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TWENTY-FIVE CENTS

Novi officials propose bonds for fire needs



A proposal that Novi residents be asked to support a bond issue rather than additional millage for fire department improvements, a community center and local drain project is expected to be discussed by the Novi City Council Tuesday.

Council members were scheduled to meet after our deadline to discuss an administrative recommendation that the city seek voter approval to issue general obligation bonds for local improvements.

It was expected the council would be asked to approve placing the bonding question for the fire department on the August primary ballot. Additional questions for the community center and drain projects would be put before the voters in November, according to the proposal from the administration.

The council has already approved a ballot request for renewal of funding for improvements to the city fire department which amount to one mill for three years.

It has been estimated the city could expect to generate \$750,000 over the three years the millage would be levied, if the proposal is approved.

But the administration is recommending the council reconsider that action and ask the voters to approve a bond issue as an alternative.

The bond issue would equal the anticipated revenues from the millage.

Several factors were considered in reaching the recommendation to study the possibility of issuing bonds. Bonding would immediately provide money for the projects, while the city would have to accumulate the funds over three years in order to generate enough to proceed with some projects under the millage.

During those three years construction costs will continue to rise. The city would be better able to beat the construction cost spiral if it could begin the projects immediately.

Second consideration was one of equi-

Novi commemorates foreign war veterans

The men and women who served in defense of their country were honored with a parade and memorial services co-sponsored by the American Legion Post and the Novi Jaycees Monday. Although the lingering effects of a rain-dampened holiday weekend held down the crowd, a sizable number of residents turned out to watch the parade and observe in Memorial Day ceremonies at the old Novi Cemetery, the monument at the Novi Community Building and the Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens. Members of the Novi VFW Post placed a wreath in memory of fallen veterans on the monument at the Novi Community Building and the American Legion honored the fallen veterans in ceremonies at the Oakland Hills Cemetery. The Novi Rotary and Lions clubs served free ice cream to all parade participants at the Memorial Gardens at the end of the parade and memorial services.



City resolves dispute

Firm, decisive action by Novi City Manager Edward Kriewall has removed the obstacles to development on the west side of Novi Road in the regional center area.

Plans for the development of the West Oaks (Montgomery Ward) shopping center and a regional trade center had been momentarily jeopardized by a dispute among developers over the location of a proposed east-west road to service the developments.

Key figures in the dispute were Mike Ward, executive vice-president of Ramco-Gershenson which is developing the West Oaks shopping center, and Bill Bowman, owner of a 3.9 acre parcel immediately north of the 37-acre Ramco-Gershenson site.

Bowman had objected to plans to construct a portion of the east-west road across a corner of his parcel and asked that site plan approval of the Ramco-

Regional center plans clear hurdle

Gerhenson development be delayed until the location of the road could be officially determined.

The dispute was resolved by Kriewall at a special meeting of affected property owners on May 18.

Specifically, Kriewall announced that the road would be located as initially proposed by City Planning Consultant Charles Cairns of Villacian-Leman.

Kriewall told The News that the affected property owners had been given an opportunity to resolve the dispute among themselves. "It was simply a case where they were unable to resolve their differences and it became necessary for the city to step in," stated the city manager.

The dispute over the location of the east-west road posed a threat to the future of two proposed multi-million dollar developments in the regional center area on the west side of Novi Road — the West Oaks shopping center and the regional trade center.

The West Oaks center is proposed to include a Montgomery Ward store, a Services Merchandise Catalogue store, and 14-18 related retail outlets.

The regional trade center is proposed to include a major hotel, a four-story office building and a trade center assembly hall.

Kriewall's action in resolving the dispute over the location of the road will enable representatives of Ramco-Gershenson to renew their bid for site plan approval of the West Oaks center.

Ward appeared before the Novi Planning Board on May 2 and again on May 16 to request approval of the site plans for the West Oaks development.

Action on the request was tabled by the planners at both sessions pending resolution of the dispute over the location of the east-west road.

Ward is scheduled to appear before the planning board again tonight (Wednesday) with his request for site plan approval. With the question over the location of the road apparently out of the way, planners are expected to take action on the request.

Kriewall stated that the right-of-way for the east-west road will be obtained through condemnation proceedings. Affected property owners will be reimbursed according to the percentage of land taken from their parcels.

The city manager also reported that a special assessment district will be established in the regional center area to offset the cost of property acquisition and road construction. He indicated that City Assessor John Merrifield will be charged with the responsibility of preparing the special assessment district and determining the apportionment of costs.

ty. If a millage were levied the new facilities could be paid for in three years. Residents living in Novi during those three years and paying taxes for their construction may leave the community. While new residents moving into the area after the buildings were paid for would derive benefits from them without having contributed any tax dollars toward them.

Through bonding the cost of repaying the bonds would be spread over 15 years and the cost would be evenly divided among those who would be deriving benefits, the administration argues.

In addition, the roll back provision in the formula in the Headlee tax amendment does not allow the city to take full fiscal advantage of the growth of the tax base because of the manner in which taxes are tied to the inflation rate.

It is estimated that based on the average tax bill, homeowners pay between 30 to 35 cents per thousand dollars of assessed valuation for 15 years for the fire station portion of the proposal.

It also is proposed that community groups become involved with the community center. The community building proposal will be recommended to allow a committee to be formed to determine the size and scope of the center.

It will be recommended that the committee have 12 members and develop a plan on what should be built. It will probably cost between \$750,000 and \$1 million, though no actual costs have been determined.

The drain projects are necessary to get those projects moving again. The projects have been stalled while officials try to determine the effect of Headlee's amendment on the funding of drains.

Proposed is continuation of the Palanates drain project and a chapter 20 drain near Walled Lake.

Ditzhazy to address Novi grads Tuesday

The largest graduating class in the history of Novi High School will be the audience of Dr. Helen Ditzhazy's final speech as principal during commencement exercises at the high school football field Tuesday.

Dr. Ditzhazy is leaving the high school after six years to become administrative assistant for instruction with the Novi School District.

The 540 seniors will receive their diplomas June 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the football stadium. Baccalaureate services will be Sunday, June 3, at 1 p.m. in Fuent Auditorium.

School officials are expecting over 1,000 parents, friends and faculty members for the graduating ceremonies. The seniors have been allowed five tickets apiece if the ceremony is held outdoors, but only two family members can attend if it rains and is held in Fuent Auditorium because of seating limitations.

The baccalaureate address will be delivered by Pastor Thomas Martin of Orchard Hills Baptist Church in Novi. Pastor Roger Marlow of Living Lord Lutheran Church in Novi will give the invocation and benediction.

Baccalaureate music will be offered by the Novi High School Choir under the direction of Paula Joyner. The choir will perform "An Old Irish Blessing" by Dennis Agey and "Hallelujah" by Bach.

Much at the graduation will be performed by the Novi High School Symphonic Band under the direction of Craig Strain. The band will play "Suite from Superman" and "Searchin'" by Chicago, which is also the class song.

The symphonic band will also perform "Farefare and Processional" by Playbar as the graduation processional and recessional.

School board president Ruth Waldenmayer, assisted by other board members, will award the seniors their diplomas. Superintendent Gerald Kratz will deliver the farewell address.

The commencement invocation and benediction will be delivered by Father Leslie Harding of the Church of the Ho-

Free ads for youth

Looking for a summer job or a full-time one? Then here's an opportunity for college and high school students to make their needs known.

For two weeks, beginning June 6, Sliger Home Newspapers will publish free want ads for college and high school students seeking employment.

Only requirement for this special want ad feature is that the ad must be limited to 10 words.

The free ad will be run in both the June 6 and 13 editions of all Sliger Home Newspapers.

Besides assisting students, this free ad feature is a great opportunity for employers to find those persons they need for employment. Look for it in the classified section June 6 and 13.

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Novi slates meeting on assessment plans

Novi residents are invited to attend an informational meeting that will be held to explain the city-wide property reappraisal which currently is in progress.

The meeting will be held in the city council chambers at the Novi Public Library on Tuesday, June 5 at 8 p.m. Residents will learn the purpose of the reappraisal and how it will be conducted.

A city employee will be visiting 3,500 homes in Novi this summer to assess

the value of the property. Information the employee will be looking for includes the price comparable pieces of property are selling for, how much it would take to replace the property, and how much it takes to operate or keep the property in repair.

The employee also will be looking for any depreciation or income generated by the property.

To determine the value, the appraiser will measure the house and look for components which will increase or decrease the value of the property.

The appraiser will be looking for new construction which will increase the value of home and for defects which may decrease its value.

The assessment figured by the assessor represents 50 percent of the market value of the home.

This assessed value is applied to the tax rate set by the local governing agencies to determine the homeowner's tax bill.

Any questions concerning the assessment process will be answered at the meetings. It was originally planned for members of local subdivisions. Four homeowners' groups responded to the city's offer to explain the reappraisal.

Homeowners from Connemara, North Hills, Meadowbrook Lake and Meadowbrook Glens subdivisions have indicated interest in attending the meetings.

The session also is open to any other interested homeowners in the community. The assessors office has indicated additional meetings can be scheduled if there is sufficient community interest.

Local squadron joins exercises

Civil Air Patrol (CAP) cadets attached to the sixgate Squadron recently participated in flight activities sponsored by CAP Royal Oak Group XI.

As part of the CAP aerospace program the cadets made pre-flight safety inspections of aircraft, learned the purpose of aircraft instruments while in actual flight and performed aircraft maneuvers under senior member pilot supervision.

Sixgate Squadron cadets attending the program were David Fisher, Duncan Harding and Art Tyde. Membership in the cadet program is open to those 13 to 17 years old, while the senior program includes those 18 years and older.

The newest local unit of the CAP, the Sixgate Squadron meets each Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Novi Middle School South.



Members of the Novi Rotary Club pose with their Pakistani visitors outside of the Church of the Holy Family on Meadowbrook Road

Cultural exchange program

Rotary hosts Pakistani visitors

People from Pakistan don't live in trees. And a lot of them even drive automobiles.

Those revelations were part of the message imparted recently by a group of six "ambassadors" from Pakistan who were guests of the Novi Rotary Club.

Their visit to Novi and the United States was sponsored by the Rotary Foundation in conjunction with a group study exchange program designed to provide outstanding young business and professional men an opportunity to further international understanding.

Bilal Raschid, leader of the group that toured Novi and sections of southeastern Michigan, emphasized that the group was not comprised of the average Pakistani citizen.

"Rotary hopes that the men selected to participate in the exchange will become our leaders of tomorrow," he stated. "The whole idea is to promote international understanding and eliminate unfounded prejudices by actually traveling to a country and meeting its people."

"Hopefully, exchange programs such as this will produce a world without war in several generations."

The "ambassadors" who visited Novi recently provided ample testimony to Bilal's assertion that they are not the "average men" of Pakistan.

For example, Dr. Tahir Hussain is a college professor. Mohammed Mujib-ur-Rahman is in charge of engineering activities of the Lever Brothers (Pakistan) Ltd., at Rahimyar Kahn.

Other members of the group included Syed Mohammed Feroze, Sadiq (a mechanical assessment scientist), Adam Sadrudin (a chartered accountant) and Mohammad Siddiq Zaki (a college economics professor).

An important part of the exchange program is the interaction between the distinguished visitors and their American hosts. All the members of the group from Pakistan live in the homes of Rotary members during their stay in the United States.

While in Novi, for example, two of the men stayed in the home of Wayne Bullen, an officer in the Michigan State Police; two lived with Novi School Superintendent Gerald Kratz; and two lived with former School Board Trustee Ray Warren.

Members of the group reported that their most pleasant surprise United States was the friendliness of the people.

Pervez said that the general impression of Americans is that they are very busy and very self-centered. They're so wrapped up in their jobs and lives that they only have time for themselves.

He added, however, that the trip has helped to eliminate that impression. Most of the men commented that they were surprised at the friendliness of the American people.

"The people we've met have gone out of their way to be pleasant and make us feel at home," commented Mujib. "Our host families even washed our clothes for us."

The group was also surprised at having been able to meet Governor William Milliken. Such a thing would be very unlikely in their own country, they stated.

The men also were impressed with the fact that Joe Hamilton, president of the Novi Rotary, took three days off from work to devote all his time to them during their stay in the Novi area.

Additionally, the men were impressed to find Americans are very interested in Pakistan.

"They want to know what role America plays in Pakistan," noted Aslam. "They ask us about our culture, the role of women in the Pakistani culture and our Islamic religion."

"The exchange has been very rewarding because we've learned a lot about America and American people and they've learned a lot about Pakistan and our people."

Aslam said the group also has been very impressed with the punctuality exhibited by Americans.

"If I had an appointment with an American and he was late, I think I would believe that my watch was broken," he noted with a laugh.

Other members of the group commented on the size and beauty of America, the American preoccupation with gadgetry and the quality of American industrial operations.

Members of the group said their most negative impression of Americans involved the treatment of senior citizens.

"You just put your old people in homes and don't pay much attention to them," commented Zaki. "That would never happen in Pakistan where our old people hold positions of honor."

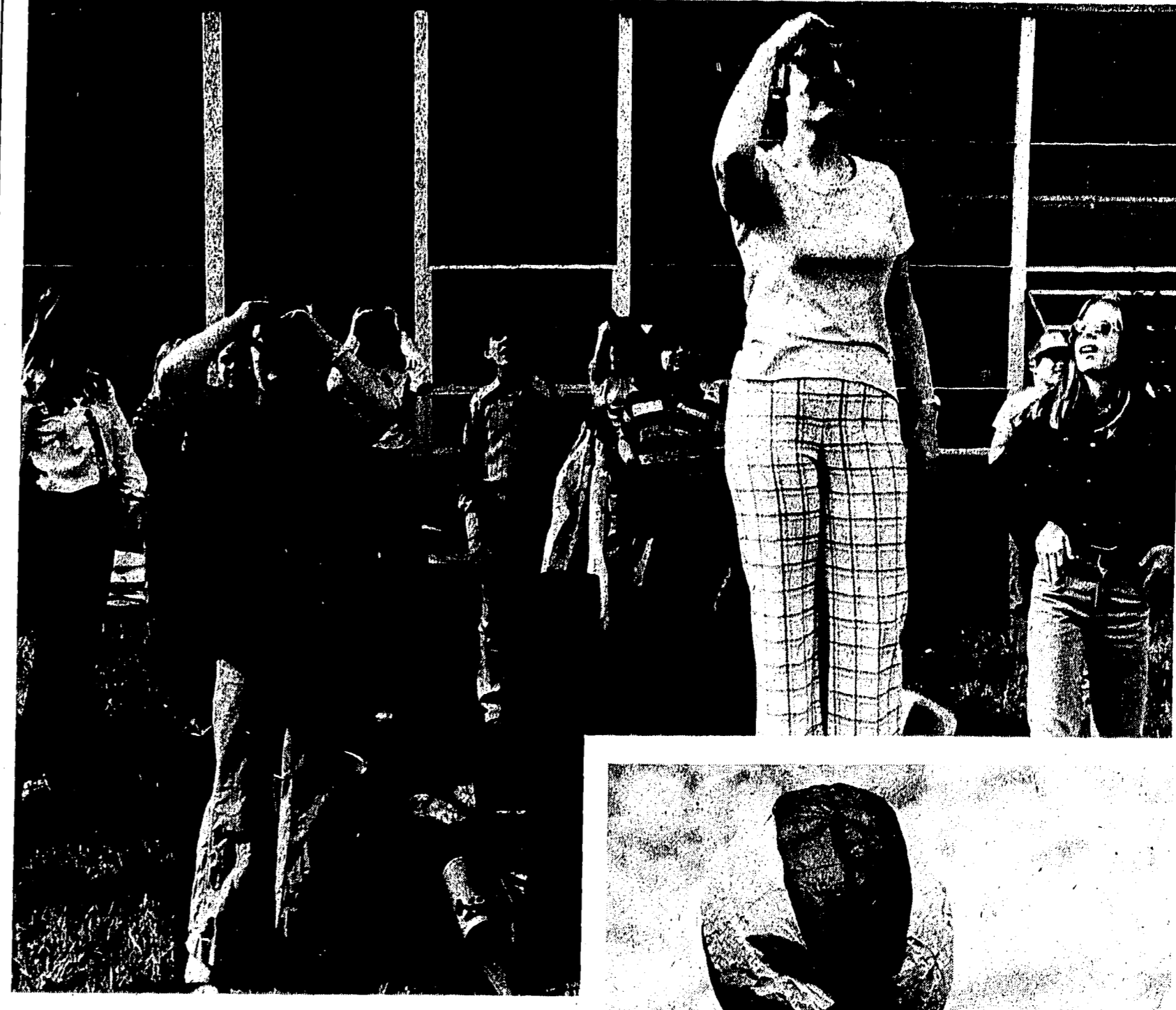
Another member of the group reported that it is not unusual to have three or four generations living under the same roof. "It's why we don't have a generation gap in Pakistan," he suggested.

