

Vote deadline error repeated

BY TREVOR KEISER

Clarkston News Staff Writer

History repeated itself after the City of the Village of Clarkston posted the wrong deadline date to run for city council.

A public notice in the July 13 edition of *The Clarkston News* stating the deadline for nominating petitions for November's city council election was Aug 16.

However, Clarkston's City Charter states the deadline to be "the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August," which would be Aug. 2 this year.

The same error happened last year. At the time, City Manager Dennis Ritter said "it was unfortunate. It won't happen next time."

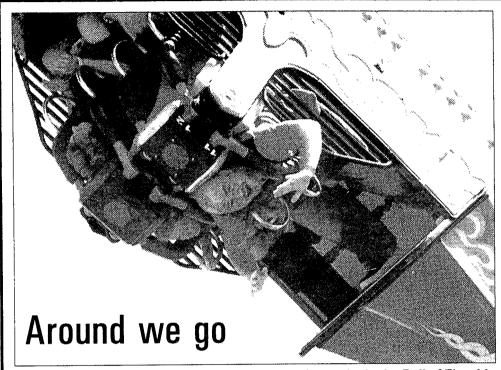
When asked about the date last Thursday, Ritter checked with the city clerk and said the deadline was Aug. 16, according to state law.

"In that case, I think state law prevails," he said at the time.

Ritter said he's come across a few things in the charter that conflict with state laws.

"As state laws change and come in conflict with the city charter, that needs to be reviewed to see if it's a conflict that has to be dealt with in some fashion or another," he said.

However, after talking to City Attorney Tom Ryan last Friday, Ritter found the city can set the filing petition date earlier, but not later than the state date. A corrected public notice is posted this week's paper.



Mike Summers and his son Jacob Summers defy gravity in the Ball of Fire ride at the Oakland County Fair, July 12. Please see page 8A for more pictures from the fair. *Photo by Wendi Reardon*

Clarkston pupils top test averages

BY WENDI REARDON

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Results are in for Michigan Merit Exam and ACT tests, and Clarkston juniors continue to score above schools in Oakland County and the state

The juniors scored above average in all five testing subjects, reading, writing, math, science and social studies.

They scored an average of 76 in reading, compared to 68 average for the 11 districts in Oakland County and 63 for the state; in writing, 62 average in Clarkston, 56 in Oakland Country, 47 in the state. The juniors averaged a 69 in math

compared to 60 in Oakland County and 52 in the state; 77 in science while Oakland County average 66, 61 in the state; and Clarkston averaged 81 in social studies while Oakland County had 80 and the state had 78.

"We will continue to work hard every day to make sure each of our students achieves at a high level," said Dr. Rod Rock, superintendent. "We're pleased that our scores on state and national tests continue at a level above the state average in all areas."

Also, fewer students scored in the lowest performing category, Rock said.

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Family was always first for former ed.

BY PHIL CUSTODIO

Clarkston News Editor

For Jean Saile, family was most important. She and her husband James Saile created a big one, with six children. As *Clarkston News* editor from 1971-1977, family was a frequent topic of her weekly "Hill 'n Gully" column. Family's why she joined the *CNews* in the first place.

"When she worked for *Pontiac Press*, she was gone a lot," said Liz Coleman, Jean's youngest. "She became editor to be closer to us kids."

Jean passed away, June 13, at age 80.

She was born on the family homestead in Saskatchewan, Canada, in 1931. She moved to Saginaw at 14 with her parents and started her career in journalism at Arthur Hill High School.

She wrote for the *Saginaw News* in 1947, left there to write a news radio show in Houston, Texas, then returned to Saginaw to report and write news for radio station WSAM.

In 1956, she moved to Rochester and worked as a reporter and editor of *Rochester News*. The Saile family moved into a 100-year-old house on Main Street at Middle Lake Road in Clarkston in 1966, and she took a reporter job with the *Pontiac Press*. Jean quit the *Pontiac Press* and became editor of the *Clarkston News* in 1971.

"What a fine thing it was for the *Clarkston News* and all the Clarkston area when Jean Saile came on board as editor," said Jim Sherman, Sr., publisher at the time. "She had all the attributes a newspaper publisher could want. She was quick of mind and tireless in searches."

She had great energy and lasting enthusiasm as editor, Sherman said.

"What a great personality," he said. "She started each day at the office by bringing the staff together to go over their horoscopes. That beginning set a fine mood for the reporters and salespeople."

She returned to the Oakland Press in 1977
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Dinner benefit for bone marrow transplant

Family and friends of Doug Zywicki host a spaghetti dinner fund raiser for him, 5-11 p.m., Wednesday, July 27, at American Legion Post 377, 4819 Mary Sue Ave.

Zywicki, 44, is a husband, father of two, and stepfather of two. In December 2009, he became ill with legionella pneumonia which later led to his being diagnosed with chronic myelomonocytic leukemia, previously misdiagnosed as mylofibrosis.

He has been battling this form of blood cancer for a year and half and in that time lost half of a lung and spleen, and now lives by getting frequent blood transfusions.

"Every outing requires he bring an oxygen tank and a cane," said Keegan Sulecki, Zywicki's step daughter. "Some days it can be a struggle for him to walk to the bathroom."

He can't work and his wife, Laura, took several unpaid leaves from work to care for Doug.

"It is the hope of family and close friends that this benefit will raise enough money to cover the mounting doctor bills and to help them though Doug's future bone marrow transplant, which is his only hope for a cure," Sulecki said.

Admission is \$10 for adults, \$5 children. American Legion Post 377 donated use



Doug Zywicki gets a blood transfusion at Michigan Cancer Institute.

of their hall for the fund raiser. Many local individuals and businesses also contributed, including Clarkston Paper, Hollywood Market, Outback, Royal Diner, Clarkston Hot Yoga, Tierra Jewelers.

Items for auction include autographed, hand-drawn picture of Kid Rock, and a Nascar helmet signed by Dale Earhart, Jr.

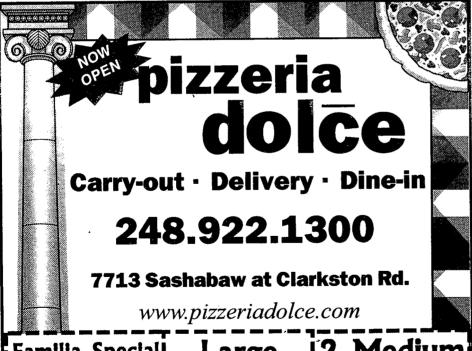
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Clarkston community, this benefit will be an enjoyable evening with live music by band 2XL and items for the raffle and auction that will hopefully help Doug and his family reach their goal," Sulecki said.

For more information, call Sulecki at 248-396-8844. For info on bone marrow donation, check www.marrow.org.

- Phil Custodio



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Interviews for interim supervisor

Springfield Township Board narrowed supervisor candidates from 14 down to eight, with interviews set this and next week.

Candidates include Marc J. Cooper, former trustee; Virginia Fischbach; Roger Lamont, township trustee; William Leddy, planning commissioner; George Mansour, developer; Collin Walls, former supervisor of 32 years; Neil Willson, planning commissioner, and Paul Zelenak.

Interviews are set for July 19 and July 25, starting at 6 p.m. at Springfield Township Offices, 12000 Davisburg Road.

The Township Board has a deadline of Aug. 11 to appoint a new supervisor or the state will call for a special election.

Former Supervisor Mike Trout vacated the post, June 14.

The interim supervisor will serve out the term, which will be up for a vote in next year's regular election.

Tons of Trucks

Independence Township Parks and Recreation hosts its ninth annual Tons of Trucks, 10 a.m., Saturday, Aug. 6, at Clintonwood Park.

Owners of unique and/or cool-looking trucks are invited to display their vehicles in the event, which returns after a year off due to budget cuts. For more information, tickets, or entry forms, go to www.itpr.org or call 248-625-8223.

Fireworks feedback

Independence Township Parks and Recreation is looking for feedback on its July 4 fireworks.

They launched fireworks from a new location this year to increase viewing area. The new launch location was over 300 feet higher and 2,500 feet southeast of last year's launch site in Clintonwood

To give feedback, go to www.itpr.org and click on the link on the home page or call 248-625-8223. Community feedback will affect the 2012 launch location.

Correction

The story "Councilman questions city budget increases," July 13, should have said the June 27 vote to approve the 2012 budget was 5-2, with council members Rich and Bisio and Chuck Inabnit voting against.



From left, Sue Ring, immediate Optimist past president; Larry Rosso, Optimist member and township trustee; Don Brose, international vice president; Jeff Reed, president; Ken Elwert, parks and recreation director; Jim Evans, founder of Clarkston Area Optimist Club; Bobbie Nelson, parks and rec beach supervisor; and Katherine Sloan, parks and rec swim lesson supervisor, help rescue Deer Lake Beach with a \$20,000 check. Photo provided.

ptimist partnership saves Deer Lake

BY TREVOR KEISER

Clarkston News Staff Writer

According to Independence Township Parks and Recreation Director Ken Elwert, Deer Lake wouldn't be in full force today if it wasn't for the partnership between Parks and Recreation and the Optimist Club, which donated \$20,000 towards the beach this year.

"It really wouldn't have been manned with lifeguards, swim lessons or anything if they hadn't come forward," Elwert said. "The township then stood up and matched the amount. That was really the only way it was going to work this year."

Jeff Reed, Optimists president, said the club was fortunate to receive a grant early in the year. The club is celebrating 25 years in the community on Aug. 20 this year, so they wanted to do some big events for the community. He said they heard a lot of concerns about Deer Lake.

"The fear was the beach was going to be closed," he said. "We know that wasn't the case, but people were concerned about not having lifeguards or swim lessons there."

Reed said the club prioritized what they thought the grant money could be spent on and took a vote to the Optimists and Deer Lake was ranked number one.

"We were proud to make that happen," he said. "So many people have come to me and said 'I learned to swim at that beach and now it's good that my kids and my grandkids can do it.'

Elwert noted as more budgets tighten across the nation that there will be "more commercial and service club partnerships to keep things going at the same level people have expected in the past."



Brock Rotter, left, and Ryan Ouellette, working on a sand castle, are happy Deer Lake Beach is still open. Photo by Phil Custodio

The Optimist Club also supports other as well as an anti-bullying called "No Place Parks and Rec programs, including the playground at Baycourt Park, spray park at Clintonwood, as well as the Friendly Forest. They are also involved in the schools. The club is funding a summer reading program later in August for the elementary schools

for Hate" at the junior high and high school.

