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## Fight continues for kids

BY PHIL CUSTODIO

Clarkston News Editor

Joan Patterson's time on the Clarkston Board of Education is at an end, but she's not done trying to make a difference in education.

"I can be more effective on the outside than inside," said Patterson, who posted her resignation from the school board, April 13. "I'd like to spearhead an initiative to continue the discussion in an open forum."

She hopes to get other citizens interested in digging into school improvement issues.

"Step up, ask the tough questions, and understand the issues," she said. "This is extremely important – how do we do a better job to care for our kids with the money we have."

Patterson plans to continue her series of coffee chats on education issues, which she began earlier this year after meeting

with state and federal representatives about education issues.

"The big thing is, we have a lot great ideas. Implementing them is a struggle," she said. "I'm proud of the way we pressed for transparency, accountability, and fairness to all sides. The key is, we need to have honest information make the best decisions."



Patterson

Unfettered, open dialogue by school board members in schools, through *The Clarkston News*, and in the community is important, she said.

"I would talk to teachers, students, staff and residents about how they see things," she said. "I appreciated the opportunity. That was fun. Now, I see that going away."

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## Pollution problems at 148 N. Main

BY ANDREAM. BEAUDOIN

Clarkston News Staff Writer

With continued pollution mitigation problems at 148 N. Main Street, developer Curt Catallo is ready to wash his hands of the affair.

"The constant hurdles and ever changing playing field have made it apparent to us that the city does not want this corner re purposed as we originally proposed," Catallo told Clarkston City Council.

According to Oakland County Register of Deeds, the property is still owned by Larry Trepek, of Pontiac based GL Investments. Catallo has entered a land contract agreement with Trepek, but has no official owner-

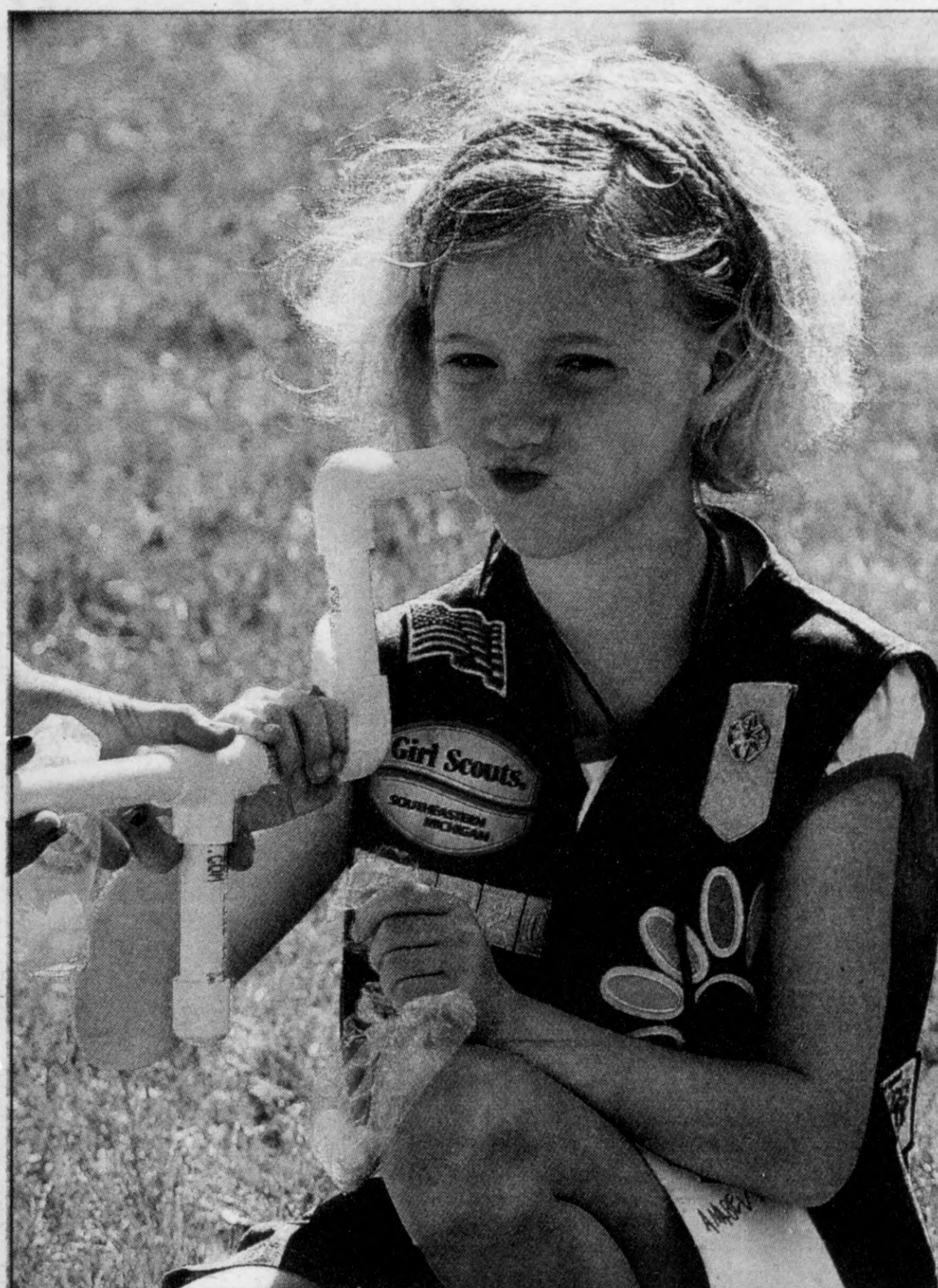
ship until the contract is paid off.

Catallo offered the property to the city to house its DPW garage after it vacates its Church Street property, which he recently purchased if his plans fail.

He suggested the city could build an addition, for which he already gained permission from the Historic District Commission, and rent the building at the same rate as the Church Street garage.

Catallo, who co-owns numerous restaurants including the Clarkston Union and Woodshop downtown, said he spent \$250,000 on the property so far. He said the city is not adhering to a 2014 agreement, leav-

Please see *Catallo* on page 9



**ON TARGET:** Anabelle Zielke practices before her Marshmallow Shooter activity during *Maker Girl Mania* at Clarkston High School last Saturday. For more pictures from the engineering event, please see page 20. Photo by *Wendi Reardon*

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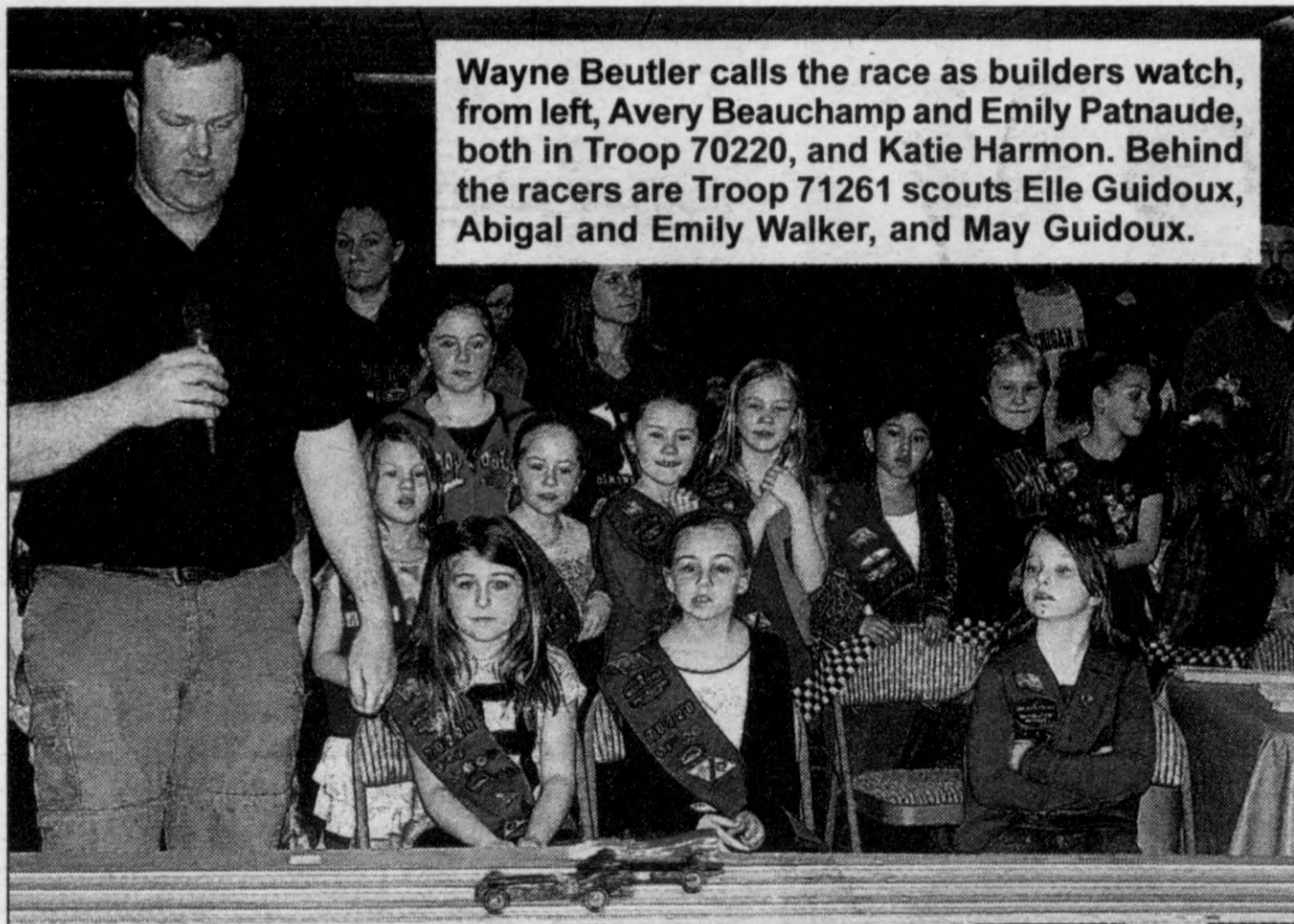
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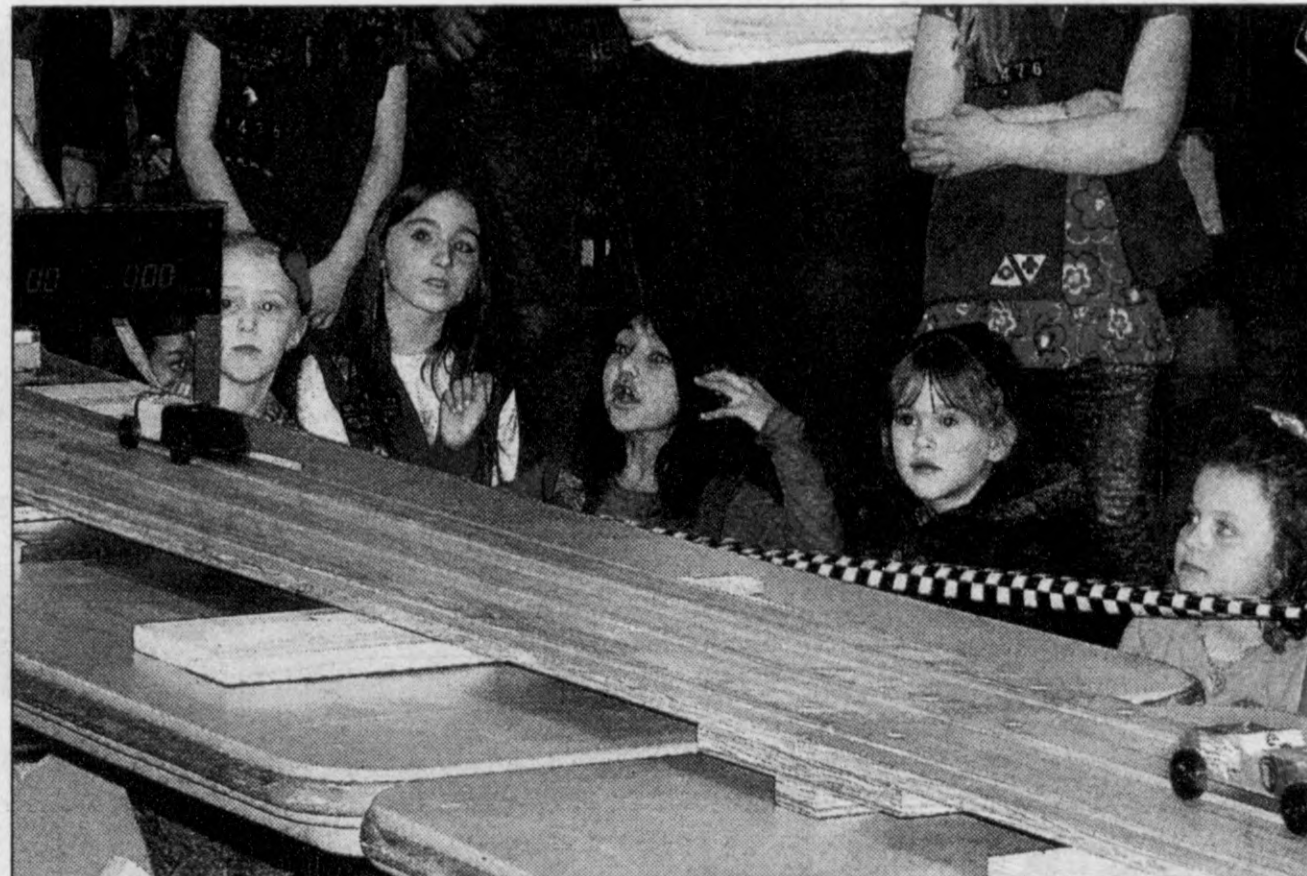
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Wayne Beutler calls the race as builders watch, from left, Avery Beauchamp and Emily Patnaude, both in Troop 70220, and Katie Harmon. Behind the racers are Troop 71261 scouts Elle Guidoux, Abigail and Emily Walker, and May Guidoux.



Brownies Abigail Schultz, Sarah Mckee, Zoe Crowley, and Murphy Aspinall watch their cars race down the track.

## On track to learn STEM

Clarkston-area Girl Scouts gathered at St. Dan's, April 22, for something new – a Pine Wood Derby race.

"It was our first 'Powder Puff Derby' and I know it won't be the last," said Karen Brierly-Reagan, who helped Wayne Beutler, Boy Scout and Girl Scout leader, organize the event. "For our first time, we had over 60 racers and everyone had a great time."

The project was to help Girl Scouts develop STEM, Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math, skills.

"It's a good lesson, building cars," Brierly-Reagan said.



Abigail Schultz, at left, and Hannah Budzynski check out the pinewood racers.



The crowd prepares for another race. Photos by Phil Custodio

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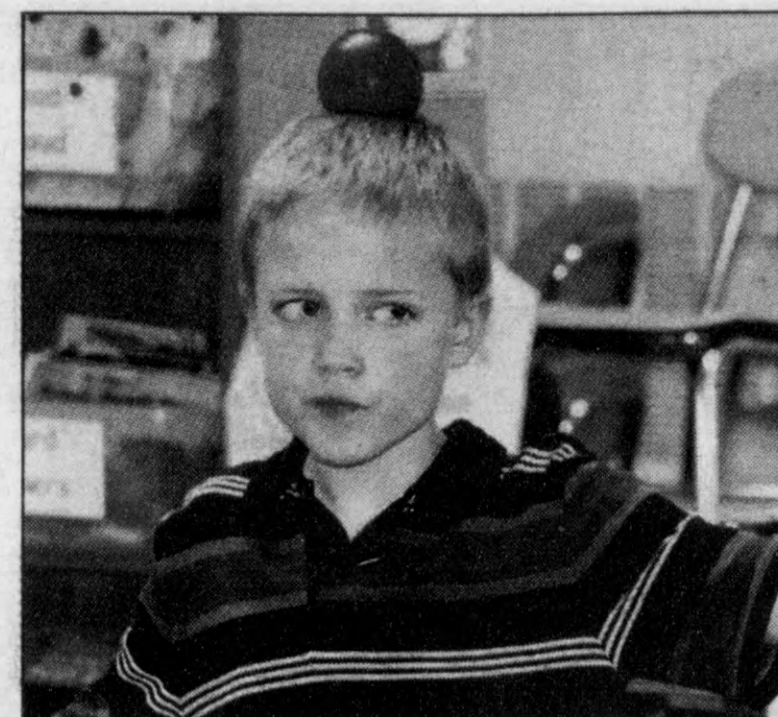
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**Thing 2, Meredith Turner, along with other Seuss characters show students how to dance.**



**Ethan Zak tries for perfect posture as he balances an apple in Ten Apples Up on Top. Photos by Wendi Reardon**

## Seuss Night

Bailey Lake Elementary students jumped from room to room last Friday night for the school's annual Seuss Night celebration.

