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## Case closed on burglaries

BY PHIL CUSTODIO

*Clarkston News Editor*

A burglary case in Independence Township was closed with the arrest of two suspects, also wanted for burglaries in Waterford Township.

Cameron Ryan Cornell, 19, and Johnathan James Somson, 38, were arrested in connection with burglaries in the 5000 block of Tamarack Park Lane, June 24, as well as Waldon Lake Drive, June 27.

They were identified through jewelry pawn slips at shops in Waterford and Pontiac, said Detective Michelle Miller, assigned to the Oakland County Sheriff's Independence Township substation.

Detectives provide local shops with information about recently burglarized property. The shop owners called police when they received some items on the list.

"The pawn shop owners were amazing," Miller said. "We sent the homeowners there and they identified the jewelry."

Neighbors in the Tamarack case also provided police with a description of suspicious people in the area and their pickup truck, which assisted in the

*Please see Suspects on page 9*

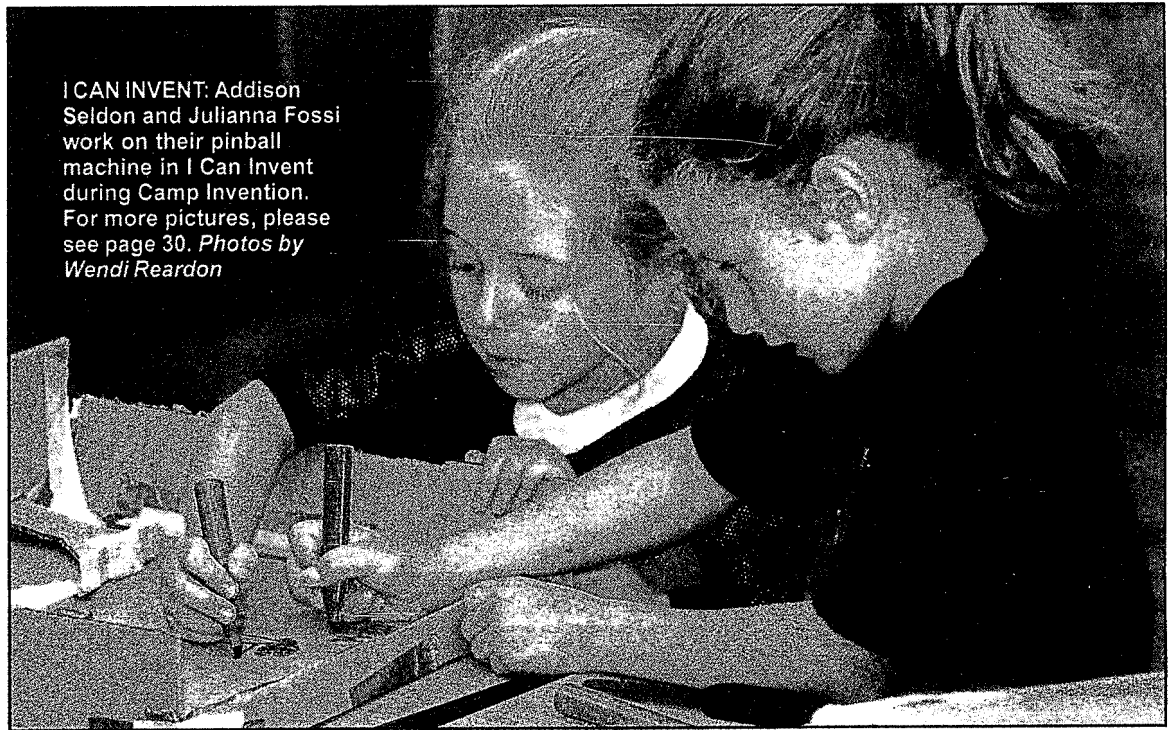


Cornell



Somson

I CAN INVENT: Addison Seldon and Julianna Fossi work on their pinball machine in I Can Invent during Camp Invention. For more pictures, please see page 30. Photos by Wendi Reardon



## Safety concerns quash tri, du races

BY PHIL CUSTODIO

*Clarkston News Editor*

Athletes' hopes of putting their training to the test at the 10th annual Village Tri and Du are dashed - this year's event is cancelled.

"We hate to make a decision like that, but we won't put athletes and residents at risk," said Independence Township Supervisor Pat Kittle. "We have to think of the big picture."

Officials with the township and City of the Village of Clarkston pulled the plug on the Aug. 10 triathlon (formerly the Craig Greenfield), based on timeliness and

inaccuracies in the organizer's application, and lack of required back-up documents.

About 300 athletes were expected in the events, which would have included an 800-meter swim in Deer Lake, 16-mile bike ride, and 4.4-mile run in the triathlon; duathlon with 1.8-mile run, 16-mile bike ride, and another 4.4-mile run; and Sprint Aquabike, with an 800-meter swim and 16 miles on the bike.

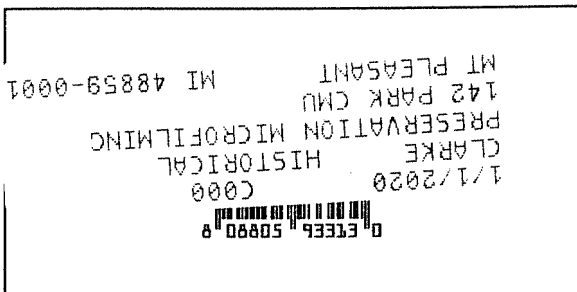
"Both communities agree that they do not have enough information or enough time to plan for an event of this magnitude that would maintain the health, safety and welfare of

their residents," Kittle said in a press release. "The township and city would like to thank event participants and all attendees who support this worthwhile cause."

The race management company, 3-Disciplines (3D), did not provide adequate plans to coordinate with sheriff's deputies, the supervisor said.

The township and city created a new special event application procedure this year to address the increasing number of requests for road closures for running and cycling events.

*Please see Tri-Du on page 22*



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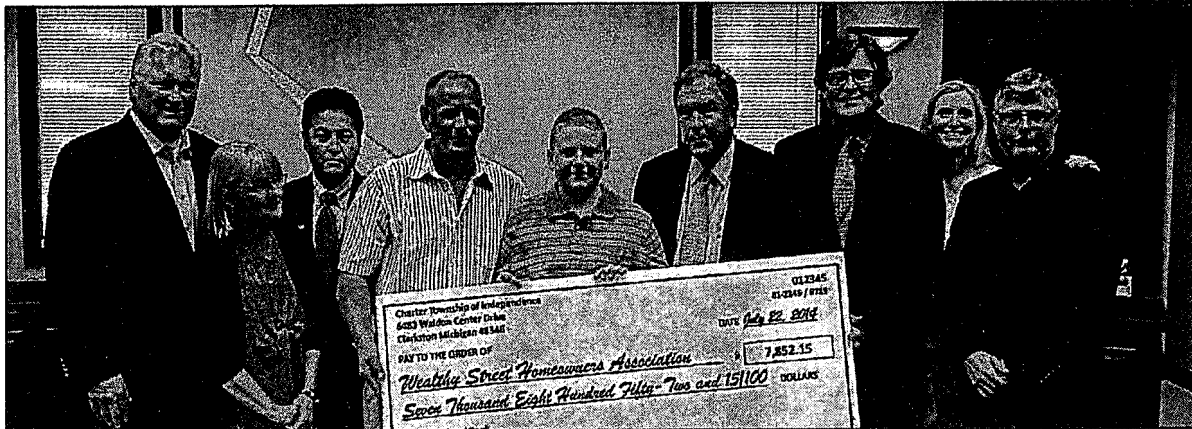
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Mark Petterson and his son accept a check from the Independence Township Board to help improve the road in their neighborhood. Photo provided

## Incentive program renovates local roads

For Wealthy Street residents, a new program is just the thing to get a road renovation project running.

Former Independence Township trustee and resident Mark Petterson and his son accepted the first check from the newly created Neighborhood Road Incentive program, created by Independence Township to help offset costs for neighborhoods needing to repave their streets.

Petterson accepted the check on behalf of Wealthy Street residents. The check was

for \$7,852, which is 5 percent of the cost of the project. About 1,700 feet of the street in the neighborhood will be milled and repaved. In total, the project will cost the Wealthy neighborhood \$175,000, or about \$100 per linear foot.

The program, financed through Oakland County, will be spread over the total number of homes in the neighborhood for the next 10 years, added to their yearly property taxes. According to Supervisor Pat Kittle, the township contribution per project is capped at

\$15,000.

The township has allocated a total of \$50,000 for all projects.

"This program has generated a lot of interest with neighborhoods who want to repave their streets," said Kittle. "This incentive is being offered on a first come, first serve basis until the \$50,000 budget is gone."

For more information or details about the program call Independence Township Treasurer Paul Brown at 625-5111.

-Andrea Beaudoin

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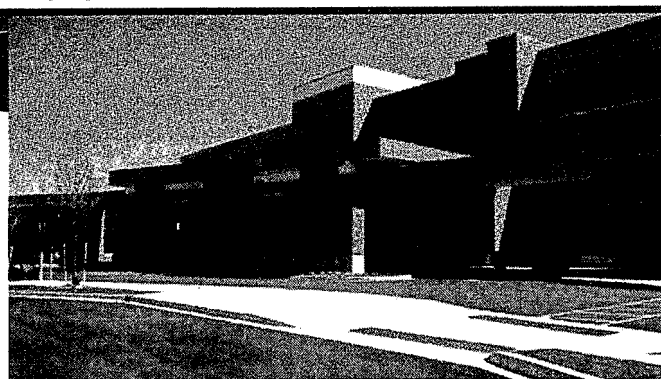
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Alyssa Aguilar walks near the end of a sidewalk on the west side of Main Street, which would connect to a city sidewalk if work is approved. Photo by Andrea Beaudoin

## Sidewalk work planned on Main

Clarkston is looking to save some money on a sidewalk project by linking it to current work in the area.

City Council gave Manager Carol Eberhardt the OK to sign a contract up to \$20,000.

The project would extend the sidewalk on the west side of Main Street from Miller Road north to the city limits, where it would connect to an Independence Township side-

walk.

If the work is done by Michigan Department of Transportation contractors in conjunction with other sidewalk and road work in the area, the city estimates it would cost \$10,000-\$12,000.

If work is not included in the current project, the city engineer estimates the extension would cost over \$18,000.

— Andrea Beaudoin

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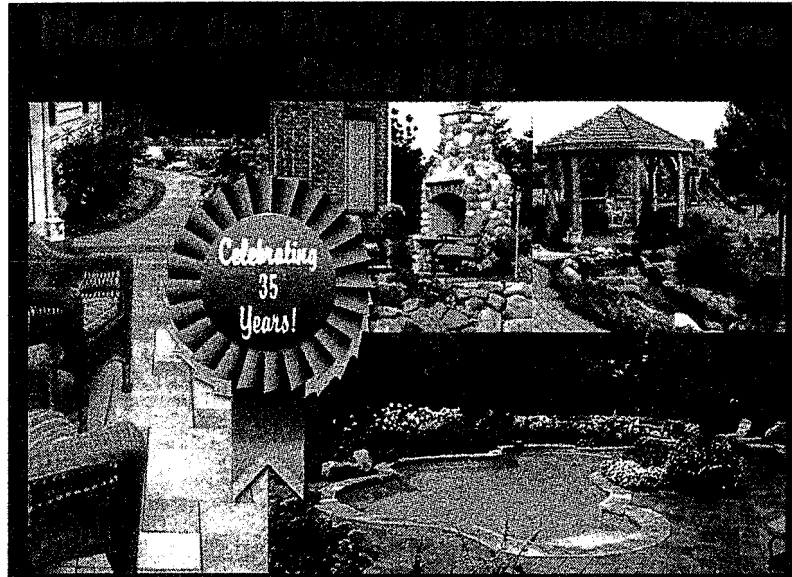
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Bob Arwood and the Regulators provides entertainment at the Depot Park event.

## Concert for Habitat

A Clarkston-area family is almost halfway to achieving their goal of homeownership, with the help of the community and My Habitat Clarkston.

"It's exciting – we really appreciate it," said prospective homeowner Shannon Chatman, who has been working with the community organization for about two years.

The Clarkston group organized a concert fund raiser in Depot Park, July 25. Country band Bob Arwood and the Regulators provided musical entertainment, and volunteers sold hot dogs and hundreds of hand decorated cupcakes.

"This wasn't something we were expecting – this took a lot of time and effort," Chatman said. "It's really sweet."

Local churches, businesses, schools, and community organizations have been working with Habitat for Humanity Oakland for two years, locating suitable property for families who must also complete lengthy applications.

"This is fantastic – we're getting ready for the ground breaking," said the Rev. Jonathan Heierman, pastor of Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church in Clarkston. "What I love about this is it draws everyone together, and gives us an opportunity to pull together and make it happen as a community."

"This is awesome, a model for every community we want to build in," said Kim Howard, manager of partnerships for Habitat Oakland. "This isn't a one time deal. It's the start of a longterm commitment together."

Ground breaking at the new home site in Springfield Township is Aug. 4. They are raising \$130,000 for the project.

My Habitat Clarkston also organizes Impact Days in the fall and spring, helping families in need with home projects, and gathers information and resources for volunteers and



From right, the Rev. Jonathan Heierman talks about My Habitat Clarkston with Elizabeth Heiss Wyss, development associate for Habitat Oakland, and Shannon Chatman, who is working with My Habitat Clarkston to build a home for her and her two children. Photos by Phil Custodio

those who need.

"The great thing is this is not just about building houses – it means building a better community for all of us," Heierman said.

For more information, check [www.myhabitatclarkston.org](http://www.myhabitatclarkston.org).

– Phil Custodio

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# Outing supports Veterans' Court mission

BY ANDREAM BEAUDOIN  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Local soldiers returning home with physical and emotional issues sometimes find themselves in trouble with the law. Thanks to a Veterans' Treatment Court program, soldiers do not have to wage the battle alone.

On Sunday, July 20, several leaders connected to the court system attended a golf outing at Boulder Point Golf Club in Oxford to raise money for the cause. Independence Township Supervisor Pat Kittle was one of 200 attendees who went to the outing to show support for the court's mission.

Kittle said over \$75,000 was raised to help pay for services to assist US Veterans who are struggling with substance abuse and emotional issues.