"Our motto is 'bringing out the best in kids." Reed said. "I just recommend whoever stops by the beach they take the time to read our Optimist Creed that's posted on the sign there."

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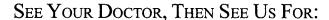
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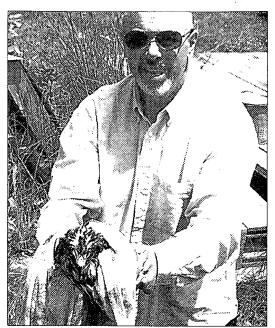
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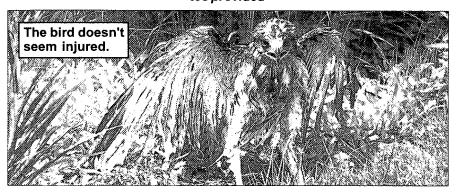
Jim Brueck and his family were at the lake by their Clarkston home when they noticed something in the tire bumper along the dock - a young male red-tailed hawk.

Brueck rescued it and brought it to shore.

"I have always stated that a riparian zone is one of the most bio-diverse habitats on Earth," he said. "I never expected to find a hawk there. I was able to contact a raptor rehabilitation site and I took the hawk to them for nurturing.'



Jim Brueck brings the hawk to shore. Photos provided



ACT scores also beat averages

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"At the same time, we will continue to look at achievement gaps and address those through direct support to students," he said.

Three areas continued an upward trend over the last five years. Scores fell in two areas. In reading, Clarkston's average fell from 78 last year to 76. The scores are up from 2007, when it was 73.

Scores also went down in social studies, falling to 81 after last year's 88 score, which was down from 91 in 2009.

Compared to other districts in the area, Clarkston scored higher than Oxford and Brandon in all five of the areas. Clarkston scored higher than Lake Orion in writing and math. Bloomfield Hills scored the highest in Oakland County in all five areas.

We will also continuously analyze our curricula, instruction, programs, and ongoing assessments to make sure each student is achieving at a high level," said Rock.

The juniors also scored higher in their ACTs compared to averages in Oakland County and Michigan.

Clarkston scores improved the last five years in the ACTs. In English, juniors scored 20.3, a 0.1 increase; in math, 21.1, a 0.5 increase; in science, 21.4, a 0.1 increase; and in composite, 21, a 0.1 increase.

The score dropped 0.1 in reading from last year, with an average score of 21.

Since 11th graders began taking the ACT in 2008, Rock thought it was good for scores to remain steady or improve, even by slight

"It is important to remember all of our juniors take the test," he said, adding Michigan is one of only six states requiring the ACT.

As the district gets ready for the 2011-2012 school year, Rock will provide additional details on goals and strategies while focusing on what he believes is important - making sure every graduate is prepared for what comes next in life.

"We wish for each child limitless opportunities and unbounded pursuit of his or her dreams," he said, adding teachers, support staff, principals and community will continue to lead the way for students.

"I feel strongly our revised teacher professional development calendar for next year will enhance teaching and learning for every child," he added. "I also feel our mission. vision, learner profile and strategic plan will move learning forward."

Church hopes to help hungry children in Pontiac

BY TREVOR KEISER

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Bridgewood Church teams up with Power Company Kids Club of Pontiac to help feed Pontiac inner city kids with their Making a Difference in a Child's Life event, formally known as One Day to Feed the World, on

The Power Company Kids Club, founded by Pastor John Gunn, has been busing in over 800 kids to their center on Saturdays for the past 18 years. They instill hope in them by sending out positive messages of staying in school and off the streets, saying "no" to drugs, and eliminating racism and

Most recently, Power Company Kids developed a summer day camp to help feed children in Pontiac.

'They were realizing many of these children weren't getting meals because the only meals they were getting was the lunch they got in school," said Sue Marquis, spiritual life pastor at Bridgewood. "Not only do they feed them, but they visit them in their homes every week, so they're also touching families of whoever is in that home."

Marquis said Power Company is feeding around 130 kids through the summer day camp, and Bridgewood wants to help expand that number.

"It's our hope that with everyone doing their part and participating in these events we're having, they'll be able to more than double that feeding program next year and get these kids in," she said. "I would love to even triple it.'

Marquis said she's seen the impact



Racers in last year's 5K. Photo by Trevor Keiser

of Bridgewood's newest team pastors, Dustin McClellan, was a product of the program and is now assistant director at Power Company.

"He was one of those street kids they invested in when he was young," Marquis said. "He would climb on their bus."

Bridgewood is kicking off Making a Difference in a Child's Life weekend on Friday, July 29, with family outdoor movie night starting at 7:30 pm. The movie to be shown is "Despicable Me."

"We're asking people to bring lawn chairs and blankets," Marquis said. "We'll have concessions available if they want to that it's completely free. We are accepting donations if people want to give.'

The night will also have inflatables, face paintings, and a slew of famous characters for the children to get their picture with, like Spiderman, Repunzel, Darth Vader, and three characters from Peter Pan.

"We'll have it rain or shine," Marquis said. "We'll move it in if there is bad weather."

On July 30, there will be a motorcycle fun run called Ride for Hunger. Registration will be at Bridgewood Saturday morning at 8 a.m. The cost is \$20 per rider and \$5 per passenger.

"They will ride their bikes a total of 80

miles, but have seven local stops they have to make along the way," Marquis said. "At those stops they will play one round of Yatzee and after the last stop, they will have completed the game. People with the best scores will receive prizes."

Then on Sunday, July 31, the annual Run for Hunger 5K and family one mile fun run/ walk will begin registering between 7-8 am. The race will begin at 8:30 am. The cost to run the 5K or for a family to do the one mile

"We just feel it's such a great learning tool for parents to teach their kids to care and look outside themselves and see conditions in the world and get the mindset they can do something to make a difference," Marquis said.

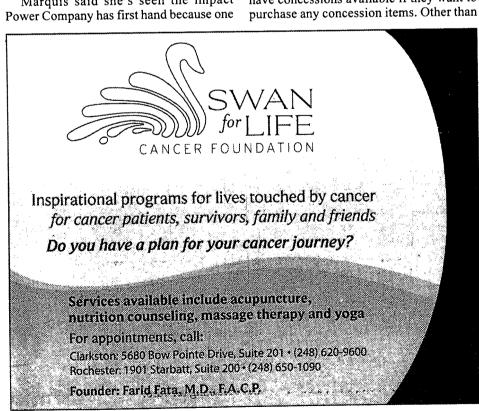
Along the Family one mile will be Cinderella, Dora, Spiderman, and Captain Jack Sparrow to help keep the encouragement going.

"This isn't a church event, it's an Oakland-County-gives-back event. All the sponsors are businesses from Oakland County that are pitching in," Marquis said. "We're just using our grounds as a facility for them to have these events."

After the race is over, there will be a rally with music and guest speaker Pastor John Gunn from Power Company Kids.

"We're just inviting anybody that's reading this story to come and join us at one of these events," Marquis said. "Their participation can actually help us make a difference in the lives of these children that are just a few miles away from us."

For more information or to register, visit onedaytofeed.com or call the church office





Keiser's Role

A column by Trevor Keiser

45 days until 'I do'

As many of you faithful readers know, I wrote a column in June 2010 about heading to Georgia to get married and move on to the next phase of life.

As some of you found out, the engagement didn't go as planned and I found myself once again praying and trusting God that He knew the right woman for me.



In the meantime my parents and I started

going to a new church and, not wanting to put my life on hold because my heart had been hurt, I started getting involved and making new friends. I met some nice girls in the process and even went on a date or two but was still waiting for the "wow factor."

At my church we have a custom on Sunday mornings to gather in groups of three or four and pray together in between worship time and sermon. I found a group of guys I usually gathered with to pray, but it just so happened on Sunday, Feb. 13, I didn't end up praying with "the brothers." Instead I was in a group of about 5-6.

As we stood there in the group, this girl started praying and my heart started connecting with the words of her prayer. I was getting the "wow factor" from her prayer, so when we finished praying, I looked up and saw it was a very attractive girl who I had been introduced to the week before. Her name was Noell.

After the service, I ran over to catch her before she left and just told her how I enjoyed her prayer. While I thought she was really cute, I wasn't sure how old she was because she sat in the youth group section at church. Much to my delight I was able find out through Facebook she was 19-years-old.

After messaging her and getting her number I began text messaging her and after a day's worth of text messages and a quick stop for pizza rolls at Meijer, I knew this girl definitely had "the wow factor" I had been waiting for.

A week later I asked her to be my girlfriend. Three months later in May, I asked her to marry me (check out our engagement annoucement on page 4B).

As you read this it's 45 days until I say "I do" to my lovely wife who I love with all my heart.

Councilman weighs in on budget

Dear Editor

Regarding the article "Councilman questions city budget increases" (July 13 edition) about city council votes on June 27, the vote on the 2011-2012 budget was 5-2, with Council-

man Inabnit joining me in voting against the general fund and major and local roads budgets.

It is prudent to accumulate funds for future capital expenditures so that the city does not need to borrow or dip into its fund balance to pay for them when a one-time large capital expenditure is necessary.

Thus I support the general concept of having a capital improvement fund.

My objection to the fund as proposed was that there are currently no legal restraints on what the money can be used for.

I proposed an ordinance to govern this fund, but it has not been acted on.

Letters to the editor

I also proposed a separate budget for the fund, showing a transfer of \$25,000 from the general fund to the captial

improvement fund and authorized expenditures of zero, so future expenses would need to be specifically approved by the city council. That suggestion was not acted on as well.

Richard Bisio Clarkston

Thanks from CAYA for golf help

Dear Editor,

Clarkston Area Youth Assistance would like to thank all those who participated in the 18th Annual Golf Outing at Fountains Golf and Banquet Center on June 17, 2011. The following Sponsors, Prize Contributors, and Volunteers helped to make this fundraiser a huge success. On behalf of the Clarkston area families we serve, we thank you!

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> Kathryn McVean Clarkston Area Youth Assistance

Thoughts on pedestrian safety

Dear Editor.

The issue of public safety has prompted me to comment ("Safety meeting on intersection after walker hit," July 13).

I walk my dogs all over the place. For the most part, I find being a pedestrian in our township in most locations relatively safe, sans my own street, and I avoid the places that prove dicey.