Activities included making the favorite gooey Oobleck, making a red and white striped hat, eating a hat snack and a Dance Off on Mulberry Street.

A popular stop was the cake walk where hundreds of treats waited to be won and eaten.

Students and family members also tried out their skills in Mr. Brown can play hockey, can you?, Scoot to Shoot, the Grinch Goes Golfing, Throw That Football, and One Shot, Two Shot.

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# Deer Lake residents don't trust developer

BY ANDREAM BEAUDOIN  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Homeowners in a Clarkston subdivision remain watchful over a developer's plan to build 69 homes on 26 acres of land.

Michael Furnari proposed the development on property just south of I-75 on the east side of Dixie Highway at Deerhill Drive.

Furnari was recently denied a development in Ann Arbor to build 70 homes on double the amount of property than his Clarkston plan.

Independence Township Supervisor Pat Kittle said Furnari needs to do a lot of work to get approval for his Clarkston-area project.

Kittle said township officials share the concerns as resident, and Furnari must iron out numerous details of the plans.

In August 2014, Furnari's initial site plan, for an empty-nest condo community, including a neighborhood association to care for the sub, was approved by the township planning commission.

Furnari changed plans when seeking final approval. Plans were to build much larger homes, which allowed families with kids and up to four cars.

Such change require different zoning, and more amenities. "You can have a family neighborhood with no back yard," Kittle said.

Furnari insists homes are geared towards empty nesters, and a plan for large colonial homes was his mistake and homes are not geared towards families.

Furnari said he addressed concerns made by officials, residents and township consultants and created a revamped site plan.

Townships officials disagree. Engineering and planning consultants remain concerned over numerous issues from grading to landscaping.

As it stands, the plan lacks natural space, landscaping, tree buffering, sewage, drainage and utility easement space, with too many



Chelsea O'Brien and her family enjoy a walk through the property. Photo by Andrea Beaudoin

homes, and too little green space, Kittle said.

"It's not suitable for his current plans and lacks needs to be a neighborhood for families," he said.

Plans also violate township ordinances, which Kittle said is unacceptable.

In the plan, houses are built close to Dixie Highway and right up to the rear of existing homes on Deerhill Drive. It also calls for storm water to drain into Deer Lake Farms, an area with numerous wetlands, creeks, and lakes including nearby Deer Lake.

Drainage issues were also addressed, but grading the property remained a concern.

Furnari has been told several times, the plan must change, Kittle said.

He said Furnari needs a solid development plan that matches his initial request.

Chelsea O'Brien, a resident in the neighborhood, said the development plans lacks water quality studies.

Clear cutting and mass grading 26 acres of Deer Lake watershed will negatively affect water, she said.

"I and members of my team request that

proactive measures be taken to ensure protection of our city's pristine Deer Lake and the adjoining fragile wetlands, not to mention our resident's wells," she said.

Residents are concerned with a consent judgment, timing of the purchase, and lack of disclosure to adjoining neighborhoods.

Kittle said the township shares the same concerns, and residents should have faith in the planning commission.

"We have engineers, architects and buildings on our planning commission. They are smart people who know what they are doing," he said. "They will get the job done – Furnari needs to understand it's the planning commission that steers the bus as far as what is acceptable to the community, not the developer."

Until he irons out plans and meets all requirements, he will not be added to the commission's agenda. Even if the planning commission approves the plan, the township's board of trustees must grant final approval.

## Former trustee calls for community involvement

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Issues leading to her resignation stem from changes to the school board after last November's election.

Board President Rosalie Lieblang was voted out, replaced by new Trustee Kelli Horst, and long-time Trustee Steve Hyer was elected by the board to be the new president.

A new question-and-answer procedure is in effect. Board members' questions for speakers and presenters are directed to the president, who collects and presents them to the subject.

Patterson said the procedure limits communication.

"I don't see a way for me to have a two-way conversation," she said. "I'm getting the message they want me to hear, then expected to vote on it."

Hyer said the procedure is based on recommendations by Michigan Association of School Board consultant Mary Kerwin.

"It prevents board members from badgering the presenter or the presenter from feeling they are under fire or interrogation," Hyer said. "These are behaviors we have eliminated with this new protocol."

Meetings would get contentious in the past because everything was brought forward for dialogue, Patterson said.

"It's not always pretty," she said.

The re-evaluation of Superintendent Dr. Rod Rock in January was another reason to resign, she said.

"We spent a lot of time to go through the process and develop the evaluation tool, just to have it discounted," she said. "I saw the writing on the wall. No matter the process, if

it doesn't mean anything, why put in the time?"

Patterson served on the school board for 11 years.

"I want to thank my husband (Tom Patterson) and son (Jeff Patterson) – they were my support system," she said.

An application to fill the school board seat is available at the school district website, [clarkston.k12.mi.us](http://clarkston.k12.mi.us). Deadline to drop off questionnaire information, resume, and letter of interest at the district administration building, 6389 Clarkston Road, is May 1.

The school board is expected to appoint the new board member at its May 11 meeting, to serve a partial term until the next board election on Nov. 8, 2016.

Contact Patterson at 248-396-3148 or [TJJPATT01@comcast.net](mailto:TJJPATT01@comcast.net).

## Briefly

### Earth Day ideas

This Earth Day, Independence Township has ideas to help the earth at [www.twp.independence.mi.us](http://www.twp.independence.mi.us), including:

- Don't dump chemicals into drains. Pouring chemicals down streets with storm drains can damage the environment. Water collected in storm drains is released untreated into waterways such as a retention ponds or other wetlands. Chemicals dumped in drains end up in natural waters and poison wildlife;

- Turn off lights, and cut back on energy use helps the environment;

- Turn the tap off when you are brushing your teeth saves water. It can save several gallons a day; and

- Use online bill payment services to save almost 30 pounds of greenhouse gases from being emitted into the atmosphere.

### Spring wine tasting

Clarkston Rotary Club hosts its annual spring wine party, celebrating wines from Michigan, 6:30-8:30 p.m., May 14, at Fountains Golf and Banquet Center, 6060 Maybee Road.

Guests will taste wines from 45 North, Bel Lago, Black Star Farms, Brengman Bros, Brys Estate, Chateau Chantel and Hawthorne, and can visit the auction tables while sampling appetizers presented by Fountains.

Tickets are \$40 in advance or \$50 at the door and are available from any Clarkston Rotarian, Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce and Fountains Golf and Banquet.

### Changes at bank

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## Wendi's Word

A column by Wendi Reardon

### Winning artwork

On a sunny day last week I found myself at the Clarkston Community Schools Administration Building.

I had three slips of paper in one hand and my favorite ink pen in my other. I was about to select artwork for *The Clarkston News* to display for the fourth annual Community Art Connection, which is organized by the school district and Clarkston Area Optimist Club.

When the first event occurred I was chosen simply from my art background. I was heavily into it during middle school and high school and even won a few awards in my senior year.

So for me it's really fun to check out the different artwork created by students from throughout the community every year.

Also, to see what challenges they were given by their teachers and how the students envisioned carrying out the challenge.

Usually the artwork consists of paintings, drawings, sculptures and mixed media pieces but this year there were quite a few photograph pieces.

Photography is always fun too because you also get to see someone's viewpoint through a camera like what catches their eye - is it nature, people, or buildings? As well what they chose as their focal point.

Actually I check out artwork when I am visiting schools for different events. I glimpse at them while I am walking the hallways and notice the subtle effort each student puts into their work.

As you might be able to tell when I am at an art museum or at the Oakland County Fair's barn with the fair winners, I spend a lot of time just looking around.

Check out what Andrea Beaudoin and I chose for *The Clarkston News* office this year, also be a look out at other businesses around the community for artwork.

Update on 2015 Reading Challenge: I am on my seventh book. It took me a while to read the fifth book in the challenge - an author with the same initials. But the sixth book only took a few days to read. To be honest it was a short book, *Austenland* by Shannon Hale. Next up is *Love, Rosie* by Cecelia Ahern. I don't know which challenge I will count it towards. Really I skimmed the bookshelves and chose one in the back of a pile. I should really be more organized with this challenge.



# Opinion Pages

Letters, columns & Editorials

## A call to reconsider development

Dear Editor,

In regard to Mr. Gary Gavulic's letter in the *Clarkston News* of April 8 ("Deerhill Highlands disappoints reader"), I share his concern and support a re-examination of the development of the 26-acre property at Dixie and Deerhill Drive.

Clarkston represents a unique community that is unlike others in Michigan, or other states for that matter, where the aura and attraction to live here is because of spacious lot sights, green space and protection of the

natural landscape.

Deerhill Highlands is a direct contradiction to the philosophy that "Clarkston is different." It is too dense, there is no protection of natural landscape, and its current status will negatively affect nearby wetlands, creeks, and nearby neighborhoods.

Please reconsider building this development as it is currently proposed.

*Lolly and Ed Jozwiak  
Springfield Township,  
at Independence Township border*

## Two eye-sores too many for reader

Dear Editor,

Wow. I can't believe because of the City of the Village of Clarkston, our village is now bookended by two eye-sores.

First, the owners of the lot of Waldon and Main plowing down the trees, because the city would never agree on what to let them develop. And now, after bickering for over a year, the Brake Shop on the corner of Clarkston Road and Main is NOT going to be renovated to architectural splendor by the

Catallo group, but is now going to be a bigger mechanic's garage than it is now -- the city's own DPW garage.

So now, because of the City of the Village of Clarkston government, visitors will see something ugly upon leaving AND entering.

Any alternative to these two conclusions would be better, aesthetically and logically Way to go!

*Vanessa Myers  
Clarkston*

## Thanks for community volunteer help

Dear Editor,

On Friday, April 17, Independence Township Senior Adult Activity Center hosted its annual Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon at St. Daniel Church, where over 100 volunteers and guests attended.

Thanks to the following staff and volunteers for all of the hard work they put into this event, Mary Przybycien and volunteers Diane Brozovich, Ron Frank, Beverly Krol, Rosie Landry, Nick Mocerino, Ron Pointer, Peggy and John Schorsch, Pam Spencer and Rose Tanner and others who helped prepare food and decorate for this event.

Also thanks to all of our staff members for working together with our volunteers to make our center a successful place. Our over 150 volunteers make it possible for us provide higher levels of programs and services to the community. We appreciate their hard work and everything they do for us.

We are especially grateful this year for St. Daniel Church and Nancy Steele for working with us and allowing us to host our luncheon in their hall. They have been very gracious to us and supportive of our center and programs.

Thanks to our Bronze Level sponsors, Clarkston Brandon Credit Union, Home Instead Senior Care, Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Inc., and SMART Transportation.

Thanks to these businesses for raffle items, Computer2tur, Carol Compagnoni, Culver's of Clarkston, and Sue Fryer of Susan's Hallmark.

Several local restaurants and businesses donated food for our luncheon. Our volunteers were very grateful for such a wonderful menu. It was a real treat to try out the different dishes that they provided. Thank you to these businesses for your generous donations of food for this event, Brioni Café and Deli, Clarkston Union and Woodshop, Connie's Creative Cakes, Deer Lake Racquet Club Back Court Restaurant, Gregg's Gourmet Café, Independence Village of White Lake, Pete's Oven Bakery, Pizzeria dolce, Royal Diner, Sportsmen Great Northern Grill, Uncle Peter's Pasties, and Via Bologna.

It was a great event thanks to everyone listed above for their donations and hard work.

*Barbara Rollin, senior division supervisor  
Mary Melega, senior center programmer*

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## A Look Back

From *The CNews* archives

### 15 years ago - 2000

**"City urges businesses to hook up to water now"** The water subcommittee of Clarkston hosted a pre-public hearing for business owners to become better informed on why hooking up to the Independence Township water supply would make good sense rather than waiting until a later date.

**"SCAMP goes silver"** Clarkston's SCAMP program, which holds summer camp for children and and young adults celebrated its 25-year in the Clarkston community. When it began in 1976 they only had 75 children participate and by 1999 had grown to about 300 students.

**"Wolves beat no. 1 Troy"** The Clarkston Varsity Baseball team fell behind 3-0 in the first inning against Troy. The Wolves came back to go on a 12-0 run to beat the Colts in the next six innings.

### 25 years ago - 1990

**"Bathroom fire closes Clarkston High"** Arson was suspected in a fire that closed Clarkston High School for a day and inflicted heavy smoke damage to several rooms. The Independence Township Fire Department responded to a fire at the high school at 9:36 a.m. after someone lit a towel dispenser on fire in the boy's bathroom on the south end of the school.

**"Recycling growing in Springfield, Independence"** Local disposal companies and a public drop-off center were getting results in the early stages of their recycling programs. Four private disposal companies, including Smith's Disposal, were giving their customers an opportunity to separate their recyclable trash from the non-recyclable.

**"A Nintendo champ in our midst"** Independence Township resident 13-year-old Matthew Kusky of Elk Run Drive, competed against thousands at Cobo Hall in the 1990 Nintendo Championship and was one of the top seven finalists.

### 50 years ago - 1965

**"Grass fires on increase"** Careless burning of rubbish was the major cause of six grass fires in Independence Township.

**"Local doctor named director"** Dr. Robert Liechtman of Clarkston was among those appointed to a new board of directors of the Oakland County Heart Unit of the Michigan Heart Association.

**"Elementary news"** From first grader Ann Marie at Clarkston Elementary, "we have a surprise today. We made Easter baskets yesterday afternoon and now there are colored eggs in them. The Easter Bunny left a note on our chalk board."



# In a weak moment I read something a PhD wrote

Everyone knows a person's interests change many times throughout life. We go so quickly from Kermit the frog to "our" body to having kids to career to graduations, weddings, etc.

Right now, my reading interests are health (depression/recession), golf course negotiations (I need more shots), anti-tax increases, vinegar uses, and are Works cleaners better than Lysol?

I've had bouts of depression since Hazel died and all headlines referencing this affect get my attention, even if they are too long.

Long headlines are upsetting. However, even this one, "What we can learn from Beethoven about living well" got me into the article, but not until I checked the author's name and biography at the end.

The writer is Paul Pearsall. He has a PhD and is at the University of Hawaii. The sub-head says he thrived despite a devastating health problem, and you can, too.

Being a professor (publicly financed)

at Manoa in Honolulu would probably have helped reduce my stress.

Headlines with nine words are way too long. Such long writings are like someone coming out of a movie and telling the ending for all to hear. Suspense and interest is slipping. Another suggestion: Don't read articles with question headlines. The writer obviously needs help.

But, the prof ended with five questions in an issue of Bottom Line Health.

1. Do you look for life's lessons when you experience crisis?

2. Does adversity make you stronger?

3. Do others seek you out--and seem strengthened by your presence--when they are suffering?

4. Do negative events make you grateful for what you have?

## Jim's Jottings



a column by  
Jim Sherman

5. Do negative events broaden your understanding of meaning and purpose of life?

The more you answer "yes" the more likely you are to thrive in the face of adversity, he concludes.

As a general rule, I do not absorb anything written or said by PhDs. They spend all those years in an academic life, never meeting a payroll, never shooting pool and playing shuffleboard in a saloon, reading only tomes of boring stuff and avoiding we common folks. Besides, they all speak and write in monotones.

So, to answer Dr. Pearsall's questions: 1) In a crisis I: 1. Cry, 2. Wet myself, 3. Order a copy of the *Porcupine Press* and look for off-color humor.

2) Adversity frightens me, to the point that any more diversity is likely to do things that send me club hunting - Alcoholics Anonymous club.

3) No one seeks me out when they are suffering. Word is out that I'm not comforting. Mental health (depression) sufferers better go directly to profession-

als, avoid amateurs and PhDs.

4) Do negative events make you grateful for what you have? What the hell kind of question is that? Be grateful for negative things? You out of your mind, doctor? If it's negative it's anti-positive, isn't it? Show me a person who can answer "yes" to number 4 and I'll show you a teacher at Manoa, Honolulu.

5) Negative events do not broaden my understanding of the meaning and purpose of life. Having been there, let me tell you negative events during periods of depression eliminate that meaning and purpose I think you're talking about.

In fact, negative events when hale and hearty don't give meaning and purpose to my life, ever. Give me positive every time and I'll show you purpose and meaning.