The outing began with singing of the National Anthem, a 21 gun salute and the playing of Taps. Kittle said all events were made in honor of warriors who made the ultimate sacrifice in the name of freedom. Golf, dinner, a silent and live auction and free car raffle were also included in the outing.

The July 20 outing was the fourth annual event held to support the Veterans Court.

"Every year the event continues to grow along with the number of supporters and volunteers," said Kittle. "A special thank to everyone who support our Veterans in need."

Kittle volunteered to serve on the Friends of the Oakland County Regional Veteran's Court board of directors after 52-2 District Court Judge Kelly Kostin asked for his help.

Kostin said she approached Kittle for help because she knew what he had gone through when his son David passed away in 2013.



From left, Attorney Robert Kostin, Judge Kelly Kostin, Judge Jodi Debbrecht Switalski, Kim Kittle, Pat Kittle and local businessman Bob McDonald attended a July 20 outing to raise money for veterans.

David, a 2003 graduate of Clarkston High School, served as a sergeant in the U.S. Army with tours in both Afghanistan and Iraq. When he returned home to face civilian life, he was completely different person. At the time of his death, David was also on full disability from his work in the military and also struggled with drug and alcohol abuse.

Kittle said he volunteers to help as a labor of love and he wants to help soldiers facing the same types of issues his son had faced.

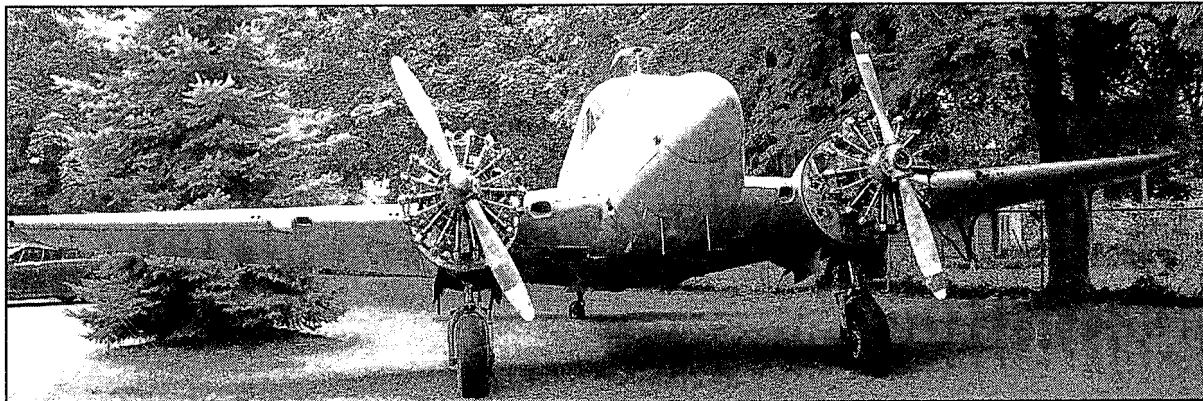
Kittle said the Veteran's Court is a helpful tool for America's men and women returning

home from battle.

"There are thousands of men and women who have proudly served our country who are struggling to adjust back into civilian life," said Kittle. "The Veteran's Treatment Court works."

According to Kostin, many soldiers are in self medication mode, and dealing with substance abuse issues is exactly the type of issues the court targets.

Kittle said because of the drug abuse they end up in a vicious cycle, and get themselves into trouble.



Business owner Curt Catallo recently got a vintage plane and is keeping it in Clarkston for the time being. Photo by Andrea Beaudoin

## World War II-era plane graces Main Street

Local business owner Ed Adler spotted something unique in the back of a local business, so *The Clarkston News* went to investigate.

It's a vintage Beechcraft Model 18 plane was spotted near the back of the old Township Hall Building at 90 N. Main. Located on private property, home to the Union

AdWorks, local restaurateur Curt Catallo said the World War II era plane was purchased at an auction at a Michigan school for aviation and the plane engines were purchased out of Detroit.

"I don't know where it's permanent home is going to be," said Catallo. "Right now where it is a good spot for it because it re-

minds us that the 90 N. Main building was used to make cheap seat covers for a lot of jeeps during World War II."

The site was once a factory used to make Ford Motor Co., upholstery, he said.

"A lot of those seats in the jeeps came from Clarkston," he said.

— Andrea Beaudoin

## Briefly

### Absentee vote

The Independence Township Clerk's office at 6483 Waldon Center Drive will be open on Saturday, Aug. 2, from 8-10 a.m. for issuing absentee voter ballots.

Registered voters can obtain absentee ballot if they are age 60 years old or older; unable to vote without assistance at the polls; expecting to be out of town on election day; in jail awaiting arraignment or trial; unable to attend the polls due to religious reasons; or appointed to work as an election inspector in a precinct outside of your precinct of residence.

For more information, call Clerk Barbara Pallotta at 248-625-5114, Ext.203.

### Looking for Gardens

The Clarkston Farm and Garden Club is looking for prospective gardens for the Garden Walk in July 2015 for the 10th anniversary of the Clarkston Garden Walk.

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### Hunter preparedness

Springfield Township Parks and Recreation hosts Hunter's Safety for a two-day class at Hart Community Center Aug. 4 and 6, 4:30-9:30 p.m.

The class teaches participants to be safe and responsible hunters.

Course topics include: hunting history, safe firearm handling, animal identification, shot selection, laws and regulations, personal preparedness, survival skills and wildlife conservation.

Participants are tested at the completion of the course and those 10 years of age and older are awarded their Hunter Safety Certification Card from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources. You must complete all the chapters in review questions in the Hunter Education book before class begins.

This safety class is highly recommended for persons of all ages. Pre-registration is strongly recommended.

The fee is \$10 per person and is for ages 10 years old and up. Those under 12 years old must be accompanied by an adult.

For more information, please call 248-846-6558 or visit [www.springfield-twp.us](http://www.springfield-twp.us).

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## Andrea's Anecdotes

A column by Andrea Beaudoin

### Don't let library go

If voters shoot down a library millage on August 5 the Clarkston-Independence library will close.

Books will be packed and music silenced. Enrichment classes, education classes and special activities will be gone.

Officials are asking taxpayers to pay on average about \$125 a year for the library.

A lot of residents are in favor of the library too.



Retired Judge Gerald McNally is greatly in favor of a "yes" vote to the library because he believes the library is the cornerstone in any community, and I think he said it best...

"The significance of our spiritual value is reflected in our many magnificent churches, he said. "A library is so much more than a building and books. A library represents how far we have come out of the cave and out of tall grasses. A failure of the library millage would be a setup back to the cave and tall grasses."

Thinking you may be able to go to a neighboring library if yours is gone? Think again.

Neighboring libraries have a reciprocal agreement with Clarkston -Independence said Library Director Judith Meridith. If the Clarkston Library has nothing to share it voids that agreement and residents will not have any recourses to share so the contract is void.

In 2012 the library was reestablished under the District Library Agreement, and officials get two chances to fund it. If the 2014 millage does not pass under revamped library laws, the library must dissolve and other libraries can deny you.

The millage residents will vote for is an operating millage which pays for everything needed to operate the building.

The library gets 134,658 visits per year (many repeat customers), and spends about \$29.20 a week per library visitor.

Clarkton-Independence Library offer patrons many perks. In addition be being able to check out over tons of books, music and movies, patrons can also request material from other libraries.

Patrons can also attend numerous classes, educational opportunities, support group and clubs.

A library is place of lifelong learning, education and enrichment.

A library is important to the community in so many ways. Kudos to all the hard work so many community members have put in to support the library. They think you should vote YES, and I do too!

# Opinion Pages

Letters, columns & Editorials

## Free speech trumps sign rules, reader says

Dear Editor,

The article on local regulations on political signs was interesting but, in my view, fell short to the extent it failed to emphasize that while local government may be able to restrict political sign postings on public right-of-ways, it has been found that the First Amendment right to free speech allows for the posting of political yard signs on private property without regard to attempted local regulation ("Political signs," July 9).

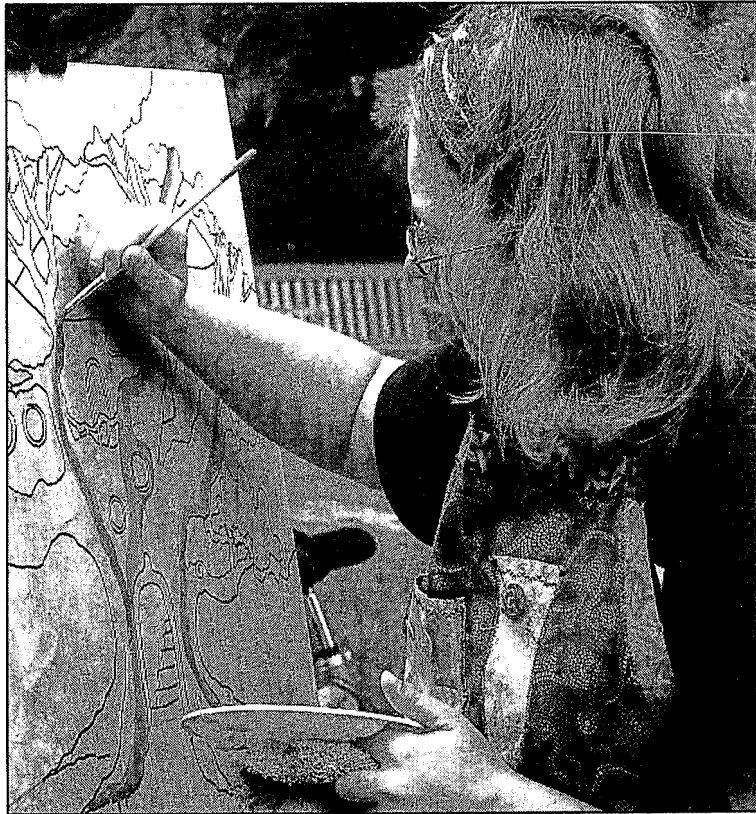
We all want to be sensitive to neighborhood aesthetic considerations, but the obligation to ensure First Amendment rights trumps this.

Yard signs may be the only practicable way for many residents to confront the ex-

pensive TV and other political ads we already are subjected to, months and more than a year before election time, showing how a Rick Snyder family friend, not surprisingly, got richer with Snyder's help in marketing flatbread, and how we who pay annual real estate and other taxes should feel shame when wealthy family businesses and dynasties "unfairly" have to pay personal property taxes.

When many incumbents are supported by the wealthy constituents who have financially benefitted from the incumbents' time in office, a yard sign is one of few options available to the middle class.

Mike Fetzer  
Independence Township



**PARK ART:** Dana Driscoll of Clarkston paints a picture at easels in the Park during the My Habitat Clarkston concert in Depot Park, July 25. The art event, organized by Depot Street Arts, is part of Free Art Friday Clarkston. Photo by Phil Custodio

## Make your voice heard with a Letter to the Editor

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## A Look Back

From The CNews archives

### 15 years ago - 1999

**"City water, repaving delayed"** After 90 minutes of discussion, the Clarkston City Council decided a plan to repave Main Street and possibly to install a water main the following summer was all wet. Following a suggestion made by Gary Trussell, the city's engineer, the council voted 6-0 to delay the repaving project a year.

**"So, just how do you make a banana split for 165 kids?"** Parents and church helpers at Oakland Woods Baptist Church kept the 5-year banana split tradition of ending Vacation Bible School with a treat they up as they set up 80-foot of plastic sections covered in aluminum foil on tables in front of the church. To feed 165 kids attending the program they had seven gallons of ice cream, cut up 40 bananas, poured one gallon of Hershey's chocolate syrup and sprayed six cans of whipped cream to make the treat.

### 25 years ago - 1989

**"Hidden Springs water not at fault"** Hidden Springs swimming pond at Independence Oaks County park was reopened after tests failed to prove the lake caused several children to become ill. Test taken from the water, sewer and concession samples showed levels of fecal coliform were under the amount considered unhealthy.

**"Hot wires trap people in homes"** About 25 Independence Township houses off of Maybee Road were surrounded by a fence charged with more than 13,000 volts of electricity. It happened when several downed wires touched the aluminum fences in the 5200 to 5400 block of Maybee Road.

**"Nearly miss for four"** State champions a year ago, four Clarkston Junior High School girls nearly defended their 400-meter relay title at the Hershey Track and Field State Meet. Only by a split second, one-hundredth to be exact, separated Audrey Schlaff, Jamie Symons, Kelly Raup and Jill Attaman from the winners.

### 50 years ago - 1964

**"Local senior boy scouts enjoying Valley Forge Jamboree"** Boy Scouts from the Clarkston area had fun meeting other scouts from around the nation and the world at the Valley Forge Jamboree. A few met Lady Baden-Powell, the founder of scouting.

**"Local news"** Lisa Svetkoff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Svetkoff, celebrated her first birthday. A family dinner marked the occasion.

# President's plan pocked with lies, not leadership

On what track is Obama's plans for America?

Or perhaps he has none.

He's certainly ignored, or lied again, of his promise of transparency in Washington, DC.

Seems his lying, such as "You can keep your doctor," is his policy on all matters.

I've lived a long time, and witnessed extreme declines in faith in our government to do what is right and best for our country's current and future citizens. I'm beginning to believe Obama is anti-American, which he may have gotten from his Chicago pastor Jeremiah Wright.

I'm going to list some of Obama's actions that have prompted these thoughts:

He has a policy of opening borders, not closing them.

He refuses to visit the Tex-Mex bor-

der.

He doesn't push for fencing at the border.

He has no military in his cabinet.

He has pink-slipped several officers in the Iraq-Iran arena.

A recent poll has Obama replacing president George W. Bush as the worst president since World War II.

Obama asks for less spending for our armed forces, which makes our country more vulnerable.

Under his watch, America is no longer regarded as a world power.

He's allowed spying on Germany.

His spending pattern permits less

spending on our poor, education and citizenry in general.

His loose-border policy favors his Democrat party.

The policies in Washington are "my way or the highway" and that goes for both political parties.

Our country needs LEADERSHIP! What our country gets is LIES.

\* \* \*

\* They added up all the people who consider themselves a minority, and it added up to more than the population of the country.

\* "Honesty is the best policy, but it is important to remember that dishonesty, by elimination, is the second best policy." -- George Carlin

\* Rudner's Rule: "I think men who have a pierced ear are better prepared for marriage. They have experienced pain

and bought jewelry."