I have never had an issue at the location where the individual was hit by a car, but I have witnessed some rather disrespectful drivers now and again, and would never choose to cross the street there. So the ideas presented by the walkable community experts to slow traffic through town are something I fully support.

Above that however, traffic incidents don't arise simply from the exact location where an individual is hit. They originate in the culmination of decisions over the years.

There isn't much that can be done to mitigate the number of bad decisions that have

resulted in the sometimes ridiculous traffic for a community this size that I experience here. But there is opportunity to examine pending impacts that have not yet been created.

Beaumont at I-75 and M-15 was one of the worst possible locations for traffic through town.

Also, making a left Starbucks from Dixie—it's ridiculous that it can't be connected to the parking lot to Kroger. It is extremely dangerous.

It is only a matter of time before the foolishness of pending bad decisions translates further into tragedy.

There is a direct connection between uninformed decision making and wastefulness in tax spending. That's a given for most. But similarly, uninformed, poorly informed or biased decision making is likewise connected directly to tragedy.

Tammie Heazlit Independence Township

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

A Look Back

From The CNews archives

15 years ago - 1996

"New Arrivals" Bob and Deanne Olsen of Clarkston announced the birth of twin daughters, Paige Rebecca and Dana Marie, born May 15 at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak.

"Duman-Kortge" Mr. and Mrs. Micheal Duman of Brighton announced the engagement of their daughter, Stacy Ann, to Gary Douglas Kortge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleon Kortge of Clarkston.

"No justice, no peace" Clarkston reporters, Margaret Hartley and Damon Hartley, went on strike with 2,500 other workers from their jobs at *The Detroit Free Press* and *The Detroit News*. The workers desired a better work environment.

25 years ago - 1986

"Minister leaves for missionary work in Brazil" After 15 years of ministerial service in the Independence Township area, the Rev, Clancy Thompson left for Brazil. Thompson had accepted a 10year missionary appointment.

"Local grab 4-H project awards" Two 4-H members of Clarkston were named 1986 Michigan 4-H project award winners during 4-H Exploration Days at Michigan State University in June. Janet Louise Mailley, 18, was chosen as Michigan's 1986 home management project award winner. Cheryl Tiedeman, 16, was named Crafts project award winner. Both were members of the Oakhill 4-H olyb

"Himburg makes impression as wheelchair athlete" Himburg traveled 60 to 70 miles a week through the streets of Clarkston while training for a long-distance wheelchair race. Himburg had participated in wheelchair events for the previous four years and raced to five second-place finishes at the qualifying games in Troy.

50 years ago - 1961

"Local artist exhibits" An art exhibit, featuring the work of Mrs. Sandford McLain of Clarkston, was held in the Clarkston Community Center.

"Greshem - Caverly vows spoken"
Marriage Vows were spoken by Sandra
Lee Greshem and Richard Caverly at First
Methodist Church in Clarkston.

"Area students on deans list" Two Clarkston students were among the 310 named to the dean's honor list at Flint Community Junior College for the second semester. The students were Richard J. Lippert, a 1958 graduate of Clarkston and Philip R. Smith who was working toward a degree in Library Science.

Time now to dunk Don

A while back either Shari or Stephani from a little round disk and dunk me. I dare you. Bonnie & Clyde Boutique (aka, Clarkston Flower Shoppe) e-mailed me. One of them wanted to know if I knew of anybody who would be a good draw for a charity dunk tank event.

I listed some people I thought would be good, including Kid Rock cuz they sell the Kid's clothing line and he lives two minutes from their store. Oh and, ha, ha, if all else fails I'd do it, too.

Well, I opened my big fat mouth, totally ignoring a rule I implemented just this year which clearly states, "When I open my mouth I am to quickly stuff a sock in it." Now I am one of the folks who's slated to be dunked, August 6, in Clarkston. Who the other suckers are, I don't know, nor do I care. This is my column. It's all about me, baby!

The event benefits soldiers who return stateside physically handicapped. In particular a group called, Home For Our Troops. Here's what I have found out about that out-

Homes for Our Troops is a "national nonprofit, nonpartisan 5021(c)(3) organization that was founded in 2004." They raise money, building materials and professional labor to build homes for the servicemen and women and their immediate family that "provides maximum freedom of movement and the ability to move more independently."

They have helped over 100 veterans to

The event is called the Annual Backyard Jam (to benefit Homes for Our Troops) and is from 4 p.m. to 8 on that Saturday. According to Shari, they hope to have three bands perform throughout the day, local food vendors, popcorn, ice cream and more. Bonnie & Clyde is located on the east side of M-15, just south of the I-75 exit.

So I say to all you folks, who over the last few years have called me many things other than the name Mom and Dad gave me, come on out and get even. This is your chance to Dunk Don.

You didn't like my column on bicyclists making things scary on the road ways? Well, don your groovy looking helmet, neon-color spandex and peddle your butt on down. Dunk me, I dare you.

If you didn't like me telling you you were wrong to call Michigan residents "Michiganders," stop honking like a goose and fly on over. Dunk me, I dare you.

If you think I have been insensitive to all your elected and appointed officials by writing my opinions on their actions and comments, show your undying loyalty to these government "workers" by throwing a ball at

If you have written me, called me, e-mailed or just told your friends and loved ones, "That Don Rush is a bigoted-fascist-leaning, knuckle-dragging, puddin-brained, egotistical half wit, who makes too many typos, and I hate him, too," put your money where your

mouth is and exact your re-

Don't **Rush Me**

A column by

Don Rush

I know you are out there, you haters of my thought-process. I am calling you out. Don't be a wussy!

I try to stay under the radar and move silently in the shadows of your town, slithering from one dark, dank space to another -- never showing my face for fear of reprisals. Now I am giving you all the chance to take out

your aggressions and give it to me but good! And, you can feel good about it because it's a good cause.

I warn you, get there early. I have three younger sisters, who, upon hearing the news, are pooling their money and practicing their throws as I type. They may buy lots of opportunity to dunk their dear old, older brother. (There is even a rumor that my own sons and my very own, saintly mother are warming up in the bullpin.)

If you see the statue (pictured with Shari) you know you are at the right spot. If you want more information, call their store phone number at 248-625-1399.



Going from hogs to hogwash

I was raised on a farm. Well, that's not exactly correct. What my dad did was not exactly "farming." He liked farming, but we never rented more than 40 acres.

Dad would till with his Terraplane, or whatever kind of car he owned at the time.

And, Dad loved hogs. Big hogs. When we took our annual trip to the Ionia County Fair, first thing Dad would do is go to the hog barn, lean over the fence and scratch a sows

Then he'd grin. And, he loved butchering them. That was our first exposure to the sweet, inviting flavor of boiled cow's tongue. Cooked one for myself recently.

We lived on farms in Laingsburg, Durand, Bancroft and Vernon. Dad worked the railroad in Durand, but country living was what he sought.

Pigs and farms, got it? So, with that lead-in . . . On a recent night out, someone asked if anyone knew what head cheese was.

Well, yeah! Whenever Dad butchered a hog, mother made head cheese. We'd have head cheese sandwiches and head cheese and gravy. Can't say I loved it, but we ate it.

I'll tell you the ingredients, then you can make your own: Edible parts of the head, feet, tongue and heart; cut up fine, boiled and pressed.

I don't recall ever seeing it on a menu, in a meat counter or grocery advertisement. However, I do recall seeing it in cans.

- - - 0 - -The thing that prompted this diatribe was waste in our world. Fireworks are an expensive waste. Shooting money into the air just doesn't appeal to me. I recall, as a businessman, contributing to fireworks only once in my 50-plus

And, don't think a bursting rocket is more patriotic than a non-bursting rocket.

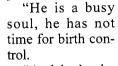
Patriotism is a heart thing, not a

firecracker.

As for waste, nothing was wasted in Dad's pig butchering. He even fried the tail.

Jim's **Jottings**

- - - 0 - - -Remember the poem The Bee?



"And that's why in times like these, there are so many sons of bees."

a column by Jim Sherman

- - - 0 - - -You'd think the

next national election was tomorrow, there's so much campaigning

With a Romney in the race, I was prompted to call a newspaper friend of mine, Dick Milliman.

In 1962 and '63 he was Michigan Governor George Romney's press secretary and speech writer.

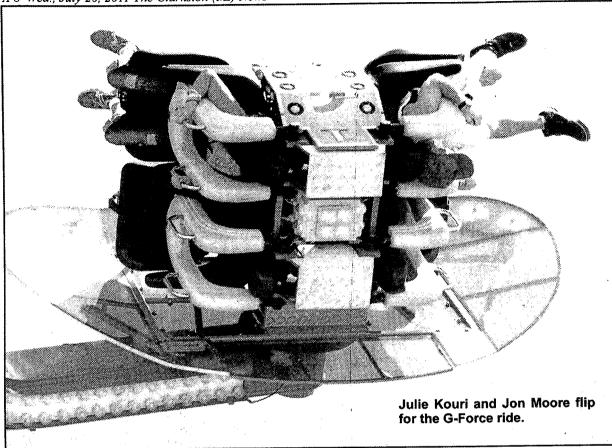
He went on to get into the legitimate business of newspaper ownership, both weeklies and dailies and is still involved in a couple. My question to him was: Did the Mormon religion get the attention it's getting today?

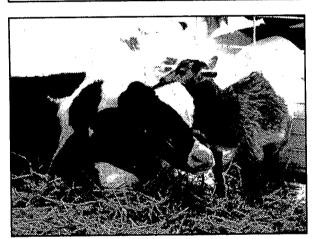
I knew George Romney was of the Mormon faith, but don't recall it getting the media attention it's getting today. I remember John Kennedy's Catholicism got plenty

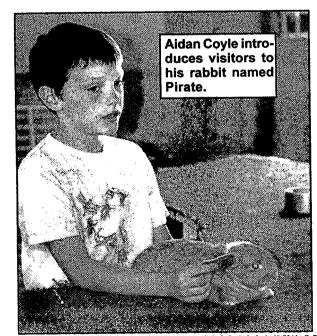
Dick said little was made of the Romney-Mormon connection in Romney's quests. He did say George Romney wouldn't campaign on Sundays, but he did do some campaign work at home Sun-

Now we have Mitt Romney, a Mormon, George's son, running for the highest office in the land.

Though it doesn't get the media attention the Kennedy-Catholic campaign got, it is still mentioned a lot more frequently than the religion of say, Pawlenty, Bachmann, McCotter, Huntsman, etc.







To the fair, to the fair

Kids of all ages flocked to Springfield Oaks County Park last week for the Oak-

land County Fair.

