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Rock on!

Clarkston School Board picks Rod Rock as superintendent

BY WENDIREARDON

Clarkston News Staff Writer

A visit to Saginaw sealed the deal for school board members, selecting Dr. Rod Rock as Clarkston's new superinten-

"The engagement of the students and teachers spoke volumes," said Trustee Barry Bomier, who visited Saginaw

schools with Treasurer Rosalie Lieblang and Vice President Susan Boatman.

"What I was comforted about was a lot of people showed up in support of Rock," said Boatman. "No one said they had any problem communicating with

Clarkston Board of Education voted unanimously, Sept. 13, to hire Rock, director of instructional services at Saginaw Intermediate School District. Rock was not in attendance.

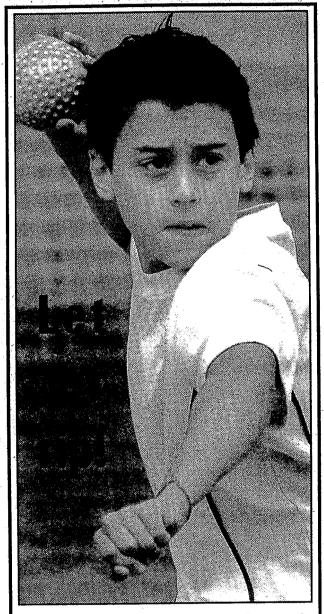
Board members also visited Imlay
City Community Schools, home of the
Clarkston's offer? other finalist, Dr. Gary Richards.

Board members were impressed with the Cultures of Thinking program instituted by Rock at List Elementary School in Frankenmuth. They observed an exercise where students looked at various items from kitchen, toys, period items, old souvenirs and write down what they thought about it. Then, they refined the information.

The program was first adopted in Traverse City, and encourages students to think, and develop critical thinking and problem solving skills. It reminded Bomier of Clarkston's IB

Rock heard about it going on, took a group up to Traverse City, then wrote the grant," said Boatman. "The kids were very enthusiastic."

Board members also observed teachers' techniques and Please see Contract on page 4A



Tyler Balkay pulls back his throw before sending it to the dunk tank during Oakland Woods Baptist Baptist Church's Fall Festival. Photo by Wendi Reardon. For more photos, please see

Clarkston constable talk continues

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Loud music in the neighborhood. Kids trespassing on the beach, loitering in Depot Park, and pulling bike stunts in Mill Pond parking lot.

Clarkston residents said they were confident when Clarkston Police would handle situations like this. With the department now gone, they're not so sure.

"I don't think a Oakland County Sheriff officer has time to break up kids hanging out skateboarding or smoking a joint at 10 o'clock at night," said resident Tarik Dinha. "I think a part-time person may be able to curb that and maybe minimize that type of activity."

Cara Catallo said she was "scared to call" the sheriff department when the neighbors' music was too loud.

Becky Summerlee, who has a private beach in her neighborhood, said she did not call the police when she and her husband saw kids trespassing on the beach.

The residents urged Clarkston City Council to consider a constable or single police officer position.

Mayor Steve Arkwright met with the finance committee to talk about it. Items included park patrols, parking tickets, house checks, special events, liaison to the Oakland County Sheriff Department, traffic control, and ordinance enforcement, as well as if the position should be an armed, sworn officer.

Alternatives include private security, extra contract with Oakland County Sheriff Department, and neighborhood patrol, he said.

"We offer those up to the council as points or areas of discussion as to what roles we think we need and what roles we want to pay for and what is it going to cost to get those roles," Arkwright said at the Sept. 13 council meeting.

Councilman Steve Hargis said many of those items had already been addressed in the letter signed by Lt. Dale LaBair and Supervisor Dave Wagner.

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Art in the Village brings artisans, vendors to Clarkston

BY KELLY CRAWFORD

Special to the Clarkston News

Paintings, photography, jewelry, fabric arts, wood works and more will fill Depot Park for Clarkston's 36th annual Art in the Village, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 18; and 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 19.

This juried show is hosted by the Clarkston Community Historical Society. Admission and parking are free.

Proceeds from Art in the Village fund the Clarkston Heritage Museum in the Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road, including purchase and restoration of Clarkston artifacts, as well as educational activities throughout the year.

"Art in the Village is our biggest fundraising event of the year," said historical society President Jennifer Arkwright. "We have a fantastic roster of artists and vendors lined up, and we are very happy to involve so many other community organizations in this

In addition to art, the Depot Park event in downtown Clarkston features live music, children's activities and a variety of foods, including fresh cider and doughnuts, sold by local nonprofit organizations.

A Silent Auction Tent features items donated by artists to the Historical Society. The popular Antique Tent will be filled with



Art patrons peruse displays at last year's Art in the Village at Depot Park. File

antiques and collectibles for sale that have been donated by local residents.

The Historical Society also will sell shirts, bags and the popular Clarkston ceramic Christmas ornaments that buyers scooped up so quickly last year.

CCHS still seeks donations of antiques and collectibles for the Antique Tent. Donors will receive a tax receipt listing the fair market value of donated items.

To donate, bring items to the Clarkston DPW garage on Depot Road near city offices, from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 17. Donors can call the Clarkston Heritage Museum at 248-922-0270 to make alternative arrangements.

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Landscape Tips from Tom Lowrie Fall Efforts Pay Off Now AND in Spring

Fall planted lawns, shrubs, perennials and trees establish strong foot holds before winter. Now through the end of October is the perfect time in Southeast Michigan to refresh your lawn

and landscaping. Use the tips below to enjoy your yard now and next year:

Plant. Plant mums, sedum and ornamental grasses. They add color and interest now and will be well established come spring time. Strategically plant trees or flowering shrubs keeping maturity size in mind. Plant evergreens to provide color and protection for wildlife. Plant spring flowering bulbs now and enjoy them in next

Transplant. Now is a good time to transplant deciduous trees and shrubs as there will be less trauma during this season of dormancy. Prune while flowering trees and shrubs are dormant.

Mulch. A layer of mulch will provide a boost of color now and extra protection for your plants during the winter months. Freezing and thawing can break roots or even push new plantings out of the ground.

Weed, seed & fertilize. Remove weeds now to eliminate literally thousands of weed seeds next spring. Fertilize with high phosphorus, low nitrogen. Spot seed bare areas of your lawn. Maybe give your lawn one last trim, about 1 1/2 inches is ideal.

Remove leaves. Rake and remove leaves to help your lawn come back strong next spring. If you can, shred them and use them as free mulch in appropriate areas.

Design. Fall is a great time to hire a landscape contractor for two reasons. The leaves are down so it is easy for a landscape designer to see what is really happening and it's almost the off season so they'll negotiate on price.

Tom Lowrie owns Lowrie's Landscape in Clarkston, Michigan and has been making the world a more beautiful place since 1979. Sign up for exclusive email tips and specials at www.LowriesLandscape.com or call (248) 625-8844



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Briefly

In support of Marching Band

All joking aside in regards to stiff upper lips, the Clarkston High School Marching Band is heading to England this December. They have been selected to perform at the "world's greatest street spectacular," the New Year's Day parade in London.

And, this costs money. To help defray cost, *The Clarkston News & Penny Stretcher* will publish a full-color keepsake section, splitting all proceeds from advertising sales with the band, 50-50.

The section will feature a single sponsor for each member of the band making the trip. The cost for sponsorship is \$600. The sponsorship will be adjacent to a photo of the student.

"The band needs to send their final payment for this by mid-October," Assistant Publisher Don Rush said. "To make this happen, we will accept half payments now and bill the remaining \$300 at the end of October. The first payment will go to the program."

The section will be posted on-line and each sponsor will also be recognized individually with a photo and writeup throughout the year in the *CNews*.

"Our staff will blitz the community this week and next, filling out the section, with limited sponsorship opportunities." Rush said.

To make sure your business is represented -- the sections will be mailed to all addresses serviced by the Clarkston and Davisburg post offices -- call the Clarkston News at 248-625-3370.

Attention businesses

What are you doing to stimulate the local economy – *The Clarkston News* wants to know. Stop by at 5 S. Main Street, call 248-625-3370, or email.

Fire shakes faith in emergency response

BY PHIL CUSTODIO

Clarkston News Editor

Living in Independence Township for the past seven years, Diane and Jon Alband never worried about fire protection.

They do now, after a house fire on their road, Sept. 7.

"It was a very poor response," Diane Alband said. "Thank God no one was home."

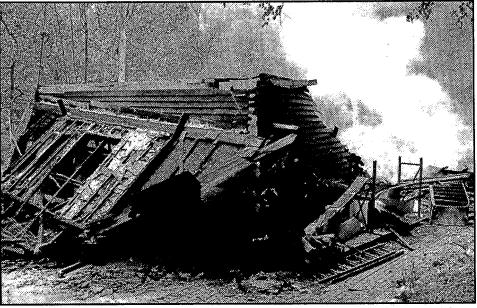
According to 911 dispatch records, requested under the Freedom of Information Act, the first Springfield Township unit was dispatched at 4:15 p.m.

With high winds that afternoon, the call was for downed power lines in the 7000 block of Foster Road off Dixie Highway, near the border of Springfield and Independence townships. They arrived at 4:27 p.m., said Springfield Township Fire Department Chief Charlie Oaks.

Finding live wires across the road, they blocked the road to traffic. Firefighters and sheriff's deputies saw smoke rising nearby to the west, and called it in, according to police reports. By that time, a house in the 8000 block of Foster Road was fully ablaze. Residents were not home at the time and no one was injured in the fire.

The house was located in Springfield Township, but first responders thought it was in Independence Township. Independence fire trucks were dispatched, with Springfield and White Lake departments assisting.

Access from Dixie Highway was blocked engulfed. I've never seen anything like it,



A Foster Road house still smolders a day after burning down, Sept. 7. Photo by Phil Custodio

by the wires, so they had to take a longer route from the other side, arriving at the scene at 4:50 p.m.

Alband called 911 to report the burning house, remembering the time as about 4:20 p.m. Dispatch records her time as 4:48 p.m.

A neighbor told her he called 911 earlier, at about 4 p.m.. While waiting for fire trucks to arrived, she also saw a neighbor with a shovel attempt to dig a fire break, she said.

"I couldn't see the house – it was totally engulfed. I've never seen anything like it."

Alband said. "Why did it take so long? We pay such high taxes for this, and that could have happened to any of us on that street."

Records provided do not include any calls about the fire before 4:37 p.m.

The house, located at the bottom of a long, sloped driveway on a heavily wooded lot, was completely destroyed.

"When I got to the scene, the house was totally involved," Oaks said. "Nothing could be saved."

The fire is under investigation.

Use it or lose it for Springfield PEG funds

BY PHIL CUSTODIO

Clarkston News Editor

It's back to the drawing board for officials looking to spend Springfield Township's cable fund balance.

Clerk Laura Moreau worked with Parks and Recreation Director Jennifer Tucker and Program Specialist Rich Ashley on a plan to spend about \$48,000 of it.

Think bigger, other Springfield Township Board members told them.

"We need to develop the plan more," said Trustee Dennis Vallad, at the Sept. 9 township meeting. "I'm all for spending that money – if we don't spend it, there's a really good chance it'll be pulled in the next negotiation."

Public, Educational, and Government (PEG) fees paid by cable subscribers in the township bring in about \$60,000 a year, accumulating a total of \$367,172.24.

The franchise agreement limits use of the money to equipment, production, and support of PEG programming.

The plan called for up to \$4,000 for pro-

duction of 10 new episodes of Springfield Township's cable show "Team Reptile," starring Ashley and local campers. It also included up to \$44,000 for a new video production community education course and studio through parks and recreation, with Ashley as instructor.

The Township Board voted unanimously to approve the new episodes, but tabled the classroom idea.

"It's a narrow, specific use – let's look at the bigger picture," said Treasurer Jamie Dubre. "The PEG money comes through the franchise agreement – there's no guarantee we'll get 2 percent next time."

They should work with township property manager Mike Forst and Supervisor Mike Trout to develop an overall package of upgrades, Dubre said.

"Let's integrate everything – this is the logical time to do it," said Trustee David Hopper.

"It's quite a bit of money, but it's there, and it can only be used for certain things," Vallad said. "If we don't use it, it's another

piece Comcast can use to eliminate them in the future."

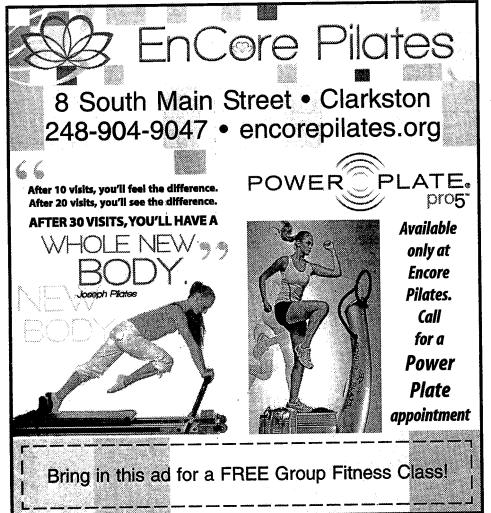
The proposed classroom in township hall would offer hands-on course for residents, create government access programming on environmental issues, Heritage Festival, Road Rally, Easter Egg Hunt, and other parks and recreation activities, library summer reading program, elections, and other township news.

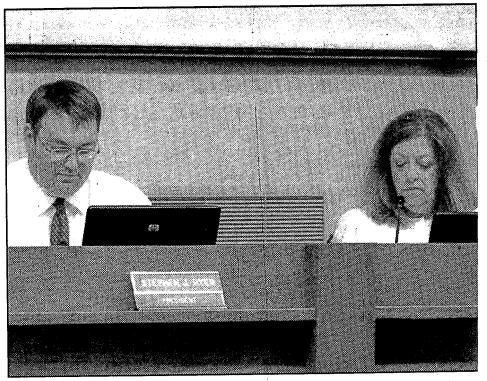
"I'd like to see the PEG funds used for the video facility – it would be a great asset," said Trustee Judy Hensler. "I understand there's lots more to do. There's a lot of money sitting there. I think we should use it to residents' benefit."

As part of Comcast's franchise agreement with local governments, the cable company is required by law to pay a percentage of its profit from cable customers in the area to the government. The funds are used to support public access programming.

In Springfield Township, Comcast and AT&T pay a quarterly percentage based on gross annual receipts in the community.







Clarkston School Board President Steve Hyer and Vice President Sue Boatman consider contract options for the new superintendent. Photo by Wendi Reardon

Rock to review contract offer

Continued from page 1A practices in the classroom.

"I met a lot of people who were positive Rock can do the job," said Lieblang. "Rod is committed to doing what he thinks is right."

Bomier spoke to the Merrill School District superintendent who knows both candidates and said Clarkston had two great candidates.

"It boils down to two choices," the superintendent told him. "One is very traditional and will lead the district and do an excellent job. The other is non-traditional. He will take your district to places you never thought of."

"That thought binds to me," said Bomier. "The decision I want to make is what value do we bring, what is the change, what is the difference of the life of a child at Clarkston Community Schools. I continue to get excited about the opportunities."

Board members were split between the two candidates.

Secretary Joan Patterson was impressed with the input she received from parents and administrators in Imlay City for Richards.

"I saw problem-solving capability that car be transferred to a larger district," she added

Richard Dunham, consultant with Michigan Association of School Boards, said it was important for the school board to make a unanimous decision

The district would be in good hands with either, Dunham added.

They discussed terms to Rock's contrac in closed session. The next step is for Rock's attorney to review the contract before he for mally accepts the position.

What do you think Clarkston?

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Indian Springs hosts Great Pumpkin Hunt

Indian Springs Metropark off White Lake Road in Springfield Township hosts a Great Pumpkin Hunt of 2010, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 9.

Pumpkin hunters search for clues hidden in pumpkins to solve a puzzle. Winners under age 16 can collect prizes.

Lunch provided by Midway-style food vendors or pack a picnic. Entertainment includes Rosco the Clown, and pumpkin painting with Library Larry.

The event is sponsored by the Huron Valley Optimist Club. For more information, go to www.huronvalleyoptimist.com or call In dian Springs Metropark at 248-625-6640.

"We're planning a community wide gath ering for residents of the Huron Valley, jus like they did in times past, when time went little slower and neighbors come together t visit," said Linda Erlich, Pumpkin Hunt chair person. "We're hoping our friends and neigh bors throughout the Huron Valley come ou to enjoy this beautiful park."

Vehicle entry permits are \$25 annually fo regular admission, \$15 annually for seniors or \$5 daily.

Clarkstonites take a stroll down memory lane

BY TREVOR KEISER

Clarkston News Staff Writer

While attending the Methodist Church in Big Rapids, Alice Jane Vliet-Anderson met Bob and Nancy Parsons. Through general conversation, Vliet-Anderson and Parsons found they had a special connection. They were both from Clarkston.

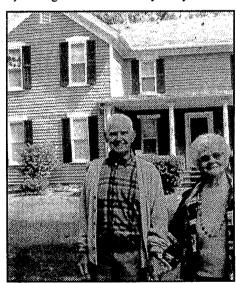
Vliet-Anderson, her husband Gus, and the Parsons made the three-hour drive on Thursday Sept. 9, so Alice could have a look at an 1873 broadside banner donated to the Clarkston Historical Society a few months ago after her cousin Ray Smith died ("Patriotic piece of local history restored," July 7).

Alice was born in her grandparent's home at 71 Main Street in 1922.

"They've changed the address, it's now 104 N. Main Street," she said. "Looking straight on it was to the left of (old) Independence Township Hall."

Alice said she, Gus, and the Parsons came down a couple years ago to tour the old house and visit the graves of her parents.

Though Alice was only 10-years-old



Gus and Alice Jane Vliet-Anderson visit their old home on Main Street.

when she moved from Clarkston to Big Rapids, she still considers it "home.