The Pakistani visitors will spend a total of four weeks in southern Ontario and southeastern Michigan, doing just what they did in Novi — meet people, talk to people, share ideas, gain an understanding of what America and Americans are truly all about.

The Rotary Foundation will sponsor a similar trip of Americans to Pakistan later this year.

"There is so much we don't know about your country and you don't know about our country," said Bilal.

"A program like this will help the people of our countries get to know each other better. Hopefully, it will lead to a better world tomorrow."



Decker pupils launch hot-air balloons

Students at Decker Elementary School combined the arts and sciences to finalize a unit on earth gases with the launching of homemade hot air balloons.

The school yard was a mass of activity recently as 16 of the tissue paper balloons were launched to the whim of the winds. To cheers and applause, moans and groans, the children and their teachers watched the brightly colored objects either float towards the treetops or crash to the ground. Fashioned of lightweight paper, the five-foot high panels were shaped and glued together. Using a camp stove outfitted with a funnel to direct the heat, the balloons were held until the internal air heated sufficiently to afford a lift-off. Although the flights were short-lived, the students appeared to enjoy their hands-on experience with the beginning stages of aerodynamics.



ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS WAYNE, OAKLAND AND WASHTENAW COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD JUNE 11, 1979

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 11, 1979 in the school district.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.

At the Annual School Election there will be elected two (2) members to the Board of Education of the district for full terms of four (4) years ending in 1982.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

David R. Liawolyn
Gerald W. Munro
Douglas A. Whitaker

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Regular Biennial Election of Schoolcraft Community College District, Michigan, will be at the same time and the same voting places as the annual school election on Monday, June 11, 1979, and will be conducted by the same Schoolcraft Community College District Trustees at large residing in this school district.

At the Regular Biennial Election there will be elected two (2) members for the office of the Community College District Trustee at large for full terms of six (6) years ending June 30, 1985, and one (1) member for the office of Community College District Trustee at large for a term of two (2) years ending June 30, 1981.

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the following propositions will be voted upon by the registered school electors of this school district at the annual school election to be held on Monday, June 11, 1979, which propositions were set forth in a resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of Schoolcraft Community College District, Michigan, on April 4, 1979, to wit:

Proposal No. 1
Schoolcraft College Culinary Arts Addition

In addition to existing authorizations, shall the Board of Trustees of Schoolcraft Community College District, Michigan, be authorized to levy fifty cents per \$1,000 (one-half mill per dollar) of State Equalized Valuation of all taxable property of the College District for 1 year, the year 1979, for constructing and equipping a Culinary Arts Addition and site improvements on the community college campus?

Proposal No. 2
Schoolcraft College Improvement and Maintenance Tax Levy Proposal

In addition to existing authorizations, shall the Board of Trustees of Schoolcraft Community College District, Michigan, be authorized to levy fifty cents per \$1,000 (one-half mill per dollar) of State Equalized Valuation of all taxable property of the College District for 1 year, the year 1979, for remodeling, equipping and re-equipping existing buildings, site improvements and major maintenance expenditures?

THE VOTING PLACES ARE AS FOLLOWS

PRECINCT NO. 1
Voting Place — Board of Education Offices, 303 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan

PRECINCT NO. 2
Voting Place — Silver Springs School, 19801 Silver Springs, Northville, Michigan

PRECINCT NO. 3
Voting Place — Winchester School, 1841 Winchester, Northville, Michigan

PRECINCT NO. 4
Voting Place — Amerman School, 847 North Center Street, Northville, Michigan

PRECINCT NO. 5
Voting Place — Board of Education Offices, 303 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan

PRECINCT NO. 6
Voting Place — Moraine School, 4881 West Eight Mile Road, Northville, Michigan

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

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Wixom okays payment for Chambers parcel

A down payment of \$10,330 was approved last week by the Wixom City Council for the purchase of a one-acre parcel of land located immediately west of the municipal complex.

Last month the council authorized the purchase of the site for \$50,000 from Lettie E. Chambers, a long-time Wixom resident who served as a member of the first village council and the first city council.

City officials have indicated that they will use the one-acre lot for possible expansion of the municipal complex, including an access driveway for the police department and a garage for the storage of police and DPW vehicles.

Under terms of the purchase agreement, the city made a \$10,000 down payment for the property to Mrs. Chambers, who has moved to Minnesota. The balance of the purchase price will be handled under a five-year land contract at eight percent interest that calls for the city to make a minimum monthly payment of \$400.

The municipal complex property was purchased from Mrs. Chambers, who indicated that she would sell the one-acre lot to the city when she was ready to move.

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Wixom council vetoes proposal to create EDC

The Wixom City Council last week rejected an application from three local developers to establish an economic development corporation (EDC).

Following a public hearing May 22, City Attorney Harold Bulgarelli recommended that the council should reject the EDC application filed by Forrest S. Hubbel, H. Ray Petty and Sharon L. Camisa. The developers had planned to apply for government-issued revenue bonds to help finance a proposed motel-restaurant-bar complex on the northwest corner of Grand River Avenue and South Wixom Road.

Bulgarelli said he was "not too happy" with the proposed articles of incorporation the three petitioners filed with the city. He noted that the developers requested establishment of an EDC by city ordinance instead of by council resolution as provided under amendments to the state EDC law that took effect last fall.

The attorney also said that the petitioners stated a number of reasons in favor of the incorporation of a local EDC in the proposed articles of incorporation that he doesn't feel are allowed under state law.

Following the attorney's recommendation that the EDC application should be rejected, the council formally denied that petition.

City officials also have expressed concern over the proposed creation of a local EDC since Oakland County Executive Daniel T. Murphy has appointed a task force to study the feasibility of establishing a county-wide development corporation. The task force report is expected to be released early next month.

Mayor Assistant Stephen Bonczek has said that, while he generally favors the EDC concept, he is concerned that the city may not have enough personnel and expertise to administer a development corporation.

If the county creates an EDC, the agency would be able to accept financing applications from property owners and developers in communities that don't have a local development group. Bonczek noted, however, that local units of government still would retain control over specific EDC projects in their community, if the county creates a development corporation.

Under the state EDC law passed in 1974, counties and municipalities may create development corporations to help encourage industrial and commercial development and keep jobs in Michigan.

The EDC may issue government-backed revenue bonds to help finance a project. Since lending institutions don't have to pay income tax on the interest earned from the loan, they usually can offer an interest rate of two to two-and-a-half percent less than conventional financing.

Even though EDC financing is handled through the sale of government-issued bonds, units of government are not responsible for retiring the bonds, and the issuance of the bonds does not affect the government's credit rating or ability to borrow. Approval of an EDC project does not include property tax abatement, either.

Walled Lake has an EDC that was created last year. So far, the only application for bonds has been filed by the developers of the proposed Walled Lake Commons Kmart store.

Novi city officials have scheduled a meeting next month to discuss the possibility of creating an EDC.

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WALLED LAKE

Page 4-A THE NOVI WALLED LAKE NEWS Wednesday, May 30, 1979

Garbage fee proposed for Wixom homes

Wixom homeowners will have to pay a new annual garbage collection fee as of July 1 under an ordinance the city council last week directed City Attorney Harold Bulgarelli to prepare.

Railroad plans tube to separate trains

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company (C&O) plans to install a new device near its Wixom switching yard in an effort to reduce the amount of time the Beck Road crossing is blocked by trains and to speed up "break time" for separating rail cars blocking the road.



Anthem brings tears Margaret Paluszczak sang our national anthem at Monday's Memorial Day ceremonies in Walled Lake and (below) wiped away a tear as America honored members of the armed forces who served their country in four wars from World War I to the Vietnam conflict.



Millage committee fined \$300

A fine of \$300 will be assessed against a Walled Lake Schools election publicity committee by the Oakland County Elections Division for violation of state election laws.

Free ads for students

Looking for a summer job or a full time one? Then here's an opportunity for college and high school students to make their needs known.

Michigan Week program

Novi students learn all about mall management

In an effort to learn different aspects of working in a suburban mall, 90 Novi High School students last week got an inside view of how Twelve Oaks Mall and 13 of the 170 stores in it are run.



Twelve Oaks Security Officer Janet Rodocker talks with Sharon Szeles, Sherry Folsom, Karen Bannatz, Debi Place and Michelle Carter

management, and said they would go again next year, if the visit is offered. Following the mall visit, Ms. Baird said the majority opinion of the students involved was very positive.

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If millage passes

School board says it won't levy 'extra' 1.41 mills

A 1.41-mill tax that may be available for the Walled Lake Board of Education to use this year will not be levied, if school district voters approve a four-mills tax like at the June 11 election, the board said last week.

June 11 election calling for an increase in operational millage for a one-year period is not confused by unfounded, misleading and inaccurate statements relative to board intent and integrity, it is hereby resolved that the board of education, consistent with statements previously made in public meetings, will not levy the authorized 1.41-mills allocated.

The extra millage may be available to the district as a result of the approval last August of a county-wide fixed tax allocation proposal. Under that plan, the maximum county tax rate was increased from 15 to 16.46 mills, while the tax allocation board that divided the county's unvoted levy was eliminated in favor of a fixed limit county millage rate for the intermediate schools, townships, the county and the county's share to local school districts.

Since the Walled Lake district has not levied the 1.41 mills in the past, there is some question as to whether it can be imposed now because the Headlee amendment requires voter approval to increase some tax rates. The Michigan legislature is still working on bills designed to implement the new tax limitation provision.

The Walled Lake Board's resolution imposes the restriction on levying the extra millage for the 1979-80 school year only, which is the same effective date for the proposed four-mills tax hike that voters will decide next month.

Board members decided not to levy the 1.41 mills before an April 30 special millage election. That proposal also provided for a four-mills tax increase for one year; it was defeated by a margin of more than two-to-one. Prior to the April vote, board members said they wouldn't levy the 1.41 mills because county voters may not have understood the fixed allocation proposal. School officials also said they would prefer to ask voters for a tax increase instead of taking that action upon themselves.

Village council reviews budget

The Wolverine Lake Village Council discussed its tentative 1979-80 budget last Wednesday and made no major changes.

The biggest revision made during the special council meeting was a sizeable reduction in the village's contingency fund, leaving only \$703 in emergency monies. Originally, a figure of \$7,476 had been proposed.

Expenditures in the still-tentative budget also underwent a shift, as some \$9,000 was cut from administration expenditures. Those funds were subsequently divided among the police department, department of public works (DPW) and the building department.

Administration funds, on the other hand, were increased slightly as a total of \$47,800 was suggested for the salaries of the village administrator, clerk and treasurer. A decision on how that money will be divided for salaries will be discussed at the next budget meeting to be held June 6 at the village offices.

Among other subjects, a discussion also will be held on possible uses for some \$25,000 in federal revenue sharing

and anti-recession funds at the June 6 meeting.

It has been suggested by residents and council members that some of the federal funds should be allocated for a new police car, \$5,600; local road funds, \$3,600; the Wolverine Lake Aquatic Testing and Ecological Restoration (WATER) Team, \$2,500; parks and recreation expenditures, \$2,000; a steam cleaner, also \$2,000; a base station for the department of public works, \$1,000; a typewriter \$80; carpenter for the police department, \$500; and a fence and lake level pump, also \$500.

In addition to the proposed rates for city administrators, police salaries are also expected to rise. A total of \$135,634 has been suggested in police funds, an increase of some \$17,000 over last year's figure.

On the revenue side of the ledger, the proposed budget projects income of \$247,536 in real property taxes, up from \$209,880 last year. The village's tax rate will remain at eight mills, or \$8 for each \$1,000 SEV.

Other anticipated revenues include a total of some \$147,000 from various state funds, an increase of about \$12,000

from last year, and \$2,500 in federal anti-recession and Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) monies.

Last year, \$40,500 was granted in CETA funds. However, this year the program is being phased out and those employees are being incorporated into

the regular budget. The original proposed general fund budget of \$459,711 was presented to the council at its regular meeting May 9. Projected revenues and expenditures total some \$14,000 more than the financial plan adopted by the council a year ago.

OBITUARIES

ALTON ADAMS Funeral services for Alton W. Adams of Pontiac were held Tuesday at the Richardson, Bird and Lynch Funeral Home, Walled Lake. Reverend Lloyd Christler officiated. Interment followed in Wixom Cemetery.

F & AM, and a member of Farmington Lodge No. 1266. He leaves his second wife, Viola Conway; a son, Gerald C.; three grandchildren, Mrs. Angie Fishel, Glen and Craig; and two great-grandchildren, Michael and Shawn.

Mr. Adams died at his home May 25. Born September 9, 1930 in Michigan, he is survived by his parents, Alton M. and Violet (Burlingame) Adams of Walled Lake.

Other survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Allan (Denise) Adams of Millford; he also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Paul (Barbara) Shepard of Florida and Mrs. Michael (Joan) Tierney of Shelby and one grandchild.

A resident of Pontiac for 12 years, he was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles 1942 of Pontiac.

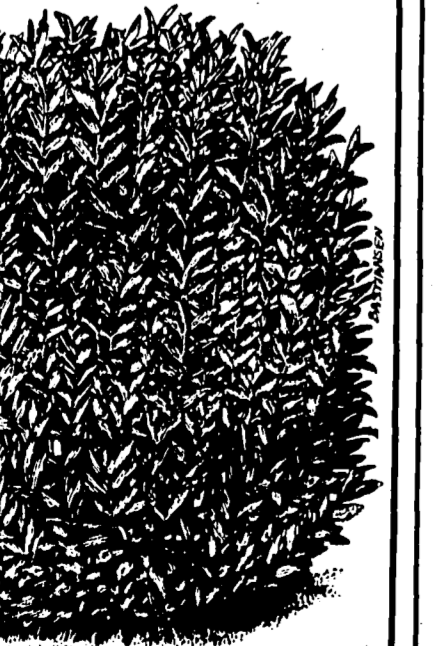
Funeral services were conducted at the Richardson, Bird and Lynch Funeral Home, Walled Lake, Tuesday, with Reverend Alexander T. Stewart officiating.

CLARE J. GRACE Funeral service for Clare J. Grace, 86, of 18770 Valencia was held at 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Ross B. Northrop and Son Funeral Home in Northville. The Reverend John Mishler of First Presbyterian Church of Northville officiated.

Interment was to be in Grand Lawn Cemetery. A resident of the community since 1960, Mr. Grace was a retired sales agent for Northville Sand and Gravel Company. He died May 26 at White Hall Convalescent Center.

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Novi police recruits

City Clerk Geraldine Stipp, Mayor Romaine Roethel and Police Chief Lee BeGole (far right) extend congratulations to three new police officers who were officially sworn in during ceremonies last week. The officers are (left to right) Diane MacGregor, James Shaw and Timothy McNamara. The Novi Police Department has a total of 29 sworn officers with 15 officers assigned to the road patrol. (Staff photo by Dave Turnley)

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Planners delay condos for engineer's okay

Completion of the Lake Village Townhouses was set back somewhat by the Walled Lake Plan Commission meeting, as the panel decided not to issue building permits for the project until it receives approval from engineering consultants Johnson and Anderson.

The commission did, however, approve a landscape plan for the proposed 228-unit project with the revision of the revised height on the shrubbery, along with a proposed screen wall between two buildings.

The townhouses are located on the corner of Decker Road and Fourteen Mile.

Murray Nadler, representing Lake Village for Pulte Homes, Incorporated, said his organization had encountered difficulty receiving approval from Johnson and Anderson.

Nadler requested permission to divide the plan into two phases in order to get building permits for a portion of the development. Even though problems could arise with drainage in the northwest corner of the project, Nadler said that buildings 16 through 21 drain to the existing retention pond and would not be affected by any problems.

Guarantee minimum pay

Employers must guarantee that waiters and waitresses earn at least the minimum wage of \$2.90 an hour, State Labor Director Pat Babcock said. Employers can only deduct a maximum of 25 percent from the minimum wage of waiters' or waitresses' earnings for tips and room and board. But workers must be advised wages will be reduced because of these allowances.