Many enjoyed the fun and delight of going on amusement park rides and playing throughout the park.

Each day brought more exciting events plus a chance to eat more food.

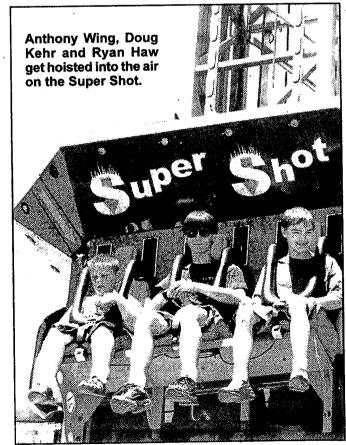
Photos by Wendi Reardon



Julia Cubero goes round on à 4-wheeler ride.



Kiara Seyler rides a pony while at the fair.



Public Safety

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

Theft foiled

A 20-year-old Ranch Estates Road resident and his girlfriend walked back to their garage and saw a man inside his unlocked car, 12:20 a.m., June 14. The resident yelled at the man, who got out of the car with the girlfriend's purse. The witness grabbed the man, threw him to the ground, and searched him. The witness found the suspect's ID he was a Waterford resident and under 18. The suspect pled with the witness not to call police and that he was homeless and would never do it again. The witness told the suspect to never come back and let him go. The witness never called 911 or told his parents until later the next evening because he thought it was over.

Mushroom melee

A deputy responding to reports of a man covered in mud and hiding in bushes found an 18-year-old Independence Township man laying in the middle of the road in the 5000 block of Westview Road, 6 p.m., June 29. The man stood and, fists clenched, walked to the deputy, ignored his commands, struggled against being cuffed, and punched him in the face. He continued to struggle and kick as backup arrived, and deputies used a taser to subdue him. The man said he consumed about 3.5 grams of mushrooms, and was "freaking out." The deputy received two stitches to his face, and the suspect was jailed on aggravated felony assault on a police of-ficer

Minor in possession

A deputy on patrol saw a car pull onto Dixie Highway with headlights off, 2:44 a.m., July 5, followed it onto Waterford Road, and watched the driver throw cans of beer from the vehicle. The driver, a 17-year-old Independence Township boy, didn't stop when ordered, sped up and lost control, spinning out and ending up on an embankment. No one was injured. The driver was taken to Doctor's Hospital, then jailed pending issuance of a warrant. He was also found to be on probation for a prior larceny charge.

Spurned and out of control

Woodcrest Ridge residents called police to report a pickup truck driving through their lawns, 2:36 p.m., July 8. A deputy saw a truck matching the description and chased it until the driver pulled over. The suspect said he took his mother's truck without permission to check on his ex-girlfriend. Seeing a new boyfriend's car in her driveway, he got angry and drove across several lawns. He was arrested for fleeing police, car theft, and malicious destruction of property.

It happened in Vegas

A Clarkston resident reported someone charging almost \$3,000 on his debit card without permission at the Bellagio Hotel in Las Vegas, July 8.

Apartment break in

Someone broke into a S. River Road apartment, July 9, and took a video game system and prescription drugs.

Rumor has it

An 18-year-old Independence Township man was arrested for assault and battery, 7 p.m., July 9, in the 100 block of S. River Road. He had approached a 33-year-old man, a neighbor, saying he was spreading rumors about him breaking into trailers, and then punched him in the mouth.

Lake chase

Responding to a noise complaint on Middle Lake Road near Pinehurst Court, 11:57 p.m., July 11, a deputy found a pile of broken glass in the road. He noticed a pontoon boat moving away from shore with no lights, so drove to the other side of the lake. When the boat approached, the deputy hit its three occupants with a spotlight and ordered them ashore. With a cry of "let's get out of here," they reversed course and headed back out onto the lake. Calling for backup, the deputy found the pontoon boat docked with wet footprints leading to a nearby house. With permission from residents, deputies searched the house and found three men, an 18-yearold Springfield Township resident, 19-yearold Clarkstonite, who lived there, and a 21year-old Independence Township resident, all hiding in the attic. The 21-year-old said he got into an argument with a 19-year-old Brandon Township man, kicking and punching out the window of the 19-year-old's car as he drove away.

Home invader

A Pine Knob Road resident arrived home to find a stranger walking away from the house, 2:30 p.m., July 12. The stranger, a 32-year-old Brandon Township man, was carrying bottles of water and soda taken from the home. The resident told him to leave, which he did, and then called police. Deputies found him walking down the road and picked him up. He said he was walking home from Pontiac and stopped for some water. Seeing no one was home, he entered through an open window and took money and an iPod. The suspect, who had a folding box-cutter knife in his pocket, was jailed briefly for home invasion pending charges.

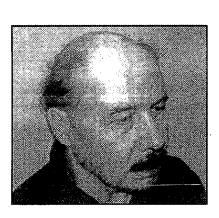
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Poised for Potter finale

The Harry Potter series is complete, with the opening of "Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows Part 2" last Thursday. Fan dressed for the occasion in their best British wizarding outfits, including Clarkston girls, from left, Gillian Anderson as Ginny, Ashley Berg as Luna, Gabrielle Anderson as Hermoine, Jeannine Lane as Professor Trelawney, Meghan Erikson as random Hogwarts student #345, and Grace Anderson as Tonks. Photo provided

Carl Knaus, founder of Saving America, is starting an online "Freedom Shop." Photo by Trevor Keiser

Local Tea Party moves online

BY TREVOR KEISER

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Carl Knaus, founder of the Saving America Tea Party in Clarkston, is back and ready to finish the job he and other activists started last November.

"We had 11 tea parties last year that were very effective," Knaus said. "But now we've found a new way that can reach a lot more people."

Knaus has started a "Freedom Shop" online, offering Saving America pamphlets, CDs with the Saving America theme song "Freedom," which was written by Knaus, and other items.

"The song tells the entire story of the freedom movement about life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness," he said. "The song is performed by Motown singer John O'Dell.'

The newest item for sale is a "Bye-Bye Obama" bumper sticker. While running commercial ads on the radio, Knaus said they are also selling \$50 sponsorships for newspaper ads in the form of a certificate.

"Whoever sponsors an ad will get to decide which newspaper it will run in," he said. "Anybody can donate for a lot of things, but the certificate is a keepsake to know they were a part of something."

Knaus does plan on hosting one more tea party this year because it gets people "fired up." He said he feels the Obama administration took things that were bad and made them dramatically worse, which is why he is continuing to fight for the free market system and against what he believes is heading towards socialism.

"We think with our efforts we can get the job done," Knaus a ... 2012 we will have our country back."

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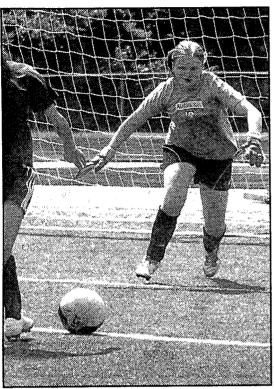


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ady Wolves learn at kickers camp



Alicia Curry moves forward to save a shot on the net. Photos by Wendi Reardon

BY WENDIREARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Campers sat in the shade and enjoyed their popsicle treat as they ended their week long Future Wolves Girls Soccer Camp last Thursday.

For four days 56 girls in grades 3-8 learned basic technical and tactical skills for soccer.

"It was a great year and we had great girls," said Sarah Wasilk, head coach for the Clarkston High School girls varsity soccer team.

"We are excited about the future of Clarkston soccer," she added after seeing all the talent from the campers.

The girls worked on learning and improving their ball skills, one on one defending, passing, shooting and sportsmanship.

They also played in scrimmage games and competed against each other in knockouts, lightning rounds and their version of the World Cup.

Players received awards in each most improved player, sportsmanship and Lady Wolf.

"Everyone improved during the week." said Wasilk when giving out the

most improved player award. "It was a tough choice but three stood out by asking questions and were coachable."

Olivia Toderman was the most improved player as well as Danielle Brennan and Megan Hushen.

"Danielle really came out of her shell and stepped up," said Wasilk. "Megan also worked hard and took creative critism

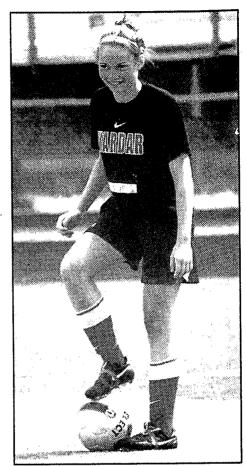
The sportsmanship award went to Carigan Price, Anna LeBourdais and Lynsie Graham.

"We stress a lot about being a good sport with other teams and with teammates and encourage others," said Wasilk.

Jordan Klokeid, Ellie Vondette and Alicia Curry stood out for the Lady Wolf award.

"All did a great job," Wasilk said before pulling everyone in for one last group cheer.

The Future Wolves Girls Soccer Camp was offered through Clarkston Education Center. For more information about this camp or any other programs offered, please visit www.clarkston.k12.mi.us/cec or call 248-623-4326.



Hannah Siegfried prepares her next move in the Lightning competition.

JUNIOR OLYMPICS

Athlete of the Week

Anderson set for Junior Olympics

BY WENDIREARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Eight-year-old Bo Anderson is preparing for a trip to Wichita, Kansas where he will compete in the 45th USATF National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships.

Anderson recently competed at the USA Outdoor Track and Field Junior Olympic Region 5 Competition at the GaREAT/SPIRE Sports Complex in Geneva, Ohio against athletes from Michigan, Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia and Lake Erie, July 9.

He placed second in the 1,500-meter run, beating his previous time by 20 seconds and finishing in 6:17.34. The finish qualified him for the Junior Olympic National Champion-

"Bo ran an amazing race," said mom, Kathy. "We couldn't believe the improvement in his time and he was extremely excited to receive a second place medal in the 1500 and advance to the nationals."

He also placed seventh in the 400-meter dash, setting his personal best time of 1:28.84.

Bo qualified for the regional competition when he placed in the top five in his age group in three events at the USATF Michi-34715-246-246 disk. granicalitation is

gan Association meet in Livonia, June 18. He University in Kansas. competed in the 1,500-meter run, 400-meter dash and 800-meter run.

"When Bo competed in his first outdoor track in June we really had no idea what he was capable of and whether he'd enjoy the track and field competition," said Kathy. "It is an incredible accomplishment for Bo to have competed at the Junior Olympic level and to have performed so well."

