2

OXFORD AMERICAN LEGION flea and craft show Saturday May 6, 10am-7pm. Vendors needed. Contact Jeri, 248-396-6334. IILX21-1c

GARAGE SALE- FIRST grade classroom books and materials, girls clothes 5-6, troling motor, household miscellaneous. Thursday, Friday 9am-4pm. 2481 Eaton Gate, Lake Orion, off Baldwin. IILX21-1

## ESTATE SALE

ORION TOWNSHIP, May 5 & 6th - 9am-4pm. Voorheis lakefront home, 3 levels of upscale furniture, art, household & garden goods. Keatington Sub, Joslyn to west on Waldon, 1 block to Orbit to Galaxy Way. LITTLE PINES Sub Sale- Friday, Saturday May 5-6, 9am-4pm. South of Draher, W. of Clear Lake Elementary. IILX21-1

WALDON CREEK Subside Sale at Timber Creek & Waldon Rd. or Leyland Rd. & Pine Knob Rd. May 12, 13, Thursday, Friday, Saturday 9am-3pm. IILX24-2

GIGANTIC GARAGE Sale! 4 families, 6506 East Church St., Clarkston (off of Waldon). Thursday-Saturday, May 4, 5, 6, 9am-4pm. IILX24-1

MOVING SALE, 2551 Mercury, Lake Orion. Baby items, clothing, tools, Friday, May 5th, 9am-4pm. IILX21-1

SUB GARAGE SALE/ moving sale. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, May 4-6, 9am-4pm. The Ridge at Morgan Lake off Maybee between Clintonville and Rohr Rd. IILX24-1

SALE- THURSDAY, May 4, 9am-4pm, 2441 Eaton Gate, Lake Orion, Keatington Sub off of Baldwin Rd. IILX21-1

MULTI FAMILY Garage Sale, Glen Eagles Ct., Oxford, May 5-6, 9am-7 Toys, clothes, furniture, housewares. IILX20-2

MAY 5-6, 9AM-5PM. Anything and Everything. "Won't be disappointed" 5751 Island Dr. on Big Fish Lake, Hadley. ZX38-1

GARAGE SALE- HOUSEHOLD goods, Craftsman tools, kids items & miscellaneous. 8/5 & 5/6, 8am-7 1095 Island Lake Dr., second entrance off Waterstone Sub. Oxford. IILX21-1

MEGA GARAGE SALE- Thursday, May 4th and Friday, May 5th, 9am-5pm. Fun stuff, free stuff, antiques and more. No clothes. 2785 Granger, Ortonville, between Hadley and Perry Lake. IILX24-1

MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE Sale. Lots of kids stuff, household, miscellaneous, furniture, exercise equipment and much more. 2439 Freeman Dr., Lake Orion, north of Silverbell, east of Lapeer Rd. May 11, 12, 13, 9am-3pm. IILX21-2

BEDROOM FURNITURE, clothes (Plus size and smaller), much more. 6572 Northview Dr., Clarkston 48346, May 4, 5, 6. IILX24-1

MAY 4-6, 9AM-4PM. Little Tikes, baby stuff, toys, etc. 2933 Walmsley Circle, Keatington Sub. IILX21-1

HUGE GARAGE Sale, May 6-7, 9am-4pm. 5073 Groveland Rd., Ortonville. Entertainment center, go-cart, camper, furniture, household, misc. 248-343-5215. IILX20-2

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HUGE SALE! Thursday- Saturday, 10am-4pm. 124 The Neebish, Lake Orion. Baby stuff and more. IILX21-1

MULTI-FAMILY. MAY 4-5, 9AM-6PM. 4143 Fox Lake Rd., off N. Hadley. IILX20-2

LAKE ORION SUB Garage Sale- Rolling Meadows, Baldwin/Maybee. Saturday May 6, 9am-4pm. 35 homes, follow yellow signs. IILX20-2

VARIETY OF HOUSEHOLD items. May 6th, 9am-2pm, 5632 Chestnut Hill, Clarkston 48346 IILX24-1