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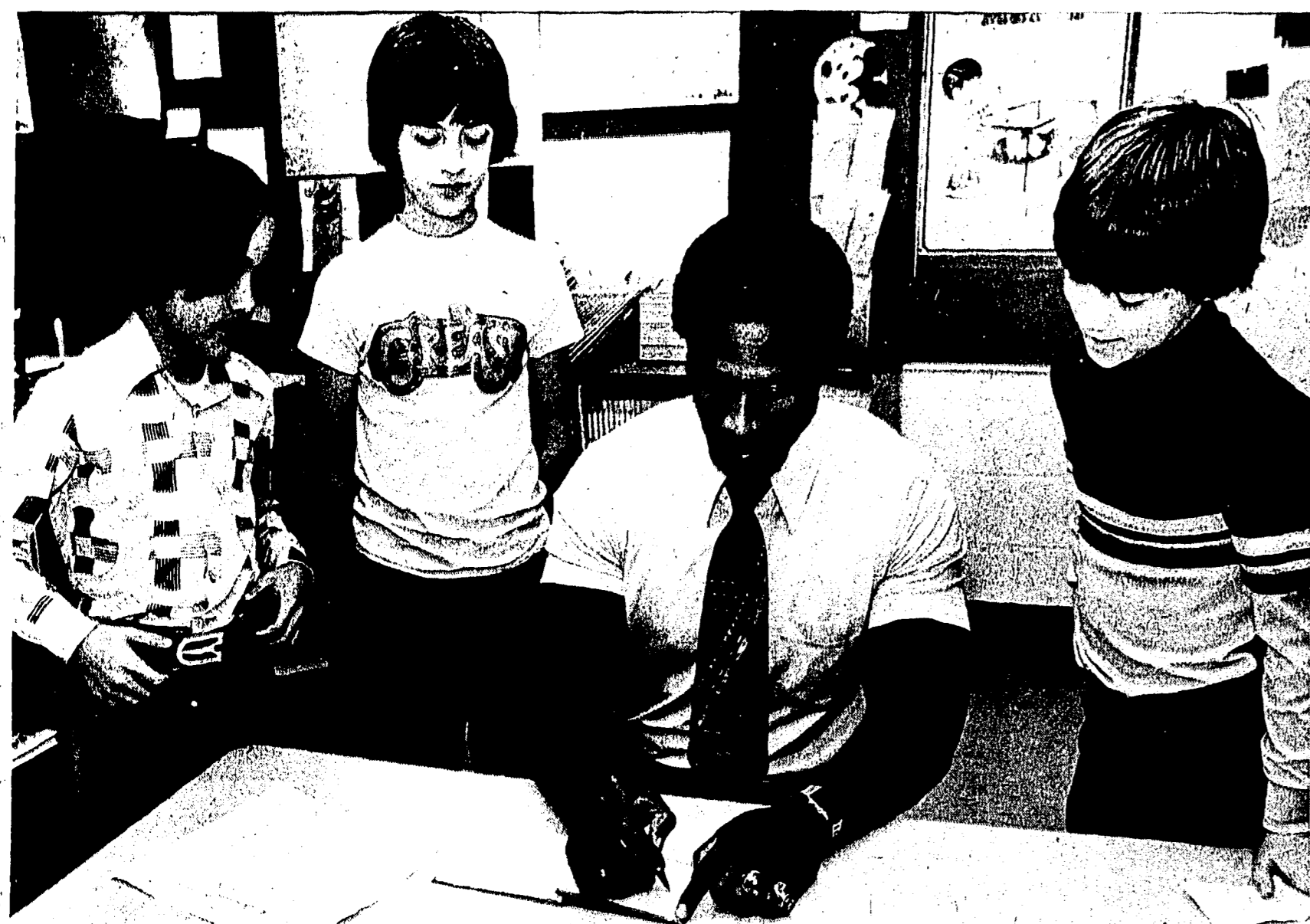
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Novi's Brian Kewak, Todd Harrington and Terry Doyle flank former Michigan linebacker Calvin O'Neal

Sports project success in Novi

It was a case of four "gifted and talented" people interviewing another. Four fourth-graders from Novi's Orchard Hills School recently met with their reading teacher, Mrs. Wendy Gould, and decided on a special sports project. It was decided that the children — Todd Harrington, Jason Halpin, Brian Kowak and Terry Doyle — would interview athletes "that we liked best," according to their report.

After interviewing high school athletes, the boys got a chance to talk to a genuine professional — Calvin O'Neal, a Baltimore Colt linebacker who lives in Ann Arbor.

And typically, the most notable aspect of the meeting for the awestruck boys was that "Mr. O'Neal's handshake was frightening."

That memorable experience for the boys was due largely to a nation-wide program referred to as "gifted and

talented." Under the gifted and talented program, some children are referred and then tested for many qualities, including: general intellectual ability; specific academic aptitude; creative or productive thinking; leadership ability; ability in visual or performing arts; and psychomotor ability.

After the child's teacher fills out a checklist with these items, the student then goes through a screening process to determine qualification for the program.

"Some of the kids stand out," said Ann Prime, who is connected with the Orchard Hills project. "They're a struck boys was that 'Mr. O'Neal's handshake was frightening.'"

Funding for the program comes from local school districts at present, with no federal or state monies available yet.

However, program officials are hoping that soon will change.

Ms. Prime, who cited "district-wide concern" for the program, said that gifted and talented programs also are taking place in the Village Oaks and Novi Woods schools, along with Novi Middle School North.

Just last month, a position statement endorsing special education opportunities for gifted and talented students was adopted by the Walled Lake Board of Education.

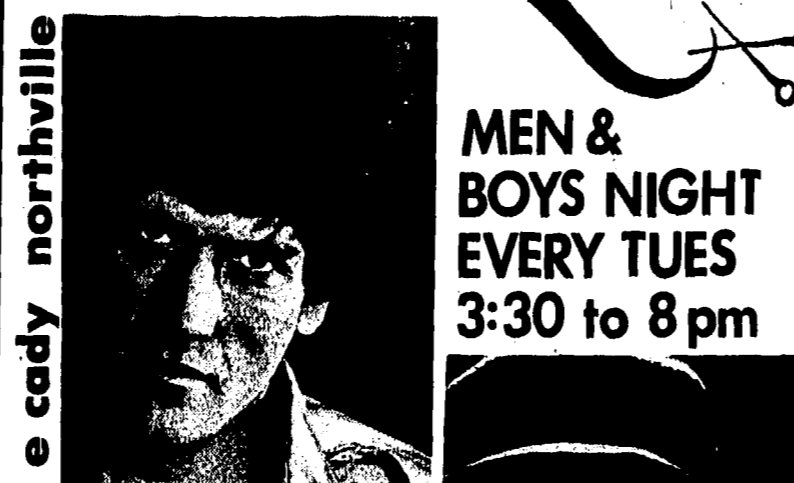
CORRECTION

An incorrect camera has been pictured in Northville Camera's Grand Opening tab, included in this issue.

On page 2, the Chionon Movie Package should have shown the Chionon 507 Dart Movie Camera.

The most notable aspect of the meeting: 'Mr. O'Neal's handshake was frightening'

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Wixom council adopts new budget of \$1.5 million

A 1979-80 budget of almost \$1.5 million was adopted last week by the Wixom City Council.

The new spending plan, which takes effect July 1, is some eight-percent more than the budget approved a year ago. The current budget has been revised by the council to a figure of \$1,510,975, or some \$12,000 more than the \$1,499,191 plan okayed May 22.

The council last week also passed a resolution setting Wixom's general fund tax rate at 6.83 mills (\$6.83 for each \$1,000 of state equalized valuation), the same amount levied last year, to help pay for city operations. The city's 1979 SEV is \$108,707,550.

Resolutions setting tax rates for the building authority and sewer funds also were adopted last week by the council.

The sewer fund levy was established at 2.6 mills, while the building debt tax was reduced from .34 mill last year to three-tenths of a mill for the upcoming fiscal period.

The total city tax rate for all three accounts is 9.73 mills, or \$9.73 for each \$1,000 of SEV.

No one addressed the council at last week's public hearings on the budget

and a proposed federal revenue sharing plan.

The only change made in the proposed budget by the council last week was the addition of \$600 to the city attorney's retainer. Councilman Val Vanglerson suggested the seven-percent hike in the attorney's fee for a total of \$9,100.

A major difference between the current

budget and the new plan is the elimination of rubbish collection as a city-funded service in favor of a new "user" fee (see related story on Walled Lake Page One).

More than half of the city's anticipated revenues, a total of \$814,345, will be generated by the general tax and building authority levies, collection fees, excess tax roll, and penalty and interest payments. State revenues will bring in another \$323,800, city officials project, mainly in the form of state reimbursement for inventory taxes that were eliminated in the 1975 single business tax (\$187,400) and state shared revenue (\$73,400).

The remaining \$360,499 in anticipated revenues comes from services, fines, investments and miscellaneous sources, including some \$250,000 in federal revenue sharing funds. With the new federal funds, Wixom has some \$294,000 in that account.

Mayor Lillian Spencer submitted a proposed federal revenue sharing plan to the council that calls for the following conditions:

- \$134,000 for roads and transportation, including the resurfacing of Potter Road, straightening Beck Road and other traffic control supplies.
- \$46,000 for fire department truck and equipment purchases.
- \$24,500 for the police department to cover vehicle purchase, vehicle maintenance and law enforcement supplies.
- \$20,000 as the city's share of a drain improvement project for facilities along the C&O Railroad tracks between Beck and Wixom roads.
- \$12,300 for parks and recreation uses, including development of the North Wixom City Park and supplies and maintenance of equipment.
- \$10,000 to pay for street lighting.
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high school marching bands, participated in the Novi and Walled Lake parades. One of the participants in the Novi parade (above) was Solomea Cleveland, who donned her ballet tights and patriotically waved an American flag.

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Garbage fee proposed

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the fee, which would be established by council resolution.

The fee would be set by resolution, Bonczek explained, so it may be changed each year based on the city's cost without having to amend the ordinance. Penalties and interest charges also could be assessed against homeowners who do not pay the fee or inform the city that they will handle the service themselves, the mayor's assistant added, but, unlike a tax levy, a lien cannot be placed on the property if the bill isn't paid.

Bulgarelli said that adoption of a collection fee ordinance would allow the city to exclude from the contract "business, commercial and industrial plants because of the volume and nature of their garbage and rubbish. There is also the possibility of excluding apartments from this method because of their storing garbage in dumpsters."

Wixom has had a problem paying the cost of providing the service to apartment complexes. At present, the city provides rubbish removal service for the Indian Lodge apartments on Pontiac Trail. Starting July 1, though, the service was supposed to be extended to the 160-unit Village Apartments, also on Pontiac Trail, and Bonczek noted

that the city would have almost 2,300 apartment units by the end of the 1979-80 fiscal year.

Bonczek told the council last week that the owners of Bloomfield Disposal have indicated that they still would be interested in serving Wixom under the collection fee set-up.

The firm has offered a bid of \$38,400 for single-family residential units only, according to the mayor's assistant, which figures out to about \$38-per-home per year.

He suggested that an administrative charge could be added to the fee in order to cover non-payment of the bill by some residents. Bulgarelli, referring to his own 72-year garbage bill, could be \$40 a year, including the administrative charge. By placing the fee on the summer tax bill for the next year, he added that service could be stopped for property owners who don't pay.

While some council members lamented the fact that the city was taking away a service, they agreed that there was little choice other than a tax increase or using a portion of the fund balance that usually is saved in case of emergencies.

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Meetings set on millage

With the upcoming June 11 millage election less than two weeks away, a citizens' committee has set up a series of public forums to discuss the financial situation of the Walled Lake School District.

- A total of six forums have been scheduled by the committee. Forums will be held in the following locations:
 - Maple Elementary School on Thursday (May 31) at 7:30 p.m.
 - Loon Lake Elementary on Monday, June 4, at 7:30 p.m.
 - Union Lake Elementary on Monday, June 4, at 8 p.m.
 - Walled Lake Western High School on Monday, June 4, at 8 p.m.
 - Keith Elementary on Tuesday, June 5, at 7:30 p.m.
 - Dublin Elementary on Wednesday, June 6, at 7:30 p.m.

Members of the school board, school administration and citizens' committee will be on hand to present information regarding the schools' financial status and the need for four additional mills to continue operations at current levels during the 1979-80 school year. Interested individuals who attend the sessions will have an opportunity to address questions to panel members.

The series of public forums is part of the strategy to win support for the four mill proposal which will appear in the ballot in the regular school election June 11.

School officials report that the four mill increase will produce revenues of approximately \$1.7 million which are needed to offset a projected deficit.

The four mill proposal was overwhelmingly defeated by the voters in a special election on April 30.

The school board subsequently decided to take the same four mill proposal back to the voters in the June 11 election. Specifically, the proposal states that the four mills, if approved by the voters, will be levied for one year.

At the end of the 1979-80 school year, it would be necessary for voters to again approve the four mill proposal before it could be levied for the 1980-81 school year.

School officials have already adopted plans to offset the projected \$1.7 million deficit if the millage proposal is defeated again on June 11. Specifically, the board has issued termination notices to some 42 teachers and effected additional budget cuts totalling the \$1.7 million.

Members of the citizens' committee state that information regarding additional forums and home coffers may be obtained by calling any of the elementary schools.

State studies doctor supply

Legislation aimed at bolstering the state's supply of doctors has been introduced in the Michigan State Senate by State Senator Donald Bishop (R-Rochester).

The Bishop bill would accomplish this goal by offering graduates of Michigan medical schools the choice of practicing medicine in this state for a period of four years or reimbursing the state the amount of \$8,000 for state-supported costs of their education.

"The purpose of this legislation is clearly to encourage graduating medical students to remain in Michigan to practice medicine," said Bishop.

"It is my belief that the taxpayers of this state are being required to make an investment in the education of medical students and have a right to expect a return on this investment. The justification for this right is even more evident when you consider that there are areas of our state which are crucially lacking adequate medical personnel."

"We have tried the incentive method whereby portions of medical students' loans are forgiven for remaining in Michigan, but this program is just not proving adequate," he added.

Bishop said he would expect most graduating seniors who are Michigan residents to elect the first alternative of practicing medicine in their home state rather than reimbursing the state for the education. For out-of-state medical students the choice might be more difficult, Bishop acknowledged, but he said he believes these students, if they are not interested in serving in Michigan, should be required to reimburse the taxpayers who supported their education.

Under the first alternative provided in the measure, the student would be allowed to choose from a list of assignments designated or approved by the State Director of Public Health where he would practice medicine during his four-year period of medical service in the state.

The trustees of each medical school in Michigan would receive a report each year describing the geographic distribution of physicians throughout the state and identifying underserved areas and agencies which are in need of the services of a physician.

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Blindness is no obstacle

By KATHY JENNINGS

Fixing a broken engine is almost second nature to John Richter.

In the past he has mended so many sputtering motors that now a simple description of the problem is often enough to tell Richter how it can be repaired.

"If that doesn't work the sound of the engine may hold the answer. But one thing he does not need is to be able to see the problem. He's been fixing engines without his eyesight since he was blinded nearly 40 years ago.

"I'm handicapped, but I've never let it get me down," Richter explains as he proudly displays his collection of antique engines and tools.

They fill every corner of two work sheds. The tools even overflow into the house. Tools are in the kitchen, at the foot of the bed and on top of the bureau, in the living room. There is also a winter work shop in the basement.

Books on engine line a wall on the porch just outside the kitchen. His wife reads them to him when he comes across a new engine or problem explained in one of the books.

Mrs. Richter explains their home isn't fancy — they've spent most of their money on engines. Richter calls her his helper.

"I've got her trained," he chuckles as she explains the workings of a condenser and points.

He does most of the work himself, however. At one time he did a lot of work for customers who brought in lawn mowers or most any other kind of engine.

Now that type of work is a little "too much for my nerves," Richter says. So he spends his time putting the antique engines in working order.

There are very few parts to fit the old engines he repairs, Richter reports. He modifies modern parts or sends a few to a foundry where they are fitted for the antique engines.

Among his collection Richter has at least 20 engines. The collection includes eight stationary water-cooled engines, four two-cylinder Maytags, seven Maytag uprights, and a Maytag washing machine.

Probably his favorite of the collection is the 1905 International engine which was used for general purpose work on the farms.

He also has a wide variety of antique tools. Both the engines and tools were collected from local farms. Others were found at auctions.

Buggy wrenches and a left-handed monkey wrench are just a small part of his antique tool collection which he has mounted. Both the tools and engines are shown at antique fairs annually by the couple.