He chose to compete in only two of the events for the regional competition, Kathy

The national championships are held July-26-31 at Cessna Stadium at Wichita State

"Our family is still trying to see if we can get to Wichita on July 15 for the 1,500-meter run," said Kathy.

The 45th USATF National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships is the most visible youth athletic development program in the world Many of today's Olympic stars began their track and field careers at the event.

"We are very proud of him," said Kathy. "He really has developed a passion for the sport."

Bo enters third grade at Springfield Plains Elementary in the September. His parents are Mike and Kathy.





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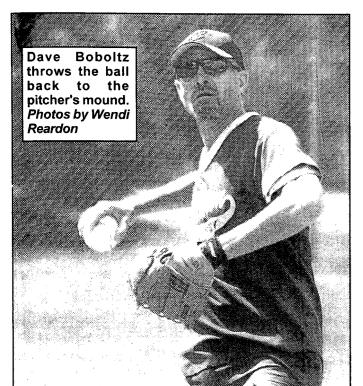
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Hit the mound

BY WENDIREARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Players took their position on one of the softball fields at Clintonwood Park last Wednesday for another sunny game.

Teams made of players ages 50 and up meet every Monday and Wednesday for their league games.

Though the teams are set right now, pick ups are in the fall for anyone interested, said Alan Bartley, league director for the John Thomas Senior Softball League.

"We have a good mixture of people," he said, adding the experience and athleticism ranges from average to grand slam with players hitting over the fence.

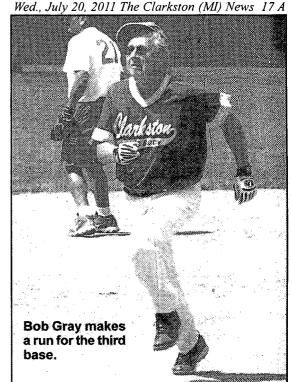
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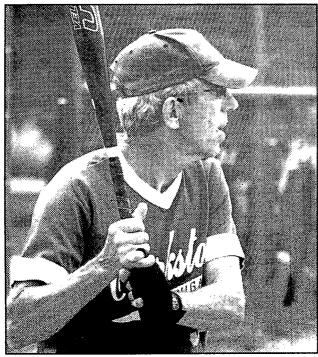
"Staying active keeps you young," Bartley added.

An advantage to coming out to play during the fall, beginning after Labor Day, is to see where the players will fit during the spring league.

For information, call Independence Township Senior Center at 248-625-8231 and leave a message for Bartley.

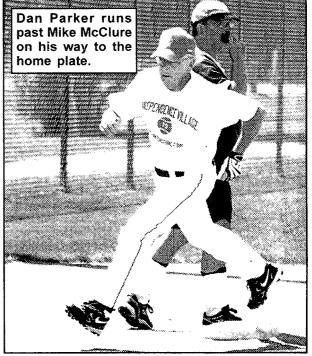
He also invites anyone who is interested to stop by a game, played Mondays and Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.















Saile was pillar of community for decades

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for three years, and continued to perform freelance work for the rest of her life.

Her writing still appears in the pages of the *Clarkston News* – a letter she wrote in recognition of Dr. James O'Neill's 50th anniversary in Clarkston is posted on page 3B.

The Saile children, Patricia Sowder, Michael (Pam) Saile, Douglas Saile, Janet (Alan) Whitefield, Peter Saile and Lizbeth (Matt) Coleman, all attended Clarkston schools. Peter and Liz went to Clarkston Elementary, a short walk from downtown and the *Clarkston News* office at 5 S. Main Street.

"It was pretty cool – we used to leave school, walk downtown and raid her desk for change, then go to Rudy's," Liz said. "The newspaper office was downstairs, so we'd play upstairs with all the old typewriters."

She helped her mom out at assignments, covering parades and other community events.

"I used to carry her extra film," Liz said. "I felt pretty special, standing out in the middle of the road with her as she took pictures. It felt like I was working with her."

After hours, she'd take her children with her on interviews.

"We'd have to be quiet," Liz said. "She loved the people she worked with – Jim Sherman was a great friend of hers. She loved the community."

Jean wrote about development issues in Clarkston, and Independence and Springfield townships, Clarkston school issues, localized national stories, as well as parades, festivals, and other community events.

In addition to family, her column documented her trials and triumphs in restoring a century-old house, and national issues like Watergate

"She always had a nice column – I looked forward to it in the paper," said Joan McCrary, longtime resident of Clarkston. "They were sprinkled with humor and well researched. She had a lot of history in her house."

"I'd just begun getting her personal columns together as a token," Sherman said. "She called her column 'Hill 'n Gully.' And so it was, up and down, through personal things, pointed remarks, observations, hopes, and happenings. Jean, a whole lot of us miss you."

America's Bicentennial in 1976 was also a big deal in her writing and with her family.

"I remember watching the Fourth of July parade from our house on Main Street, just sitting out front," Liz said. "She'd have a big Fourth of July party every year, with a jazz band she met through work."

"She was a great patriot – she had great people there, with flags all over," said Mel Vaara, assistant superintendent for Clarkston schools in the 1970s. "When you went to one of her parties, came back with a great feeling."

Jean was a community leader at the



Jean Saile joined *The Clarkston News* as editor in 1971.

Clarkston News, Vaara said.

"She listened well, she had a good sense of humor," he said. "She was fair in her reporting, and a great friend. I miss her compassion, understanding, and her brightness."

She made great strides for women in journalism, said Dr. James O'Neill, Clarkston pediatrician who treated all her children.

"I really loved her articles – I looked forward to them," O'Neill said. "She was very accurate and had a way of getting a little more. She was a great newspaper person."

She was a joy to see in the office, he said. "She was a really kind person with a great smile," he said.

After Jean left the *Clarkston News*, she continued to be active in the community. She was appointed to Independence Township Board in June 1990, served for two years on Independence Township Planning Commission, chaired her election precinct, and ran for Oakland County clerk on the democratic ticket in 1972, winning the primary.

"When she was appointed, I was very pleased," said Joan McCrary, township clerk in 1990. "She always did her homework. She was so cognizant of the topics at hand, which came from being newspaper editor. It was re-





Saile also served on the Independence Township Board in 1990.

ally nice to work with her."

Vacation meant travel for the Saile family, Liz said.

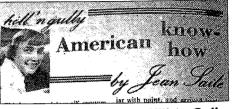
"We explored the whole country, went up into Canada several times, which is where she's from," Liz said. "We couldn't always stop at a restaurant. All eight of us were in a station wagon, and mom would make sandwiches in the front seat and hand them back, assembly line fashion."

As the children grew up and moved away, Jean and James would always visit. With three living out of state, family reunions were a priority for her, Liz said.

"She made sure us kids got together," she said. "Family comes first. We were six kids—she taught us to love one another and make up when we fought. She was just a great lady."

Jean Wright Saile passed away peacefully at home after a brief history of congestive





In her weekly column, Hill 'n Gully, she wrote her views on local and national news, as well as homelife.

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She was preceded in death by James, who she married on June 28, 1952, and her brothers Melville B. Wright and H. Gordon Wright.

Her grandchildren are Jason, Eric, Steve, Sean, Jaime (Thom), Dustin (Laura) and Ryan (Lauren); and her great grandchildren are Maya and Avery.

She lived in retirement in Austin, Texas, from 1996 until 2005, when she returned to Oakland County to live out the remainder of life at Elmhaven Manor.

Private family arrangements were entrusted to Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home-Cremation Services, Clarkston. Memorial donations may be made to Salvation Army or PBS.org. The family encourages you to share your memories of Jean on online at www.wintfuneralhome.com.



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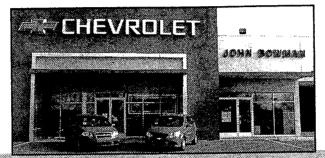


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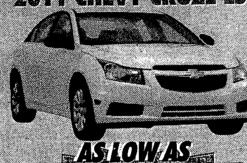




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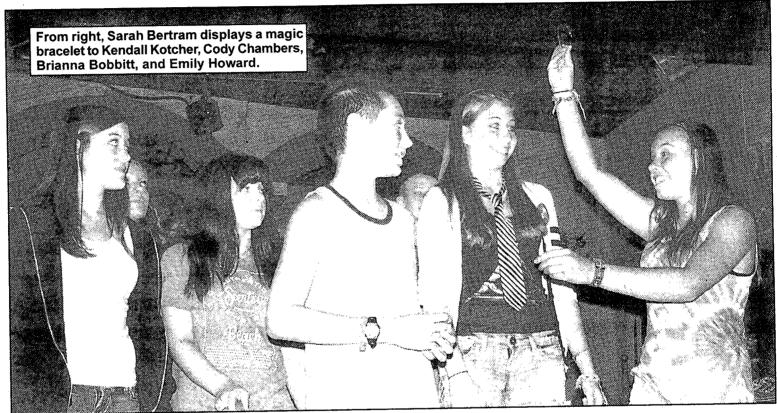
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Kendall Kotcher and Ken Fitzgerald search for treasure. Photos by Phil Custodio

Wax comes to musical life

BY PHIL CUSTODIO

Clarkston News Editor

History comes to life in the 2011 Clarkston Village Players Youth Theater's summer production of "Night at the Wax Museum."

"The hysterical meets the historical in this comic romp through the wackiest wax museum in history," said Director Donna Ellis.

The production by Tim Kelly, music and lyrics by Bill Francoeur, features six unlucky students stuck in summer school when they're assigned a class project to help at a wax museum. Class gets more interesting when a mysterious incantation from the back of Cleopatra's brace-

let brings the wax figures to life.

King Henry VIII finds himself smitten with Cleopatra, making his queen, Anne Boleyn, furious. If she can just not lose her head, John Adams is there to serve as her divorce attorney.

When Butch Cassidy, the Sundance Kid, Blackbeard and a bevy of lady pirates show up, everybody's out for one thing — treasure.

"Supposedly, there's a mighty valuable one hidden in the museum," Ellis said. "It's a wild goose chase to find it, with a greedy museum landlord and her bumbling son joining in the mad search."

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Golf Outing, Clarkston Football Family and Friends, 12 p.m., Aug. 5, Pine Knob Golf Course. \$100 per golfer, with dinner, door prizes, golf contests, awards. Sign-up deadline, July 25. 248-623-6200.