\* There is no point in meeting trouble half way. Let it travel the full distance -- something might happen to it enroute.

\* \* \*

There's a new movie coming out with a seasoned actor featured in a top roll. He's Fred Thompson. I've followed him for a long time.

Fred is a former U.S. Senator, who gave up politics for acting rolls. He's often seen on detective-like shows as a district attorney and crime fighter.

He's been seen even more often as a salesman for AAG Insurance. He's balding and appears with and without a moustache for his rolls.

By the time you read this, you may have seen him in his current film, "Persecuted."

## Jim's Jottings



A column by Jim Sherman, Sr.

## And the winner of my contest is . . .

At then end of June I asked folks to submit wee-little essays on the role of community newspapers here in our community. This was to showcase Community Paper Month. I sweetened the pot and said I would throw in \$50 for my favorite essay.

And, wouldn't you know it -- hotdamn -- a number of your wrote! Thank you all, and here are some of your responses.

**Bill Kalmar**, chimed in: "What would this community be like if it didn't have a community paper?"

"I would have to get my information by sitting in the heated sauna at the athletic club while talking to other male members. That would only give me a one-sided viewpoint because no women are allowed. And after an hour or so in the sauna my body would become wrinkled and clammy and thus I would quickly forget all the information and scuttlebutt that I learned as I try to unwrinkle myself! So a community paper is a better alternative unless women could join us in the sauna!"

Bill didn't win. But, he made me smile.

**Melissa Morrison** wrote of community papers, "Local newspapers like yours are the glue that hold the fabric of local communities together and make neighbors feel more like family."

Short, to the point. I like it. But, I'm not giving Melissa the nod.

**Shirley Zanoni's** closing paragraph summed her thoughts up nicely, "Our community paper is such a positive asset that I cannot imagine a week without my copy. Thank you and all the staff for being there for us all."

Former local, **Joe Gretka**, in part wrote: "The value

and importance of the reporting is centered on details. I rely on the community paper to pursue an issue until a resolution is reached. So often the larger papers make an initial report and that's the last you hear of the story."

**Cathi Dine**, in part, wrote: "Community newspapers report on the activities of both local government and the community. Despite what appears to be the prevailing attitude that the Federal government is all important so *I only vote in the Presidential elections*, the local community is the most important entity in politics. It is activities at the local level that impact our daily lives, and it is community newspapers who report most completely on those activities.

"To be sure, community newspapers report on the happenings and doings of our local government, and I appreciate that I can get information about what is happening without having to attend every meeting of my community government. Even more important, in my mind, is the coverage of local activities. I very much enjoy seeing the photographs from events . . .

"The local Public Safety column gives me an idea about what not-so-savory activities are happening in town . . .

"And what about the advertisements? I believe most of us like to buy close to home. Having local ads available weekly is a great service, as are the Classifieds. The Obituaries serve as a way to get the word out to acquaintance . . . Simply stated, my Community Newspaper keeps me up on the pulse of the local community and I would very much miss it if it was gone. I would almost feel adrift without a source of information without it."

Another good one, but my money is going with the next person's essay. **Diane DeClerck** wrote:

"Well Don, I would miss the news of the town if I couldn't read the community paper! It's sorta like going into the local grocery after church on Sunday morning and running into a bunch of people that you know. It takes

forever to get outta there because you're catching up on everything.

"I'd miss the view points with ongoing dialogs where you learn people's political views or just what is bothering them of late. Sometimes this can go on and on and on where people pour their hearts out. It's kinda neat if you know them and still neater because sometimes that's how you get to know them. Sometimes you look forward to the bickering and sometimes you tire of it, especially if it's political . . .

" . . . I'd miss the crime line and chuckling over all the little details of someone's domestic dispute. The argument is broadcast to all readers and where the party lives. This is how you get to decide what areas of the township you don't want to frequent.

"I'd miss the births, deaths, engagements, weddings, and announcements. You never know when it could be someone you know or their uncle, cousin, parent, or whoever! It may help if you're into sending them a card, condolence, or congratulations.

"Oh, and the ads I would miss! I may need to save money on dog food or buying a used vehicle or getting my teeth cleaned. You never know! The public notices are important, too, since it might involve your neighbor wanting to build a shed which would block your view of their bathroom window. The classified ads have everything from firewood to tutoring to rec. equipment, and all within a short driving distance . . ."

*And, now for the deciding factor in her winning:*

"Then there is the Don't Rush Me column which is informative and comical at the same time, although not always written about something that important. I look forward to reading the paper every week!"

Like I've said, I'm not at all opposed to brown-nosing! I wish I woulda had more room to expand, but space is money and there's only so much to spare.

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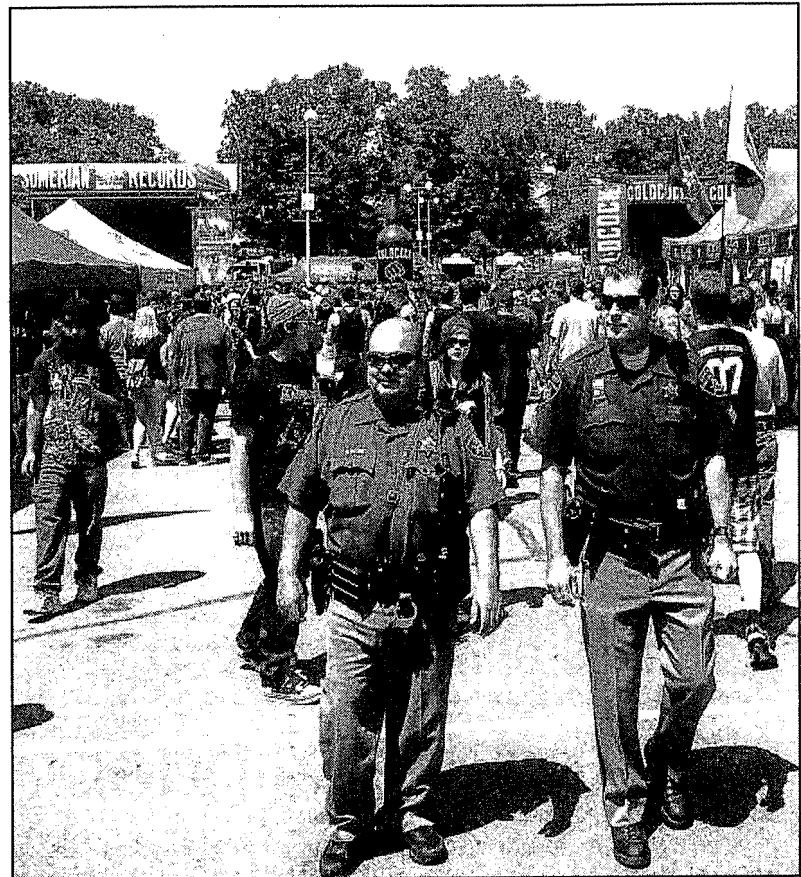
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Sergeant Chris Cole and Deputy Ruben Garcia were among 22 employees of the Oakland County Sheriff's Office stationed at DTE Music Theater on July 18 at the Rockstar Mayhem Festival. Photo by Andrea Beaudoin

## Deputies control 'Mayhem'

BY ANDREAM BEAUDOIN  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

At a concert billed as the "Mayhem Festival," Oakland County Sheriff's deputies made sure they had plenty of people to keep the peace, July 18.

Two sergeants and 20 deputies were stationed at DTE Energy Music Theater during the festival, July 18, featuring Avenged Sevenfold, Korn, Cannibal Corpse, Asking Alexandria, and other acts.

Deputies are in place to serve as safeguards rather than enforcers, said Lt. Dirk Feneley, commander of the Oakland County Sheriff's substation in Independence Township. Any problems that occurs are handled first by DTE security staff, with deputies serving as backup.

"They have been absolutely great how they handle things," Feneley said. "We're not there to give people a hard time."

They make sure there is a police presence at DTE for every show during the season, which began on May 23 with Eddie Money.

Costs are borne by concert promoters, with no taxpayer dollars used, the lieutenant said.

"We charge them per officer we have on site," he said. "We have never had any prob-

lems getting paid. The promoters have always paid the fees no questions asked."

Officers' biggest task is getting traffic in and out of DTE safely before and after concerts. The minimum staff required at any event is seven officers because there are seven traffic details at the venue, the most dangerous at I-75 and Sashabaw Road.

Feneley said the most common problems they encounter are family fights, especially between husbands and wives.

"Usually the wife takes off from the husband," he said.

Another common problem is vehicle accidents and drunk and disorderly people, but the drunk concert goer is usually just taken to detoxify at the Oakland County jail.

Feneley said he has been to many concerts over the years, and remembers the very first concert held at DTE was David Cassidy.

"Back then, there were no fences, and visitors used to be able to carry kegs of beer up the hill," he said.

The greatest crowd so far – the Steve Miller Band, Feneley said.

Independence Township Fire Department is also on site when various bands bring in pyrotechnics for their shows.

## Suspects face felony charges

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investigation, the detective said.

"Their truck matched the description," she said.

The suspects were also found with stolen items from recent burglaries in Waterford Township, including guns and ammunition.

Cornell was arraigned on July 24 in 51st District Court in Waterford on a first degree home invasion charge, \$25,000 cash/surety. Pretrial is set for July 31. He is scheduled to be arraigned in 52-2 District Court in Independence Township, July 31, on a second degree home invasion charge, \$25,000 bond.

Sornson was arraigned in 51st District Court, July 24, on a first degree home invasion charge, with \$10,000 bond. Pretrial is scheduled for Aug. 14. He is scheduled for arraignment in 52-2 District Court on July 31 on a second degree home invasion charge, \$15,000 bond.

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Jordan Laron Beauregard, 24, is awaiting trial for an Independence Township breaking-and-entering.

He was arraigned in 52/2 District Court on two counts of forced-entry burglary and a larceny charge, \$50,000 bond. The Flint-area resident is charged with breaking into businesses in the 6300 block of Sashabaw Road, June 22.

He was identified through descriptions provided by employees at a neighboring business, where he used to work, and video surveillance. Information was sent to Grand Blanc Police, which found him with a television taken from a Flint-area breaking-and-entering. Charges are pending on the Flint case.

"He said his job cut his hours, and he was trying to make ends meet," said Det. Miller.



Beauregard

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# Public Safety

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### Drunk driving

A 40-year-old Waterford man was arrested for drunk driving, 11:35 p.m., July 9, at Pine Knob and Waldon roads. He was reported swerving heavily in traffic, hitting several vehicles. He was found with fresh damage to his truck, and breath test results were .16 and .15. His license was also suspended after a drunk driving conviction in 2012.

### Domestic violence

A 37-year-old Dearborn Heights man got into an altercation with his wife, a 40-year-old Dearborn Heights woman, at a DTE concert, pushing her, grabbing her by the throat, and bouncing her head on the pavement, 10:47 p.m., July 17. She said she didn't want to press charges, but with multiple witnesses, he was arrested anyway for domestic violence and jailed.

### Thefts from unlocked cars

A wallet containing an ATM card and \$300 in cash was taken from an unlocked vehicle in a parking lot in the 4000 block of White Lake Road, July 10.

Golf clubs were taken from a vehicle parked unlocked in the 6000 block of Lancaster Lake Court, 10:09 p.m., July 10.

Someone took a GPS and cash out of a wallet from an unlocked SUV parked in the 5000 block of Lancasterhill Drive, 4:33 p.m., July 10.

Someone took money from a car parked in the 4000 block of Fox Creek, July 16. There was no sign of forced entry.

Someone took a portable oxygen concentrator machine and equipment, and a pair of prescription glasses from an unlocked vehicle parked in the 7000 block of Glenburnie Lane, July 17.

Someone ransacked two vehicles in a Madison Street parking lot with windows down and doors unlocked, July 20. The owners requested extra patrols. A deputy advised them of the importance of keeping vehicles secured.

Sunglasses and a phone charger were taken from a vehicle in the 5000 block of Deepwood Court, July 20. There was no sign of forced entry.

### Probation violation

Acting on a tip, deputies went to an apartment in the 7000 block of Blue Water Drive to arrest a 20-year-old Independence Township man and a 17-year-old Waterford girl on felony warrants, 5:53 p.m., July 10. The 20-year-old was wanted for probation violation, and the girl was wanted for absconding while on probation.

### Alcohol in the park

A 30-year-old Independence Township woman, 26-year-old Independence Township woman, and 44-year-old Independence Township man were cited for drinking alcohol in Clintonwood Park, 6:37 p.m., July 11, despite several signs prohibiting alcohol there.

### Ladder part pinched

Half of a 24-foot aluminum extension ladder was taken from a backyard in the 6000 block of Balmoral Terrace, July 16.

### Felony warrants

While doing an area check, a deputy saw a vehicle parked in the rest area on I-75 in Springfield Township occupied by two subjects, 1:52 a.m., July 14. Both subjects, a 29-year-old East Tawas man and 28-year-old Iosco Township man, had felony warrants for Home Invasions out of Alcona County. They were arrested and jailed pending pickup by Alcona County and the vehicle was impounded.

### Sleeping in drive-through

Responding to a 9-1-1 call, deputies found a 45-year-old Independence Township man sleeping in the drive through at a restaurant in the 6000 block of Dixie Highway, 1:59 a.m., July 19. They reached in the car, turned off the ignition, and removed the keys, then woke him up. With a preliminary breath test of .132, he was arrested for drunk driving.

### Mail theft

A deputy on patrol stopped to talk to two men crossing Sashabaw Road at Maybee Road, 3:34 a.m., July 21. One of the men, a 19-year-old Waterford Township resident, was found with a personal check, debit card, and DVDs, none belonging to him. Investigation showed they had been placed in outgoing mail by neighbors. He was jailed on a bench warrant for violation of probation out of Sixth Circuit Court, with charges pending for mail theft.

### Warrant arrest

A deputy stopped a commercial work van with no identification on it, 10:49 a.m., July 22, at Waldon and Sashabaw roads. The owner of the van was cited for no identification and no proof of insurance. The driver, a 49-year-old Redford Township man had a warrant out of Redford Township for failure to appear for arraignment on a domestic assault charge. He was turned over to Redford Township Police.