Richter has always had an interest in mechanics, but he was formally educated in the trade at Michigan State Automobile School. He was awarded his diploma on December 23, 1922, and it still hangs on the living room wall.

"School didn't make a mechanic out of me, but they showed me a lot of things there my eyes couldn't believe," Richter said. Mainly the schooling made repairs easier, he explained.

It was about 17 years after graduation that Richter was blinded. He had first lost the sight in his left eye when as a youngster some dynamite he had been playing with exploded in his face.

In 1939 he was splitting rails and a wedge broke off and struck his right eye. He eventually lost the sight in that eye, too. But, as he says, the handicap has never got him down.

"I'm 77 and still going strong." His wife wants to keep it that way. "Some people have asked why we don't move into an apartment. Now where would we put all these engines if we moved into an apartment? Those engines are his joy, and we get to keep him enjoyin'," she explains.



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Area Police Blotters

Wixom police report two gasoline theft incidents

In Wixom
The high cost of gasoline apparently led some people to obtain the fuel from sources other than the service station gas pumps.
Wixom police recorded two incidents of gasoline theft last week.
One complaint came from the north end of town where the owner of a truck and bulldozer reported on-going incidents of missing fuel from the vehicles.
Later the same day, police on patrol stopped a vehicle seen leaving from a parking area at a business located on South Wixom Road. Police questioned the driver who stated he was going to start to work at the business and was checking the place out.
Found in the rear seat of the car was a five gallon gasoline can and a hose, police said. On checking the business premises, police reportedly found an open gasoline container with the area surrounding the can marked with wet fuel.

Larcenies from vehicles also marked the police blotter last week. Two incidents took place at the Village Apartments and were thought to have occurred during the same time span.
A pick-up truck parked near one of the apartment units was entered by breaking the vent window to the cab. A CB radio was reportedly taken. The canvas-covered box of the truck was also subjected to scrutiny during the larceny.

Gathered from that portion of the truck was a variety of power tools. Total loss was estimated at \$440.
A second larceny complaint was reported to police for investigation in the same area. Police reported entry to the car was gained in the same fashion as the first. An eight-track tape player, CB unit, antenna and tapes were said to be missing from the car.

In a related incident, a CB unit was reported taken from a car parked in the Helfer complex on Grand River. The owner reported the car was unlocked.
Police said the man was not behind in payments on the boat and had full insurance.

In Novi
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assault and battery at Novi Bowl May 20.
Upon arrival at the bowling alley police talked to a Farmington Hills man who claimed he had been beat up by a Warren man because he was bowling well and the other man was jealous.
The Warren man told police the fight started when the Farmington Hills man began making fun of the Warren man's girlfriend.
The Farmington Hills man was reported by police to have a bloody nose, a swollen lip and a red and swollen eye. He was found to have sustained a broken nose in the scuffle and received treatment at Botsford Hospital, police said.
The other man was unhurt. No charges were filed by either party.

Novi police received a complaint from a Farmington Hills woman on May 21, who reported her 65-year-old husband has been missing since Mother's Day.
The woman told police that her husband was last seen driving a white and blue Plymouth car.

KMH Equipment Company was the target of thieves last Thursday who reportedly made off with \$4,000 worth of tires stolen from several company trucks.
Police investigated and observed two Ford trucks with rear sets of dual tires and rims missing. Police reported the thieves removed the tires and lug nuts, but left the spacers which ride between the tires in position.

A boat and trailer worth \$9,000 were reported stolen last Wednesday at Twelve Oaks Mall, after the owner found the trailer-boat combination missing from his car.

The owner told Novi police that he had been in the mall for 15 minutes, and when he returned he noticed that someone had broken the padlock on his trailer hitch and made off with his boat and trailer.

Police said the man was not behind in payments on the boat and had full insurance.

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unknown persons May 20.
Novi police on patrol stated they observed a 1976 Gremlin hatchback parked in the driveway of the service station with all its windows busted out. Police also reported the car's right door and fender were caved in.
A call to the owner confirmed that the car had been involved in an accident the day before, but had only sustained the damage to the right side and a hole in the left side of the windshield.

Twelve tires were reported slashed on several white Ford vans at the Fran Kerr Company last week. Novi police investigated and found seven front tires on three company vans apparently slashed and punctured with a knife. Police said it is unknown why the guard service at the company failed to report the tire slashings.

Soon after the investigating officers left, the manager called police to report five rear tires on the vans had also been slashed. The damage is estimated to be \$720.
Novi Manufacturing, which police say was the victim of \$1,300 worth of malicious destruction last week, was the target for thieves who reportedly made off with \$1,900 in batteries

sometime during the two weeks prior to last Thursday.
Police reported the batteries are all marked, "Property of U-Haul. Not to be sold." In raised white letters. Police further stated several other battery cables were loose in some other trucks parked in the field, although their batteries had not been taken.
One of the trucks was also missing a door on the right side, which was painted orange and white, police said.

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The fire station proposal includes approximately \$280,000 for the reconstruction of fire station number one, approximately \$300,000 for the relocation and reconstruction of fire station number two, and an estimated \$170,000 to purchase a pumper truck with aerial equipment.

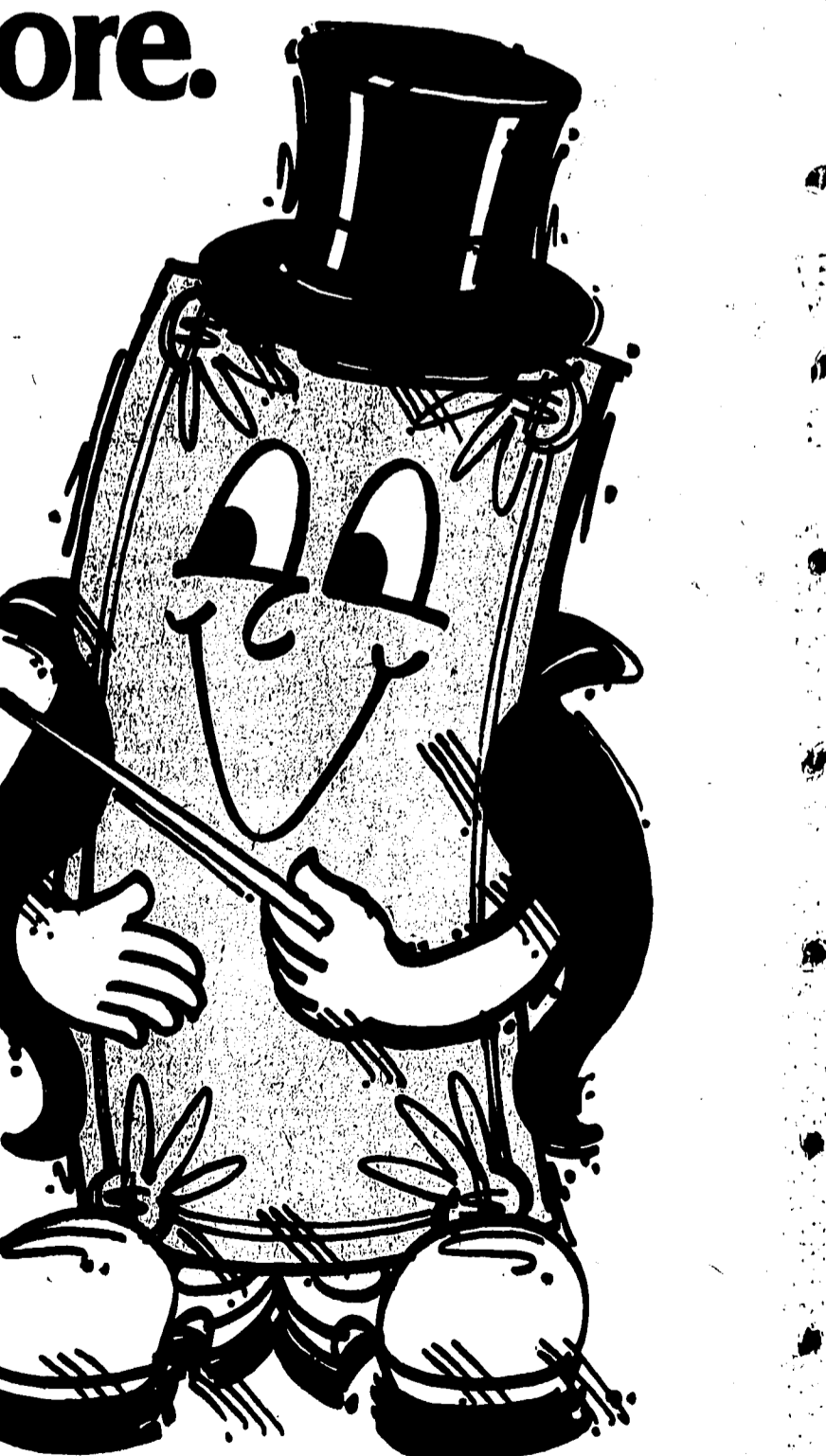
Correction

It was incorrectly reported in The Novi News last week that an "explicit" film designed for sex education classes had been shown to students in the Novi schools without prior screening by staff members.
The movie was, in fact, shown to staff members in a workshop. All movies shown in the Novi schools are screened by staff members before being presented to students, school officials said.
The News regrets the error.

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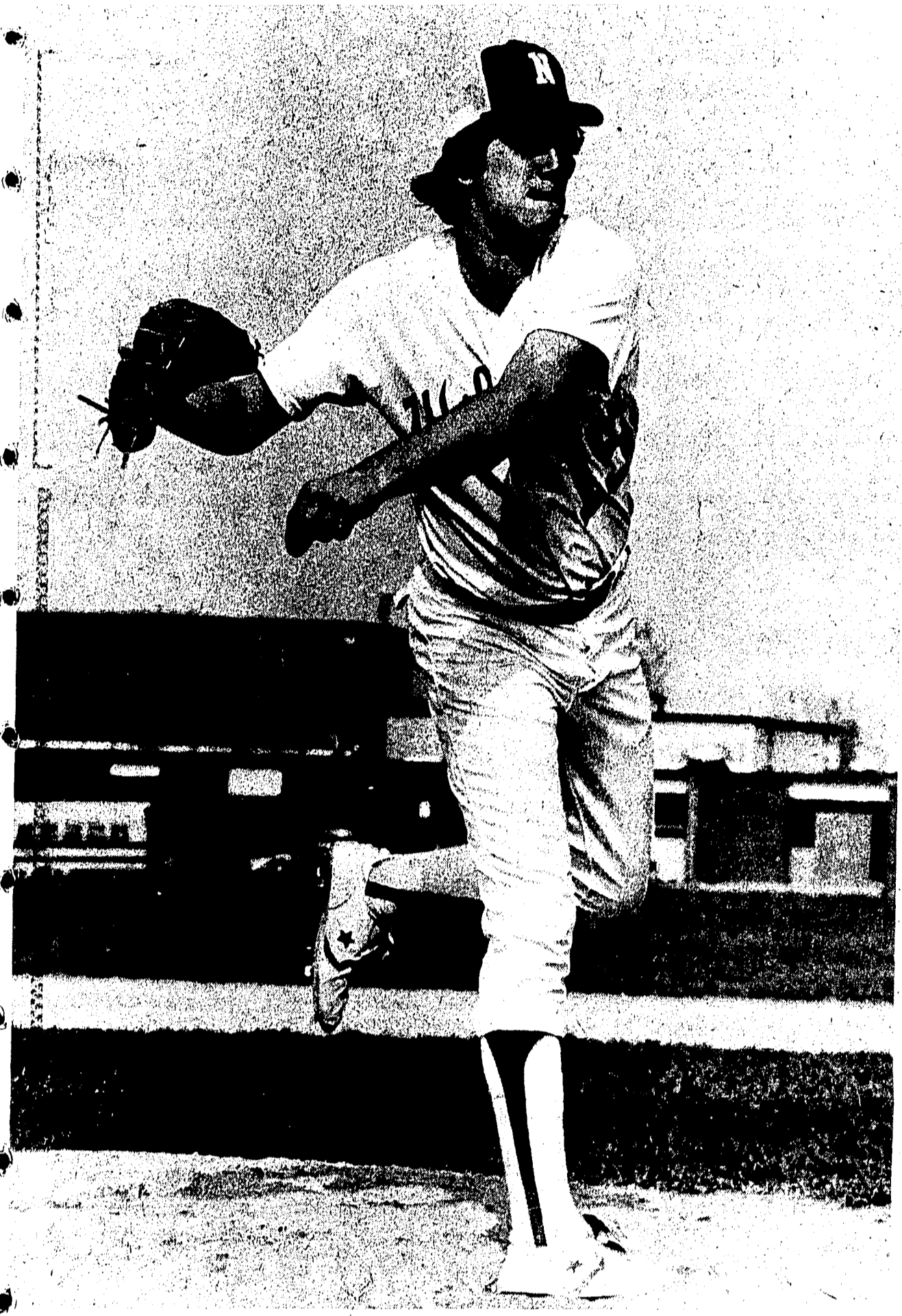


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Sports ... in The News

Wildcats prepare for districts with two victories



Bob McAllister gave the South Lyon Lions a taste of his fastball in action last week, as he registered his first victory of the season in the opening game of a doubleheader. The Novi pitcher got the win with relief help from Jeff Laverty.

Novi tuned up for its rescheduled second round pre-district baseball game with the University of Detroit High School squad last week by taking two of the three contests they played.
On Tuesday, May 21, the Wildcats beat Hartland 5-3 while on Wednesday, May 23, they split a doubleheader with the South Lyon Lions, winning the first match 6-5 and dropping the nightcap 8-7.
The Wildcats were scheduled to play the U of D team in the pre-district Class A high school play-off game, Friday, May 23, but the contest was postponed due to rain. The two teams were to meet yesterday but results weren't available at press time.
Against Hartland, Bob Dranginis started and went six innings in his strongest performance on the mound this season. He allowed only three hits and two walks, while striking out 10. Bob McAllister relieved Dranginis in the seventh and gave up one hit, one walk and struck out one batter.
Novi got its first run in the second inning when Dave Braeseker singled and went to second on an error by the first baseman on the throw. Ken Walker then sent Braeseker home with a single up the middle.
Hartland got three runs in its half of the second but the Wildcats came roaring right back with one in the third, two in the fifth, and another in the seventh. In the fifth inning Dranginis singled to lead off and then went to second on Kevin Parks' sacrifice bunt. Keith Crosslin then ripped a triple which sent Dranginis home with the Wildcats' second run. Crosslin crossed the plate when the Hartland shortstop fumbled Craig Iseli's grounder.
In the seventh inning Crosslin walked to open the inning and promptly stole second base. The Hartland catcher then helped the Wildcat cause by allowing the next pitch to get past him. This sent Crosslin to third. Iseli then let down a perfect squeeze hunt to score Crosslin from third.
In all, Novi rapped out six hits, with two by Ken Walker, his first hits of the season.
Against South Lyon, it was a case of who could make the most errors. In the opener, Novi committed six errors, yet won the contest 6-5.
McAllister got the win for the Wildcats, his first of the year. He needed relief help from Jeff Laverty, though.
Novi scored first in the opening inning, but South Lyon came back to take a 3-1 lead into the fourth. Novi got two more runs in the next two innings, but the Lions answered with one of their own.
In the sixth, Novi picked up three runs to take the lead 6-4, with South Lyon gaining their final run in their half of the inning.
Novi had six runs on seven hits while committing six errors. South Lyon scored five runs on eight hits and made three miscues.
It was South Lyon's turn to make the errors in the nightcap, as it misplayed the ball five times, but won anyway, 8-7.
The Lions jumped off to a 4-0 lead against Novi's Bill Bishop in the first inning. They added two more in the second to blow Bishop from the mound. Iseli came in to relieve him, and shut out South Lyon for the next three innings.
Novi got two runs in the second and three in the fourth to tie the game 5-5. In the seventh inning however, South Lyon jumped on Iseli for two more runs. Novi answered with two of its own in the top of the seventh inning to knot the score again, but lost it when the Lions scored in their last at-bats.
In the series, Dave Ford, Ken Blevins and Dan Bunker each had two or more hits, with Bunker and Ford each picking doubles.
The two wins bring Novi's record on the season to 11-14, with the remaining play-off game left. Last year the Wildcats had a dismal 3-16, while they finished 3-10 in the Southeast Conference. Final standings are not yet available for the SEC.