"I have lots of ties here all the relatives live here," she said. "I remember many good times."

Alice recalled playing with King McIntyre, who lived two houses north of Clarkston Road.

"We played together all the time not much at his house but mostly at my house. I had a tent out in the backyard, there was a little hole in it I would stand inside and he would stand on the outside and we would throw stones through the hole," she said. "He picked up a piece of glass and threw it landed on my foot. I said 'I'm bleeding' and he ran for home and I yelled until grandma came out. I still have a scar."

Alice said her domain was North Main Street from Clarkston Road to Washington, the only time she was allowed to cross the street was if she was going to King's house or to visit her Grandma Smith who lived on Washington.

"My grandmother, Leda Smith Vliet's mother, lived on the north side of the street on Washington about three houses from Main Street," she said.

She also attended United Methodist Church located on Buffalo and Church Street, which is now the house of former Clarkston Mayor Sharron Catallo.

Alice said they moved from Clarkston because her dad wasn't able to find any work.

"It was depression time," she said.
"Grandma still had a farm up in Big Rapids and she said to my dad "well there are no jobs and no work here. We can go up there mind free and clear, we can eat and have a home."

As far as her memories, Main Street is about the same, she said. However, Nancy, a 1960 graduate of "old, old" Clarkston High School, which is now Renaissance High school, said "Clarkston's grown up."

"When we moved here in 1954 on Waldon Road there was a hill they've kind of taken out but when you go down the hill there

Independence Pool and Spa

'Giving customers clear results'



Alice Jane Vliet-Anderson and Toni Smith, Clarkston Community Historical Society, examine an historic broadsheet donated by Alice's family. *Photos by Trevor Keiser*

were all the fruit farms, and orchards which is now Snow Apple Drive, Peach drive, and all those orchard names.

Nancy said the people who lived across the street from her owned a lot of the orchard. She also said behind her were no houses and they would go camping back there.

"White Lake Road, and Deer Lake you'd go swimming down there and it was just a hole, a gravel pit Lake," she said. "Now, it's all different."

Her husband Bob lived on Whipple Lake

Road, and graduated in 1961, he was the first class to graduate from the "old" High School on Waldon, now the Jr. High.

Nancy and Bob married in 1963 and moved, but came back to bury her dad in 1975, and would visit often to take care of her mom.

"I would have like to stayed in Clarkston, Bob's job didn't allow for it," she said. "It's always good to come back for a visit."

Alice smiled and agreed.

"Clarkston will always be special to me."



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Phil in the Blank

A column by Phil Custodio

Still learning from 9-11

Sept. 11 fell on a Saturday this year, which made possible a whole day of 9/ 11. MSNBC ran coverage of the terrorist attacks on New York City, Washington D.C., Shanksville, as they happened nine years ago. The History Channel cleared its entire day's schedule

for it.

It seemed to bring to a head the "Ground Zero Mosque" and "burn a Koran day" issues, at least for now.

I don't agree with what the Koran burners did. I respect Muslims

and their religion. I even went to war to defend them. I have a Saudi Arabian Liberation of Kuwait Medal to prove it.

One argument against it was annoying, that it "puts our troops at risk." It's saying our troops are like hostages, to be killed whenever the terrorists want, instead of heavily armed soldiers trained and experienced in killing them back if they try anything.

But someone buying a Koran and burning to send a message is the sort of thing we do here. Freedom of speech. The whole "I disagree with what you say, but will defend to my death your right to say it" thing.

It exposed how people really feel about freedom of expression. When President Obama preaches about tolerance and freedom of religion when discussing the New York City Mosque, the next logical question is, do you also support the Koran burners' right to free speech?

Well, no.

So kudos for not letting folks off the hook, holding their feet to the fire. In the end, it didn't even require burning the book to make the point, although some

Speaking of freedom of expression, it occurs to us that squashing a debate on whether Clarkston should be dissolved or not - isn't.

What kind of American pressures other Americans not to have a discussion, in America, on any issue, no matter how "premature."

So we'll do it. We have a studio with microphones, cameras, lights, and everything. Watch for details next week.

The Clarkston News

Debate how to keep city identity

Dear Editor.

I applaud the decision to cancel the forum on Oct. 4 to discuss the dissolution of the City of Clarkston.

These types of events, hastily planned,

and not well-communicated, will only bring in those who support the issue at hand. We need

to have lengthy discussions and debate, and take our time to completely settle the issue.

When my wife, daughter, and I moved into Clarkston in 2005, we moved from Independence Township and we wanted to get back to a small community life.

I am unhappy with the loss of the Police Department but that is not the only thing that makes up this community. Can you do better -YES! Should we just give up - NO! We should not be making hasty decisions or starting petitions when the long term result would be impossible to overturn.

I believe these types of actions were of the type that resulted in the loss of the Police Department. The entire community was not

fully engaged to properly debate the issue.

A more valid debate that should take place is how we engage the entire community within the City to gain a value for all of us. It can't be just a dollars and cents decision, it

has to be based on us Letters to the editor keeping our own iden-

> I personally do not want the city swallowed up by Independence Township and have our votes diluted within the 35,000+ population of Independence. If that happens, we will lose our identity completely because a much larger voting populace will be making decisions about what happens to us. Many people who only show up

> We need to keep our own identity and work to engage this entire community in makus all. Let's all start working to make this the

> for parades and special events will be con-

trolling what happens to our beautiful City.

Michael Sabol

ing the improvements necessary to satisfy right CITY for all of its residents.

Keep Independence's identity too

Dear Editor.

We agree with the idea that a layer of government could and should be dissolved if the city of/village of Clarkston was dissolved.

However we disagree with the notion that long time township residents should drop the Independence Twp. name in favor of Clarkston. There's no reason that both names can't coexist, both have coexisted for 170 years. Why rid the township of it's historically significant name now? Having both names has helped define the community.

Independence Township was given its name by one of its earliest settlers, Joseph Van Sycle, who came to the township in 1834 from Independence, New Jersey. The township was organized in 1837.

The Independence name was used to identify the area/village before the name of the village was changed in 1840.

In 1840 the village was platted and named by Clark brothers, Jeremiah, Nelson W., and Milton H. On December 12, 1840 the Independence post office was transferred to and renamed Clarkston. The village was incorporated in 1884.

We believe that whatever happens to the city of/village of Clarkston should not affect the longstanding, historical Independence Township name. They both can, and should be left alone to coexist.

Sincerely,

Michael and Lori Powell Independence Township

Keep discussions going

I think we should have discussions on anything that would improve our community. Services and taxes are high on that list. We have five vacant homes on North Holcomb along. In my opinion, this is a problem.

Russ Rana Clarkston

Got an opinion?

Write a letter to the editor at ClarkstonNews@gmail.com.

We'll edit for grammar, punctuation, clarity and length. Include phone # for verification.

A Look Back

From The CNews archives

15 years ago - 1995

"Church members vocal about bar" Members of Clarkston Free Methodist Church gathered at an Independence Township Board meeting to speak out against a proposed bar at Maybee and Sashabaw roads. They worried it would be bad for the neighborhood.

"Bus drivers file charge of unfair labor practice" Drivers charged Clarkston schools with threatening them with privatization because they publicly protested a cut in their hours and fringe benefits.

"I hope I pick the right one" Ryan Schapman surprised Laura Witkowski with a red rose, symbol of a finalist for Homecoming queen. Her twin sister D'Anne Witkowski wrote an opinion column about it.

25 years ago - 1985

"This winner blew his changes" Seven-year-old bubble gum blower Jason Green has his mom to thank for the blue ribbon and first-place trophy, his first ever. She made him enter the contest at the Michigan State Fair, he said.

"Insurance costs triple for schools" The Insurance Company of North America increased Clarkston school district's insurance by \$126,496, saying previous rates were too low. It was losing money before.

"CHS celebrates 25th homecoming" Clarkston High School homecoming committee chose "Back in Time" for their theme, celebrating the school's 25th anniversary. The school, on Walden Road south of the old high school, was built in

50 years ago - 1960

"Surprise party honors H.E. Richmond" He was honored at a surprise birthday party at his home on Overlook Drive. A delicious buffet supper was served, after which the guests spent an enjoyable evening playing cards.

"Open house at new high school" Faculty and students were set to welcome residents to their new, \$2.25 million high school, on Waldon Road south of the old high school.

"Art association announces 1st meeting" The newly formed Village Friends of Art planned their meeting at Clarkston Conservatory of Music on Main Street.

"Clarkston local" Mrs. George (Laura) Perry sent a post card from her vacation trip to Italy, saying she was having a great

Writer/reporter turns passion to business

The reports of my death have been greatly exaggerated. -- Mark Twain

As someone in the print journalism world, I know a lot of electronic media have played up the demise of

To some extent, that is true. While Don't weekly newspapers like the one you're **Rush Me** reading now continue to be strong, viable businesses, dailies have taken a hit.

There are a lot of folks who used to write for daily newspapers who are now twiddling their thumbs or writing "great American novels.

But, this column isn't about them. This column is about Clarkston ('scuse me, Independence Township) resident Jim DuFresne.

He is one of the countless daily reporters not working for a newspaper,

who is taking his passion (the outdoors and hiking 500-600 miles a year) and combining it with the entrepreneurial spirit that comes from economic necessity.

A column by

Don Rush

He and a handful of associates have started MichiganTrailMaps.com.

Before I blather on, let me tell, you it sounds like a sound business model. But, I digress . . .

Jim, who worked for years as an outdoor writer for Booth Newspapers. His writing has led to authoring or coauthoring countless books on hiking in Michigan, Alaska and even New Zealand.

After the Booth gig dried up, he started writing free-

Jottings

lance articles for magazines -- just like tons of other insula? Welcome to MichiganTrailMaps.com, the ultinonworking journalists.

An idea started to trek across the bumpy terrains of his brain . . . "People are getting their information differently today than they did ten years ago," he said.

As more people now hike for health and for fun (it is good for you and it is cheap) and as there was not a definitive place for folks to get good information (free). Ta-da! MichiganTrailMaps.com was born.

To date, there are about 80 trails reviewed, and previewed.

"There are over 1,000 trails we can cover in Michigan, from half-mile hikes to 40 mile hikes," he said. "Michigan is really blessed with wonderful trails."

The site features non-motorized trails -- trials for hikers, bikers, skiers and even horseshoers (is that a word?).

Jim said there were a number basics that had to be a part of the site -- each trail needed an introduction, a little history, something to the character of the trail; directions to the trail (with Googlemaps); and each trail needed a good, usable map.

And, it is all there. All trails "covered" as Jim says, have been visited by a team member. Using GPS coordinates, satellite images and topography maps, they have designed maps that can be printed in color or black and white, and read. They come with points of interest flagged, contour lines and elevation.

Users can find trails by county, by activity or by distance ... or as the home page says, "Looking for a walk in the woods, a weekend backpack or a wilderness adventure in the remote reaches of the Upper Penmate source on trails in Michigan . . . '

Users can sign up for an e-mail newsletter, which will have a featured trail (complete with color photos and hot links), or read blog entries by Jim on recent

Eventually Jim hopes to bring back print from the internet -- by creating a Michigan-based publishing house. Look for their first offering, Isle Royale National Park: Foot Trails & Water Routes, by early November.

Some of his favorite trails are on Isle Royale and through the Sleep Bear Dunes.

He is also quite fond of Independence Oaks County Park and the Wilderness Trail at the Michigan State Parks' Holly Recreational Area.

Jim DuFresne

Jim and his wife Peggy have lived in Independence Township since 1986; their two children, Jessica and Michael have gone through Clarkston schools.

And, though he has trekked the world . . . "I love living in north Oakland County. I love all the lakes, I love being able to drive 30 to 40 minutes and being close to so many county, state and Metro parks."

For the record, I just signed up for the e-newsletter,

Ad breaks on tv lengthen breaks from

For all my television viewing life, over half a century, I've known, and believed advertising has had restricted time slots. I had no proof, no solid information, but it is what I believed.

So, being a computer Jim's illiterate, I asked Don Rush to confirm my beliefs. On the internet, he found that in the 1960s, a typical hour-long American show would run for 51 minutes, excluding ads.

Today, a similar program would only be 42 minutes long; a typical 30minute block of time now a column by includes 22 minutes of Jim Sherman

programing with six minutes of national advertising and two minutes of local.

Some networks even use an 18 minutes of show/12 minutes of commercial split.

So, over the course of 10 hours, American viewers will see approximately three hours of advertisements, twice what we saw in the 1960s. Further, a rerun of a 1960s show today may be cut by nine minutes to make room for the extra ads. More recently that number as grown by two minutes.

This is due, in a large part, to the economic recession that has especially hit sponsorship of broadcast television programming

Ah, there's another factor. That little hand-held remote control has made it extremely easy to "tune out" advertising. Ads also give us time to leave our tv to do other things.

In general, advertisers covet the 18-49 age demographic; older viewers are of almost of no interest to most advertisers.

That's what Don Rush printed out for

However, he continued his search for truth about adv/program times and called

the Federal Communications Commission.

They said, flat out, there are no longer any time restrictions for advertising on television. I didn't need anybody from the FCC, internet or any other organization to know that.

It became quite apparent to me when watching a baseball game through the commercial. I found the game had restarted while the ads were showing. In some football games the game would start while the ads were finishing.

Now you've done it, FCC! Thanks ... You're hitting the 18-49 year old sports nuts right in their acorns. Watch for the

networks to lengthen time outs. As we all know, it's all about the money.

- - - 0 - -A little something for a granddaughter who needs some advice. I can get lifts from some songs, like this one by Jimmy Durante (and she may not even know who he is.)

"You've got to start off each day with

a song, even when things go wrong -Now you'll feel better, you'll even look better, I'm here to tell you you'll be a go getter.

"Now the way that you shake my hand, will tell me how I stand. Now isn't it better to go through life with a smile and a song than walking around with a face 11 miles long?

"Now you know you can't go wrong if you start off each day with a song." ---0---

• This is right off the UP Porcupine Press: Muslim suicide bombers in Britain are set to begin a 3-day strike in a dispute over the number of virgins they are entitled to in the afterlife. Al Qaeda announced the number of virgins a suicide bomber would receive after death will be cut from 72 to 60.

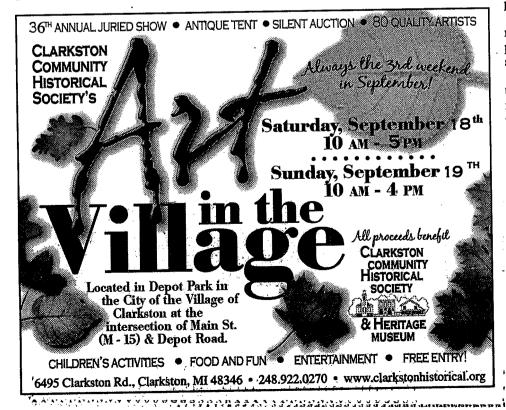
• A typical pencil can write 45,000 words, or draw a line 35 miles long.

· A good column writer would have stopped way before now.

Motown tunes for conservationists at Wild Night Out



Todd and Lena Roeser are ready to groove to Mark Harrington Band's live Motown tunes at Wild Night Out benefit dinner and auction for North Oakland Headwaters Land Conservancy, Saturday, Oct. 2, at Springfield Oaks Fairgrounds. *Photo provided*



BY PHIL CUSTODIO

Clarkston News Editor

When North Oakland Headwaters Land Conservancy helped purchase 186 acres of Upper Bushman Lake property, it achieved a goal that had been its front burner for years.

Now the non-profit group's coffers need refilling. That's the job of its annual dinner fund raiser, Saturday, Oct. 2, at Springfield Oaks County Park.

"Wild Night Out needs to be successful because we spent a lot of our reserves on making the Upper Bushman happen – it was our number one priority," said Katie Anderson, executive director. "It's the key to our success. It's a great fund raiser."

The Mark Harrington Band performs live Motown tunes at Motown Pride, Hometown Conservation dinner and auction.

"They have a very big following, performing live Motown music," Anderson said. "It's a casual evening with Motown eats – ribs, chicken, coney dogs."

The Upper Bushman property's \$2.836 million purchase price was paid with \$1.74 million from the Oakland County Parks, \$945,000 from a Michigan Department of Natural Resources Trust Fund grant, grants, and \$16,000 from North Oakland Headwaters Land Conservancy.

The NOHLC donation was from donations from Independence Township residents.

The property, which features a 31-acre lake, is in the northeast part of Independence Oaks County Park, bordered by Sashabaw and Oak Hill roads.

The corners of the two properties connect tip-to-tip through wetlands creating opportunities for a boardwalk connector trail.

"We're so excited about the Upper Bushman property – it doubled the size of Independence Oaks County Park," Anderson

Long term plans include fishing, non-motorized boating, cross-country skiing, hunting, and other recreation uses. Independence Oaks County Parks is located on Sashabaw

Road, 21/2 miles north of I-75.

"We also have projects in Rose, Brandon, Holly, and Springfield townships, we're also looking at closing on this year," she said. "We need the staff and land acquisition resources for them."

Wild Night tickets are \$50. Advance reservations required at 248-846-6547

Park workday, Sept. 18

Celebrating its 175th anniversary, Albion College students and alumni are performing service projects all over the metro Detroit area. Clarkston was chosen for one of them.

North Oakland Headwaters Land Conservancy and Albion College volunteers host a Joint Workday Event, 8 a.m.-12 p.m., Saturday, Sept 18, at Kimball Preserve in Independence Township.

All members and supporters of all ages are welcome to help. Projects include restoring paths, and building a footbridge and a wetland walk.

"We'll put logs down and nail boards to it," said Katie Anderson, executive director. "It has minimal impact in the wetland – a permisable way to bring people into the wetland without disturbing the wetland."