No one ever wins at poker with a negative feeling. And, you can't win at life with that frame of mind, either.

*PhD-less James A. Sherman is a graduate of a class D Michigan high school and a drop out of two colleges.*

## Now we start working for ourselves

Some how, some way and for some years now, I always get notice informing me when you and I stop working to pay the government, and start working to help ourselves and our families. Tax Freedom Day, the day when we have collectively earned enough money to pay our federal, state taxes, arrived in Michigan this past Monday, April 20.

The good news, Michigan was the 28th state to reach Tax Freedom Day, 4 days earlier than national average. This, according to the annual report by the nonpartisan Tax Foundation, national Tax Freedom Day falls on April 24, 114 days into the year and nine days after the tax filing deadline.

The report went on to say each state's total federal, state, and local tax burden obviously varies greatly. Tax Freedom Day arrived earliest in Louisiana on April 2 and Mississippi on April 4. Connecticut and New Jersey will be the last to reach Tax Freedom Day this year on May 13.

"Tax Freedom Day gives us a vivid representation of how much we pay for the goods and services provided by governments at all levels," said Tax Foundation Economist Kyle Pomerleau. "Arguments can be made for it and why the tax bill is too high or too low, but in order to have an honest discussion, it's important for taxpayers to understand cost of government. Tax Freedom Day helps people relate to that cost."

Here are some more nifty points from the report:

## Don't Rush Me



A column by  
Don Rush

Americans will collectively spend more on taxes in 2015 than they will on food, clothing, and housing combined.

Americans will pay \$3.3 trillion in federal taxes and \$1.5 trillion in state and local taxes, for a total bill of more than \$4.8 trillion, or 31.1 percent of the nation's income.

Gulp.

More on taxes than we spend on food for our families. That's a sobering.

Want more sobering news? I went back to last year's column (2014) and saw I wrote, "Okay everybody, take a long, deep breath. Take your eyes away from the page, close 'em and let that breath leave your body. Relax. Come this Thursday, April 17, every upstanding, taxpaying Michigander will have theoretically worked enough this year to pay off the government. Thursday is Tax Freedom Day. Feel better? Me neither."

I went back further into the archives. In 2013 we Michigan taxpayers were slaves to the government from January 1 through April 14.

In two short years we have lost six days (more than a work week) to the taxman. We toil about a third of our productive lives not for the betterment of ourselves and our families, rather for an overly bureaucratic and bloated government.

To be fair (Am I not always fair? Do not remind me of my rant about parking in Royal Oak, because if you do, I will be forced to tell you I now have free parking in that fair city.) I went back further into the hallowed halls of Don'tRushMedom. I unearthed from 2006 we taxpayers worked for "The Man" 116 days -- from January 1, through April 26.

I know I should be kicking up my heels, dancing a jig and thanking Benevolent Big Brothers for reducing our working sentence by six whole days!

But, I'm not.

Donny Downer here looks back to last year and says, "I'm working three more days for the bureaucrats and three less days to better me, my family and my community."

Hot damn!

I know, I know. I cannot have my cake and eat it, too. We gotta' pay for roads. (Props to Prop 1? No.) We need to help the needy, pay teachers, protect and defend our borders and that takes money. Thing is I know lots of people who are working harder for the same wages they have had for the better part of a decade only the price of goods and services continues to increase. As well as taxes.

So, as a legal, born and bred American, it is my right, no, my solemn duty, to moan, groan and grumble about taxes and government. I'm exercising my rights, enumerated in the Bill of Rights via The United States Constitution to express my displeasure.

I know we need to pay taxes, but I would LOVE to see exactly how much "revenue" is brought in from our toils and see exactly how our tax money is spent. Transparency -- just like pixie dust and unicorns -- is purely a fable perpetuated by those on the government dole. I wish fairy tales were true. Of course, as I tell my sons, "If wishes were horses, we'd all be riding."

Okay. I am getting off my soap box now. And back to working.



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## Catallo calls for action

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ing him grounds to sue.

"At some point it just becomes too much of a headache and hassle," Catallo said at an April 9 city council meeting, weeks after city attorney Tom Ryan requested a closed session meeting to discuss stormwater issues on the property.

Terri Golla of Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, who is overseeing the property for the state, said soil and water in the area is contaminated with petroleum-based chemicals, leaked and dumped for decades. The "plume" of pollution stretches in all directions from 148 N. Main.

On-site stormwater collection is not a favored for polluted properties like 148 N. Main, Golla said.

"We don't recommend putting the groundwater back into the plume because it could make the plume migrate," she said. "Disturbing the plume can cause it to spread and be released into lakes."

Last year, Neil Wallace, Catallo's attorney, said any soil disturbed during construction would be removed and taken to a specially lined dump.

In a June 2014 conditional re-zoning agreement, special land use and preliminary site plan was approved by city officials after heated debates between Ryan and Wallace.

After disagreements over legal language in contract, an initial plan for a coffee shop and deli was approved.

Ryan has recommended the city enter a hold harmless agreement, created to minimizing liabilities over a risky action, like disturbing the plume causing it a spread further into groundwater or the Mill Pond or Parke Lake.

Local residents familiar with stormwater and pollution issues over 10 years ago were concerned over the hold harmless clause.

In 2003, after the Michigan Department of Transportation opposed connecting Robertson Court to a Main Street stormwater system, the city sought costs for water and sewer work. Bids ranged from \$2.9 million to over \$4 million and releasing pollution was a major concern.

Although MDEQ advises potential owners to test soil and measure pollution to limit liability, under Michigan law any entity involved in a project which spreads pollution is liable for damages.

Catallo admits the property has issues, but his mark on the community proves he is different.

"I am not just another developer" Catallo said, referring to his lifelong residency and the numerous properties he owns in Clarkston. "The property does not have a clean bill of health, (but) the patient is getting better."

Catallo's reaction follows Ryan's suggestion to enter a hold harmless agreement with Catallo, so the city is not liable for damages.

Moving polluted soil, can disturb pollution by forcing it to surface before its discharged untreated into local waters.

Mill Pond and Parke Lake collect stormwater in the area, and would be the destination if pollution is released by construction. Ryan requested council direction on how to proceed with stormwater issues on the property during a closed session he requested in March.

Councilman Richard Bisio said closed session violated the Open Meetings Act, and disclosed information discussed in the meeting. Ryan was directed to continue discussing alternatives to Catallo's proposal to continue collecting stormwater on site.

Residents were concerned with the closed meeting claiming officials should not be secretive.

Catallo hinted that walking away may be the best option.

Developing the property and addressing issues is costly.

"To do it the right way is expensive," said Clarkston homeowner Tom Stone, adding the way communities handle stormwater is outdated.

Before storm tiles or storm drains were installed, excess water was controlled naturally by floodplains and wetlands.

Vegetation, like trees and plants, naturally absorbs and filter water, unlike storm sewers that collect and direct it into lakes.

Pollution at 148 N. Main was confirmed in 1991 after the Environmental Protection Agency ordered underground tanks be removed and updated.

MDEQ believes two other service stations on M-15 also leaked chemicals. After contamination was confirmed, the State of Michigan paid to replace numerous water wells in the area.

MDEQ received the last correspondence for 148 N. Main property in 2014 when Trepek requested the case on the property be closed.

His request was denied over contamination remaining inadequately addressed.

MDEQ notified Trepek he was out of compliance in 2013 and 2014.

"We received a response back that the owners did not agree with us," Golla said.

Requirements to bring the property into compliance include monitoring ground water for at least one year and collecting soil samples to prove contamination is below residential drinking water standards. Other options, such as a deed restriction declare the water unsafe, is also an option.

Programs from the county to the federal level are available to help fund clean-up projects on polluted properties.

Independence Township secured a brownfield grant from Oakland County to clean up and redevelop a petroleum polluted property at the corner of Main and Dixie.



**MAGIC OF VOLUNTEERING:** Baffling Bill the Magician performs a card trick with the help of Gus the bunny for volunteers Joyce Figa and Rich Vine at the Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon, April 17. Independence Township Parks, Recreation and Seniors hosted the lunch for more than 140 volunteers from throughout the community. Photo by Phil Custodio

# Public Safety

For Clarkston and Independence Township

## Tax fraud

An Independence Township man was called by his accountant on April 9, saying his taxes had already been filed.

An Independence Township man went to file his taxes on April 11, and found someone had filed a false tax claim.

## Misdemeanor warrant

A 31-year-old Grand Blanc man was stopped on Dixie Highway at I-75 because of a burned out brake light, 3:36 p.m., April 10. The driver had a misdemeanor warrant out of Clayton Township for driving with a suspended license. He was advised and released on the warrant, and cited for failure to answer a summons and equipment violation.

## Suspicious person

Deputies were dispatched to a suspicious-person-in-the-area report in the 6000 block of Waldon Woods Drive, 4:54 p.m., April 12. They located the subject, a 24-year-old Pontiac man. He said his friend dropped him off there while she went to her parents to drop off her child, because her parents would not approve of him. A records check showed he had a warrant out of Auburn Hills for Retail Fraud Third. He was advised and released on the warrant.

## Warrant arrest

Acting on a tip, deputies were dispatched to the 4000 block of Clarkston Road in pursuit of a 53-year-old Independence Township man wanted on warrants, 7:26 p.m., April 12. They called the suspect and asked if they could drop off some paperwork on a separate incident. He said to drop by the house. He was headed to his pickup truck in the driveway when other deputies stopped and arrested him. He was jailed on two warrants, failure to appear on a drunk driving charge out of Macomb County and failure to appear on a leaving-the-scene-of-an-accident case out of Orchard Lake.

## Reckless driving

A 31-year-old Clarkston woman was cited for reckless driving after running into a garbage truck backing out of a dead-end street on E. Washington Avenue, 10:16 p.m., April 13

## Drunk driver

A deputy on radar duty on Dixie Highway stopped a pickup truck at 65 mph in a 40 mph zone on Dixie Highway at Parview Drive, 1:54 a.m., April 16. The driver, a 44-year-old Waterford Township woman, has a preliminary breath test result of .218 and was jailed for drunk driving.



# Clarkston's Sporting News

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## Battle for finals continues

BY WENDI REARDON  
*Clarkston News Sports Writer*

The conditions were perfect for the Wolves last Wednesday as they opened their track season at Oxford with wins.

The Clarkston Boys Track & Field team won a close match by winning the 1,600-meter relay to take the meet, 67-61.

"I was happy with how we ran," said John Bennink, head coach. "We had to win at the mile relay so we pulled Nolan Eriksen to make sure he was running. It helped us get the win. We didn't plan on using him there, but we needed the win."

Eriksen, Josh Zawadzki, Matt Definis and Daniel Billette finished in 3:36.24 for the win.

The Wolves also finished first in the 800-meter relay with Definis, Eriksen, Jonah Kopenen and Marwin Chambers, 1:34.9; and the 400-meter relay with Eriksen, Marco Rosario, Shaquille Blevins and Jacob Wolford, 44.80.

Eriksen led in the 100-meter dash as he finished in first place at 10.94 and Blevins was close behind for second place at 11.44.

He finished third in the 200-meter dash at 23.18 as Wolford finished in second place, 23.10.

"Our sprints were solid all around," said Bennink. "Nolan ran really well in the two relays and the 100-meter dash. Shaquille also ran well in his sprints and relays. Jacob is another one of our top sprinters and he had a good day."

Zawadzski finished in second in the 400-meter run, 54.20. and Derek Opal finished second in the 800-meter run, 2:07.72.

For distance events, Billette took first place in the 1,600-meter run at 4:42.19 while Grant Henley finished first in the 3,200-meter run, 10:11.61; and Mika Juuhl finished second, 10:37.78.

Donovan Tolbert finished in third place both hurdle events. He finished at 17.92 in the 110m, and in 44.27 in the 300m hurdles.

For field events, Merrick Canada finished first in the high jump, 5'8", and the long jump, 21'5".

Alex Snyder finished in second in the shot put; Jeff Ylvisaker, third in the discus; Richard Johnson, third in the high jump; and Aiden Fries, third in the long jump.

"We were lucky we got points in certain areas like our seconds and thirds," Bennink added. "Our shot put guys, our high jumpers and our distance guys came through. We needed a team effort to beat them."

The Lady Wolves also defeated Oxford, 88-40.

"It was good," said Kevin Breen, head coach for the girls team. "The big thing for us was just running what we have and getting people run a real race because not everyone had raced up to that point. We had a lot of good surprises pretty much everyone ran hard and performed well."

Surprise included sweeping the 100-meter dash and the 400-meter run.

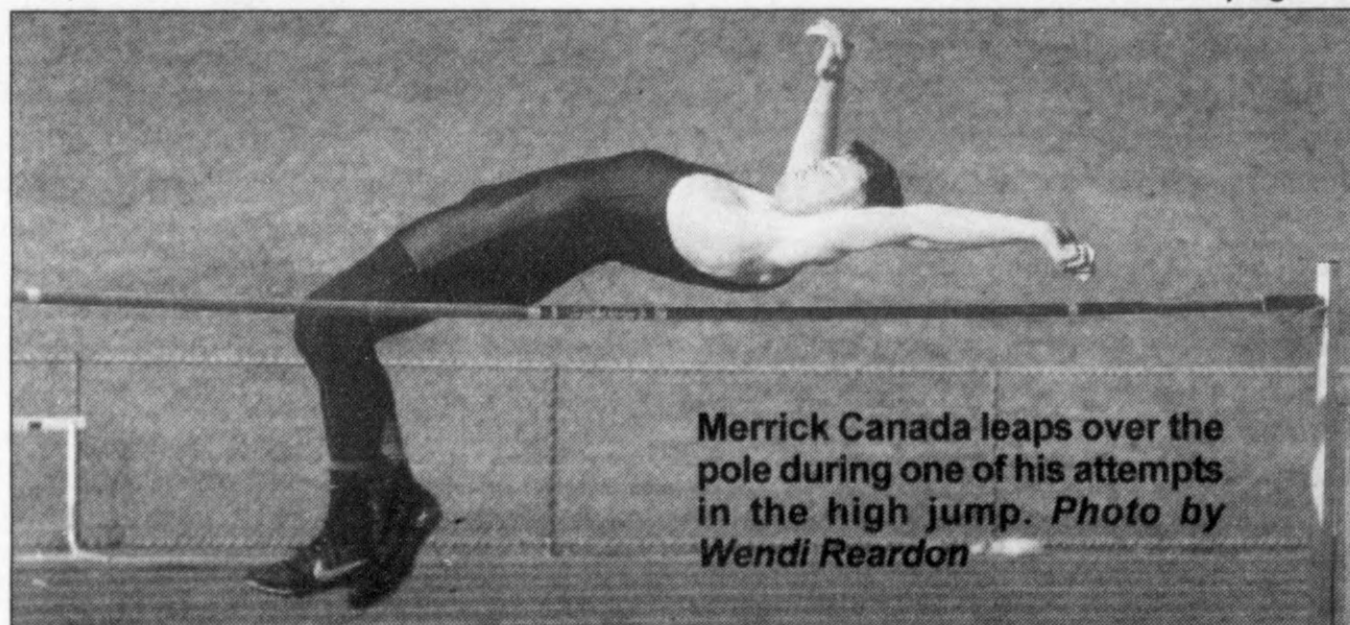
Ashley Graham led in first place for the 100-meter dash, 12.37, as Maddie Wilson took second, 12.39, and Jala Smith took third, 12.58. Smith led in the 200-meter dash ending it in 26.31 for first and Kayla Russell took second, 26.41. Zoi Morton led the sweep in the 400-meter run as she took first place, 1:04.86. Mary Costa finished second, 1:05.37; and Makayla Owens finished third, 1:06.60.

Nicole Hanson led the Lady Wolves in the 800-meter run finishing at 2:32 for first and Abby Horning finished second, 2:40.62.

Lynsie Gram finished first in the 1,600-meter run at 5:32.54 and Hailey Catania finished in third in the 3,200-meter run.

Courtney Roland and Taylor Mullins led

*Please see Lake on page 11*



Merrick Canada leaps over the pole during one of his attempts in the high jump. Photo by Wendi Reardon

## ATHLETE OF THE WEEK Cheer leads to stage

BY WENDI REARDON  
*Clarkston News Staff Writer*

Cameron Brosky plays soccer, softball and skis but it was while she was cheerleading her skills caught some attention.

Rebecca Girard Smoker, the state director for Miss Michigan, saw Brosky cheering at the Bailey Lake Elementary Talent Show and asked her to do the pageant.