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## Independence Television

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## Swayne plays for grandma

BY WENDI REARDON  
Clarkston News Sports Writer

Everytime Hampton Swayne kayaks with his grandmother, Sherry Hampton-Nutting, it is a new adventure.

"It is like a new world because there are spots you didn't even know existed," he smiled.

Swayne, a Clarkston High School junior, admits his grandmother has always been his idol and on Aug. 16 he will proudly wear her name on his jersey when he suits up for the Sixth Annual Football for a Cure, Aug. 16.

Hampton-Nutting battled breast cancer when Swayne was an infant and came out of the fight as a survivor.

"She said I was the bright spot in her life to help her keep going," Swayne shared. "That's why she fought it so hard and that's why she is alive today."

He admitted playing with the varsity football team with her name on his jersey is special to him.

"Just knowing I am playing for her," he explained. "Knowing everyone knows I am playing for her. She fought it and she survived. Now I can give back to her and everyone fighting cancer today."

Swayne knows because of her fight he can share activities with her they both enjoy - kayaking and bicycle riding.

"We usually kayak together when I go up north," he said. "We just talk out there. We go down little trails and rivers. She is always

'let's go over here.' We explore a lot. We go through the weeds and find kayaking spots."

Swayne became interested in kayaking because his grandmother participated in kayak racing.

He admitted one time the two of them did get lost and they had to call his grandfather.

Swayne invites the community to come out for Football for a Cure, which all the proceeds benefit McLaren Breast Center and McLaren Cancer Institute - Clarkston.

"It's a great way to stop cancer," he said. "The more people who come out, the more money we can raise and the more chances we have to stop cancer. It also supports the guys who are playing for cancer."

He is excited for his first Football for a Cure event and the pre-season scrimmage with the gridiron heroes.

"You turn in your blue and gold jersey and you get a pink one," he smiled. "You are playing for the cancer community. You are fighting cancer."

Swayne joins the varsity team as an offensive and defensive linebacker and is ready for this season. He explained he and his teammates since seventh grade are undefeated.

"We are 28-0. We are excited," he smiled.

The Football for a Cure game kicks off at 7 p.m. at Clarkston High School stadium. For more information or to volunteer for the event, please email ClarkstonFootballforaCure@gmail.com or call Deanna at 248-922-6606



Hampton Swayne, right, plays for his grandmother, Sherry Hampton-Nutting in Football for a Cure, Aug. 6. Photo provided

## ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



Emma Barnes, Sydney Clements, Kelsey Gilbert, Caroline Hughes, CJ Hughes, Kirkland Maguire, Julia Nellis, Alyssa Schroeder, Drew Vassilakos, Matt Vassilakos and Brady Wilson with head coach Jeff Wiseman. Not pictured, Nolan Gerish. Photo provided

## Hitting the open water

Swimmers from the Clarkston Sea Wolves took their skills outside of the pool to an open water race in early July.

Twelve members from the program participated in the 15th Annual Motor City Mile for the first time on July 9.

They swam in the Detroit River, starting and finishing the races at Belle Isle Beach. They also had the choice of swimming in the 5K, 1-mile, or half mile.

Two Sea Wolves competed in the 5K Swim. Kelsey Gilbert finished in fifth place out of 33 swimmers in her event at 1:21:51.58. Drew Vassilakos, finished 14th out of 25 swimmers in his event at 1:23:59.56.

Eight Sea Wolves competed in the one mile swim. In the Open Women event Emma Barnes finished sixth out of 120 participants at 25:10.61 and Kirkland Maguire finished in 33rd at 29:11.97.

For the Men's 13-14 one-mile event with a total of 28 participants, Brady Wilson finished in ninth place at 26:49.35 and Matt Vassilakos finished in 18th place at 29:29.76.

For the Women's 13-14 one-mile event with 51 participants, three Sea Wolves stayed close to each other finishing one within each other. Caroline Hughes finished in 16th place, 27:41.95; Julia Nellis, 17th place, 27:47.19; Alyssa Schroeder, 18th place, 27:47.30.

Sydney Clements finished in the 12 years old and under event at 36:12 at 20th place out of 29 swimmers.

CJ Hughes finished in first place out of 16 participants in the Open Women half mile event at 11:07. Nolan Gerish swam in the 10 and under half mile and finished in fourth place out of ten participants, 13:56.

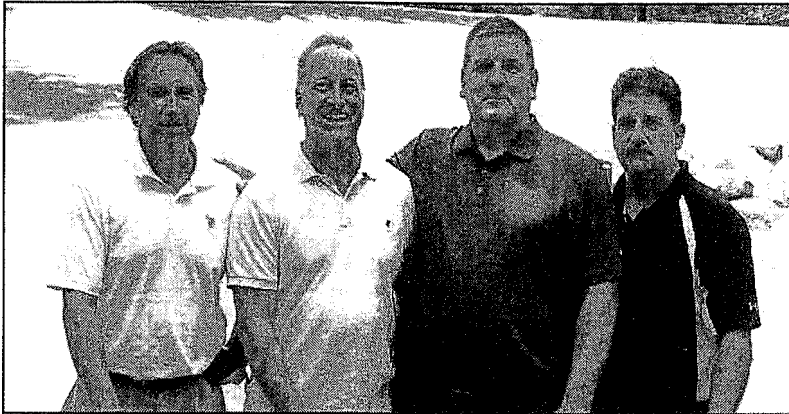
A total of 500 swimmers participated and proceeds from this year's event went to Breaststroke 4 Hope Foundation and the National Brain Tumor Society.

The Sea Wolves swim and train year-round at the Clarkston High School Natatorium, which is affiliated with USA Swimming. Their head coach is Jeff Wiseman and team manager is Kenwyn Chock. ~WAR

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From left, Clarkston High School 1982 graduates John Weidemann, Scott Thompson, Mike Stefanski and Tim Brennan enjoy the day during last year's Clarkston Football Golf Outing. File photo by Wendi Reardon

## Wolves' golf outing next Friday

Spots are still available for the 14th Annual Clarkston Football Golf Outing with the Defending State Champions at Pine Knob Golf Course, Friday, Aug. 8.

The cost is \$100 per golfer and includes dinner, door prizes, golf contest and awards. Registration is at 12 p.m. and the scramble

format fun begins at 1 p.m.

A 50/50 raffle will also be held to benefit the Clarkston Football Program.

New this year – the ability to register and pay online by going to [www.clarkston.k12.mi.us/football/golfouting](http://www.clarkston.k12.mi.us/football/golfouting).

## Gridiron heroes rushing for food

Are you stocked up with extra food staples? The Clarkston High School Football Program is looking for you as they collect food for the 17th Annual Rush for Food is Friday, Aug. 22

The Freshman, JV and Varsity Clarkston Gridiron heroes will collect non-perishable food in local neighborhoods and spend an evening stocking the pantry at the Lighthouse Emergency Services in Independence to build awareness of community need, promote team unity, and allow players to give back to the community that supports them.

The players encourage the community to get involved and ways:

Drop off donations at *The Clarkston News*, 5 South Main Street, from now until August 21. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday;

Drop off donations directly to the Lighthouse, located at 6330 Sashabaw Rd, during their business hours or from 6:30-7:30pm on August 22 labeled with Rush for Food/Clarkston Football;

Leave donations in a labeled paper bag on your front porch for Football players to pick up on Friday, Aug. 22 from 6-7pm.

While the can't cover all neighborhoods, the team will be driving through the following areas looking for donations:

Almond Lane, Autumn Shores, Birdland Streets, Boyne Highlands, Bridge Lake Bluffs, Bridge Valley, Brookstone, Chestnut Hills, Clarkston Farms, Clarkston Ridge, Deer Valley, Deerwood & The Manors, Dixie Lake Estates, HarborTowne, Hills of Kingston, Holcomb Rd, Ingomar Farms, Lake Waldon

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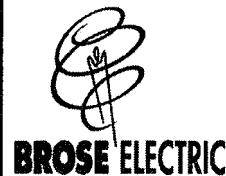
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## Favorite thing you have done this summer?



"Go to lunch, and go swimming in the pool."  
- Harper Jones



"I had first child, Charles, this summer on June 18th. I would definitely say his birth was my favorite thing this summer."  
- Sandy Munoz with her new baby Charles and family pet Scout.



"My favorite thing to do is spend time with my daughter, Ashley. This summer we have gone to the 4-H Fair, we went on vacation to Tennessee and hung out a lot in the pool."  
- Christine Wampfler

"The 4-H fair was my favorite thing so far this summer. It is really fun every year because they always have really fun rides."  
- Ashley Wampfler

By Andrea Beaudoin

# The Clarkston News' Millstream

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## Youth hope to 'Enkindle' faith at park

BY PHIL CUSTODIO  
Clarkston News Editor

Organizers hope to fill Depot Park with prayer and worship at the second annual Enkindle the Remnant event, 6-9 p.m., Friday, Aug. 22.

"Prayer for the community to come together, for all churches and people," said Josh Kuruvilla, 19, of Independence Township. "High schoolers and college kids, and whoever wants to come by and enjoy it."

"It'll have a very open atmosphere, a lot of freedom for people who are there," said Michael Abraham, 17, of Independence Township.

Hundreds of people attended last year's event, Kuruvilla said.

"It was pretty successful - about 300 showed up," he said. "With God, this event will continue to grow and more people who have a heart for the their community will come out and pray together."

Rochester First Band, Auburn Hills Christian Center band, and others will provide entertainment.

Youth Pastor Randy Goldsworthy of New Hope Bible Church is helping to organize the event, and local churches are sponsoring it.

"It's a great community event," Kuruvilla said. "Clarkston is known for bringing the community together. Like Team RUSH, we strive to get people involved."

The overall theme this year is asking God to make us a people, he said.

"That's short for the idea that God is changing us everyday so we can be a people and a community where he is



Michael Abraham, left, and Josh Kuruvilla are helping to organize the Enkindle the Remnant prayer event in Depot Park. Photo by Phil Custodio

pleased to dwell," he said. "There is no particular church behind this event. It is merely composed of youth and young adults from all types of churches who are hungry for the presence of God in their community."

Kuruvilla is a Clarkston High School graduate attending Oakland University to study business, and Michigan State

University next year.

Abraham is a senior this year at Clarkston High School, and is heading up the Revival At Work club, RAW, formerly called the Life Club.

"It's a lot of open worship, with no strict schedule - nothing set in stone," he said.

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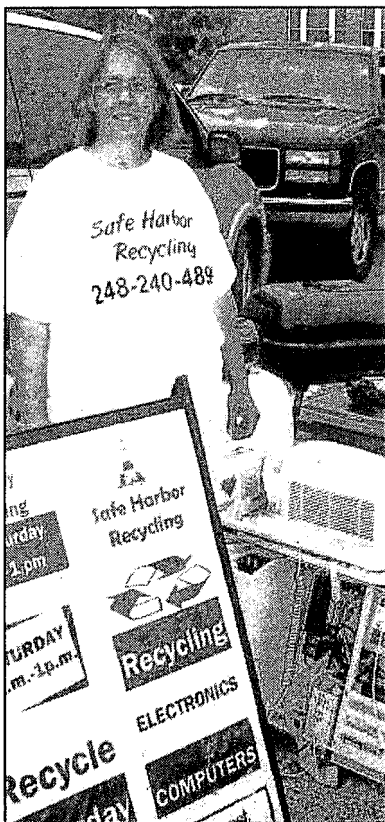
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Milan with a recycled guitar string flower, Denyse Couture with a recycled T-shirt, and Alona Lysa, with weavings made with plastics bags, cardboard, yarn, and bark. Photos by Phil Custodio



Patty Clair collects a pile of hard-to-recycle items.

## Recycled art at market

Artists are invited to share their recycled works of art every fourth Saturday until September at the Recycled Art Market.

The monthly market is part of a recycling effort to give new life to items bound for landfills, said Sarah Angelini, farmers market organizer.

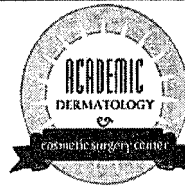
"We encourage them to come here and use what otherwise would be garbage in interesting ways," Angelini said. "We also have a clothing swap, where you can trade in clothes you don't want and get something new. In the future, we might want to do book swaps, too."

Safe Harbor Recycling collects computers, electronics, metal items, appliances, rechargeable batteries, and other items, a popular service at the market.

"People go home and come back later with items for recycling," said recycler Patty Clair.

The next Recycled Art Market will be on Aug. 23, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., during the Clarkston Area Farmers Market in the Renaissance High School parking lot, 6448 Waldon Road.

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Daniel Deeds Fitzpatrick enjoys the singing of the Men of Grace.



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Olivia Jo Faralisz enjoys dinner at the SCAMP Picnic



Loggan Walker shows off his Sponge Bob painting on his arm.

## New Rotary year begins with a picnic

Another night of fun was held for SCAMPers and their families on July 21. The first activity of the Clarkston Rotary year is always a picnic for SCAMP attendees.

The evening picnic at Independence Oaks included hot dogs, salads, watermelon, salads, potato chips, and entertainment.

Bingo the Clown entertained the children

with balloons and magic tricks. A face painter created designs on faces and arms. Also, the Men of Grace from the Grace Centers of Hope provided music.

Clarkston Rotary thanks all who attended, said Rotarian Mary Sloan.