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Pilates and Sculpt, Mondays, 7-8 p.m., Bay Court Park's Lakeview room. Independence Township Parks and Recreation, 248-625-8223. Basic Yoga with Noreen Daly, 5:45 p.m., Mondays, Wednesdays. Beginning, intermediate asanas (postures). Bring practice mat or towel. Peace Unity Holistic Center, 8080A Ortonville Road. 248-310-7878.

Job Ministry presentation for unemployed or to hone employability skills, third Monday, 7:30 p.m., St. Daniel's Cushing Center, 7010 Valley Park Drive. 248-625-4580.

Exercise program for all ages, joint mobility, coordination, strength, Mondays, 12 p.m., lower level, 7590 Dixie Highway. \$7/session, \$25/four sessions. 248-627-7445.

Outdoor Pickleball, summer, 50+, Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, 8:30-10:30 a.m. Clintonwood Park Tennis Courts, 6000 Clarkston Road. Equipment provided. \$2 drop in. 248-625-8231.

Afternoon Line Dancing, Mondays, Wednesdays, 1-4 p.m., Clarkston United Methodist Church, 6600 Waldon Road. Country, Spanish Salsa, Rock and Roll, Cha Charhythms. Rosemary Hall, Instructor. \$3.

Tuesday

Tai Chi with Tammy Cropp, 10 a.m., Thursdays. Dr Paul Lam's Sun Style for Health. Experience healing, stress reduction, balance, and increased flexibility. Peace Unity Holistic Center, 8080A Ortonville Road. 248-420-6119.

Gentle Yoga with Rev. Matthew, Tuesdays, 10 a.m. Bring practice mat or towel. Free-will offerings. Peace Unity Holistic Center, 8080A Ortonville Road, 248-891-4365.

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

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

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, 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.

Indoor Pickleball, Tuesdays, 6-9 p.m., First Congregational Church of Clarkston, 5449 Clarkston Road. Equipment provided. \$4 drop in. 248-625-8231.

Clarkston Area Youth Assistance, second Tuesday, 7 p.m., Clarkston Community Education Building, 6300 Church Street on Waldon. 248-623-4313.

Got Beads, share love of beads and beading.

Please see Around Town on page 9B



Clarkston Allergy & Asthma Clinic

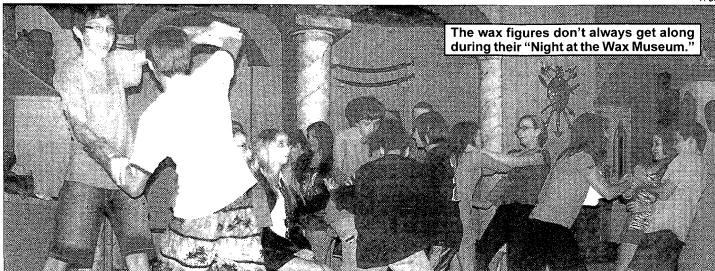
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Youth Theater hits the stage with musical

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Ellis, along with Assistant Director Nancy Penvose and Carmen Holcombe, choreographer, lead a theater company of 38 students That's the most ever, but many are new.

"With the success of 'Glee,' there are more drama camps," Ellis said. "We lost some core kids who have been here for 4-5 years. There are a lot of new kids, 10-12 years old. They're doing great, but they're new, a little rough, but we're getting there."

Students include Lillianna Barringer, Josh

Bertram, Sarah Bertram, Brianna Bobbitt, Anna Bunting, Bella Catenacci, Cody Chambers, Jackson Chambers, Lyn Chambers, Dan Deschaine, Sofia Fanelli, Ken Fitzgerald, Emily Gustafson, Alana Guth, Hannah Guth, Emily Howard, Bridget Kojima, Kendall Kotcher, Alex Lemanski, Emma Lohmeier, Olivia Lohmeier, Abby Lundquist, Kamrey Mantz, Kendra Mantz, Mason McIntyre, Larissa McLetchie, Brandon Moore, Erin Mueller, Sean Mueller, Maria Oakley, Gabe Oetjens, Theodora Pardales, Katie Penvose,

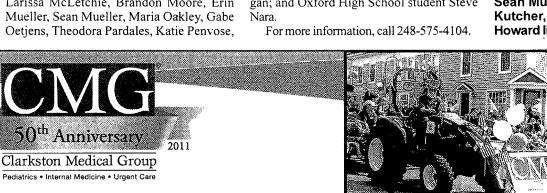
Ricky Ragatz, Emma Silak, Tyler Walsh, and Victoria Walsh.

Performances are 7:30 p.m., July 22-24, and 28-30. Tickets are \$6. All profits go to the Pete Rose Scholarship Fund.

This year's recipients were Clarkston High School students Danielle Diagle, Katie Penvose, and Erin Mueller; Waterford Kettering High School student Zack Morgan; and Oxford High School student Steve Nara



Brandon Moore, in middle, delivers his best King Henry VIII speech, as Theodora Pardales, Hannah Guth, Sean Mueller, Ken Fitzgerald, Kendal Kutcher, Brianna Bobbitt, and Emily Howard listen. *Photos by Phil Custodio*



Many people have commented on seeing my father on his tractor early in the morning along Holcomb or driving it in the parade. They have also brought up the great corn we used to grow which took several days of plowing and disking each spring before we could even begin to plant. My father's love of tractors stems from the ranch he grew up on in rural North Dakota. To this day he parks his tractor in the garage next to my mother's Expedition and leaves his Chevy in the drive. Only a farmer would do that. This great story brings up his North Dakota roots and reminds us of Hallman's Apothecary, another longtime Clarkston family owned business. Thank You Jean!

~ Dr. Timothy O'Neill

Doc O'Neill beat us to Clarkston by a few years and inherited our six kids as well as many of theirs down through the years. But what I loved him most for was what he did for my mother. She had Hodgkin's disease and he or his nurses paid daily calls on her for what now seems like at least two months. His own mother was ill in North Dakota and he was unable to tend her, so he substituted my mother

who was married to a Saskatchewan homesteader for his own mother, whom I know he dearly loved. Both were of the West. There were no charges accepted and when Mom died I had Keith Hallman pick out wine to try to make up for his kindness. The nurses were saluted with chocolates.

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COMMUNITY HEALTH WATCH

We have seen several cases of conjunctivitis (pink eye) recently. This is a swelling or infection of the membrane lining the eyelids and is most often caused by bacteria or viruses. This condition can be confagious for as long as two weeks after symptoms appear so it is important to see a doctor for proper treatment. Some discomfort can be relieved by applying a warm compress to the Infected eye. To prevent conjunctivitis change pillowcases often, keep hands away from the eyes, wash hands often, and don't share eye cosmetics.

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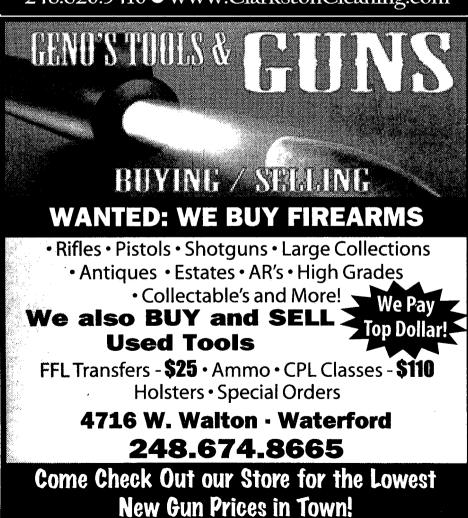
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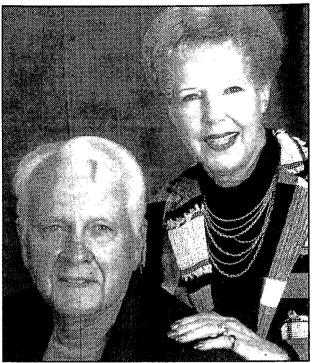
Klinglers celebrate 50 years

Ted and Jacque Klingler have been a part of the Clarkston community for the last 50 years.

They celebrated their Golden Anniversary on July

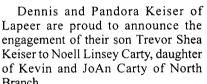
Tears, laughter, and memories filled Oakhurst Country Club as they enjoyed a surprise party hosted by Lin Hammel and Scott Klinger.

The family was honored to have Ted's mother, 94, in attendance.



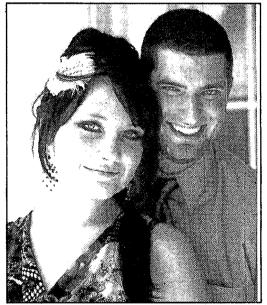
Ted and Jacque Klingler

Keiser



Trevor is a 2003 graduate of Lapeer East High School and a 2007 graduate of Rochester College. He is currently a staff writer for The Clarkston News.

Noell is a 2010 graduate of Faith Homeschool and works with children and youth at their church. She is currently employed with Meijer. A September 2011 wedding is planned.



Noell and Trevor

Serving our country

Nathan Hayward, a 2008 graduate of Clarkston High School, son of Roland and Dawn Hayward, enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps in 2010.

He graduated from Boot Camp at Parris Island, SC., and recently completed his specialized training at Camp Hayward Pendleton, San Diego,



He graduated May 6, 2011, at the top of his class in Reconnaissance Company and was promoted to lance corporal as a Recon Marine and is currently stationed at Camp Lejeune, NC.

Milestone to share?

We'd love to see them births, weddings, engagements, military, business and school achievements! You can drop them off at 5 S. Main St. or send us an email, Clarkstonnews@gmail.com

Religion Faith doesn't mean heaven here on Earth

A song was released a few years ago by a do. popular recording artist that simply proclaimed that there was "no such thing as the real world," but that it was simply a lie you had to get over.

While I understand the spirit of the song and the artist's attempts to capture the minds of those frustrated with the realities of this "real world," I do believe that there is in fact a real world out there.

This real world is a world of hurt, fear, letdowns and frustrations.

In this real world, people die, get divorced, lose the family pet to old age, and get into car accidents.

In this real world, there are people who will tell you they care about you, only to turn around and prove the complete opposite to

This is a reality that I tend not to like and would rather that none of us would ever have to deal with.

Many fail to understand how the church can exist in such a world tainted with messiness and junk.

How can an organization that exists to do good, do so in such a reality that we find ourselves in? The answer is clear; it's not only possible, but it is what we are called to

The Bible is not a tool to be used to simply add blessings to the lives of those who seem to have it all together.

Spiritual

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It is, in fact, a book that contains the best message ever given, that there is a God who loves us, cares for us, and wants a relationship with us.