It led to Brosky, a fourth-grader, winning the 2015 Miss Pre-Teen Michigan United States at the Miss Michigan United States Pageant, March 22.

"I was just shocked," Brosky said about when she received the crown and won the title. "I thought 'this is literally awesome.' I couldn't wait until nationals. It was so exciting. It was so much fun."

"I am really proud of her," said her mom, Stephanie, adding Cameron being able to win the title and be able to do her community service was an important aspect for them.

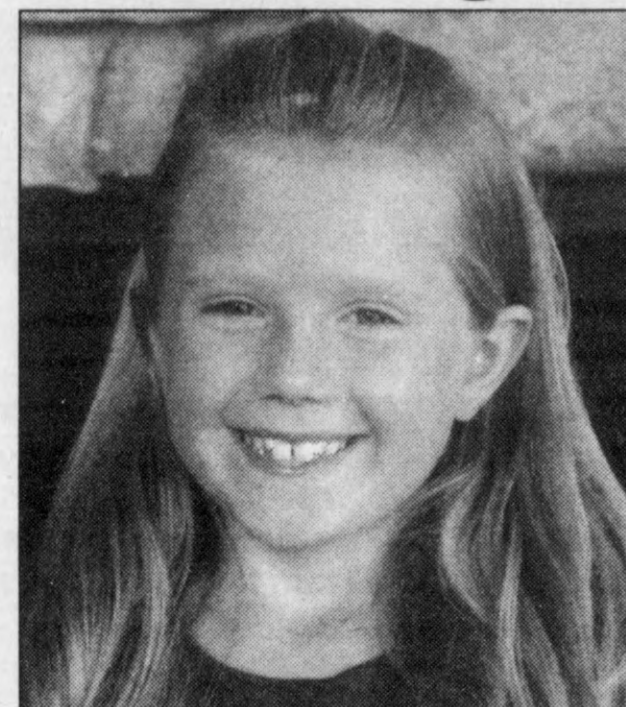
Each contestant talked about their community service platform and Cameron spoke about the Michigan Humane Society. Cameron won the Beauty with a Purpose Award for having the best speech.

"I chose it because I just love animals," she smiled. "I want to help them. If I win at nationals I get to go around the United States helping my community service platform."

She added she included tidbits of information, for example how over 1,000 animals are saved from neglectful situations each year. She also included how proud she is to help the Michigan Humane Society.

"I think it is very important we give animals the love they need," Camerson said. "I said animals can't speak for themselves - we have to speak for them."

The Michigan Humane Society is



Brosky

special for Cameron and her family because they own a dog they rescued two years ago.

"She sleeps with me sometimes," Cameron said. "I play with her outside and take her on a lot of walks. When we come home from school she is just jumping on us - she is excited."

Besides discussing her community service platforms, Cameron and other participants wore a patriotic outfit and an evening gown.

The Miss Michigan United States Pageant is the first pageant Cameron participated in and when she received the call she didn't know if she wanted to do it.

"We got the phone call and they asked do you want to compete. 'Well...ummmm...maybe...' Then, when I realized what I was going to do and figured out what I was going to do I felt way more comfortable," Cameron said.

"I interviewed with her and then she said you are perfect, you can compete," Cameron added.

Before the winners were announced  
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# Lake Orion next for track

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the team in the hurdles. Roland finished first in the 100m and third in the 300m hurdles and Mullins finished in first place in the 300m hurdles and second in the 100m. Reilly Kerigan finished in third in the 100m.

The Lady Wolves also topped in three relay events with first place finishes

For the 400-meter relay, Smith, Russell, Graham and Wilson finished in 51.52.

Russell, Roland, Mullins and Wilson finished in 4:22.54 in the 1,600-meter relay.

Hanson, Gram, Helen Jeffers, Kailan Mehta finished the 3,200-meter relay at 10:20.89.

Holly Woods took third place in the shot put, 25'11.75" and took second in the discus, 94'7". Alisa Gray finished in third place in the discus.

Megan Nicholson finished in first place in the high jump at 5'3" followed by Roland in second and Kyla Luchenbach in third.

Trinity Roodbeen finished in first place in the long jump at 14'10".

"This is one of the deepest years we have had across the board," said Breen. "We are still looking to get stronger in our distance events. We have strong front runners but we have to cut a few more seconds off our 4x800 time and 4x400 will be solid."

Both teams head to Lake Orion on Wednesday for another OAA Red meet.

"Lake Orion is always strong," Breen said. "They are really a good team across the board. We can't take anything for granted. The main thing is going in strong and making sure we cover all the events."

"We need full team effort," Bennink added. "They are always a good team. We feel like we can compete with them pretty well. We are excited about this coming up Wednesday. They are always good. I would look for some improvements from our young guys to help out a little bit more."

## Split double-header starts season

Hitters split their first double-header to open the season against Rochester Adams.

The Clarkston Varsity Baseball team grabbed the lead early after Max Bain hit a single which brought one run in at the bottom of the seventh inning in the first game.

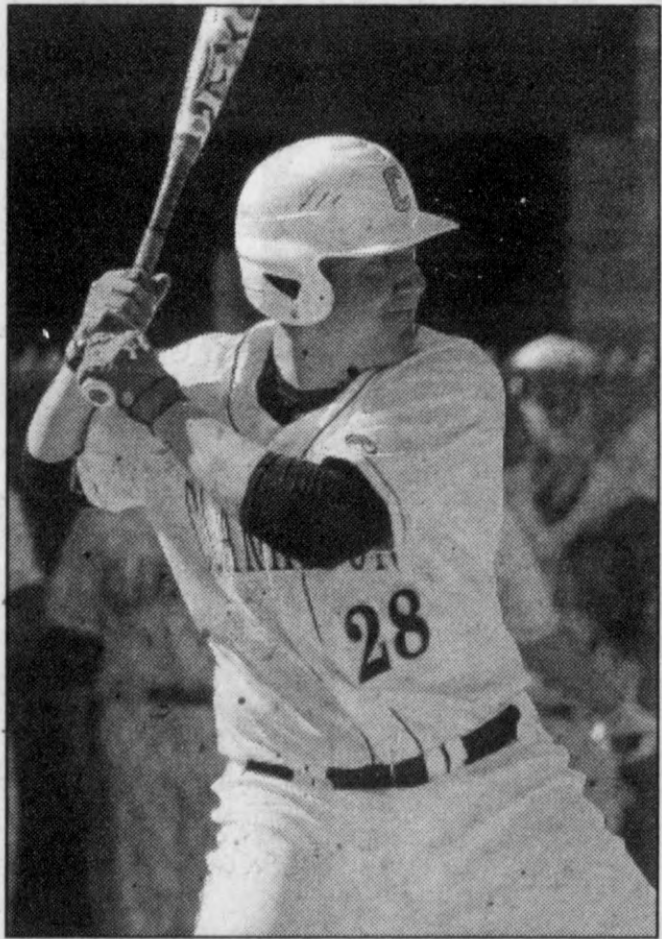
The Wolves led going into the seventh as pitcher DJ Zezula and defense held back

their opponent, 5-1, but the Highlanders scored five runs to win 6-5.

For the next game, the Highlanders scored on two runs but pitcher Jake Velisek held them from scoring anymore as the Wolves went on to win 3-2. He had eight hits, two walks and three batters.

The Wolves faced Adams again on Friday where they lost, 2-0. Jack Kuczanski went 1-for-1 with a walk and Bain pitched four innings with five hits, three strikeouts and one earned run for Clarkston.

The boys host Stoney Creek on Wednesday at 4 p.m.



Max Bain awaits the pitch in the first inning. Photo by Wendi Reardon



Cameron Brosky wins Miss Pre-Teen Michigan United States. Photo by Dan Lippett

## Nationals next for Miss Pre-Teen

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Cameron was standing with Little Miss as the older contestants answered their questions.

"I was watching and saying I want to do that. I hope I win at nationals so I can compete at another one. It was just really fun," she smiled.

Now she heads to the national

competition which is held in Washington, D.C., July 3-5. During this competition the interview will take place on the stage in front of an audience.

Until then she will spend time doing her community service as well as other community events for Miss Pre-Teen Michigan. She also starts softball and soccer in the spring.

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## Summer camps

Varsity Coach Kelly Pinner and staff host Clarkston Volleyball Camp, Monday-Friday, June 15-19, at Clarkston High School.

Girls going into grades 9-12 play from 8-10 a.m., girls going into 5-8 play 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Cost is \$100 and includes a T-shirt. Individual awards are given to outstanding athletes, players with a good attitude and tournament champions.

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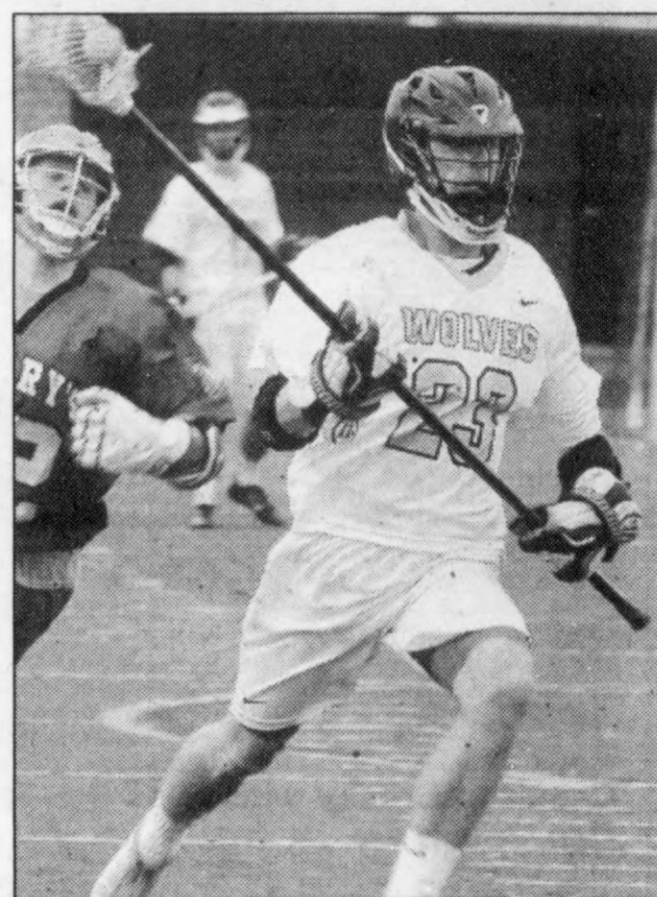
Online registration forms for both camps can be found at [www.clarkston.k12.mi.us/cec](http://www.clarkston.k12.mi.us/cec) or register at Independence Township Parks & Recreation, 6483 Waldon Center Dr, lower level, open Monday-Friday, from 8 am - 5 p.m.

## Lacrosse looks for win against Eisenhower

The Wolves look ahead to this week after losing two games against Orchard Lake St. Mary's Prep, 8-6, and Northville last week, 11-10.

They opened against St. Mary's Prep which the Eaglets led going into the second quarter, 2-0.

"I felt as though we were a little bit flat.



Brent Farrugia shakes off Eaglets' defense. Photo by WAR

We weren't hitting our marks," said Brian Kaminskas, head coach. "There was no lack of hustle from the guys they were running up and down the fields but at the end of the day if you asked them they would say their passes were off. It just wasn't a good day for us."

Two minutes into the new quarter Jake Hodges stormed down the field and passed the ball to Cole Phillips. It then went to Scott Fisher who ended the play with the ball in the net and Clarkston on the scoreboard at 9:24, 2-1.

Seconds later, St. Mary's Prep cushioned their lead with another goal.

The Wolves struck again. Phillips made a shot on the net at 5:30 building a momentum for when Keaton Mitchell scored his goal 11 seconds later with and assist from John McLennan.

They added one more with five minutes remaining in the first half with a shot from Mitch Prock to tie the game at three points.

Mitchell put the boys into the lead after they came back from half time after he scored nine seconds into the half. The Eaglets responded with three of their own to lead, 6-4. With two minutes left in the game the Wolves put the game 7-6 with goals from Mitchell and Jim Trombley.

The boys lost to Northville in overtime

on Saturday, 11-10. Kaminskas added the Wolves played the best game they have so far this year.

"The guys who showed up to Northville were not the same guys we have seen all year," he said. "There was a different sense about them. They were certainly more driven. They showed up with more purpose and really worked hard. It showed them Northville is a very good program and has been for years. I hope it showed them they are still a very good team. Now that they are finding their identity good things will happen as they stick with it."

The boys head to Utica Eisenhower on Thursday and Lake Orion on Saturday.

"Two long time rival of our program. I think both teams are going to be tough," Kaminskas said. "Eisenhower, I think, has one of the best goalies in the state he will be tough to beat. We knocked them out of playoffs last year so they have a little revenge. Then, Lake Orion which is a game both sides get up for. It will be a challenging week but I think one we can get through."

The boys play Utica Eisenhower with JV at 5:30 p.m., varsity following. On Saturday, JVB plays at 11 a.m., JVA plays at 1 p.m., and varsity ends the day at 3 p.m. against Orion.

~Sports Writer Wendi Reardon

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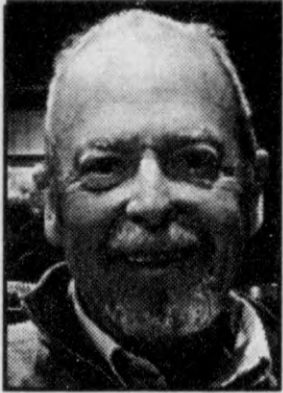
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## Larry Chunovich, 72

Larry W. Chunovich of Clarkston passed away April 14, 2015, at age 72.

He was survived by his loving wife Keitha; daughters Julie (Jim) Finch and Janel (Todd) Drysdale; grandfather of Kailey, Keegan, Mackenzie, Kelsey and Quinn; also survived by brothers Ron (Carla), Doug (Kathy) and sister Jody (Harvy) Berman; step mother Carol and step brother Michael



(Elaine) Gearhart; preceded in death by his parents Walter and Lorraine and brother Keith. Larry also leaves behind many, many friends.

Larry devoted his life to education. He began teaching math in Homer, Mich., in 1964. In 1966, he moved to Southfield continuing teaching at Southfield and Southfield-Lathrup High Schools where he was also Chairman of the Math Department.

He was active in his professional organizations serving as President of the Southfield and Michigan Education Associations. He was a member of the Michigan and National Councils of Teachers of Mathematics. Larry served on the boards of the Michigan Education Special Services Association and the MEA Financial Services Association. He was the first non-Dentist elected Chairman of the Board of Directors

of Delta Dental Plan of Michigan.

In 1986, Larry was appointed to the Oakland University Board of Trustees by former Governor James Blanchard.

Visitation was April 16-17 at the **Lewis E. Wint and Son Funeral Home**, Clarkston. Funeral Service was April 18 at the Clarkston United Methodist Church, Clarkston. A memorial scholarship has been established to honor Larry at Oakland University, John Dodge House, 2200 North Squirrel Road, Rochester, MI 48398-4402. Checks may be written to Oakland University with Chunovich Legacy Scholarship in the memo. Online guestbook [www.wintfuneralhome.com](http://www.wintfuneralhome.com).

## Janice H. Wagner, 63

Janice H. Wagner of Clarkston died April 13, 2015, at 63 years of age.

She was the loving wife of David for 32 years; dear mother of Michael (Brooke) Ryan and Laura (David) Haynes; grandmother of Lea, Elliot, Wes and Dylan; beloved sister of Lynn (Jack) Newhouse, Sandra (Gene) Pensari and Pat (Tom) Westrick. Preceded in death by her parents Edward and Jean Cromwell; also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Janice was a 1969 graduate of Ferndale High School and earned her bachelor degree from Central Michigan. She was a wonderful wife and mother who enjoyed reading and crocheting.

A service will be held at a later date. Arrangements entrusted to **Coats Funeral Home-Waterford**. To send a condolence visit [www.CoatsFuneralHome.com/Obituaries](http://www.CoatsFuneralHome.com/Obituaries).

## Thelma Johnson, 85,

Thelma Elaine Johnson, 85, longtime resident of Clarkston and Canadian Lakes, died peacefully April 11, 2015, at Green Acres of Mt. Pleasant, where she resided for a year.

A memorial ceremony will take place at the Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly later this spring.

Thelma enjoyed traveling, was an avid bridge player and had a zest for life. She will be greatly missed for her enduring strength and optimism.