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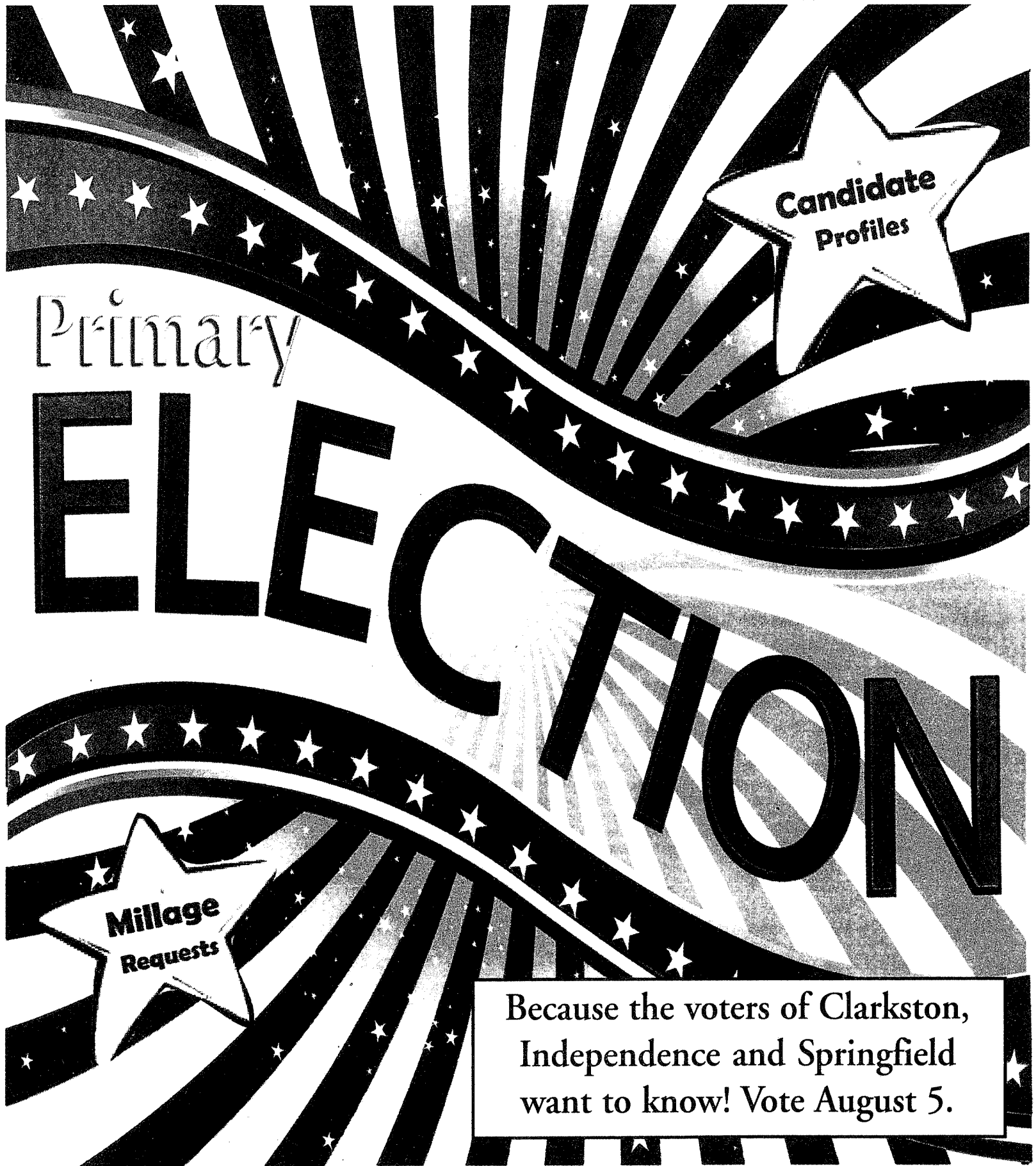
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## Candidates run for county seat

As one of 21 members of the Oakland County Board of Commissioners, the Fourth District representative will be elected to serve a two-year term. Duties for the position include establishing and revising Oakland County policies, establishing the property tax millage rate, adopting the annual county budget and a long-range capital improvement program, adopting county ordinances and rules.

Incumbent **Tom Middleton** was first elected to serve the Fourth District Board of Commissioners in 2002.

Middleton is a lifelong resident of north Oakland County, an area he said he has farmed, located his businesses and been involved with local communities.



Middleton

"I am current chairman of the County Board of Commissioners Finance Committee and one of the 'Leaders Working Together' that presented to Moody's and Standard and Poor to receive their AAA Bond rating," he said. "I have experience working with the three year budgeting used in Oakland County and understand the importance and resulting cost savings of this process."

Middleton said he has several goals if reelected to the position of county commissioner.

"A county commissioner can make smart decisions on policy matters as well as the county budget," he said. "Oakland County stands out from so many other governments that are in constant crisis management. Our budgets are balanced three years in advance and our excellent credit saves our taxpayers millions."

Middleton believes Detroit's bankruptcy is of paramount concern to Oakland County.

"The continued problems holding back the City of Detroit have an enormous impact on the economic and cultural vitality of every community in the region," he said. "Oakland County should be a positive voice whenever possible to assist in moving the whole region forward but must insist on some basic protections for the taxpayers."

Middleton said, as county commissioner and vice-chairman of the Michigan Association of Counties Transportation Committee, he has been a strong voice for the area to receive its fair share of road funding and action from Washington and Lansing.

"I support working together with other governments to leverage our funds as far as possible. Oakland County offers a match to local governments for road projects," he said.

Middleton is an Oakland County resi-

dent, married to his wife Kathy for 46 years with three grown children and four grandchildren.

Middleton has been active as an Oakland County Commissioner and served as Chairperson of Finance and a member of Personnel Committee; Oakland County Employee Retirement Commission; County Drain Board; and on five lake boards. Past chairman of Michigan Dairy Herd Improvement Association, Michigan Association of Conservation Districts and the National Association of Conservation Districts Great Lakes Committee. Involved with Oakland County MSU Extension Leadership Council and President Elect of Clarkston Area Optimist Club. Formerly a State Representative on the Appropriations Committee, member of Oxford Board of Education and 4-H leader.

"I have been a farmer for 46 years with a Bachelor's Degree in Agriculture & Natural Resources Communications from MSU. I bring to the commission my experience in business, leadership, active community participation and balancing state and county budgets without raising taxes," he said.

Challenger **Phil Reid**, who is running for the Democratic nomination, said his top priorities are to create jobs by strengthening the county's Emerging Sectors initiative to diversify our economy by bring new, high-tech industries and high-wage jobs to Oakland County; improve roads by changing the Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC) from an independent agency to a county government agency to improve accountability in road and bridge repairs; and protect water by banning fracking in Oakland County to protect our water, health, and property values.

"The Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC) does not operate as a Government Department, Division or Unit, but operates as an independent agency, unaccountable to the Board of Commissioners," Reid said. "I would support placing the RCOC accountable to the county government to improve transparency."

He has over 36 years in the auto industry in the areas of Purchasing, System Administration, Logistics, Production Programming and Scheduling, and Program Management, all of which are relevant to providing oversight to county administration, he said.

He has a Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration and MBA from Wayne State University, Certified Project Manager Professional (PMP-2010), married for 33 years, two adult children - both graduates from Clarkston High School and University of Michigan.



Reid



# Three candidates vie for state 44th District seat

Running for the Republican nomination in the Michigan 44th District are Liz Fessler Smith, Dennis Garlick, and Russ Tierney.

**Liz Fessler Smith** said she is best qualified for the District 44 Seat because of her educational background, small business experience, Republican leadership positions she has held, and her ability to work well with others.



**Fessler Smith**

Job creation and stability, effective and efficient education and skill trade training- with local control of educational decisions are on her agenda if elected.

She said she would work for road and infrastructure repair without raising gas taxes, improving healthcare, lowering taxes, stream-lining government, protecting the rights of seniors.

She added she would work to elect ethical, moral leaders that people can trust.

"I would also add, that monitoring and keeping in line our budgets, and adequate oversight and constant review of our departments and programs in the state, will help to keep our government run smoothly and efficiently," she said.

She added she has earned respect from

community leaders, peers, and residents.

"I know how important it is, for people to trust their elected officials and be proud of them as leaders," she said. "I am that kind of leader."

Fessler-Smith said her character, moral fortitude and how she treats people and truly cares about them- is what counts and is always foremost in every decision she makes for families of Michigan.

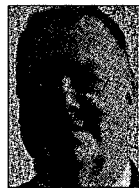
She added that voters should elect her because she is a positive, articulate, focused leader, with a fresh perspective.

**Dennis Garlick** said he has the most collective military, personal, business and educational experience of the candidates.

"I am a Vietnam veteran.

After the navy I started work in construction and over the years I worked in manufacturing in engineering, proposal, estimating and as a manager for companies building custom machines for the big 3," he said.

I've spent time throughout the US setting up equipment and also in the former Soviet Union. I went back to school as an adult. While working full time and raising a family I got an Associates degree, a Bachelors degree and an Execu-



**Garlick**

tive MBA from Michigan State University. When in Lansing I can use my collective skills to work for the people in the 44th district."

Garlick said his main goals if elected would be to create more efficiency and less waste of resident tax dollars.

"I'll focus on the budget and how or tax dollars are spent," he said. "If we are more efficient and waste less we can use the savings to fix our roads."

Garlick said he is willing to work hard for taxpayers.

"When in Lansing I'll work for you. Like you, I know what hard work is. I've felt what it is like when a plant closes and everyone is laid-off. A Friday comes and people are let go," he said.

Garlick said he also knows what it's like to work 50 to 60 hours a week and also attend school at night.

**Russ Tierney** said he has more experience than any other candidate.

"I have 40 years of business experience and 25 years of owning my own machine tool sales and repair business, and 15 years at my father's auto parts and machine shop business," he said.

Tierney is currently serving his third term as a Highland Township Trustee.

"I have continually battled excessive

government expenditures including excessive government employee benefits and elected officials giving themselves pay raises," he said.

Tierney said governments need to be transparent and accountable with taxes collected from residents.

"We need to know how much and where the money is being spent. State income tax should be reduced if not eliminated," he said.

He said frivolous lawsuits also need to be eliminated to help reduce costs of business and medical expenses.

Frivolous lawsuits play a big part in the cost of medical services as well as other businesses.

"Loser pays tort reform would stem the tide of frivolous lawsuits that increase costs for businesses and consumers," he said.

Roads and infrastructure are also important to Tierney.

"Roads and bridges in Michigan are in terrible condition," he said. "The state legislature continues to underfund Michigan roads and infrastructure. Cut the fat from Michigan's \$52 billion dollar budget and reallocate the money towards roads."

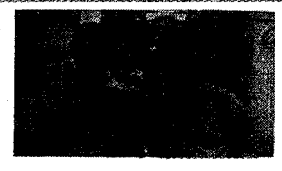
Tierney said he would work to downsize government by cutting government employees by 5 percent and revise government employee benefits to match those of taxpayers.

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# Five Republicans run to fill District 43 state seat

**BY ANDREAM BEAUDOIN**  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Independence Township voters will make several decisions when they head to the polls Aug. 5. Voters will choose one of eight candidates to serve as a Representative in State Legislature District 43, a two-year term to represent Independence Township, the City of the Village of Clarkston, the city of Lake Angelus and parts of Waterford.

During the August election, voters will select one candidate each to represent the Republican and Democratic parties in the Nov. 4 general election.

Vying for the Republican nomination are Jose Aliaga, Paul Greenawalt, Nate Knapper, Andrea Schroeder, and Jim Tedder.

**Jose Aliaga** is an Independence Township trustee.

"I worked to move the media-equipment for Public Access TV to Clarkston High for the students to use, saving us \$55,000. I motioned to lower our cable taxes. I voted 'yes' to bring 120 manufacturing jobs to Clarkston (Marelli)," Aliaga said. "Many candidates tell us what they're going to do, but I explain how, with real-life practicality."



**Aliaga**

All the politicians are promising to Fix the Roads, but he is proposing two solutions, a bill for a Dedicated Road Fund, which the government won't be allowed to remove monies from for other projects, and the sale of guaranteed Michigan Road Bonds will also provide extra revenue.

"I'm a trusted Conservative, and I will not support new or higher taxes," he said. "My

accomplishments and dynamic agenda establish me as the candidate most qualified to properly represent the 43rd District," he said.

His main goals are economic growth and creating jobs.

"I will support policies that maintain a healthy business climate, with lower taxes and fewer business-crippling regulations, motivating more corporations to move here, while also making it easier for Michigan entrepreneurial start-ups. This will stimulate our economy, reduce unemployment, and increase revenue," he said.

He would also sponsor a bill approving the new privately funded \$400 Million McLaren Hospital in Clarkston, which would bring 4000 new jobs, much revenue, and huge sales for local businesses. Also, his goal is to protect life and defend the Second Amendment.

"I am a University of Michigan graduate, a teacher, and I was even invited to the White House by George Bush," he said.

His attendance at board meetings was almost perfect, but for the few days he missed, he donated his salary to the senior center, he said.

"I didn't just pay an election-fee: I was the only Republican candidate in Oakland County to gather signatures from the constituency," he said.

Endorsements include Dr. James O'Neill, Joan McCrary, George M. Romney, Coach Kurt Richardson, Jack Hoogendyk, Michigan Madison Project, Michigan Township Association, and Michigan Right to Life.

"These esteemed citizens and organizations have put their trust in the Jose Aliaga Candidacy; I will honor all of them, and everyone in Michigan, by following through

with these and other proposals, committed to a sensible, legitimate, and prosperous Conservative agenda," he said.

**Paul Greenawalt** said if he is elected, he will focus on improving the economy by encouraging funding to be used to build Michigan infrastructure and create jobs. Greenawalt said he will also focus in gardening related issues and work to label foods and ban harmful additives from being added to food.

"Voters should vote for me for many reasons," he said. "Some of these are renewable energy policies and use the 1.3 billion that we spend on coal to build infrastructure here to create Michigan jobs and build our economy. Label GMO foods and ban harmful chemicals and additives from our state's food supply. Vegetable garden tax credit and my plan to shave millions off our state's budget and lower taxes."

He attended Louisiana Baptist University, is a member of Pontiac Waterford Elks 810, and is married for over 10 years to Bonita from South Africa. Greenawalt has three children.

**Nate Knapper** said effective service at the capitol requires a working knowledge of Lansing's legislative players and process.

"As an Assistant Attorney General, I routinely work with AG executives, gubernatorial staffers, and legislative leaders to shape public policy at the highest levels of state government. I have a proven record of effective service in Lansing. No other candidate in the race can claim such a record," he said.

His main goals if elected include fixing roads, facilitating job creation and focusing on school safety.

"Road repair is a unanimous public concern that must be addressed as soon as possible. Job creation remains an urgent priority that can be facilitated by lowering taxes and eliminating unnecessary regulations. And school safety is critical to ensuring the success of our students," he said. "Ultimately, elections are about the future. When citizens vote, they confer the responsibilities of leadership upon a candidate and trust in his ability to help usher in a brighter future for the district."

The "New Wave in Republican Leadership" is so important because it provides a concrete framework for meeting the challenges of tomorrow, he added.