Western girls enter league meet after six straight dual victories

Six consecutive dual meet opponents have bitten the dust in meets with the Walled Lake Western girls' track team, leaving Sharon Young's team with the final dual record of 7-2 and ready for the league meet in Northville Thursday.
The Warriors blitted Farmington Harrison by an 81-42 score in the regular season finale last Thursday, and the girls would appear to have the momentum to make things tough for everyone in the Western Six competition.
"Can we win the league meet," Young said. "That is, we have the people, the potential. If we can get by Livonia Churchill and get a few breaks along the way, we'll do it."
At this point, Churchill would seem to be the only obstacle in Western's path. After all, it handed the Warriors their only league defeat of the spring earlier this season, escaping with an eight-point victory.
Regardless of what happens in the league meet, Young's team has made a fine comeback following 1978's disappointing 5-5 finish. Up until last year, Western had been a consistent power in girls' track in the Western Six, and all indications are that another dynasty could be on the way.
Unlike previous years, when Western had to count on one or two individual standouts to carry the team, the Warriors have depth these days. In the win over Harrison, for example, the locals boasted seven different first-place finishers.
Cathy Van Puiten led the way for Western, notching two firsts with wins in the 100-yard (11.6 seconds, a personal best) and the 200 dash (28.2).
In addition, long-jumper Janet Wilson also grabbed a victory, taking top honors with a 14-foot, 3/4 inch leap; Simo Buttazzoni led all shot-putters with a 32-foot, two-inch heave; Karen Duskey finished first in the discus throw with a toss of 90 feet, nine inches; and Judy Yuhn won the mile with a time of 6:06.4. Connie Murphy completed the 220 hurdles in 33.2 seconds, while Sharon Byrka was victorious in the 800 with a 2:35.8 clocking.
Two relay teams also won for Western. In the 800, the quartet of Van Puiten, Wilson, Murphy and Babette Nissen took the honors, while Van Puiten, Wilson, Kris Mellema and Nissen accomplished the same feat in the 400.
Last Tuesday in the Oakland County meet, the Warriors managed just five points but still set two new school records in the process. Yuhn ran the mile in 5:26 to break the 1977 school standard of 5:31.6, finishing sixth, and Buttazzoni's 35-foot, six-inch shot put throw was a new school best even though the effort wasn't enough to place in the highly-competitive meet.
Other notable individual performances included a fifth-place, 11:51 clocking in the two-mile by Yuhn and a sixth-place 2:38.3 time by Byrka in the 800. In addition, the 440 relay squad of Van Puiten, Buttazzoni, Wilson and Nissen placed with a time of 6:52.3.

Viking ace Piotrowski paces area half-milers

The Walled Lake Central boys' track team turned in a pair of fine efforts in action against other area teams last week, with a few familiar names dominating the action for the Vikings.
In particular, Randy Piotrowski, Chris Harrington and Doug Sheldon stood out for Central in its League and Oakland County battles last week. Piotrowski continued his strong showings in the half-mile and mile, while Harrington excelled in the high jump and Sheldon stood out in the high hurdles.
Piotrowski finished first in both of his specialties in last Tuesday's league competition, as Central was fifth with 58 points. He finished the 800 in 1:37.9 and completed the mile in 4:27.7.
Harrington, on the other hand, was second on the basis of his six-foot, two-inch high jump, while Sheldon was runner-up in the high hurdles with a 15.0 clocking.
Other good individual Viking efforts came from Jeff Detwiler, who was second in the long jump at 19 feet, 10 inches, and Bob Slais, who completed the two-mile in second place. He finished with a 9:51.7 clocking.
In addition, Central contributed two placings in relay events. In the mile relay, the team of Piotrowski, Harrington, Don Christenson and Hank Richardson turned in a third-place, 3:37.5 time, while Detwiler, Paul Benschler, Dave Ostyn and Brian Meyers completed the 400-yard relay in 47.2 seconds, good for fifth place.
Livonia Stevenson won the meet with 149 points.
In the Oakland County meet, the spotlight was all on Piotrowski, Harrington and Sheldon. Piotrowski beat out everyone in the county in the half-mile, breaking the tape in just 1:58.7, and was runner-up in the mile with a time of 4:21.7 - just shades off his personal best.
Harrington also had a runner-up effort, high-jumping six feet, six inches, while Sheldon was sixth in the high hurdles on the merits of his 15-foot leap.
Piotrowski and Harrington will now take their talents to the state meet at Flint Northwestern Saturday, with the former competing in the half-mile and mile, and the latter doing battle in the high jump. Central Coach Dick Woodworth said the two did a "super" job last week, and had hopes that their fine performances would continue.
"I hope they both can place in the state meet," Woodworth said. "It would certainly be a feather in their caps, and finish off a great season for them."
The Vikings were also scheduled to compete yesterday (Tuesday), battling Waterford Kettering in their last dual meet of the season.

Shadford's net squad second in leagues-4B

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Beats South Lyon

Five-run seventh inning decisive for Ladycat nine

Coming up with five runs in the seventh inning, the Novi girls' softball team beat South Lyon 12-11 Tuesday, May 22.

Carol Champney walked to open the inning and took second when the next batter, Mary Weber, was hit by a pitch.

Novi's rally was like tickling a bee, it only got South Lyon mad. The Lions came right back to sting the Wildcats for seven runs in the fourth.

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and Raetz waltzed in with the winning run. On Monday, May 21, the Wildcats played Hartland and dropped a 7-5 contest.

Novi got on the board with two of their own in the sixth to make the score 5-2, but in the seventh, Hartland got two more unearned runs to go up 7-2.

Warriors win 13-inning marathon

The Walled Lake Western baseball team continued to have a generally tough time of it as the Warriors bats went silent in two losses.

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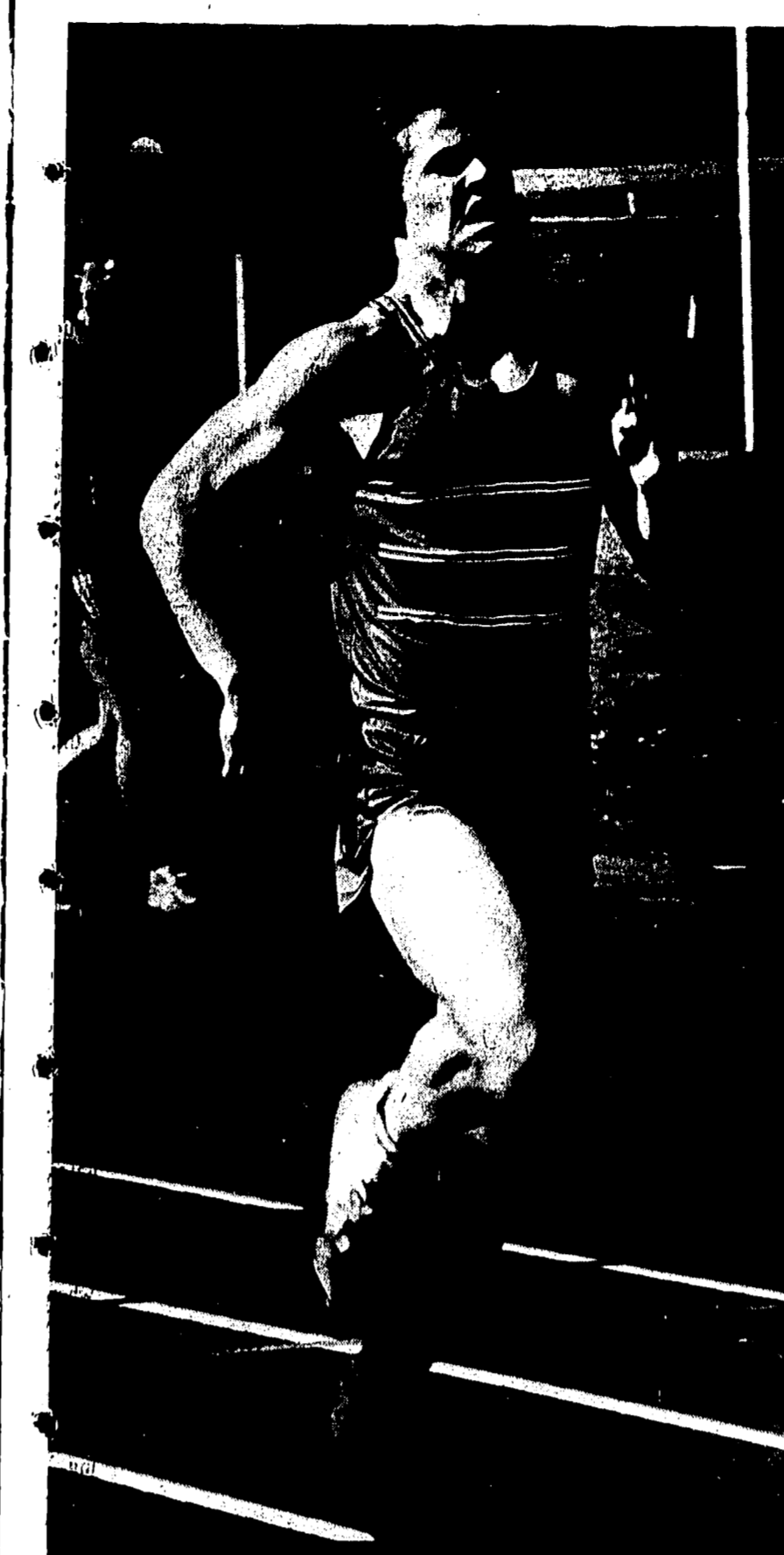
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Woes keep mounting

Wildcat net squad drops 4-3 squeaker to Milford

The Novi tennis team closed out a disappointing season by dropping a 3-4 match to Milford, Tuesday, May 22. The match went right down to the wire as the score was 3-3 going into the

third doubles competition. The team of Mike McKay and Mike Fritz lost the first set 4-6, but came back to win the second 6-4. In the third set, with the score 5-5, McKay twisted his ankle and

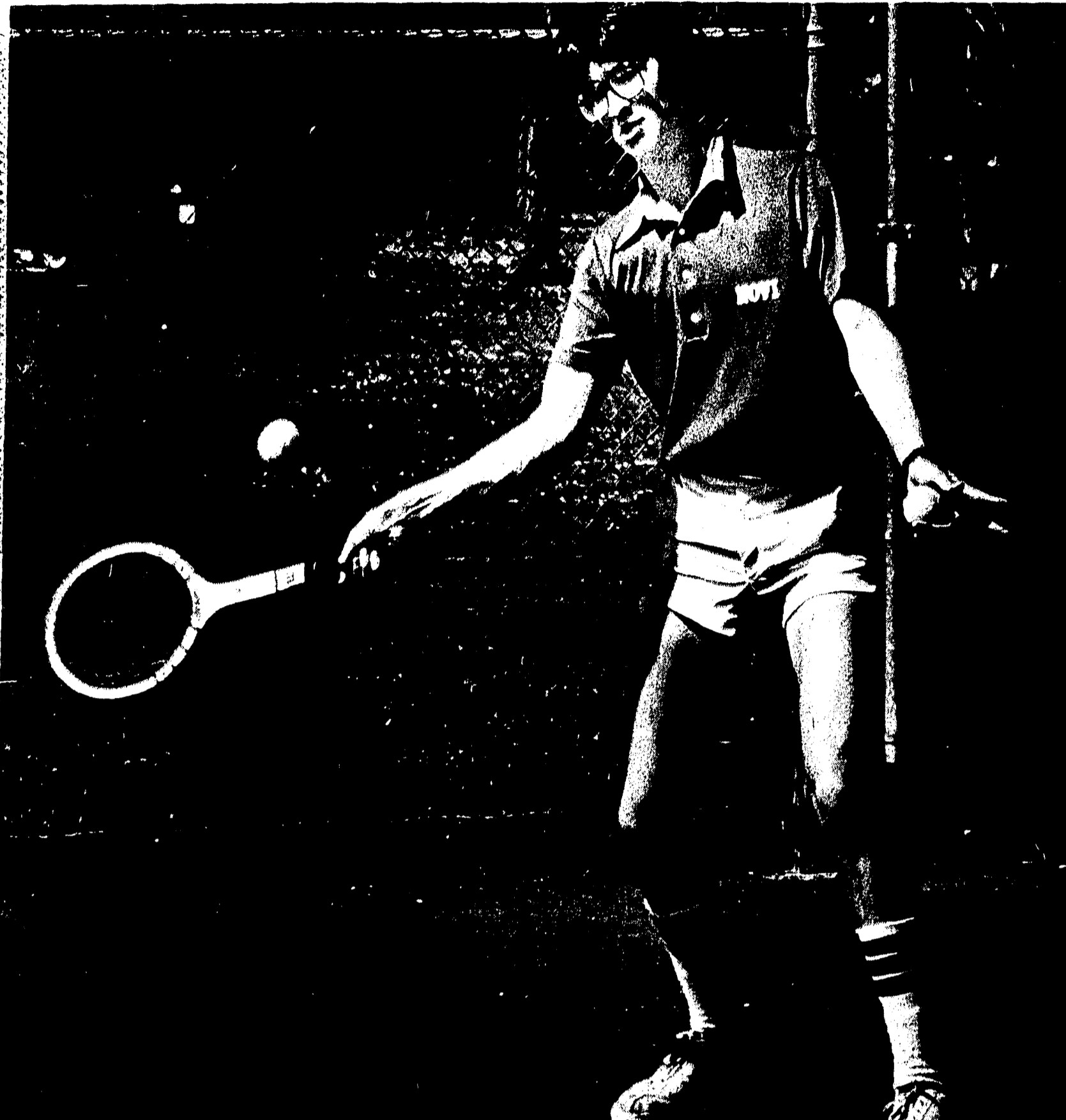
was unable to compete. Milford was awarded the set and the match by default. The match got off to a bad start when John DeBruie, the number one singles

player for Novi, missed his ride to the contest and the Wildcats had to forfeit the first singles competition. Magnus Anderson, in the number two slot, lost 6-4 and 6-3, but Rob Mac-

Pherson won at the number three position, 4-6, 6-4 and 6-3 to get Novi back into the match. Paul Henderson, at the number four slot, won 7-5, 4-6 and 6-3 to make the score 2-2 going into doubles competition.

The loss brings the Wildcats' record to 4-9 on the year. "The season was a little disappointing to me," said coach Dave Hayward. "I really thought we'd do much better. I at least got a chance to see some of the young kids. We're only losing three seniors, (DeBruie, Anderson and Alexander) and the starting lineup that I've gone with in the last half of the season should just about be the one I'll go with next year."

Anderson, a Swedish exchange student, led the team with a 7-4 record on the year. He played either at second or third singles throughout the campaign.



Paul Henderson's fourth singles victory couldn't save Novi

Rec department offering registration in golf, tennis

Registration for golf and tennis lessons is still underway at the Novi Recreation Department. The golf lessons will be given by Bob Perryman at Power Park on 10 Mile Road twice a week for three weeks starting June 4. Lessons are available on either Monday and Wednesday or Tuesday and Thursday evenings, at 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Cage program a possibility

The Walled Lake Schools Community Dept. will conduct a meeting for adults interested in having a summer basketball program Monday at 7 p.m. at Walled Lake Junior High School. The basketball program will be held every Tuesday and Thursday evening throughout the summer at the junior high. The type of program to be offered will be discussed at the June 4 meeting.

McDaniel Gun Shop advertisement listing address (8890 Pontiac Trail) and services (New & Used Guns & Service).

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METRO FLOOR COVERING advertisement listing store hours and services.

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Drost now 6-0 as Vikes capture seventh straight

The hottest Walled Lake prep team going kept alive its winning ways last week as the Walled Lake Central softball team notched its seventh consecutive victory with a 14-8 conquest of rival Walled Lake Western.

Graham, Graham also added an RBI double for five runs knocked home on the afternoon. In addition, Julie Kunze and Lisa McNutt each had two runs batted in for the winners. Kunze had four hits on the day, while McNutt drove home a pair with a double.

beneficiary of the outburst as Central broke a 2-2 tie in the fifth inning with four runs to take the lead for good. The Vikes then called the game away with eight runs in the sixth.

Solid net foes stop Western

A pair of tough teams went to battle with the Walled Lake Western tennis squad last week, and the result was a couple of one-sided losses. The week certainly wasn't a typical one for the Warriors, who had previously been used to having their own way en route to a 9-3 spring record.

It was a classic case of "double or nothing" for the locals in the recent losses, as Western singles players didn't register one victory in the two meets. In the Northville defeat, first doubles men Mike Drahaim and Mike Bryant won in three sets with 7-6, 9-5 and 6-3 scores, and Jeff Chura and Brent Taylor also went three sets before winning. Their scores were 6-4, 5-7 and 7-6.