Left to cherish her memory are her children, Cindy Hubbard, Richard Johnson, Janet Kennedy, Marcia Kosmac and Anne Gietz; 12 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

Thelma was preceded in death by her loving husband of 66 years, Elwood; son-in-law, Woody Kosmac and grandson, Darren Gietz.

Arrangements entrusted to **Hansen Janowicz Funeral Home**. Friends may share a memory with the family online at [janowiczfh.com](http://janowiczfh.com).



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## Coming up this week:

### High School Ski Racing

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Girls Varsity Divisionals Giant Slalom recorded at Pine Knob.

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### Thursday

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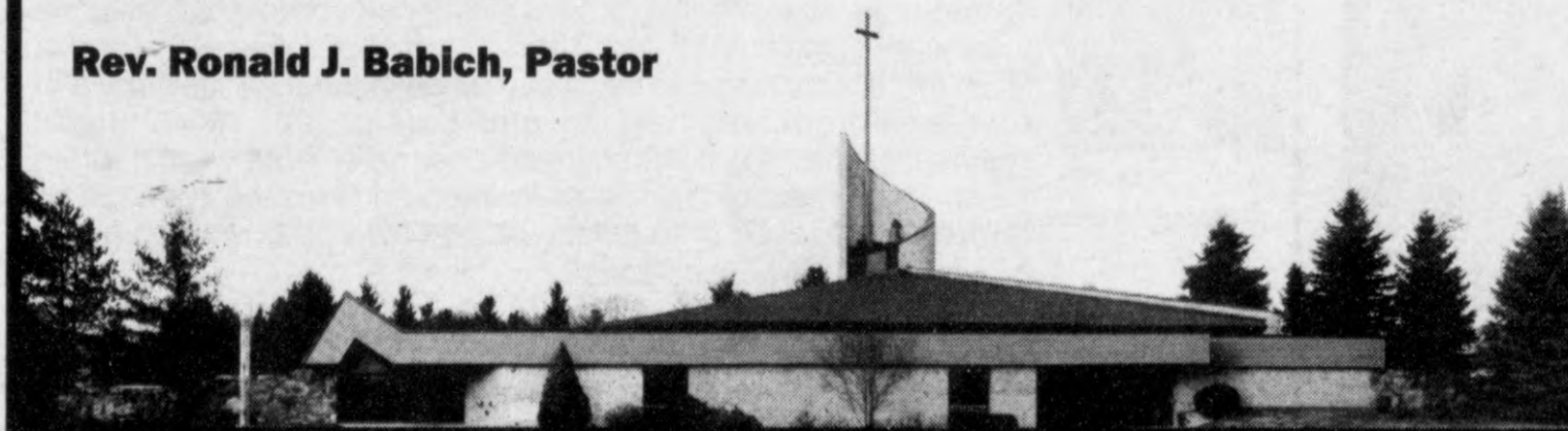
**Thursday, April 23**  
9:30 a.m.  
Scripture Study

**Monday, April 27**  
7 p.m.  
Scripture Study

**Wednesday, April 29**  
10 a.m. Study of  
Sunday Scriptures

**Wednesday, April 29**  
6:30 p.m.  
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Linda Richardson will retire from the Independence Township DPW in October. Photo by Andrea Beaudoin

## DPW director retiring

Linda Richardson will bid adieu to her job as Independence Township DPW Director after 13 years leading the department.

David Mckee, former water and sewer superintendent of Waterford Township officially started the job on Monday, April 13.

Before officially retiring, Richardson will spend some time showing Mckee the ropes. Her official retirement date is Oct. 31, 2015, so she will still be here for a while.

Richardson has witnessed a lot of change in the township over the years since she first started working for Independence Township back in 1976.

Throughout the years, she held various jobs from working for the police and senior center to running Clarkston's Lakeview Cemetery.

Running the cemetery was an interesting job.

"I sold the graves and dug the graves," she remembers. There was even a big story written about her being the first female grave

digger.

Richardson had an interesting experience working at the cemetery on her first day, something she will never forget.

"On my first day working at the cemetery I saw a guy walking around who looked like he was picking berries off the trees," Richardson recalls. "When I went to look for him again he was nowhere to be found."

All her experience throughout the years running the various departments would be good for her future, she said.

Richardson said she always enjoyed working outside, so working at the DPW has always been a good fit.

In 1988, Richardson became the assistant DPW director and was later appointed interim director from 2000-2001.

Her duties as DPW director over the past 13 years included overseeing water and sewer services in the community, cemeteries, safety paths and street lighting.

— Andrea Beaudoin

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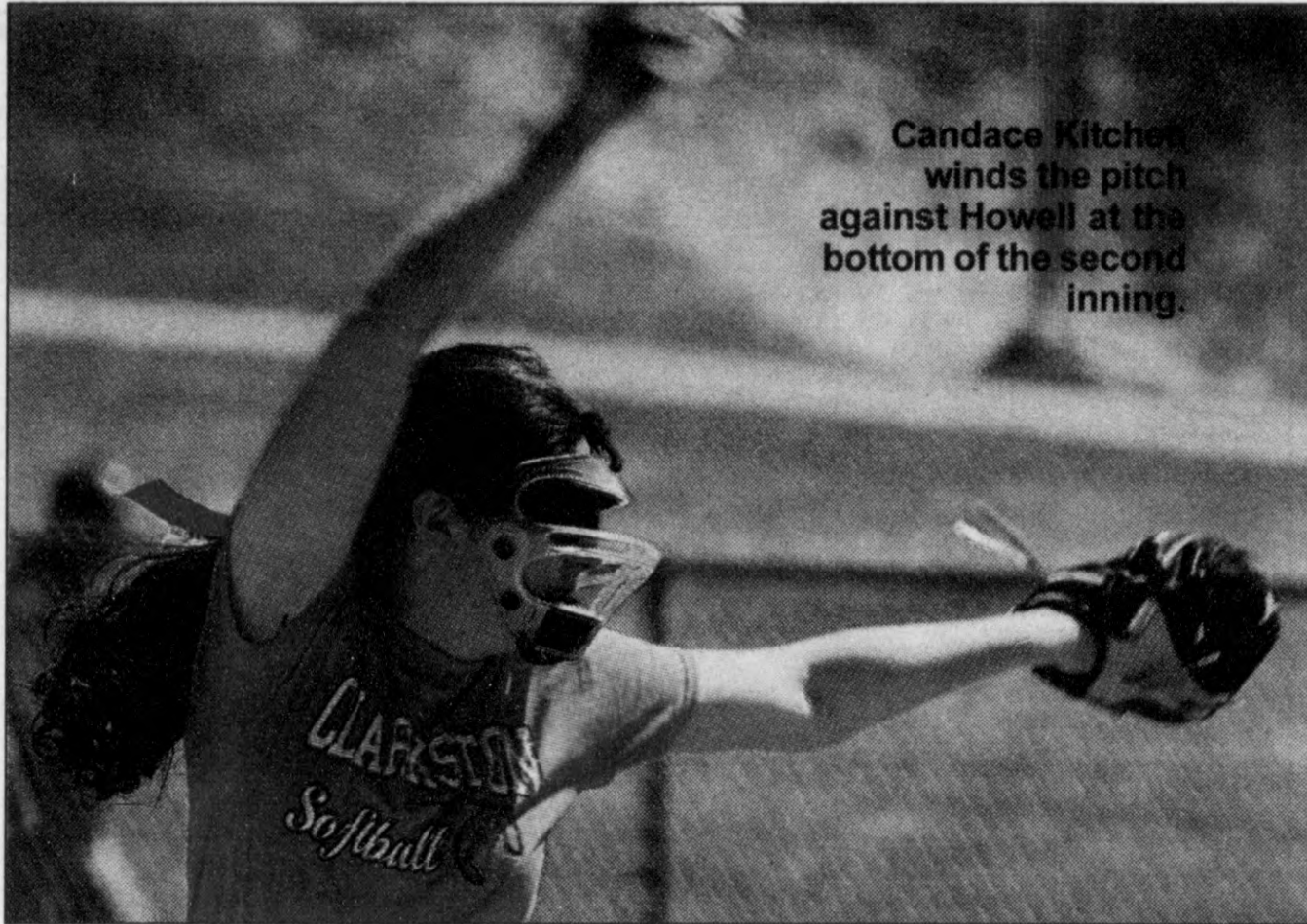
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Candace Kitchen winds the pitch against Howell at the bottom of the second inning.

## Pink Classic shutout win

Mikayla Blaska opened the game against Howell during the Clarkston Varsity Softball's Pink Classic with a bang as she hit a triple on Saturday afternoon.

It led the Lady Wolves for a 4-0 win after the first inning with an RBI from Candace Kitchen and Rachel Vieira. Vieira also stole home to score a run while Alex Favazza ran a run while the ball was on the loose.

The girls went 5-0 for the day with wins over Howell, Fenton, Linden, Lowell and Macomb Dakota in the championship round.

"It was great weather and great people," said Don Peters, head coach. "We had offense."

He added the Lady Wolves also had a lot of players contributing and having good games.

"Mikayla stood out all day with a lot of great defensive plays and good offense," Peters said. "Candace Kitchen did multiple things—pitching, playing infield. Rachel and Alex Favazza had a nice days. It was a lot of kids just doing their things. It was a nice day."

Defense also had a great day against the

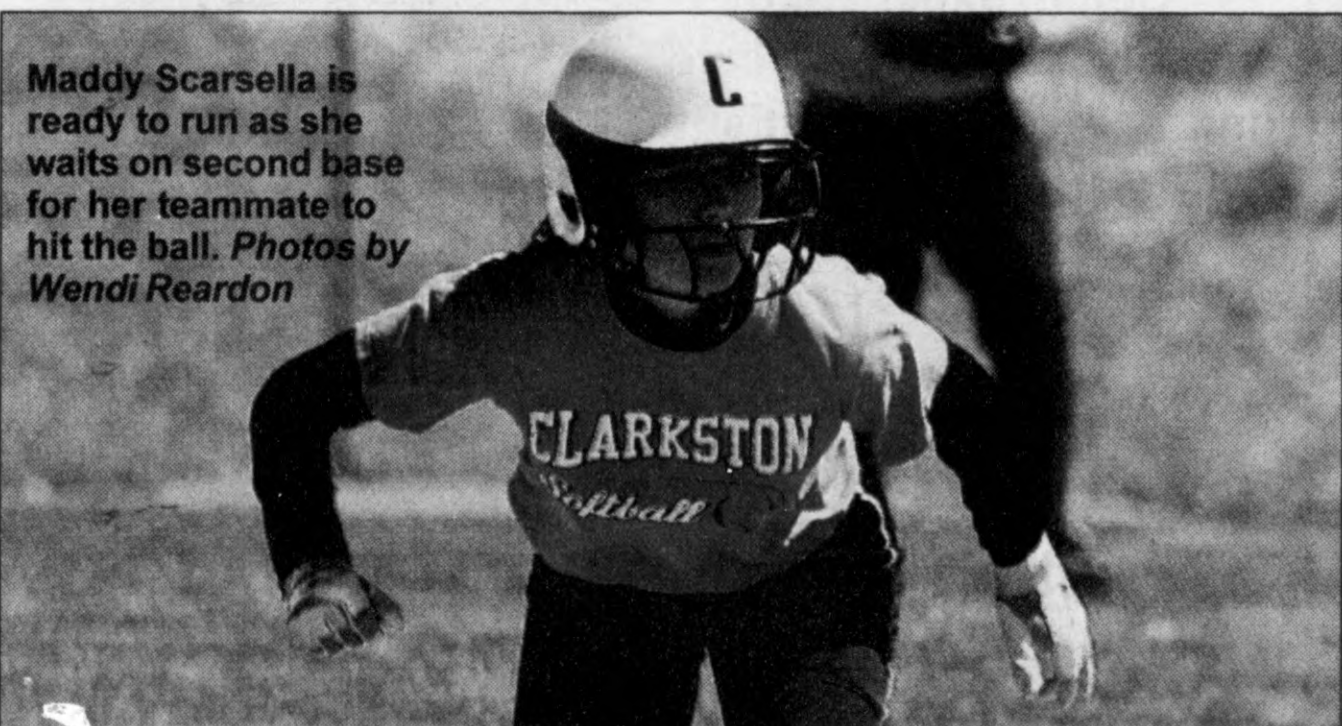
five teams.

"Defense played really well they made some outstanding plays," Peters said. "We had a freshman, Madison Beck, come in and make a few great plays on base. Savannah Spring made some outstanding plays in the outfield. Everybody played well. It was a good day for everybody. Catching we had Ashley Skaggs and Abby Skvarce. They were rocks back there. They were stone walls and did a great job keeping the ball in front of them. I don't think we had a stolen base on us in five games that's pretty cool."

The Lady Wolves will use the wins as they start league play in the OAA Red this week against Birmingham Groves and North Farmington.

"It helps with their confidence," Peters added. "They've done won in a lot of different ways. They have been behind a lot and came back to win. I am confident. They are good kids. They work hard and take one game one inning at a time."

The girls play at North Farmington on Thursday and host Lake Orion on Tuesday. Both games begin at 4:30 p.m. ~WAR



Maddy Scarsella is ready to run as she waits on second base for her teammate to hit the ball. Photos by Wendi Reardon

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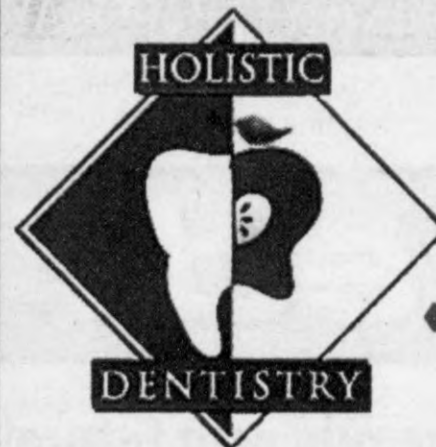
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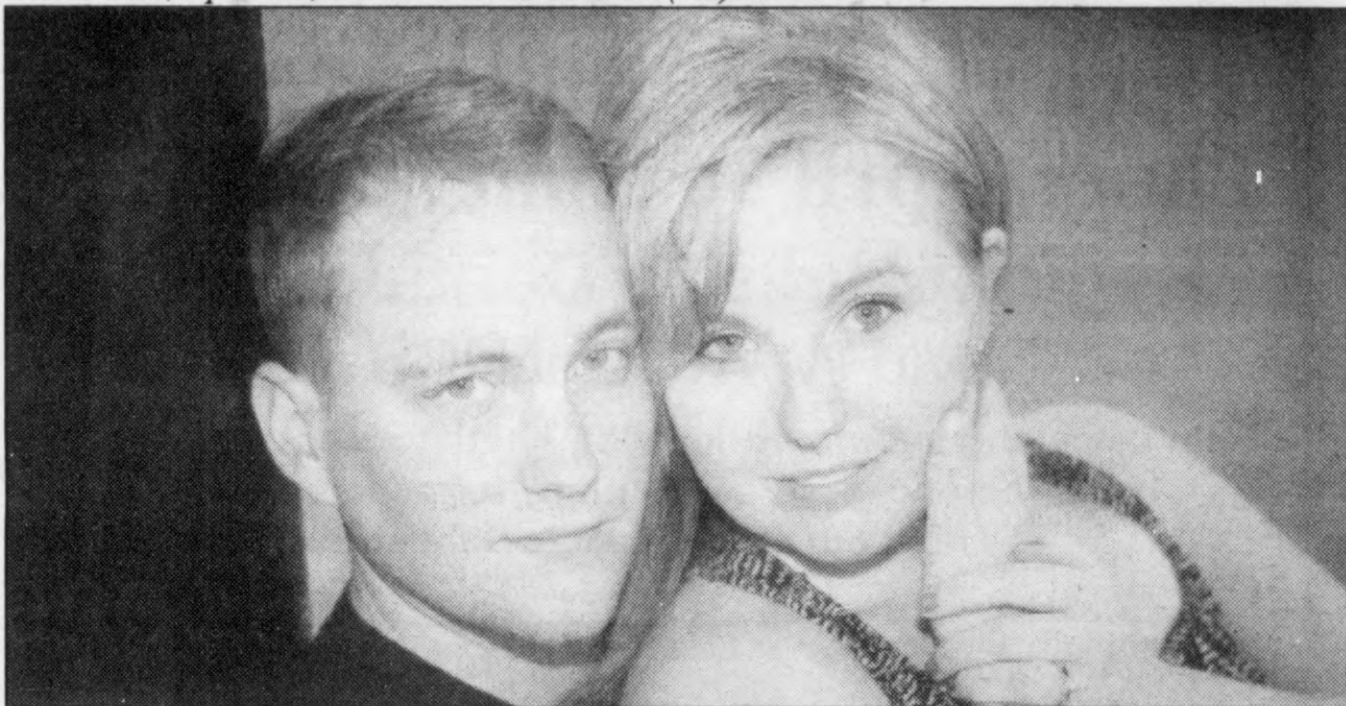
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## Howells-Pelkey

Mike and Ame' Sands of Ortonville are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Adrienne Howells to Marc Pelkey, son of Jeffrey and Nancy Pelkey of Clio.