"The New Wave represents a brand of public engagement that combines thorough preparation with strong conservative principles and a practical disposition. These elements empower leaders to bear up under the weight of responsibility conferred upon

them," he said. "I want citizens to know that I feel the weight of responsibility that comes with asking them for their vote."

"It's a responsibility I take seriously. I also want them to know that my adoption of a prepared, principled, practical brand of engagement has equipped me to manage and surpass the expectations projected on today's political leaders. This form of engagement is the wave of the future. It's a wave our district will want to ride."

**Andrea Schroeder** said she is pro-jobs, pro-life, pro-family values, and pro-Second Amendment. A Republican who believes "We the People" have to be in charge of our government.

"As an Independence Township trustee, I have worked hard to make government more accountable and to cut government spending," Schroeder said. "I am developing a plan that will bring new ideas and insight to Lansing. The work with our board to make sure information about our government operations is open, transparent, and accessible. Our board packets, tax information, budget, and meeting videos are available online and on-demand."

She has demonstrated her commitment to the community through her leadership as the creator of the No Spice/K2 pledge, as an active member of the Clarkston Optimists, as a preschool teacher in her church, and also had a successful career as a sales executive and full-time small business owner, along with prior experience as a teacher.

"I'll use my skills and experience to help make our area and state a better more prosperous place to live," she said. "My primary goal is to go to Lansing to help Governor Snyder and the legislature create more jobs and build our economy. The more people looking for creative answers to tough questions, the more likely we are to solve the serious problems facing our state."

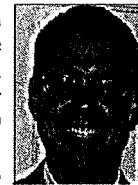
Second, find a long-term solution to the roads problem that is plaguing our area and the state. Finally, cut spending, not raise taxes, she said.

Those are reasons why she has been endorsed by our current state Rep. Gail Haines, County Executive L. Brooks Patterson, and County Commissioner Tom Middleton.

"I've worked very hard to earn the trust of my friends and neighbors and am proud that my public service gives them confidence in having me represent our district in the Michigan House of Representatives next year."

"I will not disappoint the voters if I am elected. I believe it's very important that we be represented by a leader with the skills and experience to bring our voice to Lansing," she said.

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**Greenawalt**



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# Three Democrat candidates vie for state house seat

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**Jim Tedder** is a 27 year small business owner, a local school administrator and former teacher.

"I am the candidate that intimately understands the opportunities and challenges of the 43rd District. I am committed to supporting economic growth, job creation, and better days for Michigan. I have personal relationships in the district extending more than 40 years and the professional background to make ethical and sound decisions at the state level," Tedder said. "I also have over 24 years of political experience as a grassroots activist, serving leadership roles in many organizations and, over the last four years, as an elected Independence Township Precinct Delegate."

He has a business and labor policy background having previously worked for Associated Builders and Contractors and the National Association of Home Builders in Washington, DC.

"I come from a working-class upbringing, founded in hard work and integrity; I am the candidate who understands the economic challenges facing working class people and business owners. I value personal responsibility, transparency, and humility. If elected, I will take these values and my blue collar work ethic to Lansing to support the people of this district and state. Improve the Economy: I will support an economic climate that encourages growth and prosperity for all, not just those who are politically connected or in a politically favored industry. My efforts will lead to job creation, elimination of burdensome regulations, and lower taxes for businesses and the hard working people of this district," he said.

Goals include fixing roads.

"Lack of investment and diverting of gas tax revenue over the years have created hazardous road conditions. I will ensure that revenue generated for roads is properly allocated to road-specific projects. I will also seek to prioritize state spending toward road and infrastructure repair and will eliminate wasteful spending to generate additional road resources," he said.

To improve education, he wants more educational options for students, including expansion of vocational and career-focused tracks.

"As an educator for over a decade, I know that quality education leads to success. I support local control, keeping important educational decisions in the hands of parents, community members, and local schools who best understand the needs of our kids, he said.

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Running for the Democratic nomination

are Neil Billington, Robin McGregor, and Dennis Ritter.

**Neil Billington** said Michigan Families need to know they can depend on their candidate to stand-up and fight for what is right for them, instead of special interest groups with lots of money trying to buy votes.

"As your new state representative, I will tackle the job of putting Michigan families first," Billington said. "Having lived in Oakland County my entire life, I know the direction to take to put the backbone back into Michigan so that all families can continue to live, grow, work and retire with their family in Michigan. Anyone who has ever worked with me, either at GM or other businesses that I have been involved in, will tell you, my word speaks volumes when it comes to getting things done. My reputation also proves, I am a man of my word and will hammer out any problem that comes my way. My first priority is to the people I serve."

Priorities are Michigan families, reform taxes, the high cost of living and shrinking benefits.

"The people of Michigan deserve better. Adverse conditions affect Michigan families every day, forcing them to make sacrifices for their family's basic needs and necessities," he said.

Michigan Families need the Earned Income Tax Credit and amend the Senior Pension Tax, he said.

"I support raising the minimum wage and capping a price increase on products, services and goods until a balance is reached," he said. "Give tax incentives to Michigan-based companies that encourage job growth, work to improve our communities, inspire school graduates and who are environmental friendly."

A quality education is the greatest gift we can give kids in preparation for the life they will lead, he said.

"Let's teach kids to think on their feet, while preparing them to compete and succeed in life. Let's conserve energy by using brain power. Bring back paper and pencil instead of turning on the computer," he said.

He would also like to change the 1976 law enacted to prevent split-ticket voting in the primary.

"Too many politicians 'shirt-tail' into office instead of the right person for the job," he said. "I will be your voice in Lansing by holding a town hall meeting every month and hearing which direction you want me to take. and I will return your phone call. I will donate 50% of my State Representative earned income back into the community."

**Robin McGregor** said she is a leader who

inspires hope.

"I believe this community inspires hope by embarking on issues that matter. I will reinforce the importance of confronting tough issues rather than shying away or insulating our community. I always think about the well-being of those in our community. It is important to communicate transparently, honestly, and in a timely manner. I will do this," McGregor said.

"Further, I see our challenges as opportunities. There are people who make things happen, people who watch what's happening, and people who haven't the slightest idea of what's happening. I make things happen."

Her goals include improving education.

"Education is the base of this country. Every child should have the opportunity to have the best education possible. In order to improve education we need to adequately fund education, repeal EAA, and focus on inspiring, empowering, and enhancing learning for students rather than teaching to tests," she said.

She would also improve equality:

"Everyone being treated equally should not be an issue in 2014, but it is. People should be able to live off of their wages and women and men should be treated equally at work and with healthcare rights," she said.

Improve infrastructure, including roads, also needs to be addressed.

"People look at just the roads, but we have crumbling bridges, roads, gas mains, electric services, and more. We should look at these problems as opportunities to create new jobs," she said. "I believe that the most important qualifications that I would bring to this position are my experiences as a union president, school board member, parent, small business owner, and community activist."

Examples of her work include fighting against Right-to-Work "for less," getting the Waterford landfill, which was polluting lakes, closed and capped, working on educational reform, and testifying about infrastructure in front of Congress.

**Dennis Ritter** said he is the best candidate because he is the most experienced public servant who knows firsthand how the actions of Lansing legislators affect individuals and communities on the local level.

"I listen to people, understand what their issues and needs are, and respond by bringing people together to resolve matters," Ritter said.

Priorities include fixing the roads.

"Garner support to allocate the entire \$1 billion that consumers pay in state sales tax on fuel for repairing and improving our roads and infrastructure as was its intention. Also necessary is the reallocation of a portion of

the General Fund to insure we have the money we need to build and maintain a first class road system," he said.

Also, ensure schools have the resources they need to provide children the world-class education they deserve and return the funds taken out of the School Aid Fund over the last three years.

"Defend middle class families by restoring the \$1,200 Homestead Property Tax Credit, Earned Income Tax Credit, reinstate the \$600 per-child tax deduction and help seniors by repealing the 4 percent tax on their pensions," he said. "Make sure our mothers, wives, sisters and daughters receive equal pay for equal work and an all inclusive quality health care. Support small businesses and entrepreneurs in helping them grow, thrive and in turn create jobs. Sustain efforts and funding to protect and preserve our natural resources and environment. Minimize partisan politics and help restore the focus of government to serve the people."

As the former City Manager of the City of the Village of Clarkston, he knows all too well how legislation and the lack of action impact the local level, he said.

"The revenue lost due to the falling property values brought about the reduction of services and the dismantling of our police department. Many improvement projects were put on hold or eliminated all together. Planning for community improvements, historic preservation and park restoration were eliminated from the budget. Only basic services were retained, a low blow for our community. In spite of our crisis, Lansing did nothing to help us! Communities throughout the 43rd District are faced with similar problems. As your State Representative I will make sure Lansing clearly understands our local needs and works to make sure your needs are met," said Ritter, who was endorsed by *The Detroit News* and *The Detroit Free Press*.

November's willer will replace Rep. Gail Haines, who has served the maximum term limit. Haines said she will continue her work in state government.

"It has been an honor to serve the residents of the 43rd District as State Representative. I have been blessed with the opportunity to represent some of the finest people and communities in the State of Michigan and I look forward to continuing my public service," said Haines.



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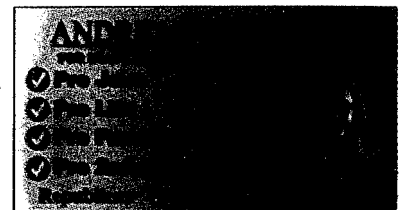
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## If the millage fails, our library will cease to exist.

It is essential that you come to the polls and cast your YES vote for the library millage on August 5th. If you will be out of town on the 5th, please obtain an absentee ballot from the City or Township Hall.

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**Every Single YES vote will matter.**

Since the Township stopped the majority of funding ten

years ago the library has been struggling along on a small "supplemental" millage that was never intended to fully fund the library.

In order to keep the library open, we have put years of work into reorganizing the library's legal status into a District library. Now the last piece of the puzzle is to obtain funding for the District library.

The millage rate requested is reasonable, and falls in the midrange of funding levels that we see in surrounding libraries.

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## Issues on the ballot

Clarkston area voters will help decide several issues on the Aug. 5 ballot.

Proposal 14-1 asks voters to reduce a state use tax with a local community stabilization share to modernize the tax system and help small businesses grow and create jobs.

It would reduce the state use tax and replace it with a local community stabilization share of the tax for the purpose of modernizing the tax system to help small businesses grow and create jobs in Michigan; require a Local Community Stabilization Authority to provide revenue to local governments dedicated for local purposes, including police safety, fire protection, and ambulance emergency services; increase portion of state use tax dedicated for aid to local school districts; prohibit the authority from increasing taxes; and prohibit total use tax rate from exceeding existing constitutional 6 percent limitation.

An Independence Township Police Services Operating Millage would renew a previously authorized levy of up to 2.95 mills for four years, starting with the December 2014 levy, to provide police services in the township. The proposal would collect about \$4,036,150.00 in the first year if approved and levied.

Three tenths of one percent would go to the township's Sashabaw Road Corridor Improvement Authority. This amount would be collected only from properties within the Sashabaw Road Corridor Improvement Authority District.

The Clarkston Independence District Library millage request would levy up to 1.25 mills, \$1.25 on each \$1,000 of taxable value of property in the Clarkston Independence District Library District for eight years, 2014 to 2021. It would be used to provide funds for all District Library purposes authorized by law. Estimated revenue in 2014 would be around \$1,757,000. Approximately 0.3% of the revenue collected will be subject to capture by the Sashabaw Road Corridor.

Springfield Township Parks and Recreation is asking voters to renew a .75 mill for 10 years on all taxable property in Springfield Township.

It would be used to providing funds for developing, maintaining, and operating of the parks, preserves, recreational sites, facilities, trails, programs and services managed and/or owned by the township.

The money will also help continue recreation programs, such as baseball leagues and senior programs, as well as camps (Team Reptile Camp) and enrichment classes (Lego and Strength and Tone, for example).

The funds would go towards management, stewardship and maintenance of all of the parks, which is over 647 acres. There will also be a rare prairie fen complex added with this money.

If approved, it would collect about \$420,000.

- Andrea Beaudoin



Candidates for the Michigan 43rd District share their views at a Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce candidate forum last week. Photo by Andrea Beaudoin

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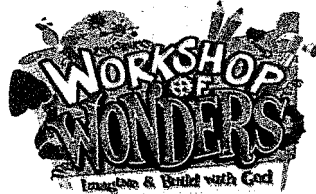
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The triathlon scheduled for next month was cancelled. File photo

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"There have been complaints by local residents, as well as concerns by the fire department," Kittle said, Monday.

The new application process addresses public safety issues related to the large amount of people who participate along with residents on the route.

"Over the past few years, more special event organizers have come in and run their event with little or no provisions for public safety or the consideration of local residents," Kittle said.

"The township is not willing to allow these promotional companies to dictate how they use public streets putting both participants and residents at risk."

Applications are reviewed by township and city safety and parks departments. The application submitted by 3D was denied by the Oakland County Sheriff's Department, Independence Township Parks and Recreation Department, and City of the

Village of Clarkston for failing to comply with safety requirements and other deficiencies.

The new safety provisions were communicated to 3D multiple times with no response, Kittle said.

"When safety deficiencies are communicated to an applicant, we expect to hear back within a week or two with revised plans," he said. "We are more than willing to bend-over-backwards to accommodate applicants who are willing to meet township requirements. This was not the case in this situation."

They would host the event in 2015 if 3D can meet application requirements, he said.

This year's Clarkston State Bank Half Marathon, set for Nov. 9, was moved from downtown Clarkston and Independence Township to backroads and trails in and around Independence Oaks County Park due in part to safety concerns.

A call and email to 3D for comment were not returned.



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## Events

**Open auditions,** Clarkston Village Players, "Mrs. Mannerly," 7 p.m., Aug. 3-4, roles for man age 25-45, woman age 55+; "Fool for Love" by Sam Shepard, 7 p.m., Sept. 7-8, roles for woman age 25-35, two men age 25-35, and man age 55+. Depot Theatre, 4861 White Lake Road. 248-425-5842.

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**Car Care 101,** 6:15 p.m., Aug. 6, 20, Sept. 10, Bowman Chevrolet, 6750 Dixie Highway. Free, educational class on checking fluids, changing tire, getting under the hood, hands on, taught by two master technicians. Email jnagle@bowmanchevy.com.