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SPRING IN A NEW CAR! advertisement for METROPOLITAN NATIONAL BANK OF FARMINGTON featuring an auto loan rates table.

Water safety is important with summer coming

By JIM HAYNES

Water is the basic element of life on the planet earth. But to most Michiganders water has a much more crucial importance than that of mere sustenance. Water is the Michigan key to summer fun and relaxation.

Not called the Water Wonderland for nothing, Michigan abounds in clear, clean lakes and rivers. The whole tourist economy revolves around the boating, swimming, skating and sunning activities that are centered around the Wolverine waterways.

And as many ways as there are to enjoy the water, there are an equal number of ways to foolishly risk yours and your family's health while enjoying the water. Foolish because most of the injuries and fatalities that have occurred on Michigan's waterways could have been avoided with a little common sense and adherence to basic safety rules that make water enjoyment a safe and fulfilling activity.

The Huron-Clinton Metropolitan Authority, in co-operation with the Water Safety Department of the American Red Cross, has released a number of water safety tips that if followed should help to make your summer water endeavors both fun and safe at the same time.

First of all, and the most basic of rules for any water safety and enjoyment, is the requirement of those using the waterways to learn to swim well enough to survive in an emergency.

This doesn't mean that you have to be able to swim 20 miles a la Mark Spitz, or be able to outrun dolphins. It just means learning a few basic strokes and how to tread water for a period of time that would enable help to arrive.

Most important however, is the familiarity with water that comes with

learning to swim. Many people are literally scared to death of the water, and if, in an emergency, they fall in, more often than not they panic and drown before help has a chance to arrive.

Another basic rule, according to the Metro authority, is to never swim alone, but with a "buddy" who has the ability to help when necessary. It won't be any comfort to the sinking swimmer to know that there is someone watching your predicament, unable to swim themselves. So find a buddy who you know can be a lifesaver if needs be.

Swim only in supervised areas such as at beaches or pools and only when lifeguards are on duty. The Red Cross advises. You must stay within the markers to avoid conflicts with boats. And if in a boat or on a dock, don't dive or jump into unknown waters. You can't be certain what the bottom is like. Instead of diving into six feet of sandy-bottomed lake water, you may land on an unexpectedly shallow bottom.

If swimming at a supervised area, such as a pool or beach, follow the rules for that particular spot. Don't overestimate your abilities, know your limitations. Distances can be deceiving so don't set out across a lake on a dare unless you are absolutely certain you are up to it. And never go alone.

The Red Cross advises that if you are overheated, stay out of the water and cool off before returning to the water. Although the water temperature may not be very low, if you are overheated, it can be a shock to your system.

It is not a good idea to swim right after eating, the Metro Authority says. Stay out of the water until your food has had time to digest. If you don't, you're risking the occurrence of cramps.

If there is an electrical storm brew-

ing, head for dry land. Water conducts electricity and unless you want to experience what a French Fry goes through in a deep fryer, it is best to stay out of the water.

Do not substitute inflated tubes, air mattresses, or other artificial supports for swimming ability. Man-made, these items are subject to imperfection. Imagine your surprise, when after dozing peacefully on an air mattress, you wake to a hissing sound and realize that you are 50 yards from shore and can't swim.

Avoid long periods of immersion and overexposure to the sun, the Red Cross says. Severe sunburns are not fun, and skin cancer can result.

Keep an eagle eye on children whenever they are near the water or in it.

You've all heard of the boy who cried wolf one-for-many-times. Well, the moral of that story holds true in the case of yelling for "Help" without cause while in the water. One too many times and you may join the fishes.

Bathing suits are light weight and designed for swimming, the Metro Authority points out. Do not, it advises, wear long pants and other improper clothes while swimming. This could cause the swimmer to tire quicker than usual.

Boating is another big summer activity for many people and there are just as many wise rules to follow in this

endeavor than there for swimming. The most important rule perhaps is to know your craft and its limitations well before you ever take it out of port. Know how many people it can safely accommodate and how much cargo it can hold before it is over-loaded.

A good rule of thumb for estimating how much weight a particular boat can handle, according to the experts, is 150 pounds for every 12 cubic feet of space. If the boat is over-loaded, it won't ride well in the water and there will be a chance of swamping or rolling.

George S. Wells, in his book, *Happier Family Boating* (Stackpole Books), explains that an overloaded boat may take in water in a mild chop and that it will be too sluggish to handle properly.

Wells points out that proper trim, or distribution of cargo or people, also is important. Too much weight in the bow (front) of the boat will cause it to "dig into" waves instead of riding them. Too much weight in the aft (back) of the boat will cause water to come in over the transom (back board), or cause porpoising at landing speed which brings about loss of steering control and handling ability.

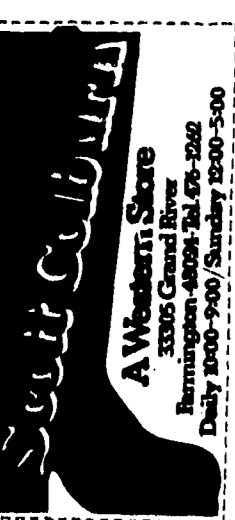
Robert Skellinger, a ranger at the Kensington Metro Park Station, offers another safety tip.

And if the boat does tip over, "stay with it," Skellinger adds. "Don't swim for shore. Distances can be deceiving. Just hang on to the boat until help arrives."



Catching on

Novi pitcher Tracy Sobkow certainly has gotten the hang of things after a slow start. Sobkow tossed a no-hitter recently and has been a pleasant surprise for the Wildcats this spring.



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Teamwork!

games emphasize working together

By REID CREAGER

A new attitude is emerging these days toward children and their recreational activities.

The familiar sight of an eager, energetic child watching activities from the sidelines because he or she "isn't good enough" is happily becoming a thing of the past. An increasing emphasis on participation is enabling all kids to get in on the act.

As a result, several programs have come into being with the intention of getting children involved in recreational activities. One such organization is the Community Youth Soccer League, a nation-wide program with an "Everybody plays" philosophy. The

rapidly-growing league has teams throughout Michigan.

However, this new emphasis on participation isn't confined strictly to sports. Many area recreation and community education departments offer games and activities that are just plain fun.

For example, the Walled Lake Community Education Department offers a summer playground field day every year for youngsters in first through seventh grades. In this program, children are given the opportunity to take part in what are referred to as "new games".

New games are group-oriented events where the idea is to get involved and have a good time. One new game



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These children are definitely enjoying the group effort involved in "Earth Ball"



"Skin the Snake" lets everyone enjoy a new group game

Kidney stones removed easier

University of Michigan Hospital urologists report that they have developed an improved way to remove kidney stones by trapping inside a new type of surgical jelly made of blood plasma concentrate.

Doctors say the stones and the jelly can simply be pulled out through a small incision at the base of the kidney after the jelly has been injected.

The substance, they say, is particularly effective in removing "floating" kidney stones, which move around inside the kidney and cause kidney blockage, infection and extreme episodes of pain. It also aids surgeons by trapping tiny bits of calcium residue in the kidney which could grow into full

stones and require repeat surgery.

Reporting on the development in the "Journal of Investigative Urology" are U-M physicians C. Peter Fischer, L. Paul Sonda, and Annelas C. Diokno.

Dr. Fischer and his colleagues described 91 per cent success in stone removal of 15 patients treated at the U-M Hospital over the past 14 months using the jelly injection method alone.

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TRAVIS D. NIXON

NORTHVILLE VACUUM AND APPLIANCES is approaching the end of its first year in Northville Plaza Mall. David Pottinger, his wife, Charlotte, and their partner, Louise DesJardins, have found the association with both merchants and customers to be a truly pleasant one.

When contemplating the move from their first store in Clawson, the partners surveyed a number of locations. The decision was made to open in Northville because of the vast potential generated by the explosion of population in the area, together with the absence of retail merchants in their field.

Northville Appliances handles not only major items, such as refrigerators, ranges, washers and dryers, but television sets, vacuums, and vacuum repair service as well.

More than 500 area residents have attended the Litton Microwave Cooking Schools held by Northville Appliance. Response to the presentations has been outstanding.

"At this time, when conservation of energy is of prime concern to all of us," says Pottinger, "the microwave, with its thrifty use of power, is in great demand."

Arrangements can be made through Northville Appliances to have such a school presented to church or civic groups. Contact Pottinger at his place of business any week day between 10 a.m. and 9 p.m., Saturday, between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m., or between noon and 5 p.m. on Sunday.

TRAVIS D. NIXON of Northville has been appointed executive vice president of the Perfection Heat Treating Division of Thermo Electron Corporation. The appointment was announced by John A. McMann, vice president and group executive of Thermo Electron and president of the Holcroft Division.

Nixon had been with Holcroft for the last 10 years in technical and managerial positions. Most recently, he was assistant to the president. Prior to joining Holcroft, he was a metallurgist with Ford Motor Company in Cincinnati.

Nixon graduated from the University of Cincinnati with a B. S. degree in Metallurgical Engineering. He also holds an MBA degree from Xavier University in Cincinnati. He is a member of the American Society of Metals, the Engineering Society of Detroit, the National Defense Preparedness Association, and the Industrial Heating Equipment Association, for which he is also chairman of the OSHA Committee.

Perfection Heat Treating is a commercial service operation, specializing in heat treating of automotive parts in high production continuous furnaces. Thermo Electron operates three other commercial heat treating facilities in the Los Angeles, Houston and Milwaukee industrial regions.

Thermo Electron's principal business is the development and manufacture of process equipment and instruments for energy-intensive industries.

TERRENCE F. MARRS has been appointed manager, Financial Analysis Department, Ford Parts and Service Division, it was announced by R. A. Barrett, division controller.

Marrs joined Ford in 1968 as a budget analyst in the former Autolite-Ford Division Controller's Office. He held a number of analyst positions until 1972, when he was appointed a supervisor within the Cost Analysis Department.

In 1976, Marrs was named a supervisor within the Sales Financial Analysis Department of North American Automotive Operations' Controller's Office, the position he held prior to his new assignment as financial analysis manager.

Marrs holds a bachelor's degree in economics from the University of Michigan. He and his family live in Northville.



TERRENCE F. MARRS

Business



DURING Northville's downtown garage sales, Northville Gallery of Flowers conducted the first of what it hopes will become an annual "Spring Greening Workshop" in which several horticulture specialists offered free advice on planting and care of house plants, shrubs, fruit trees, woody ornamentals, lawns, vegetables and small fruits, perennials and annuals. Sitting at the curbside, in an informal discussion with persons calling at the Gallery of Flowers, 355 East Main Street, are three of the experts Jim Bristah of Detroit, Colleen Baron of Redford and Karen Strong of Northville. Asking their advice on flower care is George Ryan (left) of Plymouth.

CITIZENS INSURANCE COMPANY of America held an open house May 21 at its new quarters on Burkhardt Road, Howell.

The new building, known as Citizens West, was purchased last year and renovated to house the local claims branch service office and several departments formerly housed in the main office on West Grand River. Formerly an IBM card manufacturing plant, the structure adds approximately 11,000 square feet for company use.

Major renovations and re-allocation of space are underway at the main office. Construction will be completed this summer. This expansion results from extensive growth at Citizens during the past several years, both in terms of employment and volume of business.

SEVEN MEMBERS OF THE BOARD of Directors were re-elected at the recent annual stockholders' meeting of the Citizens Insurance Company of America, which is headquartered in Howell.

Re-elected were: John Adam, Jr., of Worcester, Massachusetts, chairman of the board; Roy A. Westran of Brighton, president of Citizens; Charles E. Holkins of Howell, partner, C. N. Holkins and Son; William McPherson IV of Howell, director of McPherson State Bank, Howell; Dona Scott Parker of Howell, senior partner in the law firm of Parker and Parkers; Donald E. Rhodes of Howell, vice president, general counsel and secretary of Citizens; and William B. Scofield of Howell, president and treasurer of May and Scofield, Inc., of Howell.

Citizens Insurance Company increased assets \$35 million in 1978 to a new high of more than \$170 million. Net income was \$8 million, with surplus up 18 percent to nearly \$38 million. Sales increased 22.3 percent to a record \$112 million and the year's trade ratio closed at a creditable 97.5 percent.

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Business



BRIGHTON NURSERY has expanded. With the completion of the addition of 2169 square feet of floor space, the nursery, located on the corner of Grand River and Old U.S. 23, has nearly doubled its store area, according to store owner Joe Piteo.

Piteo, who has operated the nursery for four years, said that business has expanded to sale of lawn furniture, lawn mowers and a larger line of lawn and garden tools.

The store will also expand its nursery stock and will carry indoor plants.

As usual, Piteo says, the remodeled Brighton Nursery at 10040 East Grand River, Brighton, will continue to sell Kreegers milk and eggs as well as provide for lawn and garden needs.

The nursery is open Monday through Saturday, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. On Sunday the store is open from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. The phone number for the store is 227-4171.



BARRY AND RITA LONG have discovered a new lifestyle. The Longs are supervisors with the California based Shaklee Corporation. Shaklee is a manufacturer and distributor of nutritional supplements and foods, personal care products and household products.

Northville residents for more than three years, the Longs are excited about the benefits derived from owning their own Shaklee business. They recently returned from an expense paid four day trip to San Francisco, California, and are awaiting delivery of their new 1979 Mercury Grand Marquis.

Long sums it up: "Rita & I are really thrilled with the Shaklee philosophy based on the Golden Rule and the 'people to people' concept. We're not exceptional individuals. Our business is so enjoyable because we show others how to fulfill their needs, and work on their wants."

The idea is teamwork

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children. On the junior-high level, for instance, some Livingston and Oakland county schools are taking part in a program designed to make competing in activities something healthy and fun again.

In an undertaking called the Liv-Oak Junior High/Middle School League, participation, enjoyment and teamwork are stressed as no cuts are made in any program with the exception of basketball. The league is already an overwhelming success with members junior high or middle schools from Novi, Walled Lake (Walled Lake Junior High and Clifford Smart), White Lake,

Highland, Murr, Maltby, Sceranton and Clareneville. And already there is talk of possible expansion.

Walled Lake Junior High School Principal Roy Danley said there has been a recent trend toward a more non-competitive format on the intermediate level as well.

"Too many times, the real idea behind athletics or any recreational activity—to do one's best and enjoy one's self—is lost in the schools anymore," Danley said. "Winning has become such an obsession with some people that it causes them to lose sight of what they should be participating for."

"We just don't believe in a win-at-all-costs philosophy," Danley continued. "In fact, we had one coach step down because he just didn't agree with a philosophy that stresses participation, and I respect him for that. But the great majority are in favor of this kind of a situation, and we feel its better for the kids and all concerned."

Many opponents of the more participation-oriented programs feel that placing less emphasis on winning hurts those who go on to participate in high school activities, where performing well on a consistent basis is directly proportional to the amount of playing time one sees. Danley disagrees, saying that the less intense programs will help the children's attitude in the long run.

"With programs like these," Danley said, "they'll not feel so reluctant to participate, and hopefully, they'll have more positive feelings toward athletics and about themselves."

Such programs also help put parents' minds to rest. They no longer have to be concerned about their children having a physical and emotional outlet via organized recreation since they know the kids are participating. And, consequently, school officials don't have to deal with angry parents wanting to know why their children are watching instead of playing.

All of this means that there are several winners under these kinds of programs. And that's a new game that everyone can enjoy.

Modern Living

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Historians slate sale D-7

Western students trip leads to the hills

Experience stimulates interest in sciences

Mother Nature at one of her finest times was viewed by 15 Walled Lake Western High School students as they took part in the 29th annual Wildflower Pilgrimage in the hills of Tennessee.

Hiking, camping and a host of botanical field studies were included in the trip that took the students from the classroom in April and put them into the outdoor studies situation.

Using the organizational skills of Birmingham-centered International Field Studies, the school excursion was planned by Western science teacher Janet Heltenen.

The pilgrimage, sponsored yearly by the Garden Club of Gatlinburg and the University of Tennessee, allowed students to study not only wildflower identification but related botanical fields as well. Tree studies and bird identification became a natural process in the series of daily hikes by the students.

Viewing the trip as a definite learning experience, the enthusiastic science teacher said the students returned not only equipped with a wealth of new knowledge but a renewed interest in their studies as well, especially within the science field. A group learning process, students camped in tents at a campground near the study area and cooked over campfires. The field trip was one of several "firsts" for some of the students with Ms. Heltenen commenting that many gained a far different feeling for the outdoors.

to a preserved building area near the picturesque but thriving community of Gatlinburg. A close-up look into the Appalachia past was seen at the old, but still working farm, complete with grist mill.