GARAGE SALE- 745 Casemer, Lake Orion. Wednesday through Saturday. IILX21-1

HUGE 3 FAMILY Garage Sale. 2695 Wareing, Lake Orion. Monday May 1 through Saturday May 6, 9am-5pm. Kids clothes & toys, plus size clothes, furniture, household items and lots more! IILX20-2

MULTI FAMILY GARAGE Sale, 6754 Belmont Court, Clarkston. May 4th-6th, 9am-3pm. IILX24-1

HUGE GARAGE SALE May 11-13. Furniture, lawn care items, toys, bikes & much more. 6441 Pine Valley Rd., Clarkston. IILX24-2

YARD SALE- 2 South Glaspe Oxford. Fri., Sat., Sun., 10-5. Freezer, bicycles, craft items, dehumidifier, etc. IILX21-1

ESTATE SALE- FRIDAY, Saturday, Sunday 9am-4pm. 1752 Driftwood, Oxford, near Seyinour Lake Rd on Mickelson Lake. Electric Maytag washer/dryer, reduced \$375. I

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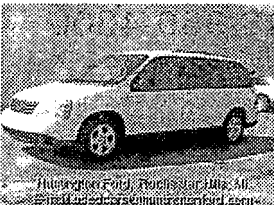
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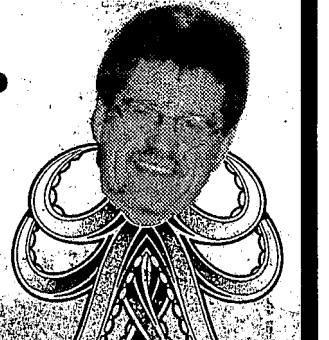
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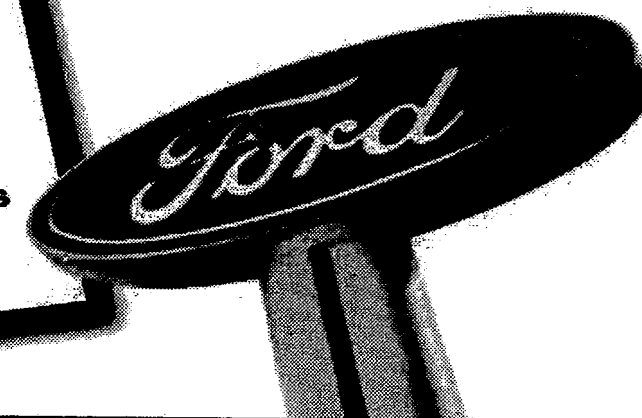