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**Tons of Trucks,** Independence Township Parks & Rec, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Aug. 9, Clintonwood Park, 6000 Clarkston Road. \$5/child, free/adult. 248-625-8223.

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**15-year reunion,** Clarkston High School Class of 1999, 4-7 p.m., Aug. 9, family-friendly picnic at Baycourt Park, clarkston1999@gmail.com.

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**Golf Outing Fund raiser,** Helping Hearts Helping Hands, 9 a.m., Aug. 16, Fountains Golf Course, 6060 Maybee Road. Prizes, raffle, awards. \$110/golfer, \$30/dinner only. 268-625-3731.

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**25-year reunion,** Clarkston High School Class of 1989, 7 p.m., Aug. 16, Overtyme Grill and Taproom in Waterford. For info, email trachallett@juno.com.

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**Hero Foundation Golf Outing,** 9 a.m., Aug. 23, Heather Highlands Golf Club, 9028 E. Holly Road. \$95, \$35/dinner only. Benefits local families struggling with cancer. 248-674-0051.

## Monday

**Line Dancing,** Mondays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Clarkston United Methodist Church, 6600 Waldon Road. Country, salsa, cha-cha, rock and roll with Rosemary Hall. All welcome. \$3/drop in.

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**Clarkston Rotary Club,** Mondays, 6:30 p.m. Buck Shots Bar and Grill, 7048 Gateway Park Drive. 248-880-0027.

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**Pilates and Sculpt,** Mondays, 7-8 p.m., Bay Court Park's Lakeview room. Independence Township Parks and Recreation, 248-625-8223.

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

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**Bingo games,** Community Singles, Mondays, 5:30-6:30 p.m., Big Boy, 6440 Dixie Highway. Dinner, dessert prizes. 248-812-0604.

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**Zumba Gold Fitness,** Mondays, Wednesdays through Aug. 20, 6:30-7:45 p.m., Clarkston Specialty Healthcare Community Room. 248-

# Around Town

Clarkston



A calendar of places to go, people to see and things to do



**YOUTH THEATER:** Clarkston Village Players' Youth Theatre will present the musical "Alice@Wonderland," 7:30 p.m., July 31-Aug. 2. The modern retelling of the classic tale will be at Depot Theatre, 4861 White Lake Road. Tickets are \$8. Email cvpyouththeatre@hotmail.com. Photo provided

625-8231.

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**FOP Post 132,** third Monday, 7 p.m., American Legion Post 63, Ortonville Road.

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**Footsteps to Fitness Walking Program,** Monday through Friday through Labor Day, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., Senior Center, 6000 Clarkston Road. Pedometers, walking maps available.

## Tuesday

**Breast Cancer Survivor Group,** second Tuesday, 7-9 p.m., 21st Century Oncology, 6770 Dixie Highway. 248-625-3841.

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**Clarkston Community Band** rehearsals, 7-9 p.m., Tuesdays. \$30/semester, free for high school students. Band room, Sashabaw Middle School, 5565 Pine Knob Lane, clarkstonband@gmail.com.

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**Widowers and Widows On With Life Group,** 7 p.m., first Tuesday, third Wednesday. Dinners, breakfasts, golf, social gatherings, rap sessions for ages 35-80. 248-393-8553.

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

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**Town Hall Quilt Guild,** third Tuesday, 7 p.m., First Congregational Church, 5449 Clarkston

Road. Guest fee, \$5. 248-705-7310.

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**50+ Pickleball,** Tuesdays, Thursdays, 9:30-11:30 a.m., \$3; Tuesdays, 6-9 p.m., \$4; Saturdays, 9-11 a.m., \$3. All welcome.

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**LegalShield and Identity Theft Shield** information sessions with Carol Compagnoni, Tuesdays, 6:30 p.m., Colombiere Center, 9075 Big Lake Road. 248-420-3126.

## Wednesday

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

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**Tell Us About Your Travels,** third Wednesday through October, 7-8:30 p.m., Library Community Meeting Room, Clarkston Independence District Library, 6495 Clarkston Road. 248-625-2212.

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**Meet and Greet,** Bethany North Oakland, 6:30 p.m., July 9, Deer Lake Athletic Club, 6167 White Lake Road. Dancing, music with Lisa and Eric. 248-625-8686.

## Thursday

**Clarkston Masons/Cedar 60,** first Thursdays, 8 p.m., 1 East Washington. 248-625-4610.

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**Clarkston Area Lions Club,** second and fourth Thursday, 6:30-8 p.m., Carriage House,

Clintonwood Park. 248-802-8603.

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**Office hours,** Clarkston City Councilman Mike Sabol, third Thursday, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Village Bakery, 10 S. Main Street.

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**Local Business Network,** Clarkston/Auburn Hills Chapter, first and third Thursday, 7:30-8:45 a.m., North Oakland County Board of Realtors, 4400 W. Walton Blvd., Waterford. 248-370-8029.

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

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**Young At Heart Active Adults,** Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., lunches, guest speakers, musical performances, field trips, holiday parties, movies, bingo, games. Hart Community Center in Davisburg. \$5 yearly membership, \$5 lunch. 248-846-6558.

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**Free General Support Group** for any type of cancer and caregivers, fourth Thursdays, 2-3 p.m., Great Lakes Cancer Institute, 5680 Bow Pointe Drive. Walk-ins welcome. 248-922-6610.

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**MOPS, Mothers Of Preschoolers,** first and third Thursdays, 9-11:30 a.m., Clarkston Community Church, 6300 Clarkston Road. Call Saleena, 734-620-2844.

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**DivorceCare** facilitated discussion, Thursdays, 6:45-8:30 p.m., Clarkston United Methodist Church, 6600 Waldon Road, room 122. 248-625-1611.

## Saturday

**Project Kidsight,** Clarkston Area Lions Club, second Saturday, 10 a.m.-12 p.m., Independence District Library, 6495 Clarkston Road. Also at Clintonwood Park as part of Kids Day, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Photos taken of child's eyes to check for potential vision problems. Immediate results. Free. 248-625-2212, www.clarkstonlions.org.

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

## Volunteer opportunities

**Avalon Hospice,** sit with patients, hold their hand, listen to stories, personal care, or just be there. Two hours a week or more. 800-664-6334; **McLaren Hospice,** not-for-profit, companionship-type to visit and provide emotional support for patients living with terminal illness, 248-320-0106. **Retired and Senior Volunteer Program of Oakland County,** 55+, opportunities at hospitals, cultural institutions, food pantries, tutoring. 248-559-1147 ext. 3911. **Service With Love,** RSVP of Oakland Country. Older adult volunteers, call seniors regularly to check on health and safety, share friendly conversation. 248-559-1147 Ext. 3937.

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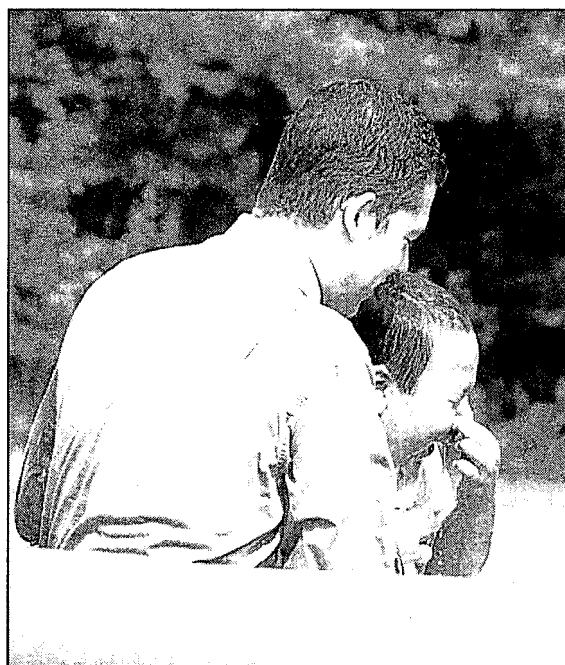
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Heidi McClusky emerges from the baptismal water.



Pastor Matthew Webster baptises Connor Zale.



From left are Rose Capalungan, Clay Evans, Kathleen Taylor, Annamaria Evans, Connor Zale, Caroline Dicks, Amy Hawn, Darla Campbell, Troy Campbell, Sandra Hawn, Dale Sanford, Sue Whiteman, Heidi McClusky, Steve Hicks, Taylor Zale, Pastor Matthew Webster and Brooklynn Zale. Photos provided

## Showing their faith

The First Congregational Church of Clarkston celebrated its first Outdoor Baptism Service, July 20.

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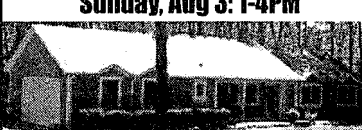
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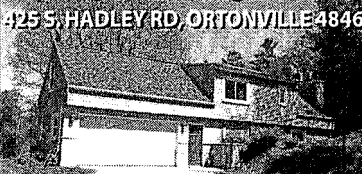
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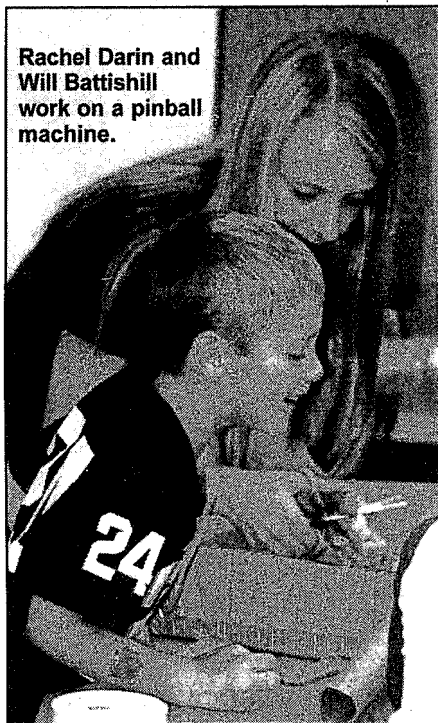
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**Katrina Massey shows her bionic hand.**



**Rachel Darin and Will Battishill work on a pinball machine.**

## Kids 'morph' ideas into fun

Jack Vilella took off his eyeglasses and held up the invention he finished working on in the Design Studio module last Wednesday at Camp Invention.

"I am making something to help people see better," he explained, holding the contraption up to his eyes.

Around him other campers were busily creating for the day's mission, which was make an invention to make people's lives better.

Beth Rogers, a teacher at Springfield Plains Elementary, explained this year's overall theme for Camp Invention is "Morphed."

"They are taking things and morphing them in other things," she added.

Young inventors in the SuperGo module were working on a vehicle to not only drive on land but could also fly and go under water.

They also worked with their five different senses in Amplify and used teamwork to create a pinball machine in I Can Invent.

In each module, the campers "upcycle" materials - finding a new purpose for them.

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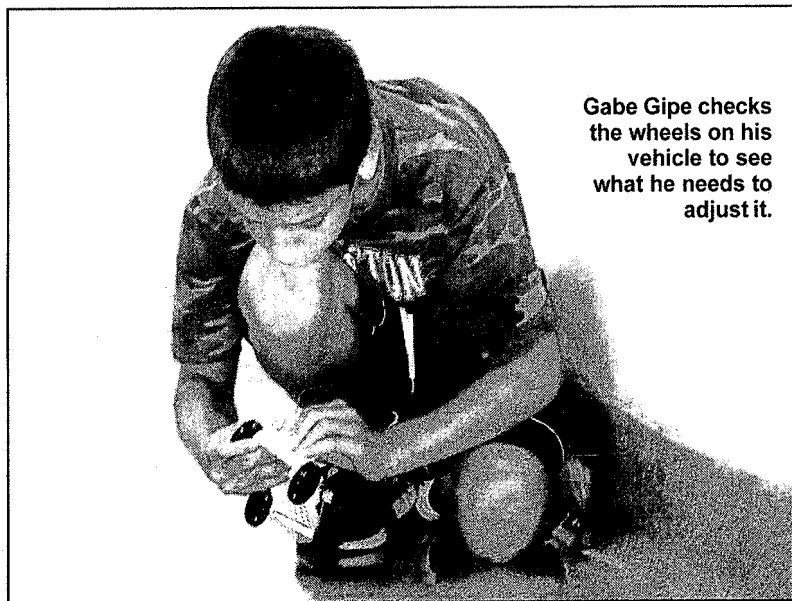
"Camp Invention is really responsive to the feedback we give them," Rogers said, adding the camp changes every year.

For more information visit [www.campinvention.org](http://www.campinvention.org).

~Staff Writer Wendi Reardon



**Bedford Muzzy makes adjustments to his bionic hand.**



**Gabe Gipe checks the wheels on his vehicle to see what he needs to adjust it.**



**Sammie Carpentier, left, and Claudia Carr, right, get help on their invention in the Design Studio module from Counselor in Training Emily Jueng.**

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## Elen C. Cameron, 51 John R. Fancher, 87 John P. Walsh, 47

Elen C. Cameron of Waterford passed away July 25, 2014, at age 51.

She was the beloved daughter of Lucy (the late Bill) Taylor and the late Carl (Suzanne) Cameron; sister of Erin (Jeffrey) Stilman, Evon Kern, Evet Schmidt, Carl and Edward Cameron; aunt of Josh and Leah Stilman, Nicole and Christy Schmidt and Charlie Kern.



Funeral Service was July 29 at the **Lewis E. Wint and Son Funeral Home**, Clarkston. Interment Ottawa Park Cemetery. Online guestbook [www.wintfuneralhome.com](http://www.wintfuneralhome.com).

## Jack A. Creed, 66

Jack A. Creed, 33 year resident of Clarkston, recently residing in Punta Gorda, Fla., passed away July 21, 2014, at age 66.

He was the loving husband of Janet for 44 years; beloved father of Larry Creed and Shannon (Victor) Vasquez; proud grandfather of Christopher, Deonte, Domnic and Miah; son of Rosetta and the late Allen Creed; brother of Richard Creed and Kira Aryss; brother in law of John Tarkowski, Jim Tarkowski, Joe Tarkowski and Jean (Doug) Post; son in law of Barbara and the late William Tarkowski; also survived by many extended family and friends.



Jack retired from GM - Pontiac Motors. Funeral Service was July 25 at the **Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home**, Clarkston. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to a charity of your choice. Online guestbook [www.wintfuneralhome.com](http://www.wintfuneralhome.com).