The projects are part of the conservancy's stewardship mission, preserving green spaces for public recreation and education.

"It's a lab for young folks to understand the importance of environment," she said.

The 41-acre Kimball Preserve is southeast of I-75 and M-15, at Perry Lake Road and Northview Drive.

- Phil Custodio

Electronics recycling collection

Clarkston Community Schools and Computer Recyclers of Michigan host Computer and Small Electronic Community Recycling Day, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 25, at Sashabaw Middle School, 5565 Pine Knob Lane off Maybee Road.

Items aare collected at no cost to the community or school district. Donations of \$5 are accepted to fund academic service learning projects at Sashabaw Middle School.

Computer Recyclers will drill computer hard drives to destroy personal information, and, whenever possible, working equipment will be donated to local charities. No items go to landfills. Collection will be in the rear parking lot, rain or shine.

Items accepted include computers, monitors, CRT and LCD, keyboards and mice, laptops, printers, laser and inkjet, scanners, fax machines, and copiers, toner and ink, audio equipment, computer speakers, DVD players and VCRs, cell phones, cameras, small electronics, small appliances, all cord and wire, all batteries except automobile, televisions, 32 inch and smaller.

Large appliances will not be accepted, and there is no early drop off.

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Back to School Week Specials

Reports from Clarkston Police, Oakland County Sheriff Deputies and Independence Township Fire Department

Driving with marijuana

A deputy stopped a car based on a report of possible drunk driving, 4:13 p.m., Sept. 5, in the 7000 block of S. Main Street. The deputy smelled burnt marijuana and found a bag of it wedged between the front seat and center console. The driver, a 29-year-old Owosso man, and passenger, a 31-year-old Mt. Morris man, were cited for possession of marijuana.

Breaking into church

Someone broke into an office at a church in the 3000 block of Reeder Road, Sept. 5. Nothing appeared to be taken, but damage was more than \$1,400.

House vandalized

An empty Ennismore Drive house was vandalized, Sept. 4, with paint splattered throughout, and lights and doors broken.

Caught in the act

Responding to the report of a loud party, 4:09 a.m., Sept. 4, in the 9000 block of Cedargrove Road, deputies arrived and watched a resident smoke from a glass pipe. He was cited for marijuana possession and use. The homeowner was cited for the loud

Wallet emptied, returned

A wallet was taken from a parked car in the 6000 block of Sashabaw Road, Sept. 3. The wallet was later found on Sashabaw, with driver's license, Medicaid card, and credit card missing.

Wrong into

An Independence Township resident reported a rear passenger window broken out and duffel bag taken, Sept. 4, while parked in the 4000 block of Sashabaw Road. It turned out the window had been lowered somehow and wasn't broken. The bag was missing, though.

Rough shore leave

An intoxicated 21-year-old Marine on leave punched, kicked, and head butted a security officer at a DTE concert, 10:45 p.m., Sept. 5. Calmed down by fellow: Marines: he was charged with assault and battery.

Don't pay to win

An Independence Township woman was called by someone who said he was a Time Life sweepstakes representative, telling her she won \$350,000, and she had to send \$1,200 for insurance, Sept. 2. She sent the money, and they called and said she won more money, but had to send \$2,300 more to collect it. She sent that too. She was about to send another \$2,600 when she caught on. All the money went to an address in Greenville, S.C. She was advised that if you win something, you should never have to pay to get it.

Purse stolen

Someone broke the driver's side window of a car parked at Independence Oaks park, 12:15 p.m., Sept. 8, and stole a purse.

Jewelry lifted

Independence Township residents discovered jewelry missing from their Frankwill Avenue home, Sept. 8. They suspected someone got in through an unlocked door.

Under the influence

A 23-year-old Brandon Township man drove his pickup into a truck stopped for the light at Sashabaw and Maybee, 10:05 a.m., Sept. 8. His speech was slurred and eyes glassy. He told deputies he didn't take heroin for at least a week, but was on other medication. He was charged with driving under the influence of drugs.

Who's the boss?

On Aug. 25, at 2:20 a.m., a deputy on patrol on Glass Road got behind a vehicle at M-15. The vehicle turned southbound on M-15 and accelerated to 65 in a 50 mph zone and ran on the right shoulder as he turned on Allen Road and traveled left of center as he made the turn. The deputy made a stop on the vehicle on Seymour Lake Road. The driver smelled strongly of intoxicants and admitted drinking Coors Light beer, with the last one being an hour before. He said he borrowed a vehicle from his boss because he didn't want to spend the night at his friend's house. A preliminary breathalyzer test showed the man had a blood alcohol test of .0128 percent. A LEIN check showed his license is currently suspended. He was arrested for operating while intoxicated and taken to the Oakland



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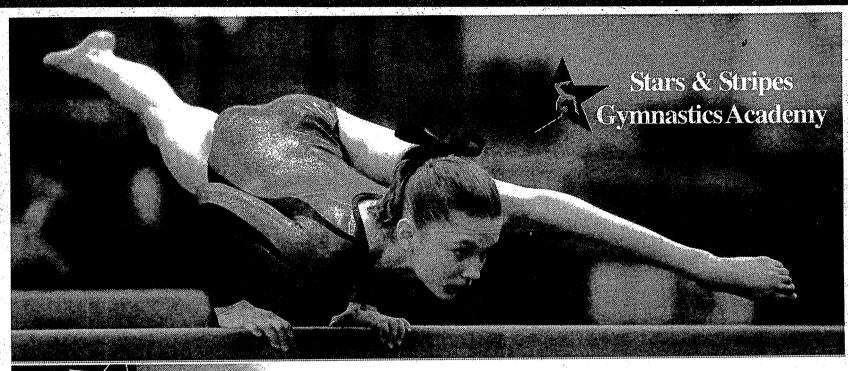


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Lady Wolves take over tournament

BY WENDIREARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Spikers dominated the Grand Blanc Invitational and won it for the second consecutive year.

"I was very impressed with how the girls played," said Girls Varsity Volleyball Coach Kelly Avenall.

"We have been working on a lot," she added. "I was nervous about our blocking because because I didn't think we had a strong blocking team. We blocked really well and it showed."

The girls didn't lose during the entire tournament. They split sets with Livonia Churchill and saw them again in the round. They defeated them 25-10 and 25-21.

"It's really because we played a flawless defense all day," Avenall explained. "I can't think of one time the ball was hit to us we didn't get to."

The team finished the day 5-0-1, putting their record to 9-1-1.

Allison Reis had 56 digs and 36 kills. "She played good for us all-around all day," Avenall added.

Haley Barker stepped it up for the Lady Wolves in the server position and had 11 aces. Stephanie Marani added 20 kills and 16 blocks to the day.

The team used the tournament for preparation for their first league game they played on Tuesday against Seaholm.

"I feel like this was a really good boost to get them ready for that mentally," said Avenall. "The tournament was a good stepping stone to our league play."

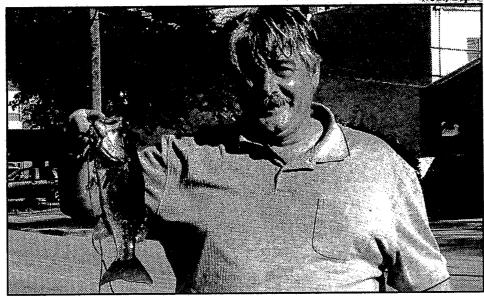
They knew they would be going against a tough team.

"They know what they have to do when they play against tough teams to get a win," said Avenall.

The girls head to Farmington next Tuesday for another league game.

"I tell the girls everytime we play a league match - it's not a given," said Avenall. "Everyone we prepare for."

Check the Wolfpack Update on www.ClarkstonNews.com to see how the girls did in their first league game.



Paul Palace shows off his catch, a large mouth bass, before throwing it back into Mill Pond. Photo provided

Successful catch

Paul Palace of Clarkston caught a large mouth bass in Mill Pond, Sept. 12, for the second time this summer. This time, he has proof - neighbor Dawn Frasa was at the pond with her camera.

'We've been hopeful he would catch it again," said Frasa of Clarkston, who took the

"My son Darren was sure last night was the night, so we brought our camera just in case. I guess Darren was right."

The fisherman posed for a few pictures with his catch, then tossed it back into the pond where it swam away.

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Wolves out sting the Yellowjackets

The Boys Varsity Tennis team shined on the court last week.

They beat Avondale in their second OAA league match up for the season, taking down each competitor for an 8-0 score.

"We felt good about it," said Coach Chaz Claus. "It was a solid complete win. It gave us our first league victory and set us on the right path.

Singles players finished winning both of their sets, Andy Heuerman, 6-2, 6-4; Matt Dahl, 6-2, 6-2; Kramer Kamp 6-2, 6-0; and J.P. Budzinski won 6-2, 6-0.

The doubles team won two of their sets, Jordan Kincaid and Kevin Wieryszko won 6-1, 6-2; Troy Hughes and Jake Zuzelski, 6-1, 6-1; Alex Richards and Garrett Smigelski 6-3, 6-2; and Patrick Bemis and Alex Quinn 4-6, 6-3, 6-3.

The team is now overall 2-2, 1-1 in the OAA league.

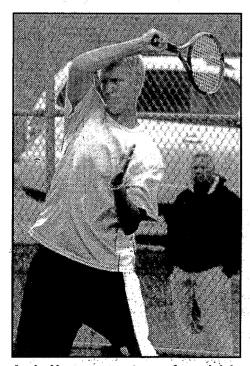
The boys finished in fifth at the Holly Invitational on Saturday.

"We were only two points out of second," Claus noted. "We were right on the edge of second. We lost one person to injury which probably cost us."

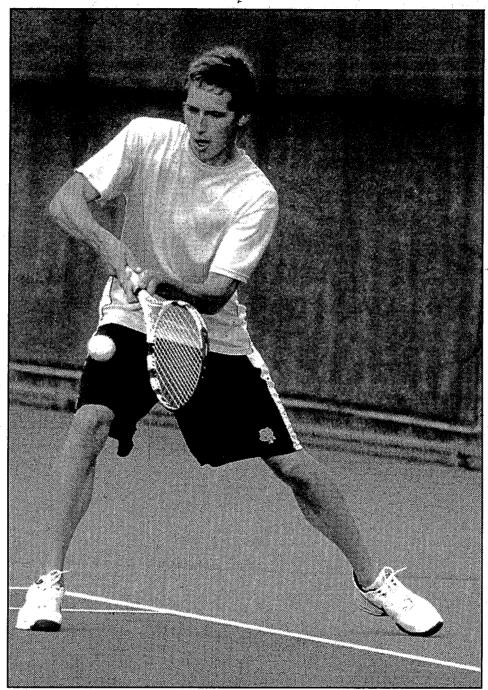
Two doubles teams won both of their flights – doubles #5 – Dominic Spadoni and Nico Nowak and doubles #6 – Zach Finn and Eric Kurowski.

"The whole team played really well and I am pleased with their performance," said Claus.

They played Lahser on Tuesday and continue a busy week of tennis at Farmington on Wednesday and at Lake Orion on Thursday. They are back home next Tuesday when they host Rochester.



Andy Heuerman returns Avondale's serve. *Photos by Wendi Reardon*



Jake Zuzelski anticipates the incoming ball before hitting it back over the net.



Gridiron special sections for sale

The full-color 2010 Gridiron section published in *The Clarkston News* on Sept. 1 is now for sale to the general public.

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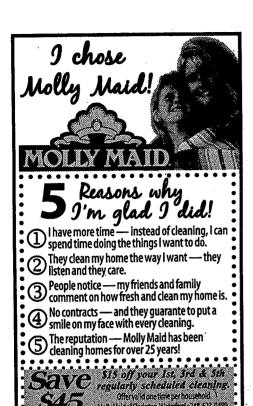
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Wolves shutout Waterford Kettering for win



Connor Hall leads the ball into the Highlander's turf.

BY WENDIREARDON Clarkston News Sports Writer

Junior Ryne Jones took the pass from teammate Conor Bright and with a swift kick put it into Waterford Kettering's net for the second time on Sept. 9.

Captain Jarrett Kersten added one more to end the night for the Wolves' win, 3-0.

"We really stepped up and stuck with our game plan and moved the ball really well on the ground creating a lot of scoring opportunities." said Boys Varsity Soccer Coach Chuck Lawhorn.

Both teams remained scoreless throughout the first half of the game.

"We came out a little flat in the first half," admitted Lawhorn.

The Wolves did put pressure on Kettering putting 12 shots on goal and keeping Captains' goalie Justin Haley on his feet.

"They felt the sense of urgency in the second half," said Lawhorn. "We were really close to scoring and it made them realize we have to play hard against every single team or any team can beat you on any day if we don't play well and we don't play hard."

Jones made his first goal early in the second half slipping the ball past Halev.

"Ryne played an excellent game," said Lawhorn. "I had him on the outside. Anytime we had the ball at his feet he became a dangerous player and played really well."

Clarkston finished with 20 shots on the net while goalie. Their defense kept Kettering from scoring.

Wolf goalies Tim Rogers had two saves and Trevor Smith made one save while he was in the net for the last ten minutes.

Clarkston lost to Rochester Adams on Sept. 7, 2-0, putting their overall record after last week to 4-3-1.

"We had a lot of scoring opportunities against Adams," said Lawhorn. "The difference was we finished them on Thursday. I thought the way we moved the ball was much better for us and much more the style we need to play.'

The boys played Troy on Tuesday and host Lahser on Thursday

"They compete pretty hard," said Lawhorn.

The Wolves also celebrate their annual Youth Soccer Night with a soccer shootout where all participants receive a free hot dog and they have a lot of other giveaways throughout the night.

"It gets everybody in the community excited about soccer," added Lawhorn. "It's great to see all the kids out there playing soccer. It makes me happy to see so many kids involved at that age. It shows them the right way to play."

All kids wearing a soccer jersey are free on Thursday night.

JV begins at 5:30 p.m., varsity follows.

The boys head to Stoney Creek next Tuesday.

"They have a competitive team this year and it will be a great game," said Lawhorn. "We are starting to gel more and play better. Everyone is getting on the same page. Hopefully by that point everybody will know where they are suppose to be and know their roles and we will be a machine."



Garret Gotass fends off a Rochester Adams defender. Photos by WR

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Gridiron heroes sink paws into Red Hawks in league win

BY WENDIREARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

The Wolves hit the practice field Monday afternoon after spending the weekend celebrating a huge victory over Troy-Athens, 42-10.

"We played pretty decent," said long-time Wolves Head Varsity Football Coach Kurt Richardson. "We still have a few things we have to work on. Overall it was a good game.

to work on. Overall it was a good game.

"We got offense going," he added, referring to offense scoring 17 points in their first two games and doubling it in one game.

The difference in the three games was the execution against Athens.

"We just executed better and that was the main thing," said Richardson.

Quarterback Nick Demattia put Clarkston on the board in the Wolves' first drive, scoring on a 1-yard touchdown. The play followed running back Joey Goss' 58-yard run.

They kept the momentum going into the second quarter and scored again - this time it was Goss on a 52-yard touchdown pass from Demattia.

Troy-Athens added a field goal to the board and another touchdown from Goss ended the first half, 21-3.

"We got Joey going and he had a good game," said Richardson. "Nick was outstanding."

The Red Hawks came back and scored a touchdown at the beginning of the half only to

have their excitement crushed by Wolves running back Evan Montgomery.

He scored the Wolves' fourth touchdown on a 74-yard run and put Clarkston further into the lead.

"Evan played really well," said Richardson.
"He had a good game."

The final touches for the game came from Max Collins and Matt Dellinger. Collins caught a 30-yard touchdown pass from Demattia. Dellinger also scored after receiving Demattia's 31-yard pass.

Barta scored six PATs for the night.

The Wolves finished the game remain undefeated in the OAA Red after their last two league games. They prepare this week for the Troy Colts (2-1, 1-1 OAA Red.)

"Hopefully they gained a little offense confidence," said Richardson. "Troy always plays us extremely tough. We are going to have to bring our 'A' game again."

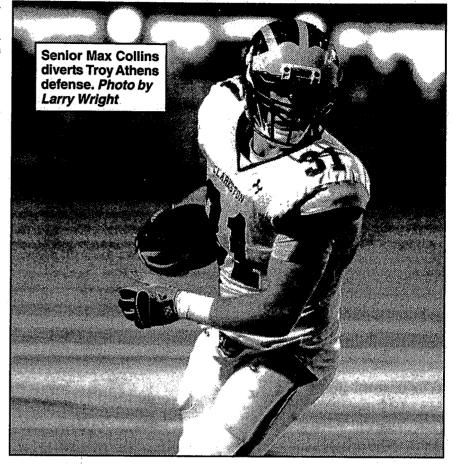
Kickoff is at 6:55 p.m. on Friday night at Clarkston High School Stadium.

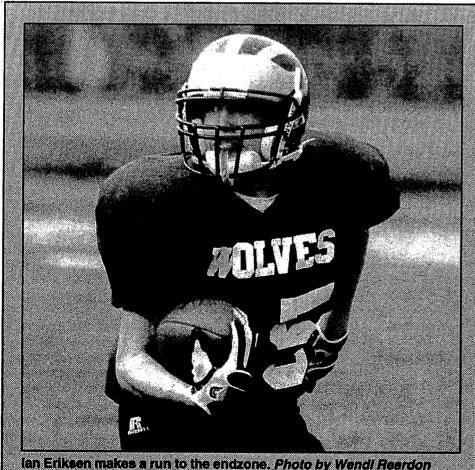
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The JV football team hosted Troy-Athens in the their home opener on Sept. 9. They beat them 33-20, remaining undefeated in their third game.

The freshman team tied against Athens, 14-14.

The freshman and JV football teams travel to Troy High School for their Thursday games..