Both are graduates of Clio High School. The

bride-to-be will graduate from the University of Michigan - Flint with a Bachelor's in Speech Communication in May. The prospective groom is currently serving in the United States Navy.

A summer wedding is planned.

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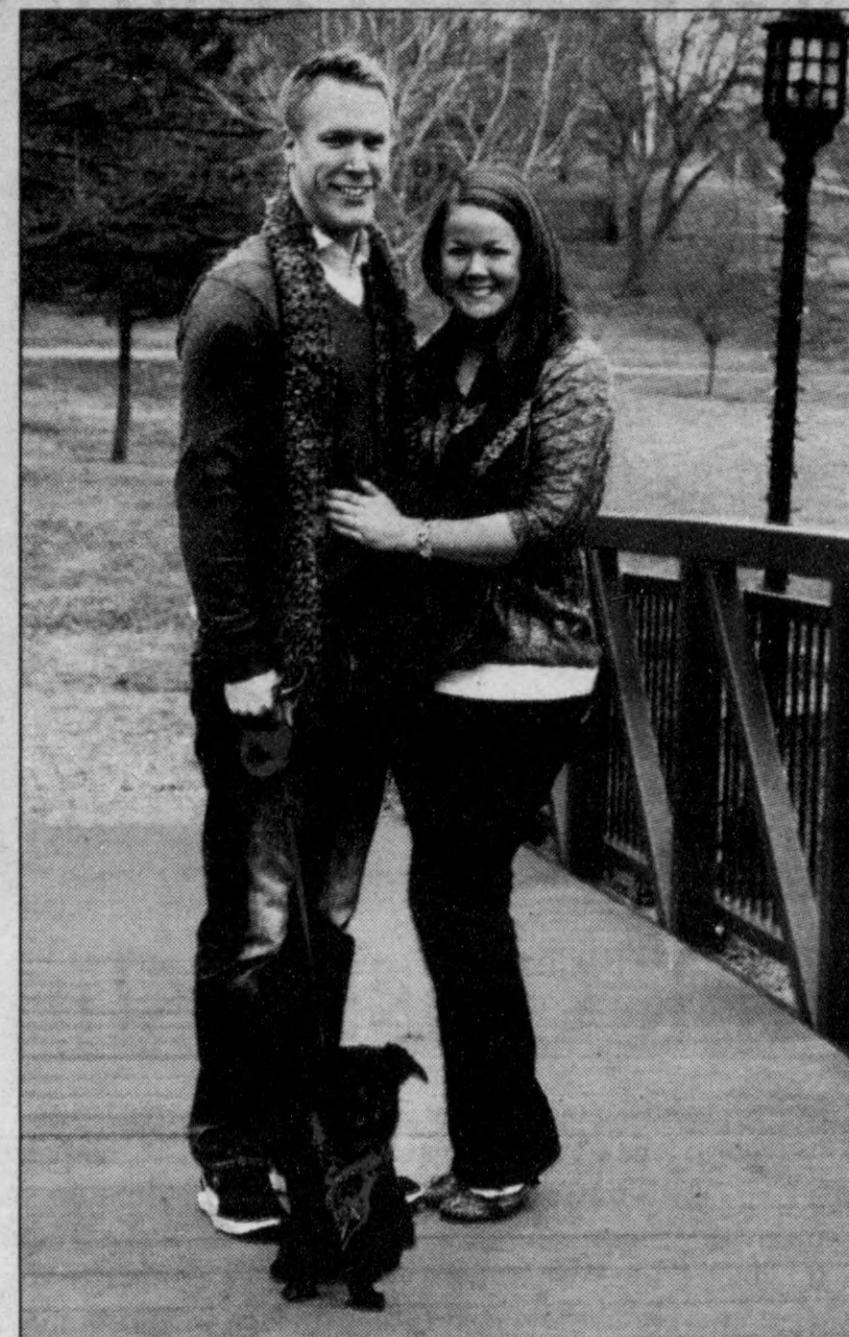
## Louise -Geyer

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Zimmerman of Grand Rapids, Michigan, are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Siri Louise of Clarkston, to Adam John-Edward Geyer, also of Clarkston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Geyer of Flushing, Michigan.

Siri is a graduate of Clarkston High School, Michigan State University, and Case Western Reserve University. She is employed with inVentiv Health, Inc.

Adam is a graduate of Lutheran High Northwest and Oakland University. He is employed with Rapid Global Business Solutions, Inc.

A June 2015 wedding is planned.



Adam and Siri

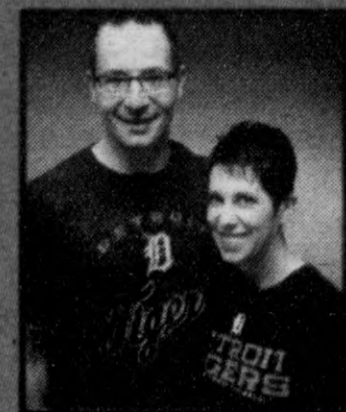


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# Clarkston family pushes forward with Parkinson's

BY KRISTINA LUCAS

Special to the Clarkston News

Parkinson's disease has affected my family in many ways and most people aren't even aware what it actually is.

Many people don't realize how many families Parkinson's disease affects. The Michael J. Fox organization states it affects one in 100 people over the age of 60. While the average age is 60, people have been diagnosed as young as 18. More than five million people worldwide have Parkinson's.

What many people don't know about me is that I my dad is fighting this disease. Shortly after my grandma passed away after suffering for many years with Parkinson's disease, my dad's leg started shaking nonstop. There is no actual lab test to diagnose Parkinson's disease. My dad had to visit a neurologist.

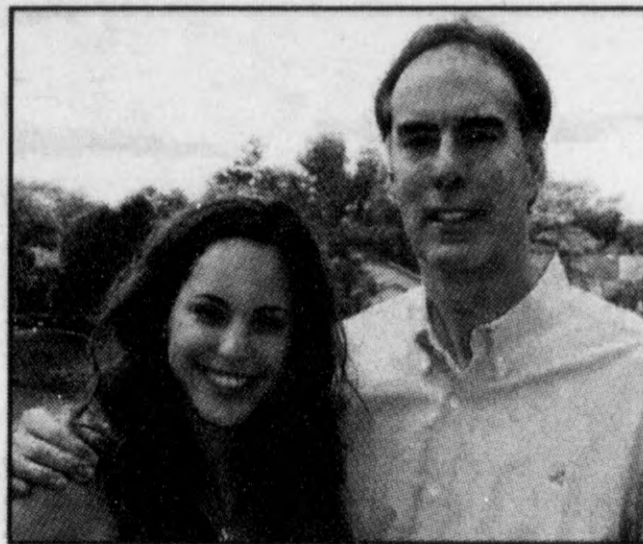
Parkinson's is a progressive neurological disease affecting some of the nerve cells in the brain. It is going to be harder and harder to watch my dad get worse over time, but I know he won't ever stop fighting. With my dad having had Parkinson's disease since 2005, I can not say that it has been easy. But, my family and I have come together and fought with him during this battle. Life goes on with the disease. My dad also has the support from all of us. My mom would never

leave his side. Today, my dad has good days and bad days, but whatever day it is you will find him smiling and making jokes.

Parkinson's disease never changes who the person is on the inside. My dad still tells his funny jokes and has me pull his finger. He can still make a room light up and get everyone to smile. What it actually changes is those nerve cells in the brain that produce dopamine, which is a chemical that signals your brain to coordinate movement in your body. With Parkinson's disease those nerve cells die and your brain doesn't control your body movements as well.

Parkinson's, just like most diseases, gets worse over time. More symptoms start showing up and taking more control over your body. Some of the symptoms of Parkinson's are tremors or shakiness in hands, arms, or legs; slowness of movement or difficulty starting to move, and having a hard time balancing. There can be some good times, where you feel pretty normal, and then there are other times where your muscles get really shaky and you just don't feel very good.

One thing I feel that is very special about my dad is his concerns for everyone else around him. With this disease, my family and I take life day by day. Today my dad is still here, and with that we have a reason to smile.



Kristina Lucas and her dad, Jim Lucas.

There is yet to be a cure to solve Parkinson's, but there are different treatments to make people feel better. Initial and ongoing exercise is really important to keep the muscles from tightening up. Eating healthy is very important. Parkinson's can lead to depression, so watching out for depression and managing it when and if it occurs by talking to someone and/or with medicine is important.

The most common drug used to help people with Parkinson's is Levodopa. This medication helps replace the dopamine that is lost in the brain. It helps control the tremors and helps with the control of the muscles. The bummer is that as time progresses, the drug will eventually stop working as well

and have more side effects.

It is hard seeing the disease progress, but it makes me realize how blessed I am that my family is so tight knit. We can all push through this and come out stronger on the other end.

Although there is yet to be a cure for Parkinson's, there are some great foundations doing a lot of research to try and find one. The goal of The Michael J. Fox Foundation is to eliminate Parkinson's disease in our lifetime. They have raised millions of dollars for research and I believe they will find a cure. I hate that my dad has to go through this, but at the same time he is strong enough to fight it. Everyone has struggles going on in their lives and my family believes that my dad has Parkinson's disease for a reason. It's a struggle for our family, and I am not going to lie, a lot of my nights are spent in tears thinking about what my dad goes through, but I have to keep looking at it positively.

April is Parkinson's awareness month and this is why I am sharing this. I feel like this is a disease that not many people are familiar with, so I am hoping with some of my words about Parkinson's others are gaining knowledge and will help to find a cure.

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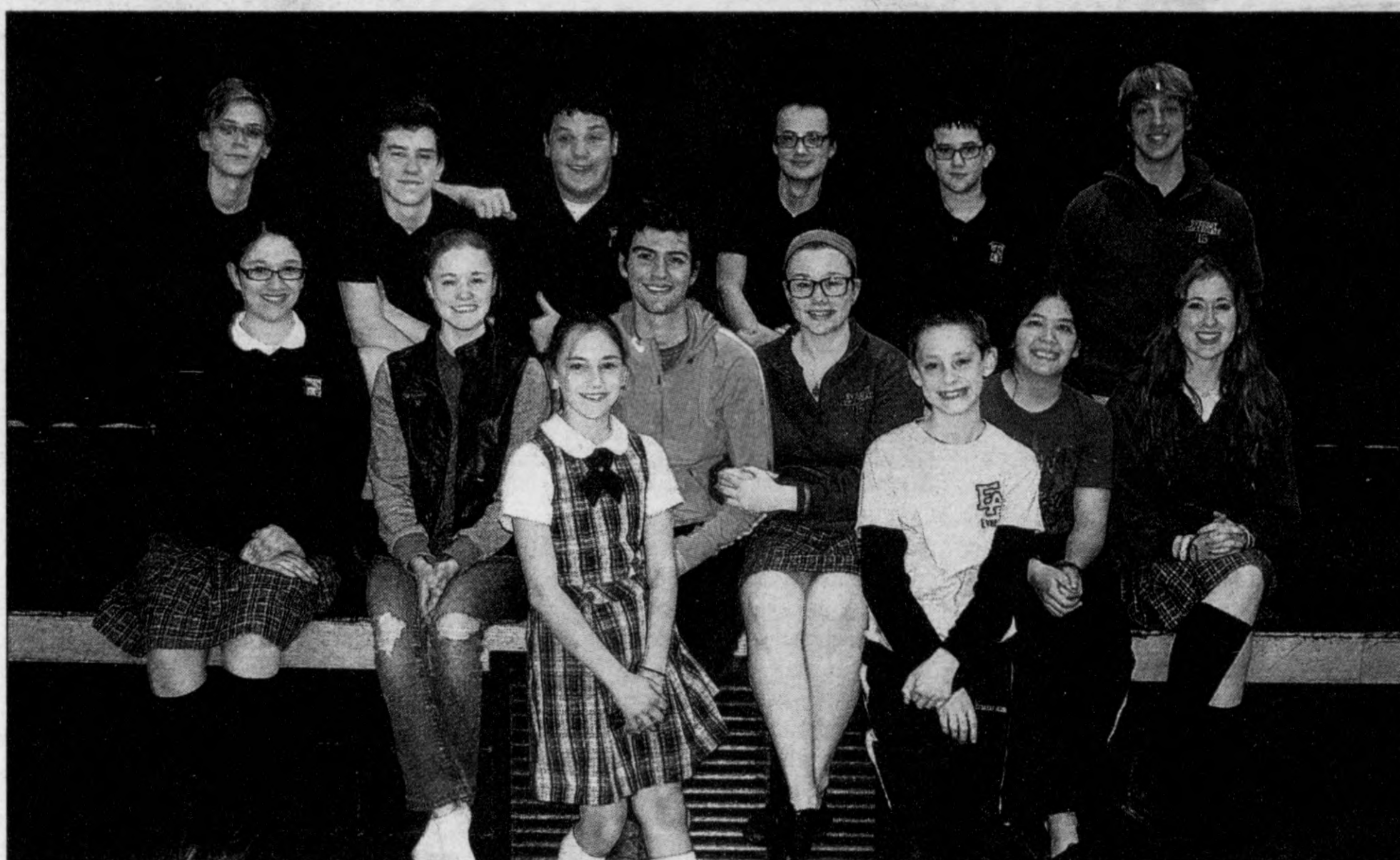
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**SPRING MUSICAL:** Everest Collegiate High School Drama Club's spring musical "Mary Poppins" hits the stage this weekend, 7 p.m., Friday, April 24; 2 p.m. and 7 p.m., Saturday, April 25; and 2 p.m., Sunday, April 26. Admission is \$15/adults, \$10 seniors and students, and free for children 3 and under. Dinner theater is 6 p.m., Saturday. Call 248-241-9040. Photo by Phil Custodio

## Fashion show for garden club

Springfield Garden Club hosts Daffodils and Duds Fashion Show and Luncheon, 11:30 a.m., May 6, at Olde World Canterbury Village, Kings Court Castle Banquet Center, 2369 Joslyn Road, Lake Orion.

Club members will model fashions from Christopher Banks, and the event will also include a Silent Auction and door prizes.

Proceeds benefit the club's contributions to the 4-H Endowment, community beautification and environmental projects.

Tickets are \$28 and reservations must be made by April 27. Contact Donna McDonald at 284-634-1680 or [djmc1@aol.com](mailto:djmc1@aol.com), or Vicky Buczek at 248-625-0395 or [vjbuczek@comcast.net](mailto:vjbuczek@comcast.net).

## Spread love for Lighthouse

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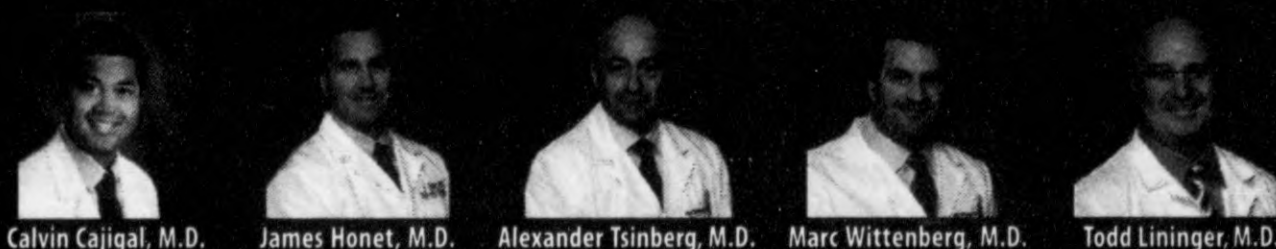
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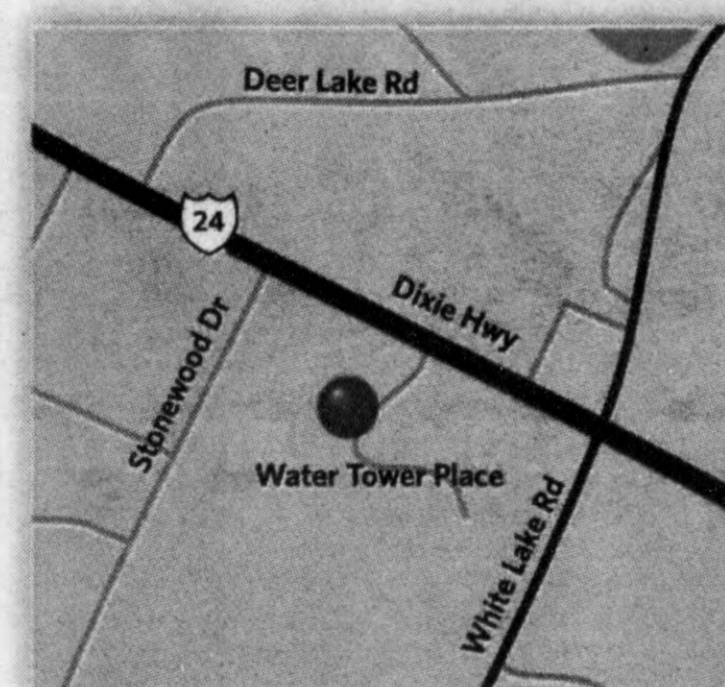
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# Engineering focus of Maker Girl Mania

**BY WENDI REARDON**  
Clarkston News Staff Writer

Clarkston High School was full of activity last Saturday as girls in Kindergarten through seventh grade stopped by for the first Maker Girl Mania.