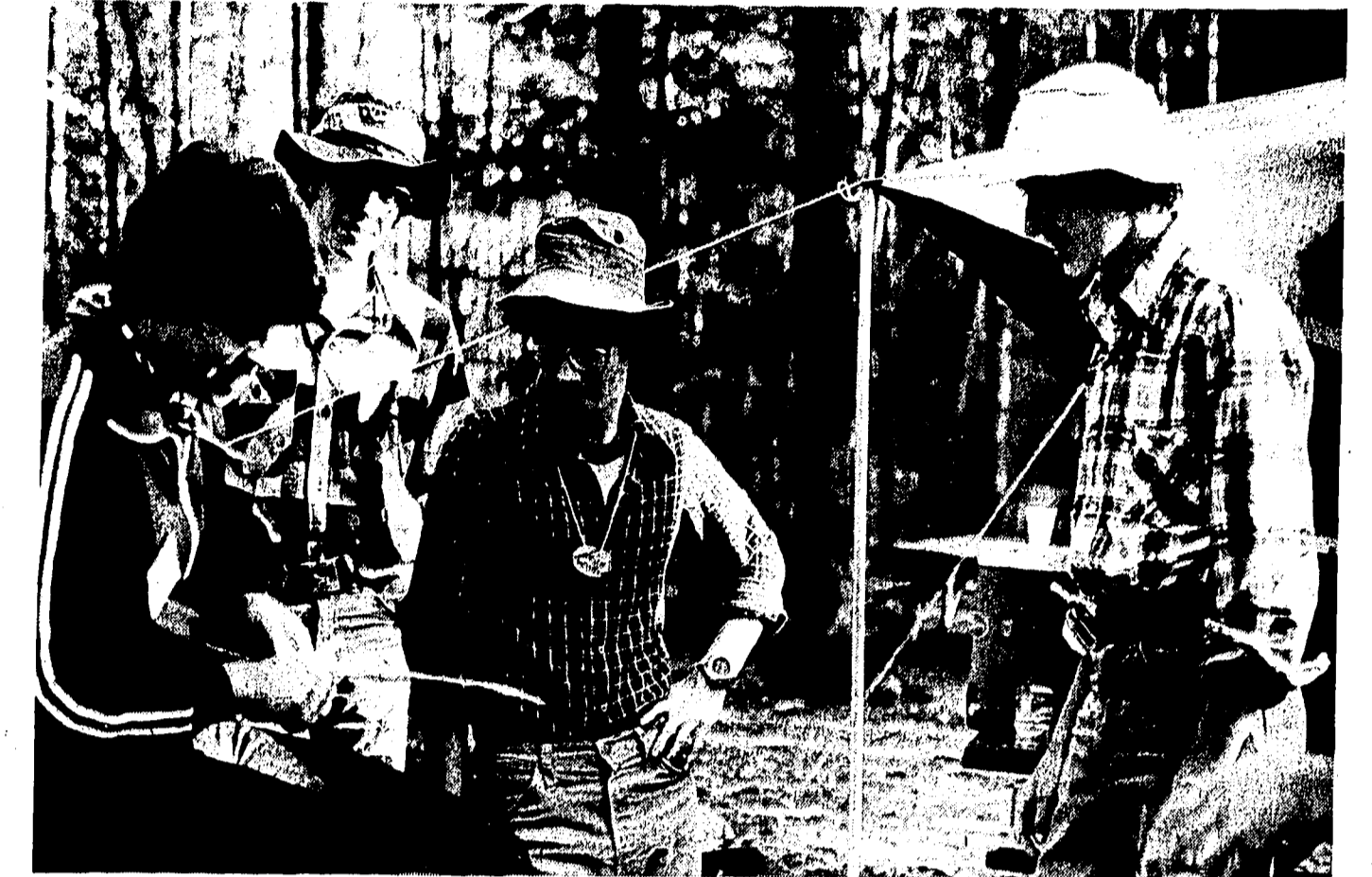
Governed by a set of stringent rules, student members nonetheless considered the trip in very favorable terms. The Western group included Craig Scott, Kim Young, Lori Hill, Candie Cornell, Debbie McMillan, Mark Urbonas, Keith Wisner and Tom Kotlarek. Others were Tom Plautz, Bill Faff, Steve Bishop, Ben Johnstone, Margaret Peck, Carol Zavitz and Jay Grace.

Admitting she was buoyed by the student response and enthusiasm to the outdoor adventure, another traveling experience is planned by the science teacher. A similar-sized group will leave for a weekend journey to Michigan's Manitow Island June 1.

That area, according to the spirited teacher, is endowed with a variety of plant, tree, bird, wildlife, and botanical studies not found in other parts of the state.

"The trips are laced equally with fun and work," commented Ms. Heltenen. "While enjoying the freedom offered outside the classroom the students are still required to submit reports and discuss the various phases of their investigations," she said.

"Most importantly, she added, "the trips make the students more aware of their surroundings and stimulate their interest in science."



Jay Grace, Keith Wisner and Tom Kotlarek watch Mark Urbonas test his whittling skills.



Dogwood in bloom draws interest of Debbie McMillan, Mark Urbonas and Keith Wisner

Bike safety clinic set in Wixom Saturday

Children and parents alike will gain from a bicycle safety clinic and road-e-o conducted this Saturday at Loon Lake Elementary School, Wixom. Jointly conducted by the PTO and PTA groups from both Wixom and Loon Lake schools, the event will run from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

The parking lot of the school will become a safety course, testing the cyclists' skills in a variety of maneuvers and their abilities while riding bikes. The course is designed after a AAA bike course offered throughout the state promoting bicycle safety. In addition to the safety course, the do's and don'ts of bicycle riding will be offered, promoting parent aid and support in assisting their child to learn the proper rules of the road.

All bikes will receive a free safety inspection that will include height of handlebars, seat, tire air pressure, chain, and pedal adjustment. Minor adjustments will be offered at the clinic, but no major repairs will be attempted.

Promoters of the clinic said the program was not geared in any way towards the sale of new bicycles. "Rather, it is an urgent request to parents to stress the need to know the proper rules and regulations that are in effect once a child or

adult puts his bike on the street. Some time spent learning the rules and checking the bikes may save a young life on the road," they stated.

Following the safety inspection, cyclists can enter a skill riding course. If for some reason a bike fails to pass the required safety inspection, one may be borrowed to allow the child onto the safety course. All participants will be scored on safety course maneuvers.

Special prizes will be given to those riders scoring the least number of points along with a blue ribbon signifying their top rider abilities. Certificates of participation will be issued to all contestants. Children will be eligible for grade level drawings on a host of prizes as well.

Parents are urged to also test their skills on the course. The event is open to everyone who takes the time to attend.

In conjunction with the safety clinic, the Wixom Police Department will be visiting the schools prior to the event offering special films on bike safety and discussing the rules of the road with students. In addition, they will be on hand with engraving tools to identify all bicycles through the Wixom Identification Program.

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The first and most basic of these guidelines set by federal regulations is that all or some of the required information must appear on food packaging. By building this into nutrition labeling, the consumer can get a whole picture

(when nutrition labeling is instituted) and standards for comparison can be built into these labels, making them usable consumer tools.

When the labeling process is part of a food's packaging, the first item to appear on the "nutrition information" panel is the serving size. This is then used as a basis for most all the other information appearing on the label. What is the prescribed serving size?

That is left up to the manufacturer and the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Basically, it must be a "reasonable size" and listed in familiar household measures. Reasonable size is loosely described by the FDA as suitable for consumption as part of a meal eaten by an adult male who engages in light physical activity.

The next required part of the panel is the statement listing the number of servings per container. This is to aid the consumer in deciding how much will be eaten to receive the nutrients listed per serving. Without this statement, more confusion could occur.

The following nutrition information must appear on the panel, immediately after the serving size information:—The number of calories per serving is listed. This amount is a composite of the average caloric content of this food. Exact amounts are impossible and unnecessary to obtain. These values are good indicators for consumers.

—Protein content is listed in grams per serving. The average/healthful American diet should get about 15 percent of its total calories from protein sources. (To determine percentages, each gram of protein is equal to approximately four calories).

—Carbohydrates are listed in grams per serving. For a healthful diet, it is estimated that we need about 50 percent of our calories from carbohydrate sources. (Each gram of carbohydrate equals approximately four calories).

—Fat content is listed in grams per serving. Keeping the calories from fat sources at 35 percent of the total diet is considered to be the most healthful.

Within the fat listing, there are several optional listings for added consumer information. If the manufacturer chooses, the fat listing can be broken down further into saturated and polyunsaturated fats. If you see that the total of these two listings does not equal the total fat grams... then the difference equals the monounsaturated fats in that food. If this breakdown does appear on the label, then it must be accompanied by a qualifier statement of "Information on fat content is provided for individuals, who on the advice of a physician, are modifying their total dietary intake of fat."

Cholesterol is an optional listing. If it is listed, however, it has to contain three parts: 1) milligrams (mg) of cholesterol per serving (2) milligrams of cholesterol per 100 grams of the food and (3) a qualifier statement: "Information on the cholesterol content is provided for individuals who, on the advice of a physician, are modifying their total dietary intake of cholesterol."

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Landscaping program rescheduled

Gardeners will be able to take advantage of the expertise offered by a landscape expert at a tree program planned for June 4 by the Wixom Public Library.

Betty Frankel, garden columnist for The Detroit Free Press, will be on hand with "Adventures in Landscaping," rescheduled from April 9. The early spring event was cancelled following a power failure in Wixom due to an ice storm.

A wealth of timely tips and ideas for landscaping the outdoor areas of the home, Mrs. Frankel's presentation includes color slides and a lecture geared to all phases of landscaping.

With gardening just moving into full swing, the information supplied by the expert will be of great aid not only to the resident who is just establishing his landscaping plans but to those people who see a need for a change in their gardens.

The program will be held in the community meeting room at Wixom City Hall on Pontiac Trail beginning at 8 p.m.

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Novi Community Ed. lists summer programs

A summer school program including reading, mathematics and language arts for the reinforcement or maintenance of skills at the elementary level are among the new offerings of the Novi Community Education Department.

A similar opportunity for assistance during the summer months for the high school student will be offered through enlarged programming instituted to meet the needs of the community.

The list also includes recreational programs and instruction geared to all family members, according to Clara Porter, director of community education.

Registration for all summer programs will be held the week of June 4 at the Novi Administrative Services Building. Registrations also will be accepted at any Novi school.

The elementary remedial program is for children who have completed the first through eighth grades. Meeting Monday through Thursday from June 25 through July 26, classes will be held at both Village Oaks and Orchard Hills schools. Classes for younger students will run 45 minutes each at a cost of \$20. Middle school classes will run 90 minutes at a cost of \$40.

The high school support program is offered to students entering ninth grade or already enrolled in the secondary level. A reading program is designed to help improve reading skills or reinforce skills already gained. Students may take the course to gain one-quarter credit towards high school English requirements.

Cost of the credit class is \$80. It will be held from June 18 to July 16. Class hours are 8 to 11 a.m., Monday through Thursday. Non-credit classes at \$40 will be held at the same time, although those class hours will be 8 to 9:30 a.m. Both programs will offer individualized attention through limited class size.

Summer disco, basic cardio-pulmonary resuscitation, exercise and swim evenings, along with jogging and swim morning programs, are included in the recreational offerings.

Gymnastics will continue through the summer, meeting at Novi Middle School North. Registrations also will be accepted for the Novi Swim Club with dual meets and activities scheduled with the Northwest Parks and Recreation Association.

Swimming instruction will begin June 19 and run through August 23. Three sessions of swimming instruction will be offered running in two-week classes. Registration for swimming instructions must be made in person at the Novi High School pool on June 14 from 7 to 9 p.m.

For information on all programs offered, contact the Community Education Department at 349-1200 including the updating of proposed tennis instruction dates and times.

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Troxelts tell birth

Justin Allen Troxelt was born at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Pontiac on April 30. He weighed in at seven pounds, 10½ ounces and measured 20½ inches in length. He joins a two-year-old sister, Erin, at home.

The birth of their second child has been announced by Randy and Diane Troxelt of Walled Lake.

Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Joyce Hewitt of Walled Lake. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Troxelt of Walled Lake.

Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Al Ross of Detroit and Edward Taylor of Warren. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Green of Farmington and Roy Troxelt of Kentucky.

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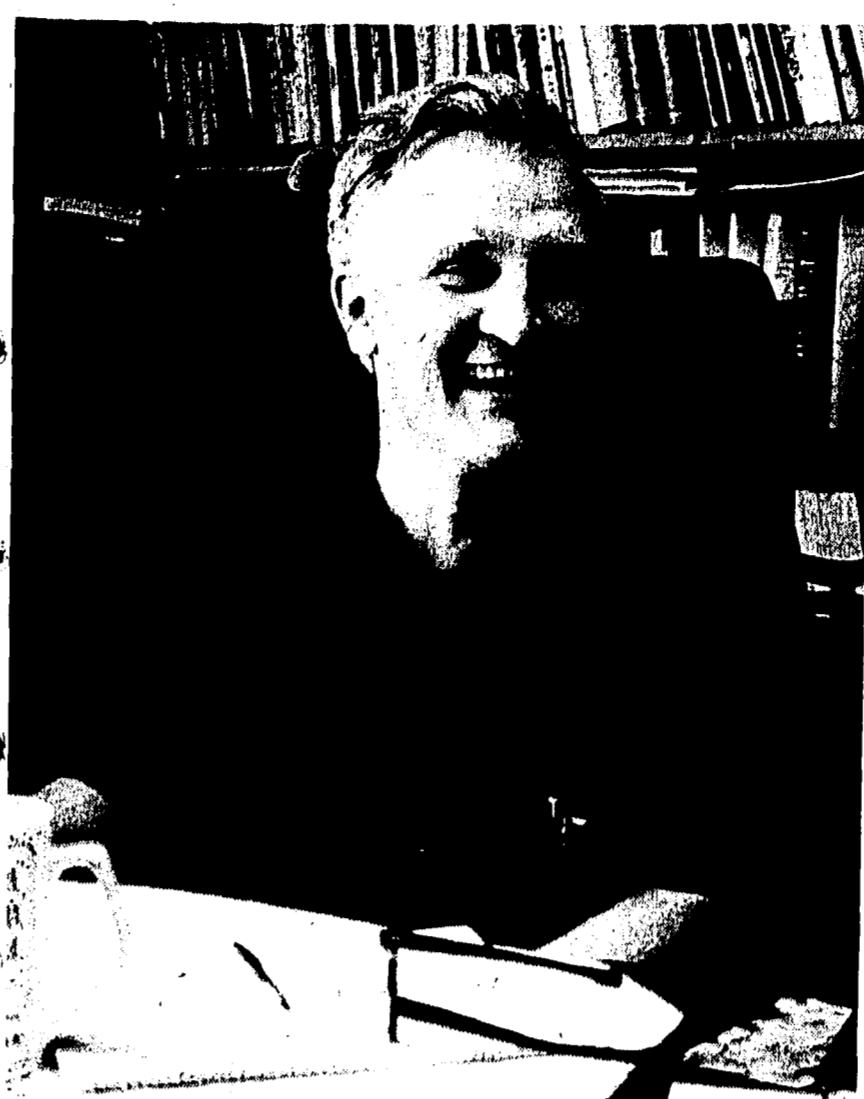
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During Michigan Week

Harding honored with governors service award



Father Leslie Harding relaxes in his study

Father Leslie Harding of Novi has been named one of 10 outstanding citizens in Michigan.

Joining the select group of individuals named each year during Michigan Week celebrations, Father Harding was honored in ceremonies held in Marshall last Monday.

Presentations were made by William Bresler, executive director of The Greater Michigan Foundation, and William McLaughlin, director of the Michigan Department of Commerce. Both were representing the governor's office.

The awards are made annually to those people who are deserving of recognition for their volunteer activities. Harding was initially nominated for the Governor's Volunteer Leadership Award by the Novi Michigan Week Committee. Final selection of those chosen to be honored at the state level is made by the Greater Michigan Foundation.

According to the Novi coordinators of the state-wide celebration, Father Harding's involvement in the community has been on-going since he came to the city nearly 10 years ago. He is vicar of the Church of the Holy Cross and St. Anne's Episcopal Church, Walled Lake.

He established the police chaplain corps to provide religious coordination of all faiths to the police department. Serving in an on-call basis to the department, the corps answers calls for

illness, accident, strife, and for the comfort of families.