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Athlete of the Week

Eriksen scores big

BY WENDIREARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Freshman Ian Eriksen picked up his speed as he got closer to the other side of the field, leaving Troy-Athens defenders in his wake.

He finished in the endzone after his 85yard run for his second touchdown in the Freshman Football team's home opener on Sent. 9.

He made his first touchdown after receiving a handoff from quarterback Caine Watlington with 2.44 left in the third quarter.

"We have a pretty good one-two punch with Ian and Caine as far as our rushing yards

go," said Dave Whitehead, freshman boys head football coach. "We are having a really good season with our ground games with those two."

Eriksen was voted captain of the week leading up to the Troy-Athens game.

"Ian is a great kid," said Whitehead. "He comes to practice every day with a great work ethic. He gives it everything he's got."

The boys finished the game with a tie, 14-14, putting their record to 2-0-1. The Wolves are on the road this week as they head to Troy on Thursday. They are back home on Sept. 23 to host Pontiac, 4:30 p.m.



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Quarterback Caine Watlington outruns Troy-Athens defense in the Freshman Football team's home opener.

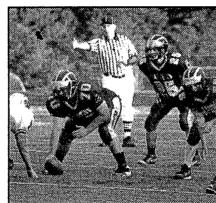
Let's hear it for the Wolves!

The Freshman and JV Football teams held their home opener against Troy-Athens, Sept. 9.

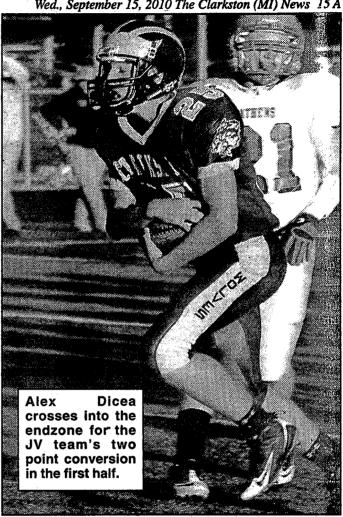
The freshman came back from a 14point deficit in the second half and tied their game.

The JV team overpowered the Red Hawks in the first half, 21-7. They finished with their third win, 33-20.

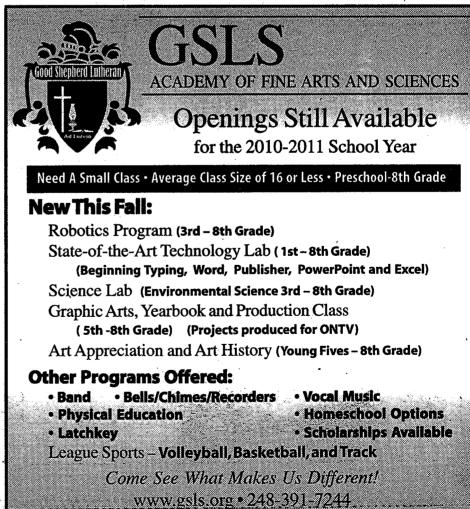
Photos by Wendi Reardon



JV offense is set at line of scrim-







But it was Jill Harris, the Girls Cross Country sixth runner that stood out for the team.

Clarkston was tied for first place with Northville after both had scored 89 points. The officials looked at both teams sixth runner for the tie breaker. Harris had finished in

39th place while Northville's runner finished hard and being confident out there." in the 50th spot.

"I am very proud of them," said Coach Kevin Breen. "They had a great performance. They worked together as a team. They were really strong. They went out really hard for the first two miles and got our team out to an early lead on most of their competitors. It is a step in the right direction. They are working

The boys team took seventh during the West Bloomfield/Brother Rice Invitational, with 213 points. Detroit Catholic Central won the race with 37 points.

Sam Tanielian finished in 17:23 and in 13th place to lead the Clarkston pack: Both cross country teams competed in their first OAA Jamboree on Tuesday and run in the Holly Invitational on Saturday.

"We look pretty strong," said Breen. "There is a possibility we can do well. I am not going to say we are going to win it. There

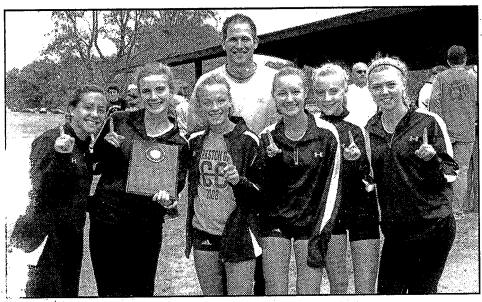
are good teams out there and we have a bit more growing to go before we make any statements like that. '

A team they continue to watch out for is

"They have a really strong and deep team. They have a good turnover every year. They are going to be a big competitor out there for us," added Breen.

The Holly Invitational is held at Springfield Oaks in Davisburg. The girls run at 12:40 p.m. and the boys at 1:20 p.m.

– Wendi Reardon



Bunners celebrate their first place finish. Photo provided

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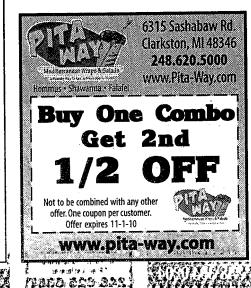
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Last Week's Score

Troy-Athens 10 Clarkston 42

OAA Red League Standings

Team	League	Overall
Clarkston	2-0	2-1
Lake Orion	2-0	3-0
Pontiac	1-1	2-1
Rochester	1-1	2-1
Royal Oak	0-2	0-3
Troy	1-1	2-1
Troy-Athens	0-2	1-2
West Bloomfield	1-1	1-2







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Sea Wolves win first meet

Swimmers beat Troy-Athens on Sept. 8, 133-50.

Four relay teams beat the Lady Redhawks. The 200 medley relay team, featuring Kathryn Culver, Sami Stelpflug, Monica Gorgas and Taylor Tekiele, finished 1:59.07. The 200-yard freestyle team with Andrea Misteravich, Natalie Vela, Tekiele and Gorgas finished 1:51.08. The 400-yard freestyle relay team with Culver, Vela, Misteravich and Stelpflug, 4:01.48.

For individual events Culver finished first in the 200-yard freestyle event, 2:02.4 and 500-yard freestyle, 5:23.26; Stelpflug in the 200-yard IM, 2:12.23, and 100-yard backstroke, 1:02.49; Tekiele in the 50-yard freestyle, 27.77, and 100-yard freestyle, 1:00.08; Gogras in 100-yard fly, 1:05.99 and 100-yard breaststroke, 1:15:58.

Alyssa Spytman scored 188.8 in the 1-meter diving event.

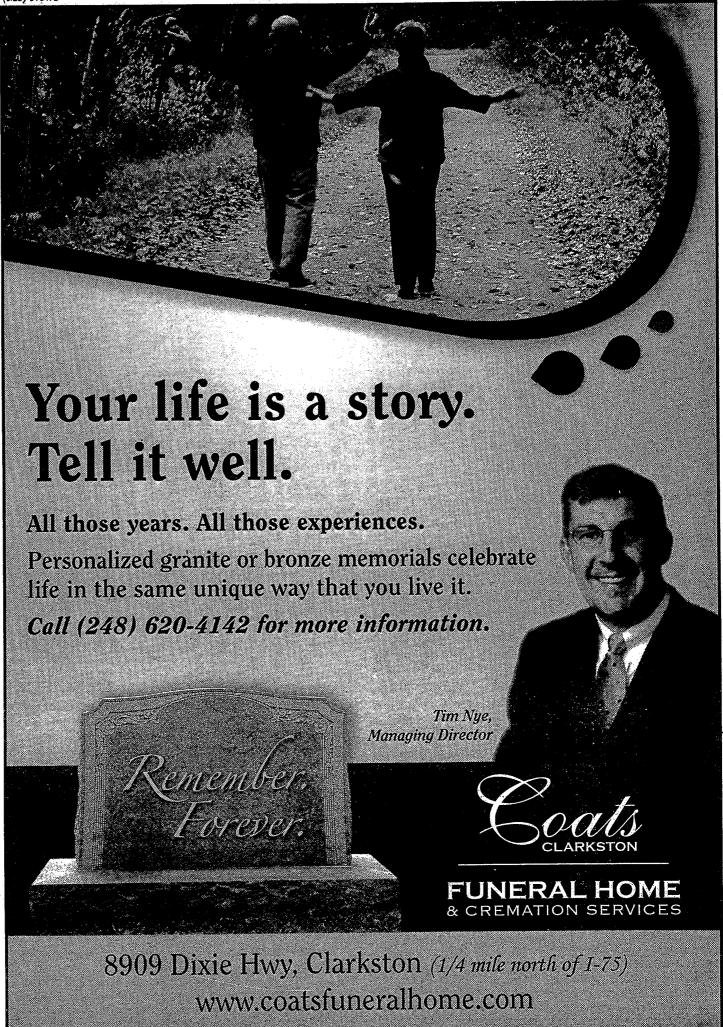
The girls are now 1-1 and head to Southfield-Lathrup on Wednesday to compete.

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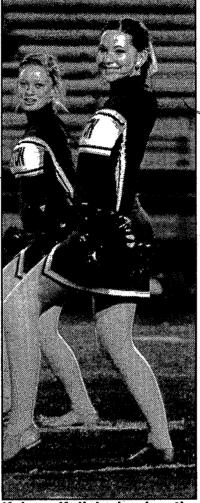
Megan Sullivan cheers for the Freshman Football team's defense.

Home sweet home

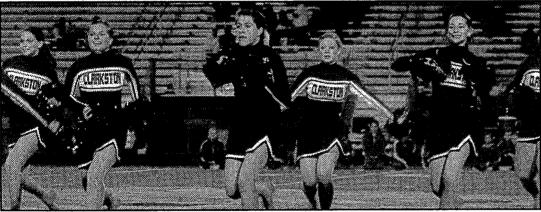
The cheer teams for the Freshman and JV football teams welcomed the Clarkston fans as the boys hosted their home opener, Sept. 9.

The JV Dance team entertained fans during the JV football game.

The next home game for Freshman and JV is Sept. 23 against Pontiac.



Kelsey Kolich dazzles the crowd.



The JV Dance team performs during half-time. Photos by Wendi Reardon

Don't fear sheriff, officials say

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"There were comments in there they were going to give the same level of service that we were getting before. I know there is a lot of people in the room that seem to think that's all hogwash, but it was stated in the letter they would do such things as house checks, park patrols, all of these various things you essentially mentioned on there," Hargis said. "I would like to know what we're going to get more than what we're already promised?"

Hargis recommended making a chart of the things promised to be done by the sheriff department and things not done by the department which could be done by a constable type figure.

Resident Joe Luginski agreed a chart would be good and was in favor of a constable type person. He said he had been contacted by many residents who haven't seen a sheriff patrol car go down their street yet.

"As a compromise to where we were and to where we are," he said. "I think this person should be seriously considered for those things and functions that won't be done by the Oakland County Sheriff or won't be done nearly as often or as efficiently as we used to with our own police."

Dinha also felt it was "crucial to keep the door to the police department open."

"If we have the door open it gives us the opportunity to expand," he said. "Maybe pick up a full-time officer, than maybe it's two shifts, than maybe five years from now whenever that timeline is maybe we an ramp up to a full-time police force."

Cara Catallo thought it would be good to have a person who has Clarkston's "interest at heart."

She recalled prior to having their own police department, they had

someone patrolling the streets on their feet.

"I think it is part of the fabric of our community to have somebody there to represent us," she said. "Who knows the shop owners by name and maybe know us by name that would be a novelty."

Catallo also suggested if a committee is formed to look at the issue more, that the committee consists of both council members and residents.

"I sort of felt a lack of representation (from the council after the last meeting) and I still have a bad taste in my mouth," she said.

Councilman Chuck Inabnit said residents shouldn't be afraid to call the sheriff.

"I know you don't get a warm fuzzy feeling calling them, but that's what your tax dollars are going for," he said. "If there is a problem, call them."

Councilman Jim Brueck said he was not against forming a committee to discuss the issue further, but if things are being seen and not reported how are they going to know what they're paying for?

"I think it's the wrong approach to run and try and to stall a solution to problem that may not exist," he said. "If you don't give it a chance and test them we don't know."

Hargis agreed.

"I think we have the people that are out there that can do most if not all of it is we're looking for," Hargis said. "(Let's) hold them accountable for the job before we do anything else."

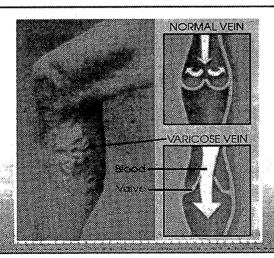
Arkwright said he would bring a committee recommendation comprised of both council members and residents at the next meeting and also suggested holding off selling the Dodge Charger Police car until they decide what they're going to do concerning a Constable.



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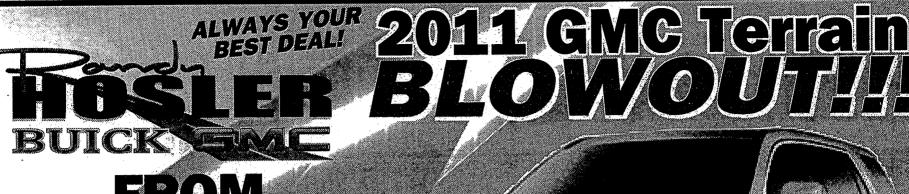
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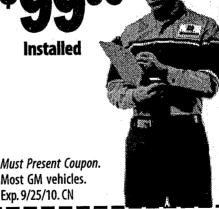
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"One winning game for the season." -Linda Warren, with Kate

"I would like them to win their first game. (They lost to the Chicago Bears, 19-14),"



– Ken Green



"They have the potential to do good. They have the tools they just have to utilize them."

- Tara Green, with Aalayna

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Sashabaw Plains Chapter, Daughters of American Revolution, host a dedication to Revolutionary War veteran Caleb Pratt. Photo by Trevor Kelser

Remembering a patriot on 9-11

BY TREVOR KEISER

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Despite the rain, a patriotic crowd appeared at Andersonville cemetery on Saturday, Sept. 11.

The Sashabaw Plains Chapter, Daughters of American Revolution (DAR) held a grave-marking ceremony to honor Revolutionary War Patriot Private Caleb Pratt.

"I have traced the Pratt family only as far as grandchildren, so there are no known living decendants at this time," said Charlotte Cooper, second vice regent of the Sashabaw Plains Chapter. "However, even though not related by lineage, everyone can be considered decendants of all Revolutionary patriots, as we live a wonderfully free and lawful nation because of them."

Pratt was born in Massachusetts in 1760 and entered the Revolutionary war at age 16, serving many times with the Vermont Mili-

tia. He fought in the victorious battles of Bennington and Hubbardton.

After the war, he settled in New York where he married and had three children. Pratt died in 1843 at the Springfield Township home of his son, John Pratt.

Over the eight years of war, an estimated 250,00 men served as regulars or as militiamen.

The ceremony also included bugle calls: Assembly/ To the Col-

ors, Pledge of Allegiance, Trumpet solo, sword salute, folding and presentation of flag, reception of flag, "21" Gun Salute, and the playing of Taps.

Sept. 11 also marks the beginning of Patriot Week, Sept. 11-17, which was framed by Judge Michael Warren and his daughter Leah in 2009, was recognized by the Michigan State Senate to America, its first principles, key historical

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Bunco, Clarkston Community Women's Club, 7 p.m., Sept. 16, Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road. Fun, prizes, refreshments. 248-620-3255.

50th reunion, Clarkston High School Class of 1960, 6 p.m., Sept. 17, Santia Banquet Center, Keego Harbor. Call Diane (Moller) Martin, 248-375-9629.

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Job fair, 4-8 p.m., Sept. 20, St. Daniel Church, 7010 Valley Park Drive. 248-396-5031. Employers, register by calling Ron DeLorme, 248-396-5031. Job seekers, no need to register. Bring resume and dress for success.

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Taste of Clarkston, 12-6 p.m., Sept. 26, downtown Main Street. More than 30 restaurants featured. Free-shuttles from Clarkston Elementary, Clarkston High, and Sashabaw Middle schools. 248-625-8055.

School Fair, Bailey Lake Elementary, Fund raiser, 11 a.m.-4 p.m., Oct. 2. 8051 Pine Knob Road. Fun, food, games, prizes. 248-623-5300.

40th reunion, Clarkston High School, Class of 1970, 6 p.m.-12 a.m., Oct. 9, Fountains, 6060 Maybee Road. \$75. RSVP by Sept. 1. Call Jane, 248-625-3069.

Adult Basketball League, 18 and over, 12-5 p.m., Sundays, Clarkston Junior High, 6595 Middle Lake. \$450/resident team. \$550/nonresident team. Referee fees are an additional cost. Independence Township Parks and Recreation, 248-625-8223.

boys not on the school team, mid afternoons, Sundays, Clarkston Junior High, 6595 Middle Lake, \$200/resident team, \$300/non-resident team. Independence Township Parks and Recreation, 248-625-8223.

Mothers & More, non-profit dedicated to improving lives of mothers through support, education, advocacy, 7:15 p.m., third Monday, Red Knapp's Restaurant, 6722 Dixie Highway. 248-969-9788.

Grief Support Group, Coats Funeral Home, 6:30 p.m., first and third Mondays, Community presbyterian Church, 4301 Monroe Street at Sashabaw. 248-623-7232.

Therapeutic Yoga classes, Mondays, 11 a.m.-12:15 p.m.; Tuesdays, 7:15-8:30 p.m., Jewels Yoga Fitness, 4612 Mountain View Trail, Independence Township. \$12 walk-in fee. 248-390-9270.

Clarkston Rotary Club, Mondays, 6:30 p.m., Clarkston Community Education Center, 6558 Waldon Road. \$10. 248-625-4244.