While there girls were able to get a hands on experience with different activities in the STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) fields.

"Usually the Maker Girl fairs are for a huge group of people, but we really wanted to focus on girls and get them interested in engineering, coding, making, tinkering - just exposing them to different things," said Lori Banaszak.

"We have all types of engineering here to explore - electronics to coding to problem solving," added Laura Kalinowski. "There is just a wide variety of something girls can connect to. We are hoping we can continue doing

fun events like this in the future, too. It's really the only thing like it in the metro Detroit area."

Girls stopped at different activities, such as the marshmallow shooter made with PVC pipes. They tested them by shooting marshmallows at a target.

Many left with creations they made at the duct tape and picture frame activity stops while also leaving with buttons they made.

They also stopped at the robot garage, RUSH Robotics and 3D printing for more technology.

"It's a really cool thing," said Beth Campbell, a mom at the event.

Banaszak and Kalinowski brought it the Clarkston area because they work for Clarkston Community Schools. Banaszak is a Technology Integration Specialist and Kalinowski teaches at the high school.

"We want kids at a young age to be exposed to this that way when

they get into high school they know the direction they want to go in," said Kalinowski.

They watched all the girls smiling as they tried out each activity and felt positive by the amount of girls who came to the event.

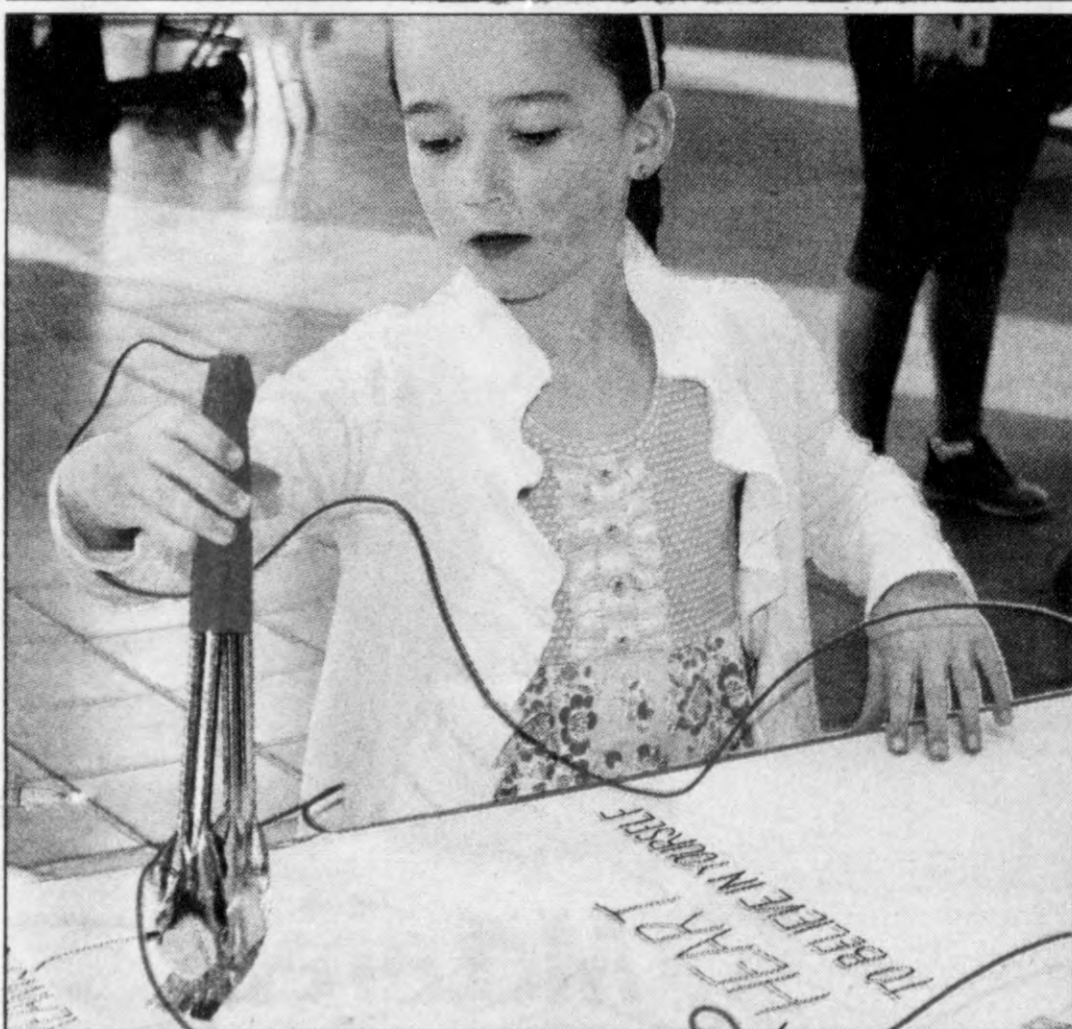
"It's overwhelming and positive," Kalinowski smiled. "They don't want to leave, they want to stay. We love they want to keep tinkering and keep creating because that's really what the message is. Their parents will encourage them to do it at home, too. This is just a launching pad."

Banaszak added they want Maker Girl Mania to be an annual event and get more of the community involved, especially with sponsorships.

Check out Maker Girl on [www.Facebook.com/MakerGirlMania](http://www.Facebook.com/MakerGirlMania) or follow them on Twitter - MakerGirlMania.



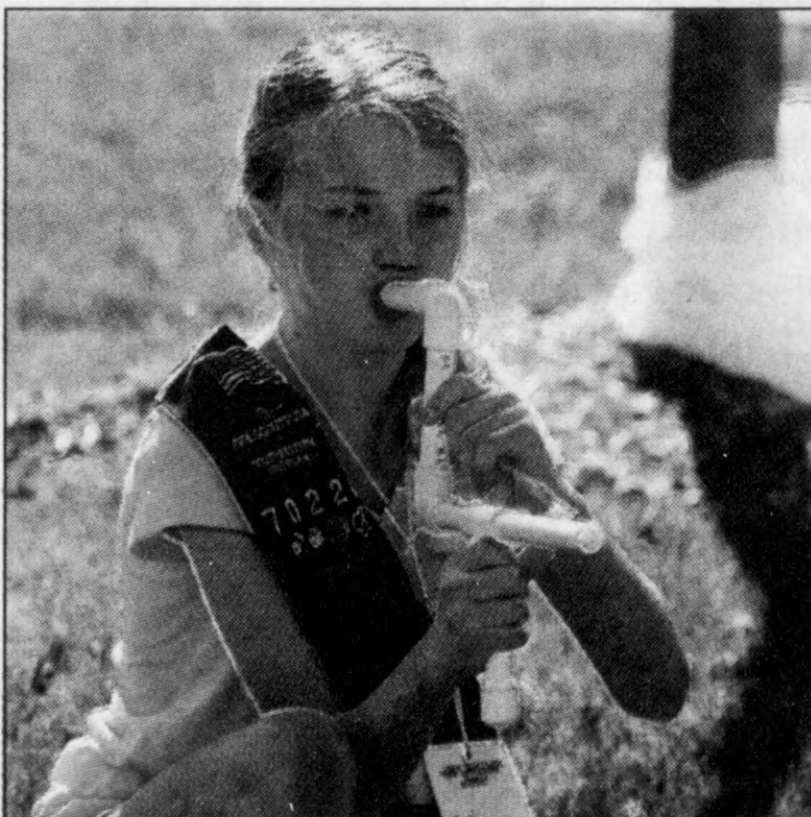
Kate Meyer maneuvers her robot at the Robot Garage.



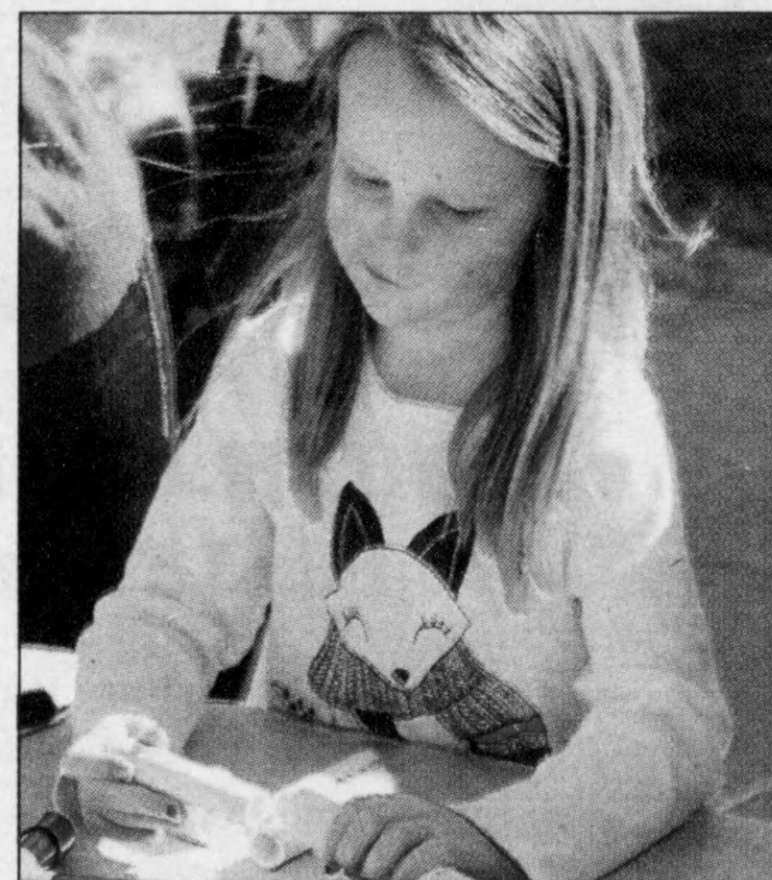
Annabelle St. Aubin tries not to touch the sides in the Millie the Maker Girl operation activity. Photos by Wendi Reardon



Carolyn Haas stretches to soap as far as she can to make a big bubble.



Delaney Zielke aims the marshmallows at the target.



Kennedy Mattson puts together her marshmallow shooter.



Rylee Campbell touches fruit connected to a computer to make music sounds.



## What environmental concerns have you on Earth Day (April 22)?



"Our fresh water supply and polluting all our fresh water. There is not a lot of it on Earth."

-Rachel Wilcox



"Recycling. Not a lot of people do it. I think more people need to take the time to recycle instead of just throwing all their trash away in the garbage."

-Dawn Street



"Fracking, especially in our area because of all the freshwater. Michigan has more coastline than any other place in the US. Anywhere you go around here there are waterways. Pollution from many causes hurt our natural flora and fauna."

-Kathleen Schultz



"I am a huge fan of recycling. My husband and I always have bins full of trash to recycle. It's not hard to do. All you have to do is throw trash that is recyclable in another container and not the garbage. It's simple. When you are done with a can, throw it in a container. If you have paper, you just put it in another bin."

-Wendy Carlock

By Andrea Beaudoin

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## 'Ladies' on stage in high-school comedy

BY WENDI REARDON

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Hilarity ensues as the Clarkston High School Drama Club takes the stage in Ken Ludwig's "Leading Ladies" on May 1 and 2.

Austin Hauptstueck, as Leo Clark, and Mitchell Biggs, as Jack Gable, are actors trying to make ends meet and then discover a millionaire is dying and wants to give two million dollars of her estate to her sister's children, Max and Steve.

The catch is Max and Steve are really Maxine and Stephanie but it doesn't stop Hauptstueck and Biggs from stepping into their shoes and masquerading as women.

"My character is really manipulative," Hauptstueck said about Leo. "He has to have everything under his control. He is kind of self-absorbed a little but then falling in love changes that."

He added he grew up on this kind of comedy, which is a little slapstick, a lot of sarcasm, and some stupidity mixed in.

"It makes me lot it more because that's the humor I've grown up with and the humor I have always known," Hauptstueck. "Of course everybody we are working with are amazing and wonderful."

Biggs plays Leo's best friend, Jack, and goes along with the plan.

"He looks up to Leo in many ways," he added. "Leo is like a mentor. When Leo wants to do something he can easily manipulate Jack. Jack is a fairly bad actor and it shows when he fakes trying to be a woman in this household because it is very obvious he isn't deaf and dumb nor a woman. He gets away with it somehow."

Em Lohmeier plays Florence Snider, the millionaire about to die and looking for family to leave some of her estate to.

"She is very cranky," she said. "She's really old. She is almost dead but not quite yet. She is holding on. She doesn't like a lot



"Leading Ladies" cast, with Mitchell Biggs, Zach Flewelling, Alyssa Harbaugh, Austin Hauptstueck, Em Lohmeier, Emily Moreno, Nicholas Strubbe, and Jacob Wright. Photo by Wendi Reardon

of people except for her family. She's really fun. She is frail but I can very funny and very witty at the same time."

Playing Florence's niece, Meg, is Emily Moreno, which is the storyline connecting everyone together.

"She lives in this small town, but she doesn't fit in there because she has these big dreams and aspirations," Moreno said. "It ties in with Leo and Jack. She saw them do a show once and feel in love with acting, the theatre, traveling and the glamorous life so she is feeling kind of stuck where she is. When Maxine and Stephanie come in they bring her back to life."

Jacob Wright plays Duncan, Meg's fiance and a reverend and is the first to suspect Maxine and Stephanie aren't women.

"The way he works is he is very articulated, well-versed, well-spoken, very full of himself and he is in the right and doing what's best for Meg," Wright explained. "A lot of his humor comes off as very dry. He finds it humorous and it's not."

Rounding off the cast is Zach Flewelling as Doctor Myers, who takes care of Florence and has his eyes on Stephanie; Alyssa Harbaugh as Audrey, a loving girl in her 20s who falls in love with Jack; and Nicholas Strubbe as Butch, who also in his 20s and an ex-football player who is madly in love in Audrey.

"It's hilarious," Moreno added about the play and the characters. "This is truly one of the funniest shows I have read or seen. It has the comic part and also is a touching story. All the characters works themselves out at the end after the hilarity. We worked so hard and have gotten close."

"It's a comedy like you wouldn't expect comedies to be," Harbaugh said. "It relies on many different types of humor."

"Leading Ladies" is rated PG-13 and has performances on May 1 and 2 at 7 p.m. Presale tickets are \$7 and tickets at the door are \$9. They can be purchased online at [www.centerstageticketing.com/sites/clarkstonhigh](http://www.centerstageticketing.com/sites/clarkstonhigh) or by calling 248-623-4024.

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**Brews, Bites, and Bragging Rights Team Trivia**, 6-9 p.m., April 24. Benefits Habitat Oakland home build in Springfield Township. Airway Lanes, Waterford. \$25.

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**Destination 4-H Discovery Day**, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. April 25, Springfield Oaks Activity Center. Educational, hands-on, family-friendly activities. DestinationOakland.com.

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**Used Book Sale**, Friends of Clarkston Independence District Library, 6495 Clarkston Road, April 29-30, 10 a.m.-8:30 p.m.; May 1, 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m.; May 2, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. 248-625-2212.

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**Cataract Removal and New Implant Options**, 6 p.m., April 30, Location: McLaren Cancer Institute, Conference Room, first floor, 5680 Bow Pointe Drive. Dr. Biggs and Dr. French, ophthalmologists, discuss cataracts and treatments. RSVP with Kim at 517-896-8785.