It is a book that contains a wonderful message from the God of this universe, creator of all.

The reality is that there is in fact a terrible reality for our world. There are wars, rumors of wars, death, disease and famine.

People hurt other people in action, word and thought, and we tend to care very little about those whom God came to give life to. So, how do we have a realistic faith?

My response is a question - how can we not? When confronted with the messiness of the reality we find ourselves in, I am reminded by God's Word that He has come into our world as Christ, has lived in our neighborhood, so to speak, and has con-

quered death and hell so that we can have life and have it abundantly.

That does not mean I will be rich. It does not mean I will never get sick. It does not mean that I am immune to the effects of divorce and sin.

What it does mean, is that I have a hope. A faith message that focuses on an idea that everyone will be okay and that bad things never happens is inaccurate and hurtful to

But so is a message that the reality that we find ourselves in cannot be a place where God can move and affect life-altering change in our hearts and lives.

the Kingdom of God.

The reality is that oftentimes our present circumstances are only part of our reality. The parent dying of cancer is reality, but it is not all of reality.

The reality also is that God has a plan for your life, loves you more than anyone else does or could ever love you, and wants to do great things in and through you.

So how can you have faith in this reality we live in? I believe the better question is, how can we have faith without bringing it into the real situations of our daily lives?

The Rev. Matt Bailey is pastor of Lake Louise Church of the Nazarene.

In our churches...

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

DC4K, DivorceCare for Kids, ages 5-12, Tuesdays, 6:30-8:30 p.m. DivorceCare for adults runs concurrently. Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church, 6805 Bluegrass Drive. 248-625-3288.

Wednesday Evening FEAST, 6 p.m., classes for all ages, 7:15-8:30 p.m. Free nursery. Calvary Lutheran Church, 6805 Bluegrass Drive. 248-625-3288.

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

Peace Camp, July 18-22, ages 6-12. Creating self-understanding, generosity of spirit, servant leaders, friendships, fun, art, music, drumming, meditation, yoga, peace-making tools and practices. Peace Unity Center, 8080A Ortonville Road. 248-892-0196.



LUTHERAN CHURCH

"Lutheran Church Missouri Synod' Pastor: Rev. Kendall Schaeffer 7925 Sashabaw Road (1/4 mile N. of DTE 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 Sunday School 9:45 am Preschool: 3-4 years old Preschool: 620-6154

CLARKSTON FREE METHODIST CHURCH

5482 Winell-Clarkston (corner of Maybee & Winell) 248-623-1224 Service 9:00 • 10:30 www.ClarkstonFMC.org Wednesday 7 pm Youth & Adult Ministry

CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

6490 Clarkston Rd., Clarkston Sunday 10 am Holy Eucharist Sunday School 9:55 am **Nursery Provided** www.clarkstonepiscopal.org 248-625-2325

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.bridgewoodchurch.com

CLARKSTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

6600 Waldon Road, Clarkston 248-625-1611 Wehsite:clarkstonumc.org Sunday Worship: 9:00am &11:15am &6:11 pm Nursery available for all services

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 **Bible Study** Wednesday 7:00 pm Youth Groups 6-12 Wednesday 6:30 pm www.FirstCongregationalChurch.org

SASHABAW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF CLARKSTON

5972 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: 7:00 pm Áwana Club 6:30 pm Teen Ministry 7:00 pm Prayer Meeting & Rible Study

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: 9:45 am Worship Service 11:00 am Sunday School for all ages 6:00 pm Worship Service Wed: 7:00 pm Children and Teen Clubs & Adult Bible Study Nursery available for all services

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

CLARKSTON **COMMUNITY CHURCH**

6300 Clarkston Road • Clarkston (248) 625-1323 Home of Oakland Christian School Pastors: Greg Henneman Bonita Laudeman, Kevin Kuehne Dan Whiting, Geoff Black Sunday: Worship 9:15 & 11:00 am Nursery Care at all services Wednesday: Children's Ministries 6:00-8:00 pm **Sunday: Youth Ministries** 5:00-7:00 pm www.clarkstoncommunity.com

CALVARY EVANGELICAL

LUTHERAN CHURCH 6805 Bluegrass Drive, Clarkston (W. of M-15, just S. of I-75) 248-625-3288 Pastor Jonathan Heierman Sunday Worship: 8:15 am (traditional), 9:30 & 11:00 am Also at both 9:30 & 11:00: Nursery, Children & Youth Programming **Wednesday Evenings:** 6:00-8:30 pm Dinner, worship, small groups Nursery, Children & Youth Programming

ST. DANIEL **CATHOLIC CHURCH**

www.calvaryinfo.org

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 Religious Education: 625-1750 Mother's Group, RCIA, Scripture Study, Youth Group

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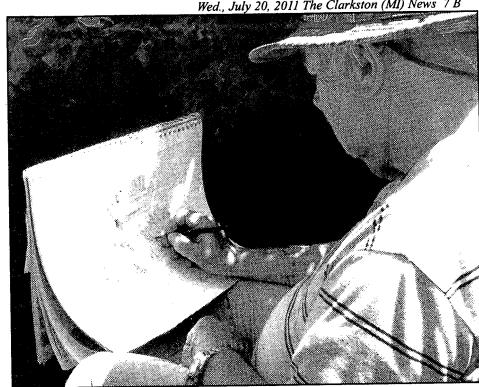
ORDERS MUST BE RECEIVED BY JULY 31.

Questions? Call McLaren Breast Center at 248.922.6810.

Clarkston, MI 48346



Diane Woloson explains how to take care of Annabelle Hydrangea to Marian Lawson and Sue Deevey.



George Hemmingway sketches the pond at Bridlewood Court to turn into a watercolor painting.



Tammy Kemp admires the fountain at the Woloson house.

Garden Walk

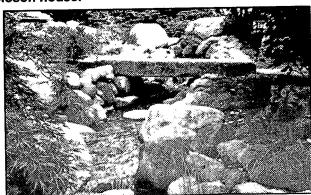
Garden enthusiast en-joyed the sixth annual Clarkston Garden Walk sponsored by the Clarkston Farm and Garden Club.

The tour included six different gardens throughout the community. As walkers toured the gardens they enjoyed the sounds of violins, gui-tars, and pianos. While also enjoying the talents of local artist painting or drawing different landscapes.

> Photo story by Trevor Keiser



A school of fish enjoy swimming in the pond at Bridlewood Court.



Many enjoyed the three tiered Koi pond.



Barb Snook and Shannon Morrison check out a Yew shrub at the Bridlewood Court home.

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Dennis DeChamplain, 54

Dennis J. DeChamplain of Clarkston, formerly of Detroit, passed away July 14, 2011, after a courageous battle with cancer, age 54.

He was the husband of 30 years and high school sweetheart of Barbara; son of Mary (the late Andrew) DeChamplain of Detroit; brother of David, Michael, Karen (Jeff) Paterson; brother-in-law of Diane (Len) Deskins, Ted Zyrek and Henry (Kathy) Zyrek; beloved uncle to many nieces and nephews.

Memorial Mass, Wednesday, 11 a.m., Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church, Waterford, where friends may visit 10 a.m. until time of mass. Arrangements entrusted to Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home-Cremation Service, Clarkston.

Online guestbook www.wintfuneralhome.com.

Roland E. Kerns, 68

Roland E. Kerns, "Butch," "Paw Paw," raised in Paw Paw, W.V., formerly of Clarkston, passed away July 14, 2011, at age 68.

He was the husband of Judy (Schatzley) for 46 years; father of Brenda (Calvin) DeLauro, Debbie (Don) McQueary and Ronald (Rhonda) Kerns; also survived by five grandchildren; brother of Patricia Brelsford and Joann (Paul) Shade; preceded in death by his parents Clarence and Marie Kerns and his brothers Eugene and Gregory.

Mr. Kerns retired from General Motors in 1993. He was a member of UAW local 653 and Masonic Lodge 21, Pontiac.

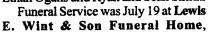
Friends may visit Thursday, 3-5 and 7-9 p.m., at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Clarkston. Funeral Mass, Friday, 10:30 a.m., St. Daniel Catholic Church, Clarkston, where friends may visit directly at the church 9:30 a.m. until time of mass. Interment Mt. Hope Catholic Cemetery, Pontiac.

Online guestbook www.wintfuneralhome.com.

Marion J. Smith, 80

Marion Joan Smith of Carson City, formerly of Clarkston, passed away July 12, 2011, at age 80.

She was the loving wife of Ervin for 59 years; beloved Mother of Ervin "Tom" (Mary Jo) Smith Jr. and Fern (Thomas) Ogans; proud grandmother of Ross and Ethan Ogans and Ryan and Sean Smith.



Clarkston, Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association or Avalon Hospice. Online guest book www.wintfuneralhome.com.



Helene Guella of Clarkston died July 15, 2011, at 71 years of age.

She was the loving wife of the late Richard, March 1, 2011; beloved mother of Theresa (Mark) Minnucci of Massachucetts and Jeffrey (Martha)

Guella of Lake Orion; beloved sister of Betty (Felix) Goldenson LeeAnn (Jim) Bilsky and Vivien (Conrad) Miller; special grandmother to Kelly and Justin Sullivan and Christian and Matthew Guella.

Mrs. Guella along with her husband owned and operated their own financial and insurance agency, Applied Benefit Strategies.

The family will receive friends Wednesday 2-5 and 7-9 p.m. with a Rosary service at 2 p.m. at Coats Funeral Home-Clarkston, 8909 Dixie Highway. In state Thursday, July 21, 9:30 a.m. at St. Daniel Catholic Church, 7010 Valley Park Dr., until the time of the funeral mass at 10:30 a.m. Memorial donations may be made to the Salesian Sisters of St. John Bosco.

To send a private condolence go www.CoatsFuneralHome.com/Obituaries.

David N. Verla, 64

David N. Verla, age 64, of Clarkston, died July 6, 2011. Memorial service was July 11 at the Dryer Funeral Home, Holly, with Pastor James Disbrow officiating. Military honors under the auspices of Hulet-Bravender Post 5587 VFW and Amel Schwartz Post 149 American Legion.

Mr. Verla was born in Detroit on Sept. 1, 1946, the son of Donald and Shirley (Drum) Verla. He was a veteran of the Vietnam War, proudly serving in the US Marine Corp. He was a loving husband and father.