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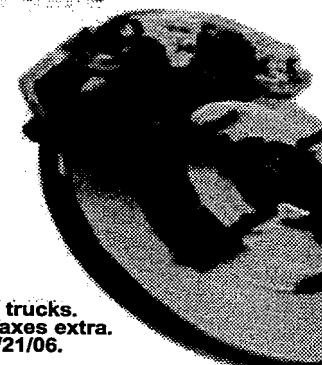
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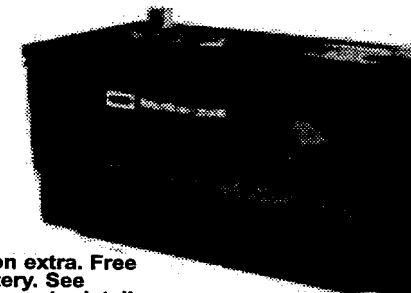
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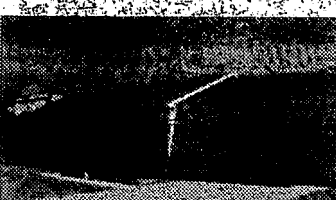
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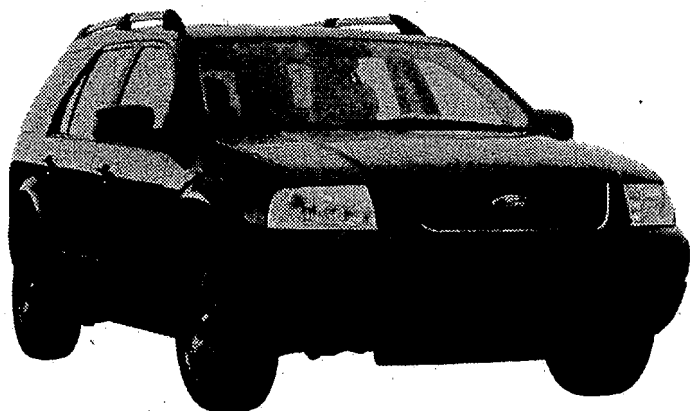
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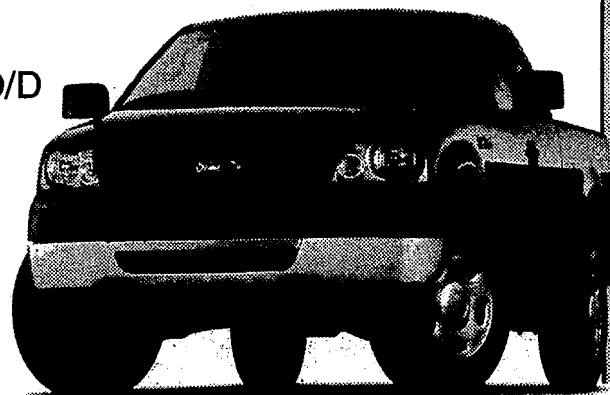
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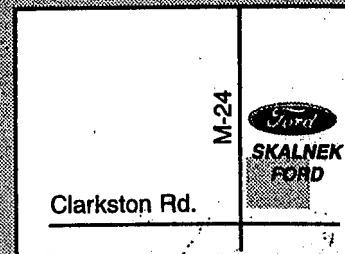
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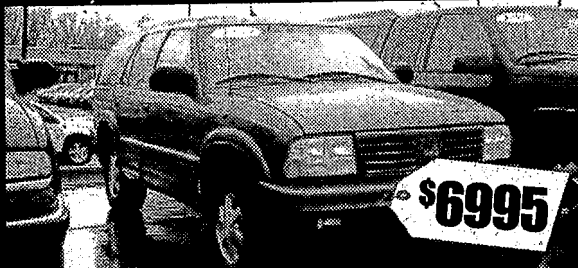
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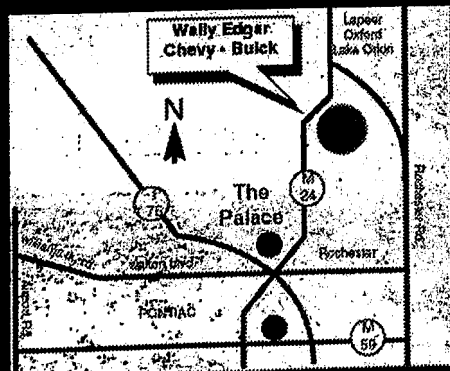
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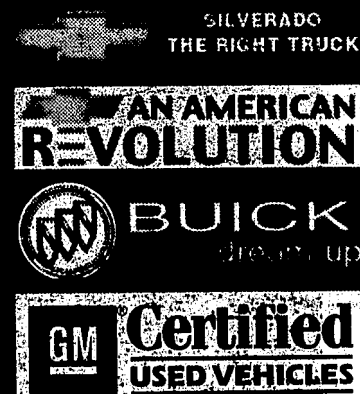


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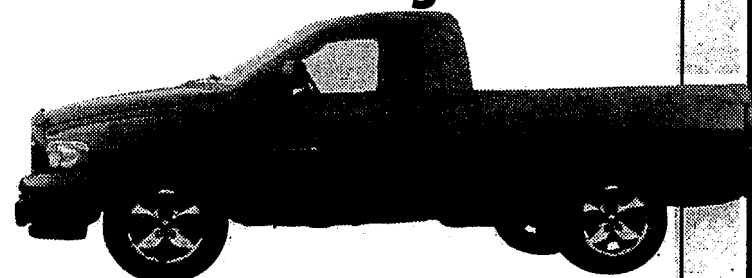


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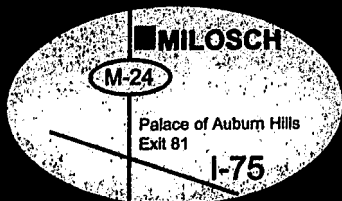
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