Pilates and Sculpt, Mondays, 7-8 p.m., Bay Court Park's Lakeview room. Independence Township Parks and Recreation, 248-625-

Basic Yoga with Noreen Daly, beginning and intermediate techniques, Mondays and Wednesdays, 5:45 p.m., \$7 per session. Bring mat. Peace Unity Church and Holistic Center, 8080A Ortonville Road. 248-310-7878

Tai Chi with Tammy Cropp, gentle movements for healing, stress reduction, balance, increased flexibility, Tuesdays, 10 a.m. \$8 per session. Peace Unity Church, 8080A Ortonville Road, 248-420-6119,

Co-Creating Healthy Families, Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m., "Bradshaw on: The Family," PBS series presentation, support group, 7:30 p.m., Peace Unity Church, 8080A Ortonville Road. 248-891-4365.

Clarkston Community Band rehearsals, 7 p.m., Tuesdays. Especially needed: percussion, clarinets, trumpets. \$30/semester. Band room, Sashabaw Middle School, 5565 Pine Knob Lane. Independence Township Parks & Recreation, 248-625-8223.

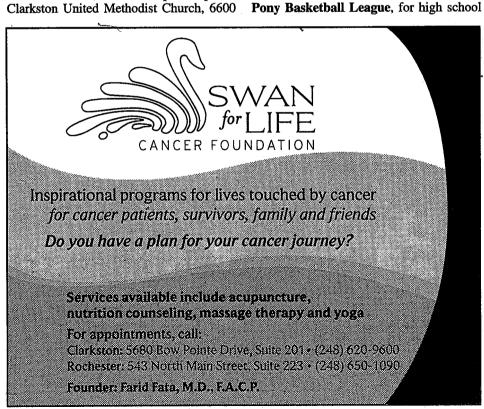
Breast Cancer Support Group, first Tuesday, 7-9 p.m., 21st Century Oncology, 6770 Dixie Highway, Suite 106. 248-625-3841

Needlework Night, fourth Tuesday, 6:30-8 p.m. Stitch and visit. Everyone welcome. Springfield Township Library, 12000 Davisburg Road. 248-846-6550.

Community Singles, third Tuesdays, 7 p.m., Community Presbyterian Church fellowship hall, 4301 Monroe St., off Sashabaw, Waterford. All ages, men and women. 248-394-0412.

Belly Dancing, Tuesdays, 10-11:30 a.m., Bay Court Park. Independence Township Parks and Recreation, 248-625-8223.

Widowers and Widows On With Life Group, Please see Around Town on page 16B



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Oakland Town Hall continues lecture luncheons

BYTREVORKEISER

Clarkston News Staff Writer

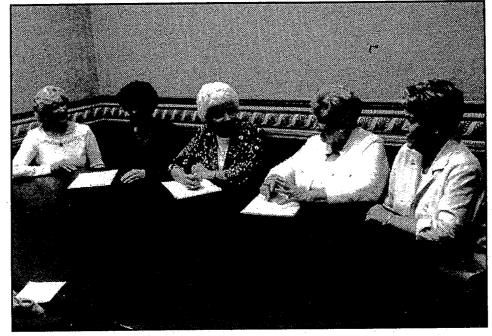
Oakland Town Hall was formed February, 1959 to support the Pontiac Oakland Symphony. Fifty-one years later it's still going.

"At that time, back 50 years ago, we had about 1,100 ticket holders and therefore our support for the symphony was much greater than it is today because people's lifetimes changed, Women went back to work and we've dropped down to about 300," said Independence Township resident Joy Power, group recording secretary.

"However, many, many town halls around us dissolved, they weren't able to maintain, which we feel very proud that we have."

Every year Oakland Town Hall offers a lecture series which promotes and supports non-profit education and cultural organization in the Oakland area.

This year's series includes Elliot Engel, College professor who speaks on the life and classic works of American Author Mark Twain, Oct. 13; Ross Moore, folk musician who plays 12 different instruments, Nov. 10; Anne Thompson, NBC Environmental and Financial Correspondent, April 13; Kate Adamson, tells her journey of overcoming Locked-in Syndrome after having a double brain stroke, May 11.



From left are Ruth Schluchter, treasurer, Kerry Holley, president elect, Louise Bisogni, president, Joy Power, recording secretary, and Barbara Richards, corresponding secretary. Photo by Trevor Keiser

"We try to set up very diversified programs for the year, so that things are not repetitious," Power said.

Other speakers of the past include the pilot in charge of Air Force One, FBI agent, White House Chef, symphony conductors, and Steve Ford, son of President Gerald Ford.

"You have an opportunity to ask the speaker questions afterwards and it just makes it so much more personal," said this year's president Louise Bisogni.

Power agreed.

"You get a different impression totally than what you would if they were just on TV or appearing on a radio show, they're very gracious," she said. "Sometimes you learn more from the O&A than you do from their lecture."

Bisogni said she is looking forward to her tenure as president.

"The thing I'm very confident about is the people I have working with me," she said. "They are all so confident and really they're the ones that make the president's job easy."

Lecture and luncheon series is \$123. Lecture series only is \$65; luncheons only, \$58 or \$14.50 individually.

The lectures are held in Bloomfield Hills at St. George Cultural Center located at 43816 Woodward Avenue For more information, call Becky Hahn 248-625-5844.

"It's the only cultural event providing a lecture and lunch," said Barbara Richards, corresponding secretary. "We didn't stress lunch, but it's a high point."

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Milestones

Achieving academic success

recently appointed principal of Royal Oak's Jane Addams Elementary and Early Childhood Center.

Flarity-Gram comes to Royal Oak from

Swartz Creek Community Schools, where she was principal of Syring Elementary School.

She began her career in Hazel Park where she served as kindergarten teacher, speech and language therapist, teacher for pre-primary impaired and Project Find coordinator. She also served as Flarity-Gram principal of Otter Lake.



Otisville and Columbiaville Elementary Schools in the Lakeville Community School District.

She received her undergraduate degree from Western Michigan University in Elementary Education, and Speech and Language Pathology, a Master's degree from Michigan State University in Speech and Language Pathology, and an Education Specialist degree from Wayne State University in Administration.

Heather Kirkpatrick of Clarkston graduated this past May from Fairleigh Dickinson University's Metropolitan Campus, in Teaneck, N.J.

Jacob Rhein of Clarkston was named to the University of St. Thomas 2010 spring semester Dean's List.

Graduating from Lawrence Technological Univeristy, May 16, 2010, were Clarkston students Mauricio Mosquera, graduate certifications in Energy and Environmental Management and Energy Engineering; Eric Thompson, Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering; Benjamin Wheeler, Bachelor of Science in Computer

SOMERSET

COLLECTION John D. Arsen, D.P.M. Foot & Ankle Specialist

Health Direct

Clarkston resident Jane Flarity-Gram was Engineering; Valerie Cook, Doctor of Engineering in Manufacturing Systems; and Alec Sanger, Bachelor of Science in Computer Science.

> Hope College graduates from Clarkston include Kimberly Cook, graduating Summa Cum Laude: Kirsten Graham, Magna Cum Laude; and Michelle Pasco, Cum Laude.

> Amanda Andersen of Clarkston received a Bachelor of Science degree in Biochemistry from Kettering University this past June.

> Clarkston students Ryan Alexander, Lyndsay Andary, Jonathan Arcobello, Sienna Badalamenti, Katherine Bailey, Matthew Bleau, Angela Bollini, Heather Brady, Johann Britting, Jonathan Brown, Ashley Butora, Lona Carson, Meredith Clark, Elizabeth Crawford, Kathryn Emerick, Allison Facciolla, Susan Fritz, Timothy Ginn, Hannah Grimaldi, Jenna Guilds, Tiffany Harding, Robert Hearnes, Lindsay Hultman, Amanda Johnston, Jaclyn Johnston, Lindsay Kolich, Jordan LaPorte, Katarzyna Laskowska, Dustin Markwood, Anne Maxwell, Paul McKinney, Rebecca Meisner, Bailey Mellen, Steven Merritt, Casey Merte, Stephen Nacy, Brittany Noble, Rebecca Reas, Lauren Ring. Christine Rozwadowski, Leah Schmidt, Sheri Smith, Michelle Sun, Jennifer Titsworth, Laycee Tubbs, Megan Vance, Brittney Volin, Jayme Wilson, and Angela Zott, and Davisburg students Mariah Anderson-Burling, Vanessa Grover, and Aaron Sharp were named to Central Michigan University's spring semester honors

> Clarkston student Patrick McIlrath, senior, Business Administration, son of Jerry and Melanie McIlrath, was named to the Spring 2010 Academic Honors List at Spring Arbor University.

Got a Milestone to share?

We'd love to see them – births, weddings, engagements, military, business and school achievements! You can drop them off at our downtown office at 5 S. Main St. or e-mail Clarkstonnews@gmail.com

Rule the earth as Kings, not slaves

An important step toward getting on in life is for a man to realize that his greatest enemy is himself.

No amount of complaining about one's circumstances, past, boss, bank account, or

political leaders will move him forward. He must take responsibility for that which is under his control namely, his own life.

The Bible tells us that God ordained men to rule earth as kings the (Gen.1:28).

In this role, human beings are to wisely cultivate all that God brings into their

And as they do, they ful-

fill their highest purpose and bring glory to God.

Too often the reality is that men do not live as kings, but slaves. Instead of governing the domain that God has given them, they sit as in chains waiting for their lot in life to somehow improve.

But it never does improve, because the life of a slave remains the same day after miserable day.

Spiritual

Matters

Pastor David

Bostrom

The good news is that men do not have to continue on as slaves. Jesus Christ came to set men free from sin and guilt, fear and folly, so that they would live as the kings God destined them to be.

How can this be?

The Bible tells us that those who have faith in Christ live in union with Him.

We have been buried with Him in baptism and raised up with Him so that we would walk in the newness of life (Rom.6:4). The old things have passed away, and new things have come (2 Cor.5:17).

A consequence of this new life is that men are restored to their kingly status.

They need not live bound in servitude to all that holds them back.

This is confirmed in that the Bible tells us that those who have faith in Christ are seated with Him in the heavenly places (Eph.2:6). In other words, all who humbly believe are

put in the exalted position of co-regents with Jesus Christ. But merely being in this position does not

mean that a man will automatically govern his life and all that is in it as a good king should. Tragically, unbelief may lead him to con-

tinue to live as a slave - though the chains of his captivity have been cut off, and the doors of his prison stand open.

Whenever a man is unmindful of his true status before God, and gives way to his fears and evil desires, he lives as a slave.

But when a man believes what God has done for him in Christ, he is able to bring his life under control and rule as a king.

The purpose of this kingly status, is not to lord it over others. It's to serve, just as the King of kings, who not come to be served, but to serve and give His life a ransom for many (Mt.20:28).

It's as men faithfully rule in the place that He has appointed for them that His kingdom advances.

How many lives would be richly improved if we would focus less on complaining and excuse-making and lived as the kings God has in mind for us to be?

In a day when so many are paralyzed by hopelessness, reasserting our role as kings is exactly what we need. All it takes is faith in the One who has crowned us with glory and majesty (Ps.8).

The Rev David Bostrom is pastor of Seeds for the Harvest Ministries.

In our churches...

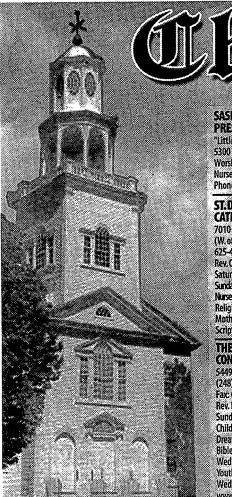
Remnant Project Ministries, clothing giveaway, Remnant Project Ministries, 1-9 p.m., Sept. 22-24; 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Sept. 25. Winter clothes for people in need. Community Christ Church, 531 East Flint Street, Lake Orion. 248-391-4714.

Rally Day and Picnic, 10 a.m., Sept. 12, Community Presbyterian Church, 4301 Monroe Street at Sashabaw. 248-673-

Peace Concert, 7-9 p.m., Sept 17, Peace Unity Church, 8080A Ortonville Road. Local musicians and poets will share their gifts to benefit One Peace event, celebrating United Nations International Day of Peace. Suggested donation, \$10. 248-625-

Celebrating 125 Years Of God's Blessings, 11 a.m., Sept. 19, St. Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, 7925 Sashabaw Road, Guest preacher: Rev. David Maier, president, Michigan District LCMS. Service followed by games, activities for all

Please see In Our Churches, page 13B



SASHABAW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

"Little Church with a BIG Heart" 5300 Maybee Road, Clarkston Worship 11:00 am Nursery Provided Phone (248) 673-3101

CATHOLICCHURCH

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

THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

5449 Clarkston Rd., Clarkston (248) 394-0200 Fax: (248) 394-2142 Rev. Doctor Martin Hall Sunday Worship: 10:00 a.m. Children's Sunday School 10:00 am Dream Keepers Youth Group Wednesday 7:00 pm Youth Groups 6-12 Wednesday 6:30 pm www.FirstCongregationalChurch.org

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"Lutheran Church Missouri Synod^a Pastor: Rev. Kendall Schaeffer 7925 Sashabaw Road (1/4 mile N. of DTF Music Theater) Clarkston, MI 48348 (248) 625-4644 www.sainttrinitylutheran.com e-mail: sttrinity@comcast.net Broadcast Worship - Clarkston CTV-10/20Sun 2:00pm, Thurs 9:00pm Broadcast Worship - Waterford CATV-10 Tues, 2:30 pm Worship: Sunday 8:15 am & 11:00 am Sat. 6:00 pm

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Preschool: 620-6154

CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

6600 Waldon Road, Clarkston 248-625-1611 Sunday Worship: 830am & 10:00am & 11:06 am Nursery available for all services

DIXIE BAPTIST CHURCH

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

CLARKSTON FREE **METHODIST CHURCH**

5482 Winell-Clarkston (corner of Maybee & Winell) 74R-673-1224 Service 9:00 • 10:30 www.ClarkstonFMC.org Wednesday 7 pm Youth & Adult Ministry

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5977 Paramus, Clarkston, MI (248) 625-3380 Located 2 blks, N. of Dixie Hwy. (E.of M-15) Pastor: Russell Reemtsma Sun: 9:30 am Sunday School & Adult Bible Fellowship 10:30 am Worship Service 6:00 pm Evening Service Wed: 6:15 pm Awana Club 6:30 pm Teen Ministry 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting &

Bible Study PEACE UNITY CHURCH 10 am Sunday Celebration Service Children's Church Realizing peace, wholeness and abundance in unity. A center for prayer, peace studies and healing. Spiritual Education, Community Outreach, Holistic Healing, "Green' Philosophy, Mastermind Rev. Matthew E. Long, founding minister 248-625-5192 Peace Unity Church 8080 Ortonville Rd. Clarkston, MI 48348 www.peaceunitychurch.org

OAKLAND EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Pastor Wayne Uppendahl Services held at Mount Zion Center 4453 Clintonville Rd. at Mann Rd., Waterford, MI Sunday School at 9:15 am Sunday Morning Worship at 10:30 am Bible Study Wed. Eve., 6:30 pm at Church Offices - Yellow House 7205 Clintonville Rd., Clarkston, MI Phone (248) 858-2577 Fax (248) 858-7706

BRIDGEWOOD CHURCH

6765 Rattalee Lake Road Clarkston, 48348 (248)625-1344 Services: Sunday 9:00am & 10:45am Morning Worship Service **Exploration Station** Children's Ministry Wed, 6:45pm Fit For Life -Adult Life Ministry c.r.a.v.e.-Student Life Ministry Ozone – Children's Life Ministry Nurture Center/Wonderland available for all services A Church For Life www.bridaewoodchurch.com

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6805 Bluegrass Drive, Clarkston (W. of M-15, just S. of 1-75) 625-3288 Sunday Worship: 8:15 am (traditional worship) 9:30 am (blended worship) 11:00 am (contemporary praise) Nursery available Sunday School (all ages) 9:30 (Seasonal) Meal, worship, small groups Wed. evening - Dinner & Bible Study 6 pm (Seasonal) Relevant messages, caring people

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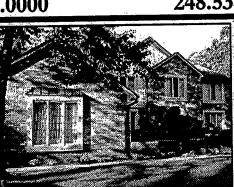


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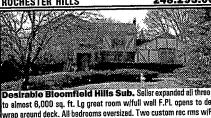
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Sisters bring Reiki to Clarkston

BY PHIL CUSTODIO

Clarkston News Editor

Missie Irish Mellen and September Racine are sisters, raised in Clarkston.

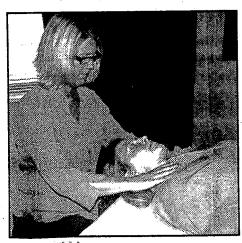
They're now Clarkston business owners, at Just the Right Touch Reiki Therapy, in the Attuned Mind center, 3 E. Washington Street.

"It's wonderful – after my first class, I used it on myself for self healing," said Mellen, a registered nurse and certified Reiki master and teacher. "We are excited to bring this opportunity here in our hometown and look forward to the lives that Reiki Therapy will touch."

She learned about the holistic therapy in 2008, while looking for a natural, drug free treatment for back pain.

"I didn't want prescription medication," she said. "The benefits were absolutely amazing. It's something anyone can learn and use on family, friends, and pets."

Racine, certified Reiki master, learned



about it from her sister

"After a couple of profound sessions, I was impressed, amazed," she said. "I thought, this is something I can do myself."

At Just the Right Touch Reiki Therapy, which opened this past February, the practitioner lightly places her hands in a particular pattern on various points of the body, spanning the head, body, back, legs, and feet.

"As a nurse, I never experienced a more restorative and relaxing therapy," Mellon said.

"Where traditional medicine stops, this goes on," Racine said. "It goes to the source of imbalance, pain and stress."