Surviving are his wife Deborah; five children, Cary (Gregory) Smith of Holly, David N. Verla II of Royal Oak, Kimberly

(Terry) Vernon of Holly, Adrianne Verla of Chiba, Japan, and Shawn Verla of Clarkston; six grandchildren, Devon, Griffin, Hannah, Micayla, Abigail, and Isabella; mother Shirley Bucalo of Livonia; three sisters, Nancy Verla of Davison, Robin Bucalo of Dearborn, and Rebecca Evans of Fenton. He was preceded in death by his daughter Amanda, father Donald Verla, brother Shawn Bucalo, and sister Patti Jean

Online, www.dryerfuneralhomeholly.com.

Everett Phillips III, 61

Everett A. Phillips III of Waterford passed away July 11, 2011, in Santurce, Puerto Rico, at the age of 61.

He is survived by his wife of 36 years, Nancy (Cwengros) Phillips of Waterford; daughters Dana Phillips of Waterford and Elizabeth (Josh) Conwell of Colorado; grandchildren, Madylin and Ryder Conwell; sister Karen Phillips of Florida; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Mr. Phillips was born on July 13, 1949, in Chicago, Ill. He was a devoted father and husband and worked tirelessly to provide for his family. He took great pleasure in being a grandfather.

Everett was a loyal friend, brother and uncle. He was a very generous man and enjoyed hunting, golfing, fishing, and spending time with his family. He loved to visit Florida and spend time walking on the beach.

Funeral service was July 16 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Clarkston. Memorials may be made to the family. Online guestbook www.wintfuneralhome.com.

Strides kick-off, Aug. 9

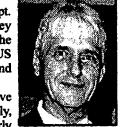
Making Strides Against Breast Cancer for Oakland County hosts a kick-off rally, Aug. 9.

'We are so excited to bring this nationally acclaimed walk to our community, said volunteer Event Chair Gabrielle Newton. "There is so much we can do for our neighbors, families, and companies through Making Strides Against Breast Cancer. Anyone can get involved and help our community fight back against breast cancer. Just give us a call and we will help you start a team."

The non-competitive walk is set for Oct. 1 at Independence Oaks County Park. Teams of walkers complete a 5K or 1 mile course, with activities before and after.

"The American Cancer Society uses the funds raised through Making Strides to fund research leading to the discovery of lifesaving treatments, advocate for all women to have access to mammograms and treatments - regardless of income - and to provide free programs and services that improve the quality of life for cancer patients and their families," said Holly Soranno of the American Cancer Society.

Making Strides Against Breast Cancer, founded in 1993, raises awareness and money to fight breast cancer. About 6 million walkers raised more than \$400 million so far. To reserve a seat at the kick-off event, call Holly Soranno at 248-663-3452. For more information about the Oakland County Making Strides event or to register to walk, visit www.cancer.org/stridesonline.







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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Decedent's Estate
Estate of BRIANA. CADY, DECEASED. Date of birth: 2/5/1936 TO ALL CREDITORS:

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, BRAIN A. CADY, DE-CEASED, who lived at 18455 Riverside Drive, Beverly Hill, s Michigan died May 2, 2011.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Georgianne Lane Cady, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at 1200 N. Telegraph Rd., Pontiac, Michigan 48341after the date of publication of this notice. ROBERT G. ISGRIGG, JR. P-24924

2745 Pontiac Lake Road terford, Michigan 48328

Georgianne Land Cady 18455 Riverside Drive Beverly Hills, Michigan 4025

PUBLIC NOTICE Charter Township of Springfield

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING **ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS AGENDA**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Zoning Board of Appeals of the Charter Township of Springfield will hold a Special meeting on Wednesday, August 3, 2011 beginning at 7:30 p.m. at the Springfield Township Civic Center, 12000 Davisburg Rd., Davisburg, Michigan for the following purpose: PUBLIC COMMENT:

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: June 15, 2011

Tabled from June 15, 2011 meeting: Request from Steven C. Reschak, 7501 Stonevalley Bluff Clarkston, MI 48348 to allow the construction of an accessory building resulting in a total accessory floor area greater than the 1200 square feet allowed per section 16.14 of the Zoning Ordi-

The property that is the subject of this request is located at 7501 Stonevalley Bluff, Clarkston in Springfield Township and is zoned R1, one family residential. P.I. # 07-13-453-008.

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

LAURA MOREAU, Clerk **Charter Township of Springfield**

Published: July 20, 2011

PUBLIC NOTICE CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON 375 DEPOT ROAD CLARKSTON MI 48348 NOMINATION PETITIONS NOVEMBER CITY ELECTION OFFICES OF CITY COUNCIL

Registered voters in the City of the Village of Clark-ston will be electing three (3) City Council Members for a two year term at an election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2011.

Nominating Petitions for the above-named positions are available from the City Clerk, 375 Depot Road, and are due to be completed and returned to the Clerk on or before 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 2, 2011. Petitions shall be signed by not less than twenty nor more than forty registered electors in the City of the Village of

PETITIONS RECEIVED AFTER 4:00 P.M. AUGUST 2, 2011 CANNOT BE ACCEPTED.

Also required is an Affidavit of Identity available

Note: Write-in candidates must file a Declaration Intent, available from the City Clerk no later than 4 00 p.m. on Friday, October 28, 2011.

Please call (248) 625-1559, if there are any ques

Kelly Richter City Clerk

Clarkston Rotary supports literacy

For months, Clarkston Rotarians have been bringing new books to their meetings on special occasions as well as collecting gently used books from sales and friends.

On July 12, Rotarian Jeff Lichty delivered 205 books to Linda Eastman, a member of the Rochester Rotary club and program coordinator for Reach Out and Read-Michigan.

Eastman and her husband, Dr. Jay Eastman, serve on the organization's Advisory Board. Doctors with Reach Out and Read-Michigan encourage early-literacy by offering advice, giving books to new parents, and providing fully stocked book carts in waiting rooms.

The books Clarkston Rotarians collected will be placed in pediatric offices in Oakland

For more information, attend a meeting the club meets every Monday at 6:30 p.m. at the Clarkston Community Education Center, 6558 Waldon Road, for dinner and a speaker. Check www.clarkstonrotary.org.



From left, Jeff Lichty, Linda Eastman, and Karen Lewis, president of Rochester Rotary, donate books to Reach Out and Read-Michigan. Photo provided



NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Town-ship of Springfield's Clerk's Office, 12000 Davisburg Rd., Davisburg, MI will be open on Saturday, July 30, 2011 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. for the purpose of receiving Absentee Ballot Applications and issuing Abentee Ballots for the August 2, 2011 Special General Election.

for the August Special General Election by mall must submit absent voter application by Saturday, July 30,

Monday, August 1, 2011 is last day for qualified ectors to obtain an absent voter ballot for the May Special primary and it must be voted in-person in the

For additional information, contact the Clerk's Office at (248) 846-6510.

Laura Moreau, Clerk Charter Township of Springfield

Published: July 20 & 27, 2011

INDEPENDENCE TWP. **SYNOPSIS**

TAKEN BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE **JULY 12, 2011**

- The Regular Meeting of the Charter Township of Independence Board was called to order at 7:39 PM at the Independence Township Hall
- Pledge of Allegiance.
- Roll Call: Present: Carson, Lohmeier, Pallotta, Rosso, Wallace
 - Absent: Petterson, Wagner There was a quorum present
- Approval to appoint Acting Chair.
- The Agenda was approved as presented.
- Public Forum None
- NEW BUSINESS:
- STATEMENTS AND CORRESPONDENCE: Regular meeting ADJOURNED at 9:55 PM.

Barbara A. Pallotta, CMC Township Clerk

Published: July 20, 2011

Around Town

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second, fourth Tuesday, 7-8:30 p.m., IndependenceTownship Library, 6495 Clarkston Road. 248-625-2212.

Creative Writing Workshop, Tuesdays, 9-10:30 a.m., through Aug. 16. Focuses on creativity in a no-pressure environment. Bring 8 1/2x11 notebook and pen. \$12. Senior Adult Activity Center. 248-625-8231.

Zumba, Tuesdays, Thursdays, 8-9 p.m.; Saturdays, 12-1 p.m. Clarkston Hot Yoga, 5678 Sashabaw Road. 248-620-7101.

Wednesday

Clarkston Area Optimist Club, 7:30-8:30 a.m., Wednesdays, Clarkston United Methodist Church, Fellowship Hall, 6600 Waldon Road. 248-622-6096.

Thursday

Clarkston Area Lions Club, second and fourth Thursday, 6:30-8 p.m., Carriage House, Clintonwood Park. 248-802-8603.

Local Business Network, Ortonville/Clarkston Chapter, first and third Thursdays meets, 7:45-8:45 a.m., Harvestland Ministries, 5848 Clintonville Road. 248-505-5091.

Local Business Network, Independence Township Chapter, 7:15 a.m., second and fourth Thursdays, North Oakland County Board of Realtors, 4400 W. Walton. Call Stacy Meagher, 248-241-6000.

Lunches for 50+, Thursdays, 12 p.m., madefrom-scratch. \$6 donation. Independence Township Adult Activities Center, 6000 Clarkston Road. Make reservation by Monday before, 248-625-8231.

Free General Support Group for any type of cancer and caregivers, fourth Thursdays, 2-3 p.m., Great Lakes Cancer Institute, 5680 Bow Pointe Drive. Walk-ins welcome. 248-922-

Saturday

Yoga for the fibromyalgia patient, 11:30 a.m., first Saturday. Taught by an instructor living with fibro. Support and community follows class; \$12 walk-in or purchase 10 visits for \$100 class card. Jewels Yoga and Fitness, 4612 Mountain View Trail, Clarkston, 248-390-9270.

Kid's Camp Yoga, Saturdays, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Clarkston Hot Yoga, 5678 Sashabaw Road. \$7, for ages 5-10. 248-620-7101.

Volunteer opportunities

Volunteering, Avalon Hospice, sit with patients, hold their hand, listen to stories, personal care, or just be there. Two hours a week or more. 800-664-6334; Oakland County Retired and Senior Volunteer Program, 248-559-1147; McLaren Hospice, not-for-profit, companionship-type to visit and provide emotional support for patients living with terminal illness, 248-320-0106. Retired and Senior Volunteer Program of Oakland County, 55+, opportunities at hospitals, cultural institutions, food pantries, schools. 248-559-1147 ext. 3427.

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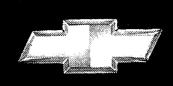
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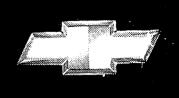
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