Serving as chairman of Novi Youth Assistance for several years, Harding has been an active participant in the group of interested and concerned citizens working in programs for the youth of the city.

The growth of Novi has also benefited from Harding's leadership abilities. He served on the needs and priority assessment committee designed to study community needs in general and develop a list of priorities to be followed. The police department, parks and recreation and municipal complex plans were devised from that list, submitted to the public with the needed millage passed by the voters.

Serving on the architectural advisory committee, Harding helped guide the design and building of the new police headquarters, now under construction, and the ultimate move of the city government into its present facilities.

The Novi committee included mention of Harding's work on the housing and development committee (HCD) in their nomination letter. The committee provides citizen input for park development, road improvements and housing rehabilitation to further pursue community goals.

Saying she was most pleased with Harding's selection for the honor, Councilman Pat Kavechik claimed the recognition was long overdue.

"He exemplifies community involvement that extends beyond the normal realm of participation," added City Manager Ed Kriewall. "His energy is never ending. He has developed programs, stayed with them and continues to serve to better our community. He really gets in there, he shows a little and things happen."

Harding said the recognition bestowed by his city and the state "was a true honor. To be remembered by the community in this fashion is a tremendous thrill. Any volunteer knows there is little glory in volunteering. If that's what they're after, they've missed the point."

"I was proud to receive the honor, but I'm only one in that big group of tremendous volunteers that were so hard for our community," he added. "All of them deserve recognition."

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Entering the music division, 10-year-old Marilyn Ferguson wrote the lyrics and composed the music to her now copyrighted song, "Thru My Window." Judged the top winner from a field of 51 entrants at her grade level, Marilyn's entry is now eligible for national judging scheduled to begin June 8.

Following the PTA theme, "Look Out Your Window," Marilyn was required by contest rules to make a tape recording of the tune as she played and sang it.

She received her state trophy topped with a large musical note at recent Walled Lake PTA Council ceremonies.

The daughter of Mrs. Sue Ferguson of Commerce Township, Marilyn's musical abilities and talents appear to be inherited, according to her mother. Mrs. Ferguson is a piano teacher who says music runs through the lives of virtually every other family member. Marilyn's grandparents have operated a Detroit music studio for many years.

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South Lyon Artrain

Continued from 7-D

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Saturday, there's a continental breakfast in downtown South Lyon from 10 a.m. to noon and Friday and Saturday evening the first dinner-theatre presentation will take place at Kiwanis Hall.

A buffet supper from 5-8 p.m. at Centennial School will kick off the festivities on Thursday. Friday a food tent at McHattie Park will feature international and old-time favorites in the culinary line.

Highlights of a visit to the park will be a tour of South Lyon's first museum, the historic Wilch's Hat Depot, which will be open during Artrain hours.

TODAY, WEDNESDAY, MAY 30

Inter-Lakes Garden Club, noon, Stonecrest Building, Walled Lake
 Work Bees, 6:30 p.m., Tiffin House, Wixom
 Stage One Productions, 7 p.m., Novi Community Center
 Earlybird Weight Watchers, 6:30 a.m., Novi High School Commons
 Inter-Lakes Chapter Sweet Adelines, 7:30 p.m., Union Lake Elementary School

THURSDAY, MAY 31

Broulette Scholarship Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Big Boy Restaurants, Walled Lake
 Overeaters Anonymous, 9:30 a.m., Orchard Lake Community Presbyterian Church
 Novi Rotary Club, noon, Novi United Methodist Church

FRIDAY, JUNE 1

Wixom Historical Society Yard Sale, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tiffin House, Wixom
 Walled Lake Jaycee Installation Dinner, 7:30 p.m., Plymouth Hilton Hotel
 Walled Lake Senior Citizen Drop-In Center, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Shepherd of the Lakes Church

SATURDAY, JUNE 2

Trash and Treasures Sale, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Novi Community Building
 Historical Society Yard Sale, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tiffin House, Wixom
 Village Creek Garden Club, 9:30 a.m., Beverly Manor Rest Home, Novi
 Walled Lake Central Prom, 8 p.m., Botsford Inn

SUNDAY, JUNE 3

Open House, 5 to 7 p.m., Novi United Methodist Church
 Trash and Treasures Sale, noon to 5 p.m., Novi Community Building
 First Sunday Breakfasts, 8 a.m. to noon, Commerce Masonic Temple
 Lakes Community Chorus, 7:30 p.m., Commerce Methodist Church

MONDAY, JUNE 4

Independent Club of the Rebekah Lodge, Novi Community Building
 Preschool Speech Clinic, by appointment, Twin Beach School, Walled Lake
 "Adventures in Landscaping," 8 p.m., Wixom City Hall
 Community Action Team, 7:30 p.m., Wolverine Lake Village Offices

TUESDAY, JUNE 5

Congratulations Novi High School Class of 1979
 Novi High School Graduation, 7:30 p.m., Novi High School Football Field, weather permitting
 Western High School Track Banquet, 6:30 p.m., Western High School Cafeteria
 Civil Air Patrol, Sixgate Squadron, 7 p.m., Novi Middle School South
 Novi Jaycees, 7:30 p.m., Novi Community Building
 Novi Friends of the Library, 7:30 p.m., Novi Public Library
 Walled Lake Jaycees, 8 p.m., Laneson's
 Walled Lake Auxiliary "Eaglettes," 8 p.m., Eagles Clubhouse, 125 East Walled Lake Drive
 Walled Lake City Council, 8 p.m., Walled Lake City Hall
 Wixom Jaycees, 8 p.m., Wixom Community Building
 Welcome Wagon Exercisers, 10 a.m., Holy Family Catholic Church
 Novi Community Band, 7 p.m., Novi High School Band Room
 Choralaires Rehearsal, 7:30 p.m., Novi Middle School South
 Farmington Hills Sweet Adelines, 7:30 p.m., University Hills Church
 Novi Weight Watchers, 7 p.m., Living Lord Lutheran Church, Novi

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Balloons get lift off

It was a combination of the arts and sciences that led to the launching of 16 handmade hot air balloons by the fifth grade classes at Decker Elementary School.

An outdoor education workshop attended by Barbara Velkoff and Judy Sheppard introduced the two teachers to the construction of the balloons fashioned from tissue paper and glue. Their enthusiasm for the project spread "like wild-fire" to the students in their classes.

Combining some artistic talents needed to construct the colorful objects, students spent their science time studying a unit on gases. Together they added up to a "great learning experience," according to the teachers.

The projects were attacked with the vigor of youngsters with a dream. The five foot tall, multi-colored balloons soon took shape in the classrooms with groups of three students working together on each balloon construction.

Soon the strange shapes were suspended from the ceilings of the two rooms for safe-keeping. "Enthusiasm for the final experiment, the actual launching, grew each day," smiled the teachers. They added that the balloons were not outfitted with the normal suspended gondola found on "the real thing," but that was due to a lack of time.

Panel patterns were first made with the children eagerly cutting the precise number of panels from the thin paper. Care was taken in gluing each panel together since an air leak would mean a fiasco flight.

Since the balloons would not be able to take their heat source with them, the children learned the balloons would stay aloft only as long as the internal air stayed warm. The children also learned that tight, secure seams would enable the fragile balloons to attain some altitude and speed. They also knew to look for a cool morning as the best for launch time.

The children assembled on the playground early Friday morning for the launch, watching as the teachers fired up the camp stoves used to heat the air. Fitting a stove pipe over the flame to direct the heat inside the small cavities, the balloons had their lift-off.

Eager to see the end result of their "experiment," the children watched as the balloons were subjected to the whims of the wind and aero-dynamics. Some faulty designs folded shortly after take-off. Others skimmed the ground, never really reaching the dreamed-of heights.

A few did manage to rise and sail off in the breeze. Those that did, received a round of applause from the excited crowd of youngsters assembled on the school playground. Those designs that managed to clear the school building drew the jumping, squealing cheers of the applauding kids.

"After all that successful activity, I just wish we could go sailing off in a real hot air balloon," sighed Ms. Velkoff.

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Nominating petitions due for city council positions

Only three days remain for Novi City Council candidates to file petitions for the three available seats.

At press time two mayoral candidates and one council candidate had filed petitions, while at least five nominating petitions are still being circulated.

In the mayor's race, both Romaine Roethel and James Shaw have filed petitions. John Chambers has filed for nomination to the council.

Petitions also have been taken out by

incumbent council members Martha Hoyer and Robert Schmid. Others have gone out to Michael Duchesneau, 42068 Libere; William O'Brien, 41131 McMahon; and N. Dwight Teachworth, 44893 Galway.

Chambers, who filed nominating petitions on Friday, formally announced his candidacy last week.

He explained that while there appeared to be no solid issues yet in the campaign he believed the tax collection fee the city council recently approved

and responsiveness to residents' needs could emerge as issues in the future.

He indicated he believed the city should have gone to the citizens and allowed them a say in the decision regarding the assessment of the collection fee. Regarding responsiveness he explained he believed council members should not represent only the part of the community where they live, but the entire community.

Chambers said he had no particular problems with the council currently

seated, but he believed some fresh blood could be an asset there.

He is a comptroller for Washtenaw Community College.

Teachworth, an attorney, indicated he believed that it would be premature to take a position on the issues this early in the race.

Duchesneau could not be reached for comment.

The terms of three council members — Hoyer, Shaw and Schmid — will expire this

year. With six known council candidates for that race it is unclear at this time whether the city will be required to hold a primary election.

A primary election will be necessary if there are more than two candidates for mayor or each vacancy on the council. The need for a primary is nullified if there are two or less candidates for each post.

Should one additional candidate, beyond those who have taken out petitions, file for candidacy a primary elec-

tion will be necessary.

Residents interested in running for council, but who have not collected the required 100 signatures, still may be placed on the ballot by paying \$100 to the clerk's office, according to a city charter provision.

The city began accepting nominating petitions May 18 and will cut off candidates on the filing deadline Friday, August 7. The general election will be November 6.

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Citizen panel to plan community building

A resolution for the formation of a special citizens' committee to draw up plans and recommendations for construction of a new community center has been unanimously approved by the Novi City Council.

The "Community Building Developmental Concept Committee" will be composed of 12 Novi residents and be charged with the responsibility of "conceptually developing a plan for replacing the present community building."

Formation of the citizens' committee is seen as an important first step toward construction of a new community building.

City officials are hopeful that the committee will have completed its report and finalized recommendations in time for a general obligation bond proposal to be placed on the November ballot for construction of the proposed facility.

The Novi Community Building presently is attached to the old Novi Elementary School on the east side of Novi Road between I-96 and Grand River Avenue.

Facilities at the existing community building are limited, however, and the age of the building has created high

operating costs. Additionally, the property on which the building is located is currently up for sale by the Novi School District.

The resolution approved by the council calls for the committee to be comprised by one member of the Parks and Recreation Commission, one staff representative from the Parks and Recreation Department, two representatives from the Novi Senior Citizens Center, one representative from Novi Youth Assistance, one representative from the Novi Clergy Association, one representative from the Novi Police Department Youth Bureau, three citizens of Novi and two administrative staff members.

All representatives on the committee will be Novi citizens.

Assistant City Manager Alex Allie reported Tuesday that applications already have been received from citizens interested in serving on the committee. He said the council will appoint the committee at a later date.

The committee will be charged with the following responsibilities:

- Relaying the need for replacement to a recommendation of the scope of a new community center;
- Work with the architect to plan a

schematic portrayal of the recommended components of the community center;

- Recommend to city council the findings and proposal of the final concept including cost estimates; and
- Provide a recommendation on financing whatever concept is developed.

Allie has suggested that the community center could involve a building of 17,500 square feet which would include a large multi-purpose room of 7,500 square feet, two general purpose meeting rooms, two office area complexes, a full-service kitchen, a storage room and a lobby as well as rest rooms and a parking lot.

Allie noted that his proposal was simply for the purpose of budget considerations and will probably be altered by the citizens' committee.

The facility is proposed for construction in the Ella Mae Powers Park on the city-school-library complex on Ten Mile at Taft Roads.

Allie has suggested that the facility would cost \$1.25 million and proposed that construction be financed through a general obligation bond issue of \$1.5 million.

City approves bond issue to fund fire improvements

Novi voters will be asked to approve a bond issue to fund a request for additional millage for fire department improvements when they go to the polls in the August primary.

Novi's City Council last week voted unanimously to replace the request for approval of one mill for a three-year period with a request for approval of a \$1 million capital improvement bond issue.

The funds are being sought by the city to implement the recommendations of the Fire Department Capital Improvement Committee.

Specifically, those recommendations call for reconstruction of Fire Station Number One (Novi Road) at an estimated cost of \$280,000; relocation and reconstruction of Fire Station Number Two (Thirteen Mile) at an estimated cost of \$300,000; and purchase of a pumper truck with aerial equipment at an estimated cost of \$170,000.

The proposal to replace the millage request with the bond issue was set forth by City Manager Edward Kriewall at last week's council meeting.

Kriewall told the council that the bonding approach for generating revenues for fire department improvements "allows us to proceed much quicker with the proposed improvements."

Assistant City Manager Alex Allie told the council that it would not be possible to build the two fire stations under the millage proposal until the fall of 1981 or 1982.

"This is due to the fact that we have to bank the first year's money as it will fall somewhat short of the dollar amount needed," said Allie.

Under the bonding approach, the city would acquire the funds immediately and be able to begin construction as soon as construction plans have been finalized.

"The improvement is in service much sooner because we will not have to wait for a three-year accumulation of funds from the millage," explained Kriewall.

Kriewall and Allie also suggested

that the bonding issue would be more equitable to taxpayers.

By utilizing a three-year special millage, homes and businesses currently under construction will pay a minimal price for the improved facilities, commented Allie.

"Homes and businesses built in 1980 will pay even a lesser share and those constructed in 1981 will pay virtually nothing."

Allie said the situation is due to the fact that annual property assessments have cyclical patterns, whereby it takes approximately three years to place a new residential home on assessment rolls at full value.

Major commercial facilities often take up to 10 years for full assessments to be realized.

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Colliau, Waldenmayer unopposed for board

Novi voters will go to the polls for the school election Monday, June 11. But the ballot action is limited, to say the least.

There are two four-year positions on the school board which are open. Running unopposed for those seats are Trustees Joel Colliau and Board President Ruth Waldenmayer.

Barring a successful write-in campaign, the two incumbents will be returned to the board.

Colliau was first elected to the board in 1975. He served as board president in 1977 and vice-president in 1976.

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The Novi High School Band stepped out in fine style in the Memorial Day parade due to eleventh hour efforts of a band member father. Marchers in the parade appeared for the first time in Novi wearing new summer weight, corps style shirts such as this one worn by Rob MacPherson. The smart shirts are white with green highlighted by a gold-colored front insert. The snappy outfits are completed with a white on gold double sash and plumed hat. Through a number of fund raising efforts, band boosters gained the money to order the shirts. Delays caused by fabric shortages postponed delivery, however,

and band students had just about given up hope for the new outfits this spring. Invited to participate in the Alma Highland Festival followed by the Memorial Day parade, band boosters learned the shirts were completed but shipping time would make delivery impossible. That's when John McCormick stepped on the scene and offered to fly his private plane to Goshen, Indiana, to pick up the shirts. Leaving New Hudson airport Friday, McCormick found representatives from the company waiting to load the plane. The efforts paid off with the uniforms quickly dispersed to band members in time for both parades.

Novi adopts regulations for self-serve stations

A local ban prohibiting self-service gas stations was lifted Monday by the Novi City Council.

Safety regulations and operational standards for the stations were unanimously approved by the council.

The council had considered the regulations at several prior sessions and wrestled with the problem of ensuring the stations do not create fire hazards while still not causing a burden on gas station owners by imposing overly stringent safety requirements.

City Manager Ed Kriewall presented the ordinance that it contained requirements designed to ensure the safety

elements which had concerned the council.

It also included provisions which would likely encourage some stations to maintain full-service as well as self-service islands.

In fact, Kriewall told the council that though the stations may initially go to self-serve, he believed that in the future the regulations would encourage stations to offer both types of service since those stations must meet fewer requirements.

The requirements approved by the council specify that attendants must be at least 16 years of age, and that an attendant must always be within reach of a circuit breaker which will shut off

power to gas pumps in emergencies.

Self-service gas stations will not be allowed to have more than eight pumps attended by one operator. Any station with three or more pumps for self-service or with 50 percent of its pumps for self-service will be required to install an overhead chemical sprinkler system to douse fires.

Portable fire extinguishers also are required within 50 feet of each pump.

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