It uses life force energy to bring bodies into balance mentally, emotionally, physically, and spiritually, sets in motion the body's own healing process, and encourages the body to improve overall health, Mellen said.

"This life-force energy comes from God, bringing his light, love, and healing power to each person in an individualistic way," she said.

"As Christians, we believe there is only one healer, yet we know he works through his people to help his people. Therefore, we are allowing him to work through us to be a vessel for which his healing energy flows."

Reiki is a complementary therapy that works along with other treatments or can be used as a stand-alone therapy. They offer monthly Reiki classes. After a class, students can use it on themselves, family, friends, and nets.

"We want to be a resource, a place where anyone can go to talk about it," Mellen said.

Appointments at \$45/hour. Call Mellen at 248-672-1384, and Racine at 248-931-5987.

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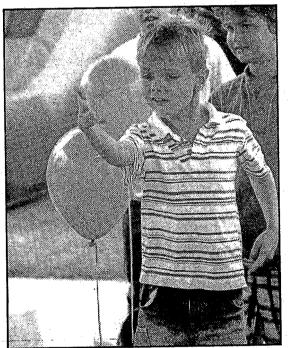
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Leonia Uballe, of Waterford, gives the fun a thumbs up.



Owen Myers aims for a big score.

Kicking off fall fun

Kids rode ponies, jumped inside a bounce house, slid down a giant slide and played games at Oakland Woods Baptist Church Saturday afternoon.

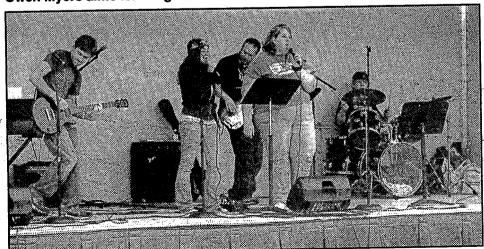
It was the church's 11th Annual

Fall Festival.

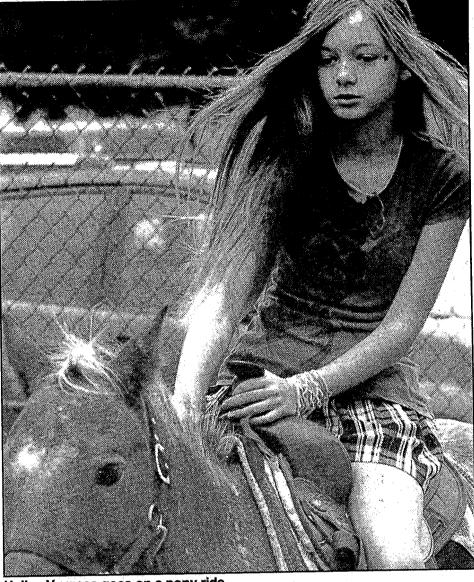
They also had music, food, face painting and prizes. When it began raining - a warm shelter.

The best part of the day was all the fun came at a low price - it was

Photo story by Wendi Reardon



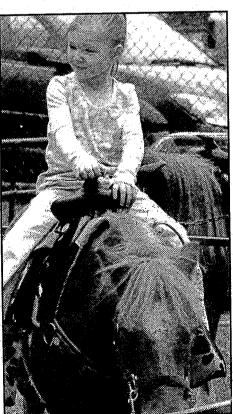
The Youth Praise Band sings inspiration through the rain.



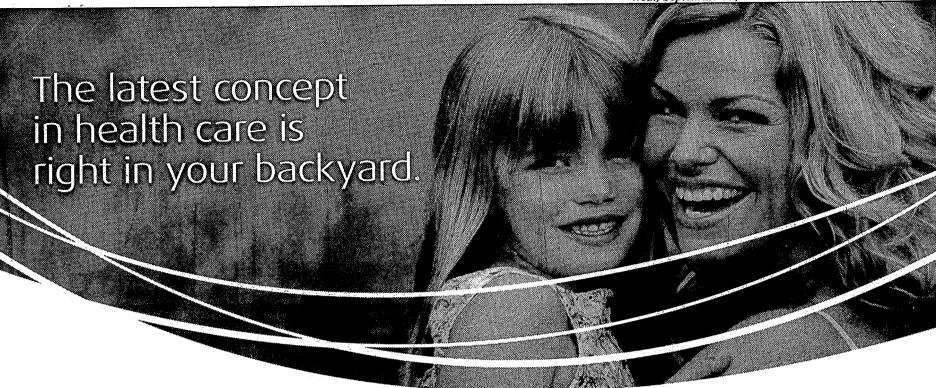
Hailey Vurgess goes on a pony ride.



Lillian Myers eyes how many points she wants to go for in SkeeBall.



Alexis McNiel rides a pony.



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Obituaries

Denise A. Hubble, 47

Denise A. Hubble (Geer) of Waterford passed away, Sept. 6, 2010, at age 47.

She was the loving mother of Anthony (Jourdan) Hubble II; beloved daughter of Dave and Jo Geer; proud grandma of Aiden; dear sister of Andrew (Elizabeth) Geer and David Geer; aunt of Cassandra, Claudia and Julia; former wife of Anthony Hubble I.



Visitation was Sept. 9 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Clarkston. Chapel service was Sept. 10, Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens, Novi. Memorials may be made to Heartland Alliance, Chicago.

Online www.wintfuneralhome.com.

guestbook

Ronald McLauchlin, 63

Ronald McLauchlin, "Kirk," passed away Sept. 7, 2010, at 63 years

of age.
Mr. McLauchlin was born Sept. 7, 1947, in Pontiac, the son of the late L.D. and the late Adah McLauchlin. Kirk was a veteran of the U.S. Army-Vietnam. He retired from GM after 20 years of service and was



most recently employed at Real Estate One in Clarkston and the *Oakland Press*.

He is survived by his wife, Gail (nee: Hagan); sons, Todd (Kate) McLauchlin and Chad (Gwen) McLauchlin; grandchildren, Madeline, Ethan, and one on the way; brothers, Bill (Margaret) McLauchlin, Denny (Julie) McLauchlin, and Rick McLauchlin; parents in law, Earl and Arlette Hagan.

Funeral service was Sept. 11 at Coats Funeral Home, Clarkston. To send a private condolence to the family, go to www.coatsfuneralhome.com.

Constance M. Mortimore, 86

Constance M. Mortimore of Clarkston, died Sept. 13, 2010, at age 86.

She was the beloved wife of Bill "Mort" Mortimore for 53 years; cherished mother of Dianne (1) (Robert)



Moshier; loving grandmother of Connie (John) Macuga and Rob Mortimore; dear great grandmother of four; dearest sister of Beverly (Tom) Spencer; and sister in law of Darlene Mortimore.

Funeral service, Thursday, Sept. 16, 10 a.m., at Coats Funeral Home, Waterford. Interment following at Perry Mount Park Cemetery, Pontiac. Family will receive friends, Wednesday, 3-5 and 7-9 p.m. To send a private condolence message go to www.coatsfuneralhome.com.

Gertrude D. Peters, 89

Gertrude D. Peters (Stump) of Bloomfield

Hills, formerly of Hammond, Ind., passed away, Sept. 6, 2010, at age 89.

She was preceded in death by two loves in her life: her first husband Everett Stump and her second husband F.J. Pete Peters. She was the mother of Judy (Ronald)



White and Elaine (Wayne) Stuart; Nana of Susan White, Nancy (Nick) Mikaelian, Ric White, Jennifer (David) Coxey and Emily (Josh) Wallace; and Great Nana of Dominick, Abigail, Brandon, Ashley, Jordyn, Joshua and Jasmine.

Memorial service, 11 a.m., Saturday, Sept. 25, at St Paul United Methodist Church, 165 East Square Lake Rd., Bloomfield Hills, 48302, where friends may visit at the church, 10 a.m. until time of service. Arrangements entrusted to the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Clarkston. Memorials may be made to St. Paul United Methodist Church. Online guest book www.wintfuneralhome.com

Michael D. Shagena, 61

Michael D. Shagena, "Mike," of Otisville, formerly of Clarkston,

passed away, Sept. 6, 2010, at age 61.

He was the loving husband of Easter; father of Amanda (Ira Hamilton), Connie (Bobby Cerasoli) and Cathaleen (Michael Berry); grandpa "Papa" of Evan, Jax and Little



B.; brother of Marjorie Sievers; stepbrother of Robert Shagena, Milo Shagena, Vicky Alexander, and Theresa Keetch.

Funeral Service was Sept. 10 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Clarkston. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, Holly. Memorials may be made to the family. Online guestbook www.wintfuneralhome.com.

Obituaries updated at ClarkstonNews.com



Ribbon cutting at Flashes of Life

From left, Bonnie Boyd, Emily McRoberts, Aiden Boyd, Kristen Flora, owner Randy Goldsworthy, Aaron Smith, and owner Rachel Goldsworthy, and Chris Jacobs, not pictured, cut the ribbon for Flashes of Life Photography, Aug. 13, announcing their grand opening for their boutique photography business in Clarkston. *Photo provided*



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Ron and Gwen Chamberlain of Chamberlain's with Kodi.

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history. It is a perfect time to sell your unwanted jewelry to make a profit!

Chamberlain charges nothing to tell you whether your jewelry is real or fake and what he would pay for it. The price paid varies on the gold market, but for the past year, gold prices have been consistently at a very high level. When the economy improves, the price of gold will drop, so now is the time to sell.

Chamberlain can't stress enough to take your jewelry to an honest and established business. If other gold brokers are offering 25 or 30 percent extra on certain days, they should have been paying that in the first place.

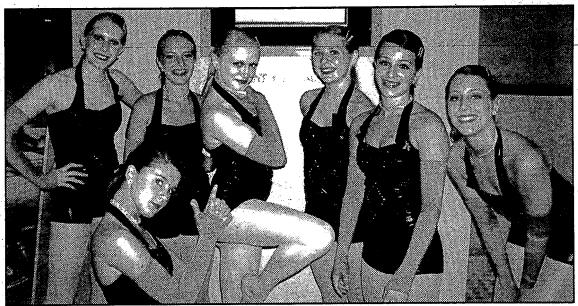
Chamberlain's is located at 6429 Sashabaw Road (next to the Hamlin Pub) in Clarkston. Chamberlain's is open from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday. For more information call (248) 241-6588.



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Roxana's dancers prepare to compete at the Orlando contest. Photos provided

Dancers earn awards, accolades at Florida competition

Roxana's Dance Expressions' Elite Dance Team earned top high scores, Platinum Awards, Final Showdown runner-ups, and many Special Recognition Awards including technique, showmanship, and performance awards at the Hall of Fame Dance Challenge Nationals in

Orlando, Fla.

"This is an amazing group of dancers," said owner Roxana Chambers. "We have had an awesome season just finishing up."

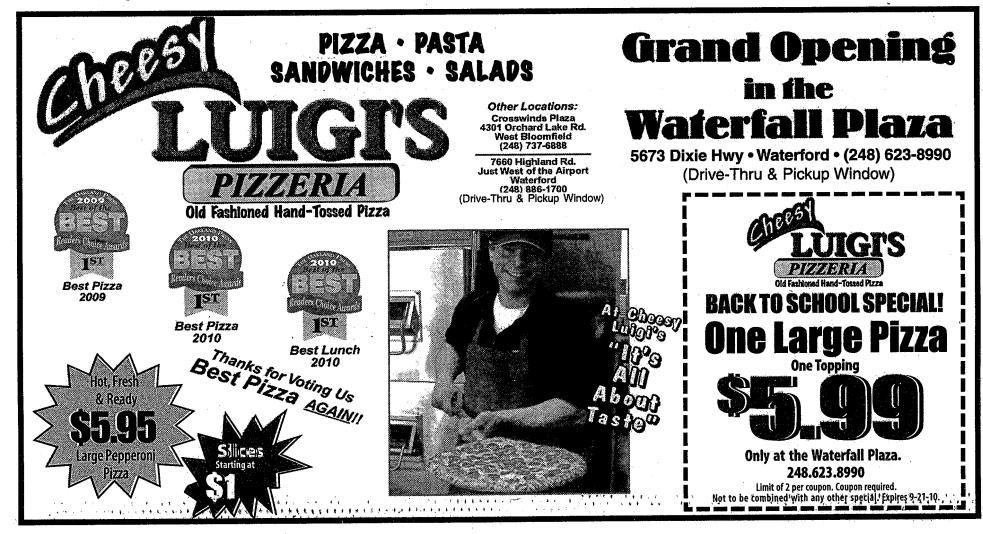
The Elite Dance team includes Suzanne Norman, Carly Schroeder, Brogan Schroeder, Shelby Chambers, Domonique Chambers, Oksana Kurka, Anna Wozinak, Kaeleigh Baran, Allison Ellam, Jaclyn Beakert, Maggie Blackmere, Sara Snider, Emily Comos, Kendell Cumming, Kristen Cumming, Lindsey Porter, Maddison Porter, Megan Dunn, Stephanie Laing, and Reileigh Landis.

"These dancers have worked very hard all year to achieve such high praise," Chambers said. "We are very proud of them."

Roxana's Dance, founded in 1992, offers a variety of dance classes including classical ballet,

pointe, Cecchetti, jazz, hip hop, poms, lyrical, modern and tap both at the recreational and advanced levels.

For more information, call the studio, 5807 M-15 next to the Clarkston Post Office, at 248-625-1930 or email Roxanasde@comcast.net.



In our churches

continued from 5B ages.

Divorce Care for Kids, ministry for children ages 5-12, Tuesdays starting Sept. 21, 6:30 p.m., Calvary Lutheran Church, 6805 Bluegrass Drive. Games, activities, DVD dramas, and discussion, with the Bible and Jesus Christ as sources of comfort and healing. 248-625-3288.

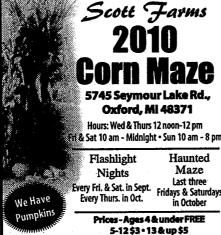
Bethany North, peer support to all faiths dealing with divorce or separation, general meeting, 7:30 p.m., fourth Monday, Cushing Center, St. Daniel Catholic Church, 7010 Valley Park, call Tim, 248-628-6825, or Joann. 248-673-2539.

A Course In Miracles, self-study course removing blocks to awareness of love's presence. Study groups, Wednesday, 12 p.m.; Thursday, 5:30 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m. Peace Unity Church, 8080A Ortonville Road. 248-625-5192.

P.A.T.H. - Pray And Things Happen: Spiritual Tools for Enhancing Life and Living. Thursdays, 7 p.m., Peace Unity, 8080A Ortonville Road. 248-625-5192.

Celebrate Recovery ministry for hurting people, Thursday, 7-8:30 pm., Clarkston Community Church, 6300 Clarkston Road. 248-625-1323. Childcare available.







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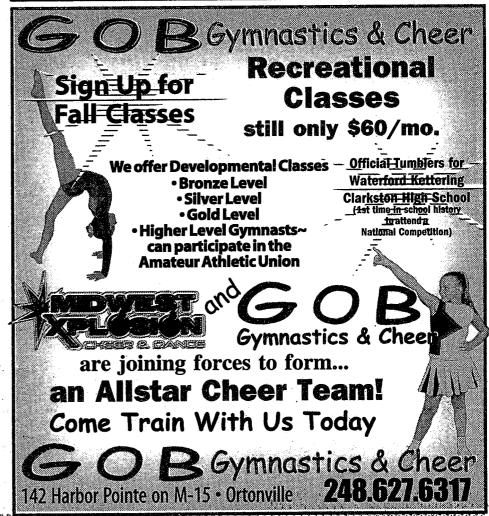
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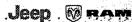
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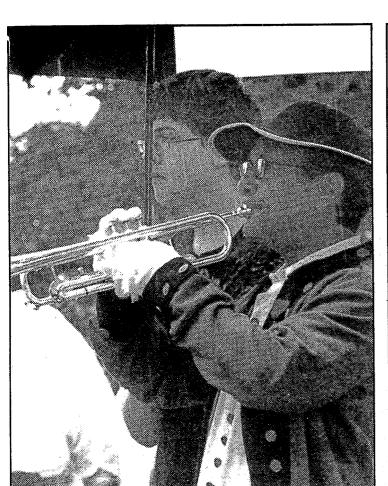












Allen Peisner plays a trumpet solo.



American Legion Post 63 honor guard prepares to fire a salute.



Sons of the American Revolution prepare a sword salute.

In remembrance

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figures, and symbols of its history.

Warren said marking gravesites is a "humbling experience."

"Too often we take for granted the sacrifices our Founding Generation made to provide us the blessings of liberity," Warren said. "Not only should we express our thanks to these brave Patriots, but we should work extremely hard today to preserve the freedom they gave us."

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Charlotte Cooper reads some biographical infomation about Pratt.



CARPORT for 6 months with new rental

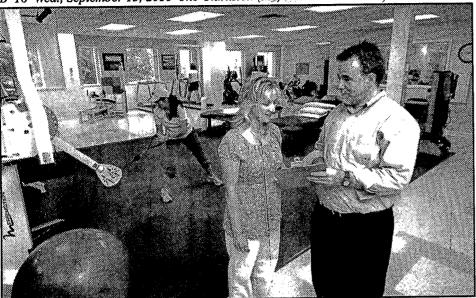
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Sam Gill, physical therapist, and Heidi Birchmeier, receptionist, at the new Independence Township Genesys facility. *Photo provided*

Genesys opens Clarkston facility

Genesys recently opened a Clarkston-area facility, Suite G22, 5625 Water Tower Place, Suit at Dixie Highway and White Lake Road.

Services include physical therapy with expertise in orthopedics, sports rehabilitation, vestibular rehabilitation, neurological rehabilitation, fall prevention and spine care.

Physical therapist Sam Gill has extensive orthopedic and manual therapy skills. In ad

dition, is one of only a few certified vestibular rehabilitation therapists in Michigan. Vestibular therapy includes specific exercises and activities for people with dizziness or balance issues caused by problems with the inner ear.