## Elnora Stringer, 93

Elnora A. Stringer of Clarkston passed away July 26, 2014, at age 93.

She was the wife of Don for 58 years; step mother of Wendell (Jill) and Duane Stringer; grandma of Todd (Dara), Gary, Brent (Sarah), Mark, Scott, Lee (Heather) and Beth; survived by 13 great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren; preceded in death by grandson Paul.



Elnora enjoyed square dancing and traveling. Funeral service, Wednesday, July 30, 2014, at 12:30 p.m. at **Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home**, Clarkston, with visiting, Wednesday, 11:30 a.m. until time of service. Interment Ottawa Park Cemetery. Online guestbook [www.wintfuneralhome.com](http://www.wintfuneralhome.com).

John R. Fancher of White Lake passed away July 24, 2014, at age 87.

He was preceded in death by his wife Phyllis. He was the loving father of Kathy (Bruce) Holden, Colleen VanHaitma, Randy, Dan (Julie), Mark and Tim (Lisa); grandfather of 11; great grandfather of eight, brother of Welma LaTurneau, Thelma Southard and the late Lewis Fancher.

John retired from Waterford Public Schools.

Memorials may be made to Mercy Hospice. Private family services entrusted to the **Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home**, Clarkston. Online guestbook [www.wintfuneralhome.com](http://www.wintfuneralhome.com).

## Violet V. Loridas, 90

Violet V. Loridas of Clarkston passed away July 27, 2014, at age 90.

She was preceded in death by her husband Nickolas. She was the mother of Chris (Lisa) Loridas and Sharron (Bob) Scholz.

Private inurnment at Great Lakes National Cemetery, Holly. Arrangements entrusted to **Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home**, Clarkston. Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or Alzheimer's Association.

Online guestbook [www.wintfuneralhome.com](http://www.wintfuneralhome.com).



John P. Walsh of Clarkston passed away unexpectedly, July 22, 2014, at age 47.

He was the loving husband of Amy, proud father of Kyle John Walsh and Evan Christopher Walsh; son of William and Joan Walsh; brother of Jeanette (Robert) Julian, Linda (Terry) Tomas, Michael Walsh, Cindy (Gary) Witt and Merri (Adam) Baxter; son in law of Christine and the late Joseph DeBartolo; brother in law of Andrea (James) Muscarella; also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.



John was an engineer with General Motors for over 25 years. He enjoyed participating in sports and Boy Scouts with both his sons. He also coached youth basketball in the community for many years.

Visitation was July 27 at the **Lewis E. Wint and Son Funeral Home**, Clarkston. Funeral Mass was July 28 at St. Daniel Catholic Church, Clarkston. Interment Lakeview Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the family for the future education of Kyle and Evan. Online guestbook [www.wintfuneralhome.com](http://www.wintfuneralhome.com).

## Obituaries posted daily at Clarkstonnews.com

### STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF OAKLAND NOTICE TO CREDITORS Decedent's Estate

Estate of Milton V. Von Pruess. Date of birth August 23, 1930 TO ALL CREDITORS NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Milton V. Von Pruess, died May 11, 2014.

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

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June 22, 2013

### STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF OAKLAND NOTICE TO CREDITORS Decedent's Estate

Estate of COLLEEN CONARTY REVOCABLE TRUST DAED NOVEMBER 2, 1995 TO ALL CREDITORS:

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The Trust, COLLEEN CONARTY REVOCABLE TRUST DATED Nov. 2, 1995

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Patricia An Scarlett, M. Deborah Jones and Michael Thomas Conarty, Succ. Trustees or to both the probate court at 1200 N. Telegraph Rd., Pontiac, and the personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

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### PUBLIC NOTICE Because the People Want to Know INDEPENDENCE TWP. NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

AUGUST 14, 2014 INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION The Independence Township Planning Commission, Oakland County, Michigan, will hold a Public Hearing on:

Thursday, August 14, 2014 at 6:30 p.m. At Independence Township Hall Meeting Room, 6483 Waldon Center Dr., Clarkston MI, 48347-0069, to consider the following:

PC File # 2014-007  
Petitioner: Versa Development - VAQ LLC  
Project Name: Proposed Drive-Thru Coffee Facility  
PETITIONER REQUESTS REZONING WITH PLANNED REZONING OVERLAY APPROVAL FROM OS-2 OFFICE SERVICE TWO TO C-1 LOCAL COMMERCIAL.

Parcel # 08-27-201-020  
East Side of Sashabaw Road, north of Bow Pointe Drive  
OS-2 Office Service Two Zoning District  
NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT THE ABOVE REQUEST MAY BE EXAMINED at the Township Building Department during regular business hours. Written comments may be sent to the Planning Commission c/o the Independence Township Building Department, 6483 Waldon Center Dr., P.O. Box 69, Clarkston, MI 48347-0069 prior to the Public Hearing/Meeting.

For further information call (248) 625-8111.  
Barbara A Pallotta, Clerk  
The Township will provide the necessary, reasonable auxiliary aids and services to individuals with disabilities at a public hearing/meeting upon advance notice in writing or by calling the Township Building Department (248) 625-8111.

### PUBLIC NOTICE Because the People Want to Know INDEPENDENCE TWP.

#### SYNOPSIS TAKEN BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE JULY 22, 2014

- A Regular Meeting of the Charter Township of Independence Board was called to order at 7:00 PM at Independence Township Hall.
- The Pledge of Allegiance was given.
- ROLL CALL: Present: Kittle, Pallotta, Brown, Aliaga, Lohmeier, Ritchie, Schroeder  
Absent: None

There was a quorum present.  
Also Present: Dave Belcher, Building Department Director; Linda L. Richardson, DPW Director; Rick Yaeger, Budget Analyst; Steven P. Joppich, Johnson, Rosati, Schultz & Joppich, PC; Brian Oppmann, Carlisle Wortman Associates; Richard Carlisle, Carlisle Wortman Associates; Jon H. Wheatley, Bendzinski & Co., Municipal Finance Advisors

- D. APPROVAL OF AGENDA: As presented
- E. CLOSED SESSION: None scheduled
- F. BOARD/PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS: Trustee Lohmeier, Supervisor Kittle
- G. PUBLIC COMMENT: None
- H. PUBLIC HEARING: None Scheduled
- I. PRESENTATIONS AND REPORTS:
  1. Report: Monthly Actual to Budget Financial Update - June, 2014 (Rick Yaeger, Budget Analyst)
  2. Report: Planning Commission Update (Ronald Ritchie, Trustee)
- J. CARRYOVER / POSTPONED AGENDA ITEMS: None
- K. CONSENT AGENDA:
  1. Approval of Board of Trustees Regular Meeting Minutes of July 8, 2014 as amended
  2. Approval of Payroll of July 18, 2014; and Check Run of July 17, 2014 for a Total Amount of \$618,073.13
  3. Approval of Amendment to Previously Adopted Motion - Motion #2014-05-085, 2015 Budget Review/Approval Process & Scheduling of Special Meetings
  4. Request to Approve Scope of Engineering Services and Budget Amendment - Emergency Water Connection with Orion Township - Removed from Consent Agenda
  5. Request to Accept Proposal and Approve Contract Agreement - Dixie Hwy Water Storage Tank - Removed from Consent Agenda
  6. Approval of Budget Amendment - Purchase and Sale of Tax Foreclosure Property

- L. ITEMS REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA:
  4. Approval to Accept Scope of Engineering Services and Budget Amendment - Emergency Water Connection with Orion Township
  5. Acceptance of Proposal and Approval of Contract Agreement - Dixie Hwy Water Storage Tank
- M. REGULAR BUSINESS:
  1. Approval of 2nd Reading and Adoption of Ordinance; Permit Conditions & Development Agreement - Ardmore PUD
  2. Approval of 2nd Readings and Adoption of Amendments to: Vision 2020 Master Plan - Sashabaw Road Target Plan; Sashabaw Road Overlay District Expansion Map; and Sashabaw Road North Overlay District Map and Zoning Ordinance Text
  3. Approval of Amendment to Intergovernmental Agreement and Release Capital Connection Fees - City of the Village of Clarkston
  4. Approval to Accept Supplemental Sewer System Rate Study; Approve Sewer Rate Increase and Budget Amendment - Postponed

- N. COMMUNICATIONS / FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS / REPORTS:
  1. Minutes: Election Commission - March 26, 2014
  2. Report: Sheriff's Department Monthly Report for June, 2014
  3. Report: Building Department Monthly Report for June, 2014
- O. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS: Trustee Ritchie, Clerk Pallotta; Treasurer Brown; Supervisor Kittle.
- P. ADJOURNMENT: The Regular Meeting adjourned at 8:56 PM.

- Respectfully Submitted,  
Barbara A. Pallotta, CMC  
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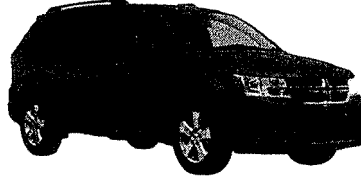


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	36 Mo. Lease

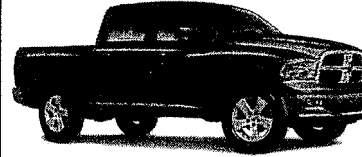
## 2014 Dodge Journey R/T AWD



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## 2014 Ram 1500 4x4 SLT Crew Cab



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MSRP \$42,620 Stk. #145516

Employee 27 Mo. Lease	<b>GUARANTEED PRICING</b>
<b>\$199**</b> Mo.	<b>\$238*</b> Mo.
	24 Mo. Lease

## 2014 Dodge Charger R/T AWD



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Employee 24 Mo. Lease	<b>GUARANTEED PRICING</b>
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## 2014 Jeep Grand Cherokee Laredo 4x4



Customer Preferred 23E Pkg., 8 Speed Trans, Flex Fuel Vehicle, 3.6L V-6 24 Valve VVT Engine

MSRP \$33,790 Stk. #143470

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	36 Mo. Lease

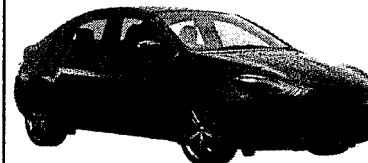
## 2014 Chrysler 300 AWD



MSRP \$36,990 Stk. #144262

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	24 Mo. Lease

## 2014 Dodge Dart SXT



Customer Preferred 28S Package, 6 Speed Automatic Trans., 2.4 L I4 Tigershark End w/Multi.

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<b>\$159**</b> Mo.	<b>\$179*</b> Mo.
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## 2014 Jeep Patriot Latitude 4x4



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MSRP \$25,085 Stk. #143919

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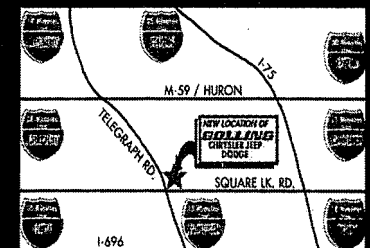
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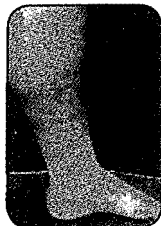
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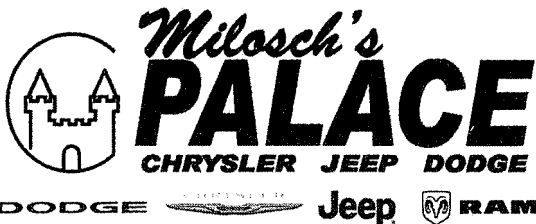
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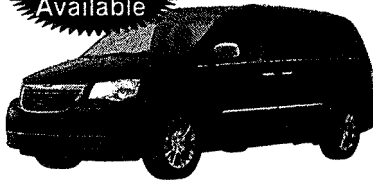


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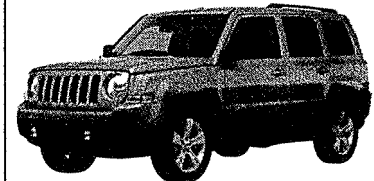
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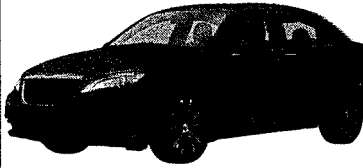
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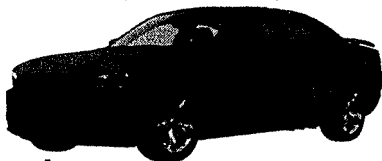
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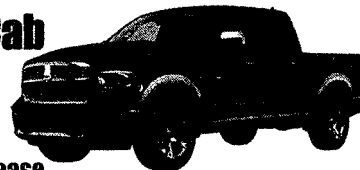
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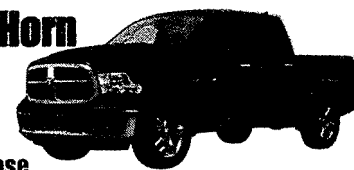
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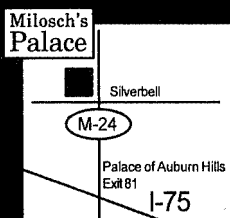
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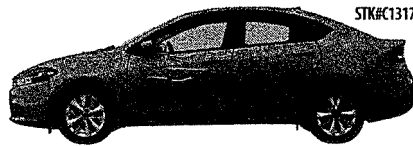
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Purchase Price  
**\$89\*** Lease **\$21,197\***  
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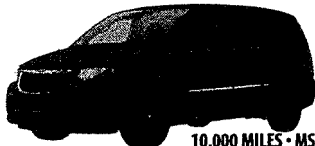
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Purchase Price  
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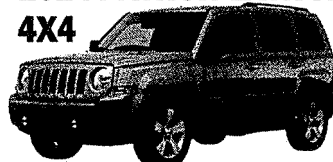
10,000 MILES • MSRP \$31,500  
Purchase Price  
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**2014 CHRYSLER  
TOWN & COUNTRY TOURING L**



10,000 MILES • MSRP \$31,890  
Purchase Price  
**\$98\*** Lease **\$24,985\***  
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**2014 PATRIOT LATITUDE  
4X4**



10,000 MILES • MSRP \$24,750  
Purchase Price  
**\$78\*** Lease **\$18,100\***  
TAX

**2014 JEEP CHEROKEE 4X4 LATITUDE**



10,000 MILES • MSRP \$27,350  
Purchase Price  
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2011 JEEP GRAND  
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STK#K4862

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