Hours are Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday, 7:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday, 7:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Call 248-620-4260.

Around Town

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7 p.m., first Tuesday, third Wednesday. Dinners, breakfasts, golf, social gatherings, rap sessions for ages 35-80. 248-393-8553.

Widowed Friends, Tuesdays, 12 p.m., Collier Bowling Alley, 879 S. Lapeer Road, Oxford. \$2 per game. 248-628-5437 or 248-877-6692.

Pickleball for Adults 50+, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, 9:30-11:30 a.m., two hours, \$3; Fridays, 9 a.m.-12 p.m., and Tuesdays, 6-9 p.m., three hours, \$4. First Congregational Church, 5449 Clarkston Road. All skill levels welcome. 248-625-8231.

Evening Country Line Dancing 50+, Tuesdays, 7-8 p.m., Community Room, Clarkston Specialty Healthcare, 4800 Clintonville Road. \$40 per person for eight weeks. 248-625-8231.

50+ Golf, Tuesday mornings, through Aug. 24. Heather Highland, 11450 E. Holly Road. Non-league play. \$12 one-time registration at Independence Township Adult Activities Center, 6000 Clarkston Road. 248-625-8231. \$8 greens fee.

Clarkston Area Optimist Club, 7:30-8:30 a.m., Wednesdays, Clarkston United Methodist Church, Fellowship Hall, 6600 Waldon

Road. 248-622-6096.

Morning Line Dancing, Wednesdays, 9:30 a.m.-12 p.m., Clarkston United Methodist Church, 6600 Waldon Road. Country, Spanish salsa, rock and roll, cha cha, with Rosemary Hall. \$3 drop in.

Clarkston Area Lions Club, second and fourth Thursday, 6:30-8 p.m., Carriage House, next to the Senior Center, in Clintonwood Park. Visitors welcome. 248-802-8603.

Travel program, second Thursday, 6-7 p.m., Independence Township Library, 6495 Clarkston Road. Aug. 12, Japan, China; Sept. 9, Thailand. 248-625-2212.

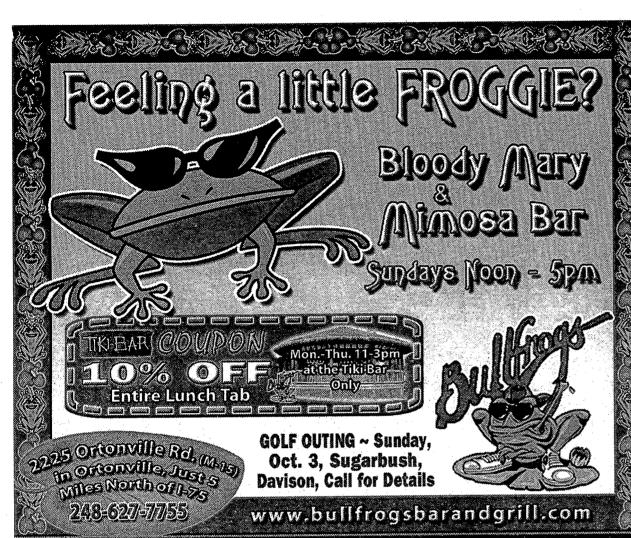
Lunches for 50+, Thursdays, 12 p.m., madefrom-scratch. \$5 donation. Independence Township Adult Activities Center, 6000 Clarkston Road. Make reservation by Monday before, 248-625-8231.

H.O.P.E., Health Optimism Perseverance Education, cancer support group for people with any type of cancer, fourth Thursdays, 2-3 p.m., Great Lakes Cancer Institute – Clarkston, Conference Room, 5680 Bow Pointe Drive. Emotional support and education to help with adjustment and coping. Care-givers, family, and friends are welcome to attend with the cancer patient. Walk-ins welcome. 877-627-6248.









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NOTICE OF CLOSE OF REGISTRATION MONDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2010 **GENERAL ELECTION TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2010**

To the Qualified Electors of

SPRINGFIELD TOWNSHIP -OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that Monday, October 4, 2010 is the last day to register to vote or change your address for the above stated election.

Qualified electors may register to vote or change their address in the following manner:

in Person:

- At the Springfield Township Clerk's Office, 12000 Davisburg Rd., Davisburg, MI, 48350 during normal business hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday - Friday, Tel. 248-846-6510
- At the office of the County Clerk during normal business hours.
- At any of the Secretary of State Branch offices located throughout the state during normal business hours.
- At the military recruitment offices for persons enlisting in the armed forces.
- At specified agencies of the Department of Human Services, the Department of Community Health and the Department of Career Development.

By obtaining and completing a Mail Voter Registration Application and forwarding to the election official as directed on the application by the close of registration deadline. Mail voter registration applications may be obtained by contacting: Springfield Township Clerk's Office

12000 Davisburg Rd. Davisburg, MI 48350 (248) 846-6510

Note:

A person who registers to vote by mail is required to vote in person unless they have previously voted in person in the township where they live or are at least

60 years of age or are handicapped.
THE NOVEMBER 2, 2010 GENERAL ELECTION WILL
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Judge of the Probate Court – Incumbent (1), Non-Incumbent (1)
Judge of District Court – 52nd District/2nd Di-

vision (1)
LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS

Brandon Schools - Board Members (2) Clarkston Community Schools - Board Members (1)

Holly Area Schools - Board Members (3)
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Oakland Community College - Board of Trustees (3)

AND FOR THE PURPOSE OF VOTING ON THE FOL-LOWING PROPOSALS:

STATEWIDE PROPOSAL(S)

Proposal 10-1: A proposal to convene a constitutional convention for the purpose of drafting a general revision of the state constitution.

Proposal 10-2 A proposal to amend the state constitu-tion to prohibit certain felons from holding elective office and specified types of public employment positions.

text of the proposal(s) may be obtained from:
Springfield Township Clerk's Office
12000 Davisburg Road
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Laura Moreau, Clerk Charter Township of Springfield

PUBLIC NOTICE Because the People Want to Know

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INDEPENDENCE TWP. ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The Independence Township Board of Appeals will meet on Wednesday, October 6, 2010, 7:30 PM in the Independence Township Hall Conference Room, 6483 Waldon Center Dr., Clarkston, MI 48346, to hear the

Case #10-0019 Carvalho, Joaquim, Petitioner

APPLICANT REQUESTS 46' FRONT YARD (2ND FRONT) SETBACK VARI-ANCE FROM FUTURE ROAD RIGHT OF WAY, 35' REAR YARD SETBACK VARIANCE PLUS 3' HEIGHT VARIANCE FROM ARTICLE III, DIVISION 24, SECTION 50-837, TO CONSTRUCT ACCESTION 50-837, TO CONSTRUCT AC SORY STRUCTURE

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT THE ABOVE RE-QUESTS 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, Clerk

The Township will provide the necessary, reasonable auxiliary aids and services to individuals with disabilities at a public hearing/meeting upon advance notice in writing or by calling the Township Building Department (248) 625-

PUBLIC NOTICE Because the People Want to Know

OAKLAND CTY. RESOLUTION TO PROCEED WITH IMPROVEMENTS TO DIXIE LAKE

At a special meeting of the Dixle Lake Improvement Board held in the Davisburg Civic Center Meeting Room the 31st day of August 2010, at 6:00 p.m., local time. PRESENT: Bennett, Hensler, Hawes, and Tunnecliffe ABSENT: Runestad

The following resolution was offered by member nsier and seconded by member Tunnecliffe.
WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on the im-

provement program for Dixie Lake; and
WHEREAS, it is the desire of the Dixie Lake im-

whereas, it is the desire of the Dixie Lake improvement Board to proceed with implementation of improvements to the lake consisting of nuisance aquatic plant control, plant control inspections and oversight, information dissemination and education, administration, contingencies, and dam spillway improvements. The project would begin in 2011 and continue through 2013, with an annual cost of \$68,530.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- The Lake Board hereby determines that the pro posed improvements are practical, that the peti-tion submitted for the lake improvement and/or the enabling resolutions are sufficient, and it confirms its intent to proceed with the improvements.
- The Lake Board hereby approves the lake improvement plan and the estimate of costs for the
- This resolution shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in Oakland County. The petition and/or the enabling resolutions shall not, thereafter, be subject to attack except in an action brought in a court of competent jurisdiction within 30 days after publication.

 OPTED: AYES: All

ADOPTED:

NAYS: None
RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED. STATE OF MICHIGAN

COUNTY OF OAKLAND

I, Judy Hensler, secretary of said Dixle Lake Improvement Board, do hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the lake board at a meeting held on the 31st day of August, 2010. Public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in compliance with Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan 1976,

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, this 31st day of August, 2010.

Judy Hensler, Secre

Dixle Lake improve

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PUBLIC NOTICE Because the People Want to Know

INDEPENDENCE TWP. **SYNOPSIS**

TAKEN BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD
THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE SEPTEMBER 7, 2010

- The regular meeting of the Charter Township of Independence Board was called to order at 7:30 p.m., at the Independence Township Hall.
- Pledge of Allegiance Trustee Wallace was appointed to act as Secretary r the meeting
- Roll Call: Present: Lohmeier, Carson, Wagner, Rosso, Petterson, Wallace Absent: VanderVeen

There was a quorum

- The Agenda was approved as submitted.
- Public Forum opened and citizens were given an opportunity to address the Board.
- The following items were moved to the end of the meeting:
- Regular Meeting Minutes of August 4, 2010
 Accounts Payable Check Run
- Approved Budget Adjustments for 2010.
 Approved Library Closed Dates for 2011.
- Approved adding further discussion of the millage rates at the September 14th meeting.
 Approved adding a public hearing of the 2011 millage
- es at the September 21st meeting
- Approved adding the approval of the 2011 millage
- rates to the September 21st meeting.

 12. Approved Minutes of August 4, 2010 with correction. 13. Approved Accounts Payable Check Run.
- 14. Closing Statements.
- 15. Meeting adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

Published: 9/15/2010

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CLARKSTON

LAGE OF THE CITY OF CLARKSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT 248 625 1559

DATE OF SALE: 99-20-2010 YOU MUST BE PRESENT TO BID \$25 ADMIN FEE ADDED TO SALE PRICE CASH DUE AT TIME OF SALE **Byers Wrecker Service 9:00 AM**

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PUBLIC NOTICE Because the People Want to Know

OAKLAND CTY. NOTICE OF CONFIRMATION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR

IMPROVEMENTS TO DIXIE LAKE

TAKE NOTICE that the Dixie Lake Improvement Board has confirmed the Special Assessment Roll for improvements to Dixie Lake. The Special Assessment Roll in the amount of \$205,590 has been prepared for the purpose of assessing the cost of nuisance aquatic plant control, plant control inspections and oversight, information dissemination and education, administration, contingencies, and dam spiliway improvements over a three-year period (2011 to 2013). Said Special Assessment Roll and all assessments thereon are final and conclusive unless attacked in a court of competent jurisdiction within 30 days of this notice

This notice is being published pursuant to Part 309 of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, PA 451 of 1994, as amended,

Dixie Lake Improvement Board Oaldand County, Michigan

Clarkston church celebrates 125th

St. Trinity Lutheran Church in Independence Township will hold a 175th anniversary celebration on Sunday, Sept. 19.

David P. E. Maier, president of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod Michigan District, will preach at the 8:15 a.m. and 11 a.m. services that day.

A picnic with family activities, including games, children's crafts and inflatable toys, will follow the 11 a.m. service in the pavilion on the church's grounds.

The event is the second of two anniversary celebrations this year marking the founding of the church in Pontiac in May 1885. St. Trinity built on its present site on Sashabaw Road at Clarkston Road in 1975.

"This (celebration) is more a recognition of the commitment in Christian education, including Bible study and confirmation classes," said Chuck Claus, chairman of the 125th anniversary committee.

St Trinity operated a Christian elementary school for 66 years and currently has a preschool that is approaching its 30th year.

At least one former principal, Herman Schmidt, will be in attendance. All Vacation Bible School and Sunday School students received personal invitations to the celebra-

The public is invited. Visit the church's website at http://sainttrinitylutheran.com/

PUBLIC NOTICE Because the People Want to Know

CLARKSTON

NOTICE OF CONFIRMATION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO **CLARKSTON MILL POND**

TAKE NOTICE that the Clarkston Mill Pond Improve ment Board has confirmed the Special Assessment Roll for improvements to Clarkston Mill Pond. The Special ment Roll in the amount of \$29,250 has been prepared for the purpose of assessing the cost of aquatic plant control, goose control, permits, legal/other, mill pond dam operation and maintenance, sediment control, administration and contingency over a three-year period (2011 to 2013). Said Special Assessment Roll and all assessments thereon are final and conclusive unless attacked in a court of competent jurisdiction within 30 days of this notice. This notice is being published pursuant to Part 309 of the Natural Resources and Environ-mental Protection Act, PA 451 of 1994, as amended.

Clarkston Mill Pond Improvement Board Oakland County, Michigan

STATE OF MICHIGAN FILE NO: 2010-331,684-DE PROBATE COURT **COUNTY OF OAKLAND** NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Decedent's Estate Estate of Eugene W. Grabowski, Date of birth: Septe

TO ALL CREDITORS:
NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Eugene W. Grabowski, who lived at 6927 Hubbard Hills, Independence, Michigan died July 15.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Derek Grabowski, named personal representative, or to both the probate court at 1200 N. Telegraph Rd., Pontiac, Michigan 48341-0445 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publications of this cattle. the date of publication of this notice.

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110 GARAGE SALE

DO YOU SEE A 🙂 OR A 🖈 NEXT TO AN AD? Check our classifieds on-line for a photo or a Google map. Oxfordleader.com !!L19-tfdh

BARN SALE- Tools, farm equip ment, baby items, Sat. 9-18, 9am-6pm. Sun. 9-19, 10am-5pm. 12380 Hegel Rd. Goodrich. 117YR1

SEPTEMBER 17TH, 18TH, 19TH, Corner of Eston and Indianwood. 4775 Indianwo Clarkston. Everything from A to L416 note interest and such etc.

7TH ANNUAL RUMMAGE Sale to benefit OCEF Food Pantry. St. Anne Church, Ortonville. 825 S. Ortonville Rd. Early birds Wednesday, September 15th, from 8-8pm for \$5 donation to OCEF. Regular sale Thursday/ Friday September 16-17th, 9am-7pm.

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LAKE ORION SUB Sale- Rolling Meadows (Maybee off Baldwin) Follow signs. 9/16 thru 9/18 9am-3am, 11L411

HUGE MULTI FAMILY Garage Sale- Thurs.- Sat., 9/16-9/18. 9am-3pm Thurs. and Fri. and Sat. 9am-12pm. You don't want to miss this sale. Youth snowboards and skis, bikes, Breyer barns and horses, My Little Pony Castle, riums, Barbies, American Girl clothing, kids toys, Halloween costumes and much more. Lots of stuff for sale!! Preserve Subdivision (Waldon and Baldwin), 3716 Mt. Vernon Dr., Lake Orion !!L411

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Oakwood Rd., Sept. 16-17, 9am-

4pm. Train stuff, paint gun

canopy bed. 248-969-0424

Moving/ Garage

SALE!

ALL ITEMS MUST GO!

Thursday/ Friday Sept. 16&17

8:30am-1:30pm

6713 Belmont Ct., Clarkston

GARAGE SALE- September

16&17, 9am-4pm. 4894

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Garage Sale. Some furniture.

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ery items. September 16-18,

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10am-5pm. !!L411

tub, doors, windows.!!L411

SATURDAY- 18TH, SUNDAY-**ESTATE SALE- Everything must** 19th. 21 E. Washington, Clarkgo. Sat. Sept 18th, 11amston. 9am-4pm. !!C101 1:30nm. 3392 Gingell., Orion SEPT 15-18, 9am-5pm. 494

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MOM2MOM SALE Saturday, September 25th, 9am-1pm. First Missionary Church, 4832 Clintonville Rd, Clarkston. Tables available. izielinski18@yahoo.com for de tails 111 7394

930 E. LEONARD RD, Thurs.-Sat. Furniture, antiques, clothes, toys and more! !!L411

450 ALGENE, LAKE ORION, September 16-19th, 9am-5pm. Call 989-709-1963 for directions/ details. DJ/PA sound system; Tons of bar mirrors and party Red Nautical; bar decor. !!R411

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105 N. Washington St., Oxford.
Mens, womens, childrens items.
Something for everyone! IIIL41
LAKE ORION MOVING SALE,
Something for everyone, old, new
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September 18,17, & 18th, 9am4pm. No early birds. 1200 Sunset Hill Dr., off Clarkston Rd. 1
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Furniture & Accessories, outdoor
& indoor equipment & tools, and

much more! !!R411 MULTI- FAMILY GARAGE SALE. Walloon Way- off Claricston Rd, Lake Orion, September 18-18, 9am-4pm. !!L411

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Sept. 18-18
8:30-5 Th-Fri & 9-1 Sat.
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Toys, Little Tykes, Freezer,
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Dirt bike, Elec. Bar Dartboard

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Sept. 18th, 9am-5pm. Furniture,
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Sashahaw) I(C101

* THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

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GARAGE SALE-740 Patricia Ct., Oxford (Drahner/ Sanders area), Friday, Saturday, Sept. 17-18, 10am-4pm !!L411

2 FAMILY SALE- Sept. 18th, 8am-5pm. 99 Rowland Rd., just off Rochester, Leonard. IIL411 MULTI FAMILY SALE. September 16-17, 9am-4pm. 1084 Chelsea Blvd., Oxford (Waterstone). Fall/ winter clothing items, like new toys, miscellaneous. !!L411

CLOTHING SALE TO benefit OCEF. United Methodist Church, 93 Church St., Ortonville. Thursday/ Firday September 16-17, 9am-5pm. !!ZX42

OXFORD- 1662 Lakesview, Sept. 18th, Household items, and misc. 9am-1pm. !!L411

ESTATE/ MOVING SALE- Sept. 16-19, 9am-5pm, ikea furniture, household, women's clothing/ accessories, air compressor, spa pedicure chair and professional nail tech equipment. 2051 Hopefield, Lake Orion 48359 112

GARAGE SALE- September 24-28, Noon-4pm. 50 Pearl, Oxford. 11L412

AWESOME SALEI Sept. 16-18, 9am-4pm, 6 Crawford, Oxford. Something for everyonel IIL411 GARAGE SALE- LARGE Selection of Christian books, tapes, magazines, videos. Misc. household items. Clothing. Exercise bike. 3400 Hosner Rd., Oxford, N. of Lekeville Rd. Friday and Saturday, Sept. 17-18, 10am-4pm. IIL411 LAKE ORION ANNUAL Royal Troon Condos Sub Sale. September 17-18, 9am-4pm. Off Indianwood between Josiyn & Baldwin. III.411

FRIDAY, SEPT. 17TH, 9em-3pm. 2323 Slilvercircle, Waterford. Housewares, clothes, furniture. 11C101

OAKMONT SUB SALE- Clerkston. Sept. 16-18th, 9am-4pm. Toys, boys/ girls clothes; home furnishings. !!R411

MULTI-FAMILY CHARITY Garage Sale, September 17-18, 8am-3pm, 1725 Deer Path Trail in Oxford. Kids, teens clothing, household, tools, much more. III.4 SEPTEMBER 17-19, 8AM-4PM. 1111 Cottonwood, Lake Orion. Nordic Trac, snowblower, pond equipment, TV, misc. III.412

GARAGE SALE. Tools, antique furniture; household; kitchenware. Friday, Saturday 9am-3pm. 114 Maumee Trail, off Indianwood, Lake Orion. !!R411 BARN SALE! Hardware, Automobilio Antiques House.

BARN SALE! Hardware, Automobilia, Antiques, Household, Tools, Car parts, Vet wheels and tires, Books. September 16-18, 9am-7. 782 N. Hurd Rd., Ortonville. IIZX51

ESTATE SALE- Furniture, Entertainment systems, Complete gym, Vault door, Industrial shelving, woodworking machines and much morel 2400 Kile D. Drive, Ortonville. Sept. 16-18, 9am-5pm ZX61

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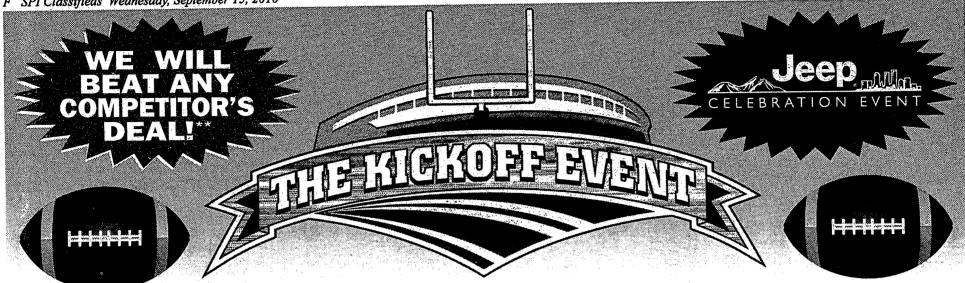
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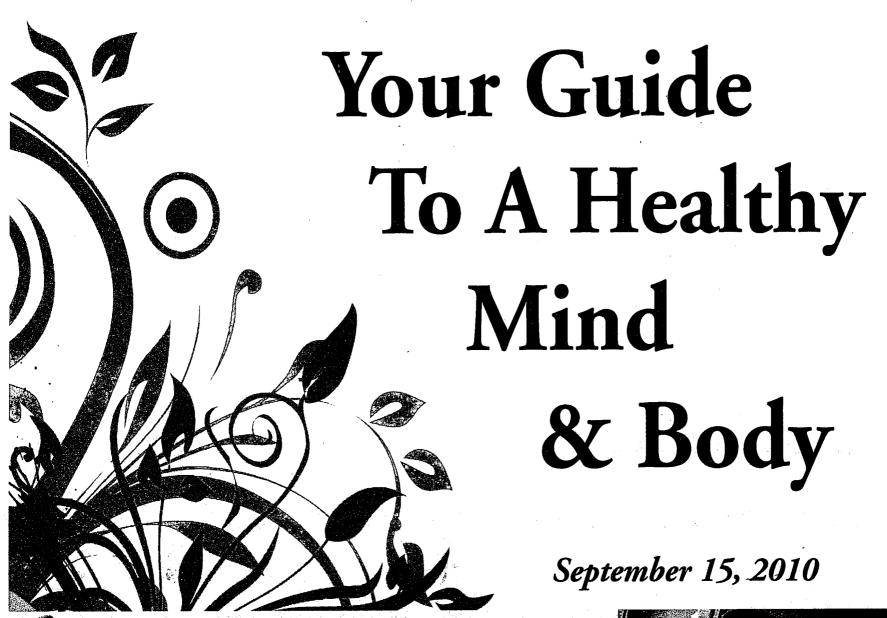
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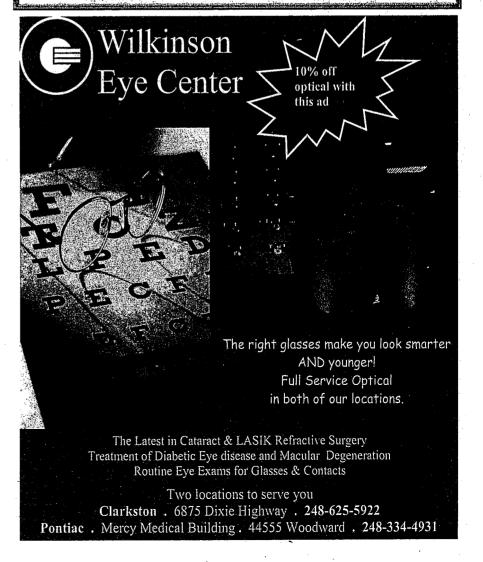
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When you think about it, your employer was paying hundreds of dollars for insurance to get just a small financial benefit for you if you don't need glasses. That doesn't make sense. And, even if you do need glasses, the insurance allowance for frames and lenses, in most cases, never covers the glasses in full. Your "benefit" was worth less than \$100 towards prescription eyewear or contact lenses. So, even if you get new glasses every year you can budget an additional \$10 per month for your eye care over prior out-of-pocket costs.

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Patients can relax, feel at ease at Lake Orion Family Dentistry

Going to the dentist is about the worst thing Judy Law canimagine.

Even for a routine cleaning, the anxiety starts to build weeks before her scheduled appointment.

She shares a nervous laugh, trying to explain this overwhelming fear to a stranger, but clearly, there's nothing funny about it.

"I cry, almost in hysterics," said Judy, who lives in Lake Orion and works as a Lake Orion Community Schools administrative employee. "I get so upset, I just work myself into a tizzy."

Although she worries that "it sounds silly" or "irrational," just talking about the dentist makes Judy nervous, and she knows there's a reason for this panic. The root of her fear grows from several bad experiences.

For example, years back a dentist drilled into a tooth without waiting for the Novocaine to take effect.

When violent pain sent Judy bolting upward, the dentist merely pushed her back into the chair and continued drilling, uncaring or oblivious to her tears

It took several years before she even thought about going to the dentist again.

But if Judy worried others might think her fears were irrational, she knew that forgoing dental care for the rest of her life was flat-out foolish.

With trepidation, she approached a dentist who claimed to practice sedation dentistry.

"It was a nightmare," she said. "When the grogginess finally wore off – several days later – I realized I had all these sores inside my mouth. Then they called me and said I had to come back because they didn't do everything they said they were going to do."

Needless to say, she didn't go back.

Then she found Lake Orion Family Dentistry. Judy says



Dr. Brad Greenfield and the team at Lake Orion Family Dentistry offer quality, innovative care in a warm, friendly atmosphere.

she'd recommend Dr. Brad Greenfield and his team to anyone with similar fears.

While a trip to the dentist is still no walk in the park, Judy is now making regular visits and feeling more at ease with Dr. Greenfield's practice.

A big part of that ease is about trust, she explained.

"I always have the same person clean my teeth," Judy said. "She understands how I feel, she knows I'm going to be a basket case and somehow she gets it done."

When Judy needs a filling or other work, she gets the same kind of understanding, compassionate treatment from Dr. Greenfield and the rest of the team.

"They all work so hard to make me comfortable, and I'm not the best patient," she said, "I cry every time, but they never laugh at me or make me feel silly. They're really a wonderful group."

Dr. Greenfield said he knows the fear Judy suffers from is very real. He's just glad he's able to help.

"Some people are terrified of heights, or snakes, or the dark,"

Dr. Greenfield said. "Others are afraid of the dentist. I don't take it personally."

Instead, he finds it gratifying to help someone who hasn't been able to have any dental treatment for a long time, and accomplish so much.

Before the work gets started, Dr. Greenfield said he likes to sit down and talk about different issues and options so those highfear patients get a sense of him, his philosophy and how he'll approach their care – and, hopefully, earn their trust.

One option many patients choose is sedation, which allows patients to walk away with no memory of treatment, he explained.

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'Karla has years of experience," Dr Greenfield said, noting the anesthesiologist makes it a point to thoroughly evaluate patients, explain the whole process, answer any questions and check on patients before and after treatment.

"And she's a lot of fun," Dr. Greenfield said. "We really enjoy having her around, and the patients love her."

Judy Law offers up perhaps the best compliment anyone could give Dr. Greenfield and his team.

Her husband recently accepted a new job - in Iowa.

"We have a lot of great friends here, and I'll be back often to visit," she said. "At least once every six months, when it's time to have my teeth cleaned."

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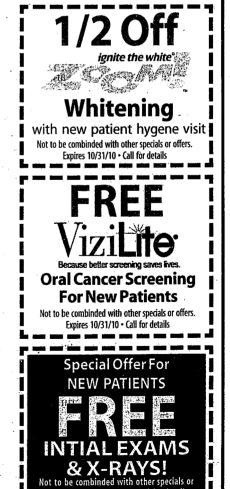


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Stress fractures common for runners

Stress fractures of the foot are becoming more common in runners, especially first-time marathoners, according to the American College of Foot and Ankle Surgeons.

The growing popularity of marathons among beginning runners has contributed to the increase in repetitive stress injuries, including stress fractures of the foot, seen by foot and ankle surgeons.

Often, first-time marathoners enter a race with little or improper long-distance training. The lack of experience coupled with the repetitive impact placed on the feet during the run can produce enough stress to cause hairline breaks in the bones of the foot.

"Runners who increase their mileage too quickly or change to a more intense phase of training may be more susceptible to a stress fracture due to the increased force placed on the bones," said Dr. Alan MacGill, foot and ankle surgeon. "A general rule of thumb for runners is to increase the mileage by no more than 10 percent each week. Runners who are training also need to have adequate rest time in between runs to help decrease the risk of injury."

Runners at all levels of experience are also at higher risk for stress fractures if they wear improper shoes while running or training, suffer from flatfoot or other foot deformities, or have osteoporosis.

Signs of a stress fracture can include pain, swell-

ing, redness and possibly bruising of the area.

"Stress fractures can occur anywhere in the foot and can eventually lead to a complete break of the bone if left untreated," Dr. MacGill explained. "Early diagnosis and treatment are important to ensure proper healing."

If a break is suspected, foot and ankle surgeon Dr. John McGarry advises runners to immediately follow the RICE protocol: Rest, Ice, Compression and Elevation.

If pain and swelling last longer than a few days, a visit to a foot and ankle surgeon for an X-ray and diagnosis is in order.

In most cases, treatment includes rest and immobilization with casting of the foot. Surgery may be required in certain instances to repair and stabilize a stress fracture that has progressed to a full fracture.

Runners can take action to prevent repetitive stress injuries in their feet by wearing supportive athletic shoes and slowly building up their activity levels according to their abilities.

"If a runner suffers from abnormal mechanics in the foot, such as overpronation or hypermobility, custom orthotics can also be helpful to prevent these injuries," Dr. McGarry said.

For additional information on stress fractures and other foot injuries, visit www.FootHealthFacts.org.



Racers finish a lap around Depot Park at the Aug. 1 Craig Greenfield Tri and Du. Proper training is needed to prevent injury in foot-race events.

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Local physician develops national guidelines for prostate cancer treatment

A prostate cancer diagnosis is never welcome. However, when one of the nation's leaders in prostate cancer treatment is just around the corner, the best possible information and advice is close to home too.

Jeffrey Forman, M.D, FACR, medical director of 21st Century Oncology, was one of eight physicians in the country and the only one in Michigan to write the national guidelines for prostate cancer treatment.

This three-year project was supported by the American Urology Association (AUA) and the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), which formulate health policy based on research and evidence.

He was also one of the authors of the prostate cancer treatment guidelines for the National Oncology Alliance coordinated by Onmark, a leader in best practice development.

Supported by scientific literature including Forman's, the 48 evidence-based treatment standards were created to be followed by physicians.

Dedicated to teaching other physicians, Dr. Forman held faculty appointments at Wayne State University, including the position of chairman, The University of Michigan, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center and Cornell University Medical College.

He completed his residency and fellowship in Radiation Oncology at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Balti-

more, Maryland.

New Research

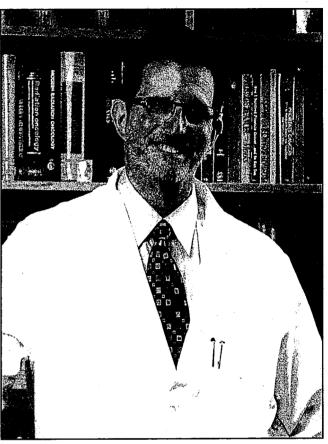
Dr. Forman has also been working for years to safely reduce the standard nine-week course of treatment for prostate cancer to less than two weeks by dramatically increasing individual doses of radiation.

Early results indicate excellent patient tolerance and extremely high success rates. "I don't think we could have asked for a better result," Forman explains.

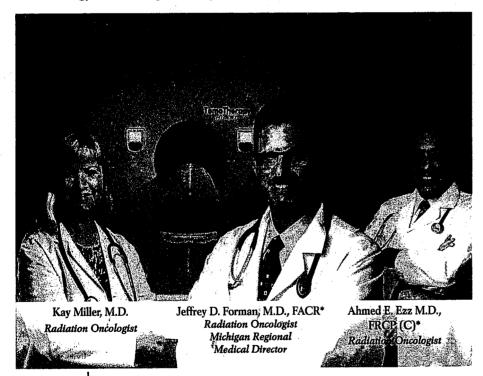
The increased dose of radiation is delivered with exact precision using radiotherapy guided by GPS for the body, to determine the prostate's position at the time of each treatment and with daily radiation exposure. This allows Dr. Forman to deliver the radiation only to the prostate and minimize or eliminate the unwanted side effects experienced with earlier technology.

Forman, the area's principal investigator for the current research study, is recruiting men with early-stage prostate cancer to participate in this new study to reduce radiation treatment time from nine weeks to one-and-a-half weeks (five days).

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As a reminder, the American Association of Orthodontists (which Dr. Charles F. Munk and Dr. Charles W. Munk are both members) recommends that all children have an orthodontic check-up no later than the age of seven. This early screening is indicated for a variety of rea-

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 - To answer patient and/or parent questions

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There was a 9-32 percent reduction in risk for women 50-59 years of age. Screen-

The guidelines from the American Cancer Society for breast cancer screening are

 Yearly mammograms are recommended starting at age 40 and continuing for as long as a woman is in good health;

- · Clinical breast exam (CBE) about every 3 years for women in their 20s and 30s and every year for women 40 and over:
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Dr. Kapadia was a June 2010 graduate of

Dr. Anuja Kapadia

Doctors' Hospital of Michigan (DHM) is DHM's award-winning Family Medicine Residence to announce that Anuja Kapadia, MD, dency program.

"I just love that I get to work with the whole family, from the babies to the grand-parents," Dr. Kapadia said about her role as a Primary Care Physician.

"We have to know a little about everything and that makes it very rewarding and interesting," she added.

The doctors provide general family health services, including physicals, well-child check-ups, and vaccinations. Dr. Kapadia also works in DHM's Waterford Emergency Center.

Clarkston Family Health Center is a subsidiary of DHM, located at 6770 Dixie Hwy. The doctors specialize in general family health needs, including physicals, well-child check-ups, and vaccinations.

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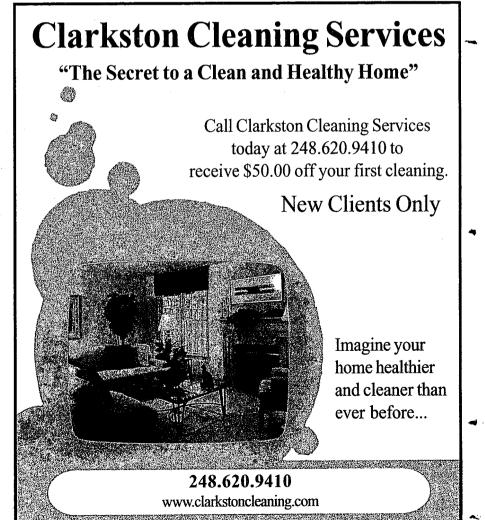
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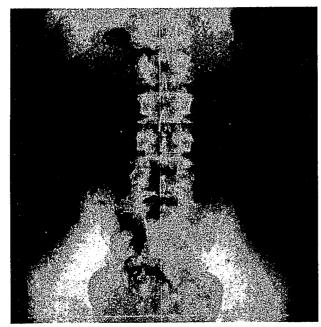


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