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**Downton Abbey themed Friendship Tea**, to benefit Esthers Children, 11:30 a.m., May 2, Clarkston United Methodist Church, 6600 Waldon Road. \$35. Sweet Adeline's quartet entertainment, fair trade shop, fashion accessory, \$1 resale. RSVP, 248-625-8240.

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**Chuck Keegan 5K Run Walk** in memory of the Clarkston Middle School teacher, 9 a.m., May 2, Clarkston Junior High School track, 6595 Middle Lake Road. Benefits student scholarships.

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**Car wash** for Relay for Life, Clarkston Junior High Leadership Team, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., May 2, Family Video, 5480 Sashabaw Road. **Relay for Life**, 10 a.m., May 16 to 10 a.m., May 17, at Clarkston Junior High track.

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**Interactive Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre**, 6:15 p.m., May 2, Lakes Grill, 6722 Dixie Highway. Play, dinner, donation to Youth Ministry, \$33. 248-875-8682.

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**Spring wildflower hike**, 10 a.m., May 9, Independence Oaks County Park, 9501 Sashabaw Road. River loop, 2.2 miles, meet near ski snowshoe rental building. Registration at 248-601-0606.

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**Kids Day in the Park** in honor of Ryan Kennedy, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., May 9, Clintonwood Park, 6000 Clarkston Road. Free activities and competitions, 60-animal Petting Zoo, Kids Only Garage Sale. 248-625-8223.

# Around Town

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



**Morgan Griswold, 7, helps out at last fall's Community Impact Weekend through her congregation, St. Trinity Lutheran Church. Photo provided**

## Volunteers make impact this weekend

More than 1,000 volunteers will gather for Community Impact Weekend, April 25-26. Organized by My Habitat Clarkston, volunteers will work on 35-40 projects throughout the community.

Neiman's Family Market also has partnered with My Habitat Clarkston to provide lunch for each pre-registered

volunteer at their work location.

Impact Weekends are scheduled twice a year, in spring as well as the first weekend in November.

Register at [www.impact-weekend.org](http://www.impact-weekend.org) or call the Clarkston Area Chamber of Commerce at 248-625-8055 for projects in need of volunteers.

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**Spring Plant Sale**, May 13, 8 a.m.-2 p.m., Oakland Technical Center- NW Campus, 8211 Big Lake Road. Annuals, perennials, vegetables and unusual specialty plants. Greenhouses open Monday-Friday, 8-10 a.m., and 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m., May 13-22.

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**Celebrate Spring with Michigan Wines**, Clarkston Rotary, 6:30-8:30 p.m., May 14, Fountains Golf and Banquet Center, 6060 Maybee Road. \$40/advance, \$50/door.

### Monday

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

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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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### Tuesday

**Wint's Healing Hearts Grief Support Group**, 7 p.m., May 12, Carriage House in Clintonwood Park. Topic: "Why Do I Feel So Angry?" Free. 248-625-5231.

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

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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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**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. First Congregational Church of Clarkston, 5449 Clarkston Road.

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**Big Chief Barbershop Chorus**, 7:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Waterford Oaks, 2800 Watkins Lake Road. Call Eric, 248-224-2214.

### 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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**Clarkston Area Youth Assistance**, second Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Independence Township Hall, 6483 Waldon Center Drive. 248-623-4313.

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**Genealogical consulting** with Dr. Thomas K. Stone, Wednesdays, April 22, and May 20, 10 a.m. \$1. Call Senior Center at 248-625-8231 to place your name on the list.

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**Cancer Nutritional Lunch and Learn Seminar** by Nuview Nutrition, 12-2 p.m., Wednesdays, May 20-June 10, McLaren Cancer Institute, Conference Room, 5680 Bow Pointe Drive. Free. RSVP, 248-922-6606

### 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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**How to Age Gracefully**, May 7, 1:30 p.m., Independence Township Senior Adult Activity Center. Led by Dr. Thomas Stone. \$1. 248-625-8231.

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**Individualized Computer Tutoring**, second and fourth Thursdays, 2-4 p.m., Senior Adult Activity Center. \$30/members, \$35/non-members. 248-625-8231.

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**Grief Support Group** with Coats Funeral Homes, third Thursday, 6:30-8 p.m., Community Presbyterian Church, Fireside Room, 4301 Monroe Ave, Waterford. 248-674-0461.

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**Office hours**, Clarkston City Councilman Mike Please see Around Town on page 32



**CLARKSTON  
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DISTRICT LIBRARY**

## Hey Clarkston! What's happening at your library?

**Oakland County Day at the DIA: Saturday, May 9**

Departure Location: Clarkston Independence Library. Free bus transportation for Oakland County Residents to the Detroit Institute of Arts will be provided on May 9. Reservations are required, please call 313-833-4005 or register online at [tickets.dia.org](http://tickets.dia.org). General museum admission is free for residents of Oakland County.

**Pajama Storytime:**

**Thursday, April 30, 6:30pm**

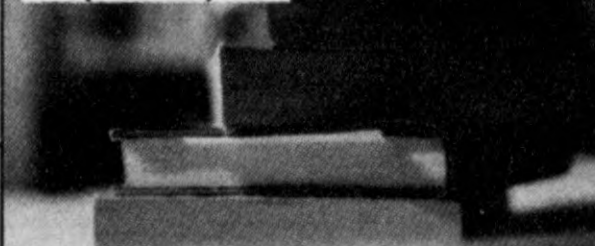
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# Religion

Events Preaching

## Make an positive impact this weekend

A story that could be true of any of us...one day a woman was shopping with her young daughter. She was very busy and had many errands to run. The crowds and traffic were terrible that day, so they even had to skip lunch to get everything done.

Towards the end of the long day the woman was tired and hungry, her feet were aching, and she was more than a little irritable.

As they left the last store to finally head for home, the woman said offhandedly to her daughter, "Could you believe the nasty look that salesman gave me?"

Without skipping a beat her young daughter innocently answered, "Mommy, he didn't give that nasty look to you. You already had it when you went in."

Knowing the young girl spoke truth, the woman paused, said a silent prayer and gave her daughter a hug as she said, "Thanks, I really needed that!"

Like it or not, intentionally or unintentionally, carefully or carelessly, we share what we have with others. It's true, whether we are aware of it or not, that what we do has an impact on our world and on those around us "for better or for worse." We are not islands unto ourselves.

Every time we encounter another human, no matter who they are or what they're doing, we have an opportunity to build up or tear down. Wherever we go we can share joy, peace and love, or we can sow anger, anxiety, frustration and despair.

Life can be very difficult and yet in the midst of all things I really want to build others up and share goodness. Often it is in the little things and in the common everyday experiences that we have our greatest impact – and our kids, and others, do watch what we do more carefully than we are usually

### Spiritual Matters



Pastor Jonathan Heierman

aware.

I can imagine Jesus' disciples and others watching him very carefully to see how he handled things – how he treated people along the journey of life. Was he consistent? How did he deal with interruptions and difficult people? How did he handle those different from him? How did he react to those who made mistakes? What did he really care about most? How was he generous with all that he had?

We have so many ways to build one another up in our everyday life. This week I am particularly excited about all that is happening through My Habitat Clarkston.

MHC is a local initiative drawing together people from all sectors of our community to work together to build a better habitat for all.

As part of the Spring Community Impact Weekend we will bless Shannon Chatman's new habitat home in Springfield Township built by the generous dollars, efforts and prayers of our community. And the movement is growing as the Spring and Fall Impact Days have grown into Impact Weekends. You can check out the myriad of serving projects this weekend at [www.impact-weekend.org](http://www.impact-weekend.org) and learn more about MHC at the MyHabitatClarkston Facebook site.

After Easter, Jesus appears to his disciples a number of times and shares with them the miracle of his resurrection. Because it was so amazing they were always startled by his presence or they didn't recognize him.

Among Jesus' first words to his friends were, "Peace be with you." Following Jesus' example I wonder how our days would be different if we greeted each new morning and each other with the words or actions that say, "Peace be with you." That is the kind of impact I want to have each day, and with God's help I really can.

*The Rev. Jonathan Heierman is senior pastor of Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church*

## In our local churches...

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**DivorceCare** 13-weekly seminars, Thursdays, 6:45-8:30 p.m., Clarkston United Methodist Church, 6600 Waldon

Road. For more information, call 248-625-1611.

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**First Friday Family Fun**, 7 p.m., St. Trinity Lutheran Church, 7925 Sashabaw Road. Board and video games, snacks for all ages, kids movies. Call 248-625-4644 for more information.

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## FIRST finalist

Diana Marsala, a junior at Clarkston High School, smiled as she talked about being a Dean's List Finalist from Team RUSH 27.

"I was ecstatic," she said when she found out. "There are so many students in FIRST that do amazing things and to be recognized as one of the best is just amazing. I didn't think I was at the top of that."

The biggest part for Marsala was being chosen by her mentors from the team.

"It was the victory for me more than anything," she added. "I love the fact they are recognizing me for what I do. I was so happy they think so highly of me. I was actually able to read the essay and it was really nice to read because I never realized what I did mattered to the team."



Marsala

Mentors select two students in their junior year. The submission includes an essay about the student, their leadership, what they do in the community for FIRST, their team and school. Students are chosen from each FIRST robotics team around the world.

Finalists are chosen from their interviews and the essays. They will compete at the world championship this week and also have lunch with Dean Kamen, the founder of FIRST. Then, 10 of the finalists will be selected as winners.

"I am definitely looking forward to meeting the other Dean's List finalists," Marsala said. "There aren't as many opportunities for interaction with teams around the world as there is at the world championship. Not only am I going to get to talk to people from around the world about their experience with FIRST, but I am going to talk to the best and the brightest and the people who do the most for FIRST. I am super excited to meet with everyone and just talk about FIRST."

Marsala joined Team RUSH in ninth grade and joined the scouting team which she enjoys because of the data, analysis, numbers and strategy. She admitted, unlike most on the team, she doesn't want to be an engineer but wants to be a veterinarian.

—Staff Writer Wendi Reardon

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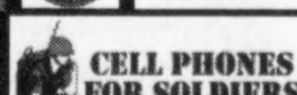
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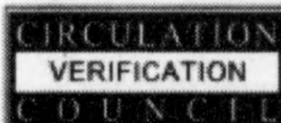


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 3887 Thomas, Oxford !!L212

## CLARKSTON

### Double

## Subdivision Sale

### MANY HOMES

Thurs. 4/23-Sat 4/25, 9am-5pm.  
 Dixie Hwy at Big Lake Rd.,  
 Just south of I/75 (exit 93).

L211

2 FAMILY SALE, 9050 Stonehouse  
 Ct., Clarkston. April 24-25. 9am-  
 4pm. !!C421

MOM2MOM SALE. Saturday,  
 April 25th, 9am-1pm. Admission  
 \$2. Early Bird starts at 8:30am,  
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 GARAGE SALE Round Tree Subdi-  
 vision. Lapeer and Scripps Roads.  
 April 30-May 2, 9-4. 2000 Chest-  
 nut Circle. !!L212

## 130 HOUSEHOLD

OLD CHINA cabinet in solid shape,  
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 Suburban Collection Showplace  
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LZ193

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 Antique Mall  
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ZX372

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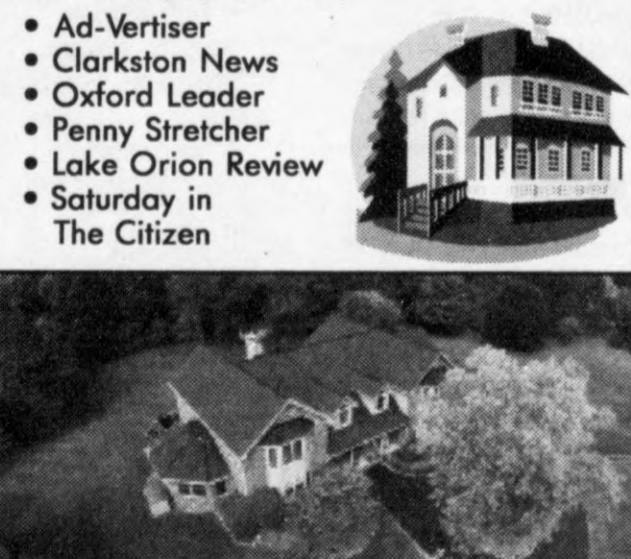


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## **INDEPENDENCE TWP.**

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE  
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, STATE OF MICHIGAN  
NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE  
TUESDAY, MAY 5, 2015  
SPECIAL ELECTION**

To the Qualified Electors of the Charter Township of Independence, County of Oakland:

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN**, that a Special Election will be held in the Charter Township of Independence, County of Oakland on Tuesday, May 5, 2015 from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of voting on the following State proposal:

### **PROPOSAL 15-1**

A proposal to amend the State Constitution to increase the sales/use tax from 6% to 7% to replace and supplement reduced revenue to the School Aid Fund and local units of government caused by the elimination of the sales/use tax on gasoline and diesel fuel for vehicles operating on public roads, and to give effect to laws that provide additional money for roads and other transportation purposes, by increasing the gas tax and vehicle registration fees.

The proposed constitutional amendment would:

- Eliminate sales / use taxes on gasoline / diesel fuel for vehicles on public roads.
- Increase portion of use tax dedicated to School Aid Fund (SAF).
- Expand use of SAF to community colleges and career / technical education, and prohibit use for 4-year colleges / universities.
- Give effect to laws, including those that:
  - o Increase sales / use tax to 7%, as authorized by constitutional amendment.
  - o Increase gasoline / diesel fuel tax and adjust annually for inflation, increase vehicle registration fees, and dedicate revenue for roads and other transportation purposes.
  - o Expand competitive bidding and warranties for road projects.
  - o Increase earned income tax credit.

Should this proposal be adopted?

YES

NO

**AND** for the purpose of voting on the following local School District proposal:

**CLARKSTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS  
COUNTY OF OAKLAND  
STATE OF MICHIGAN  
OPERATING MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL**

This proposal will allow the school district to continue to levy the statutory rate of 18 mills on all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, required for the school district to receive its revenue per pupil foundation allowance and renews millage that will expire with the 2015 tax levy.

Shall the currently authorized millage rate limitation of 19.2491 mills (\$19.2491 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation) on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property, except principal residence and other property exempted by law, in Clarkston Community Schools, Oakland County, Michigan, be renewed for a period of 10 years, 2016 to 2025, inclusive, to provide funds for operating purposes; the estimate of the revenue the school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in 2016 is approximately \$7,295,310 (this is a renewal of millage which will expire with the 2015 tax levy)?

Yes

No

The polling place locations for said election are as follows:

<b>PRECINCT #</b>	<b>POLLING LOCATION</b>
1	St. Trinity Lutheran Church - 7925 Sashabaw Road
2	First Congregational Church - 5449 Clarkston Road
3	Carriage House @ Clintonwood Park - 6000 Clarkston Road
4	Clarkston Independence District Township Library - 6495 Clarkston Road
5	Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church - 6805 Bluegrass
6	Clarkston Community Church - 6300 Clarkston Road
7	Oakland Woods Baptist Church - 5628 Maybee Road
8	Maranatha Baptist Church - 5790 Flemings Lake Road
9	Harvestland Church - 5848 Clintonville Road
10 & 11	Mt. Zion Church - 4900 Maybee Road
12 & 13	Clarkston Community Schools Administration Building - 6389 Clarkston Road

For assistance in determining the accessibility of the

polling place locations and the availability of voting instructions in alternative formats such as audio and Braille, please contact the Township Clerk's office.

Absent voter ballots may be obtained by contacting:

Township Clerk  
Charter Township of Independence  
6483 Waldon Center Dr.  
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The Clerk, or the Clerk's designee, will be available in the Clerk's office on the Saturday preceding the election, May 2, 2015 from 8:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m., the deadline for requesting an absentee ballot which will be mailed.

For information, please contact the Township Clerk's Office at (248) 625-5113.

Barbara A. Pallotta, CMC

Township Clerk

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## **CLARKSTON**

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SUMMARY MINUTES  
CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
MARCH 09, 2015**

Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor Luginski, followed by the pledge of allegiance.

Roll: Present-Mayor Luginski, Haven, Bisio, Catallo, Hunter, Sabol. Absent Marsh

Approval of agenda moved by Haven Supported by Hunter to approve the Agenda. Motion Carried.

Motion by Hunter Supported by Catallo to approve the Consent Agenda 5 yes, Bisio no, Motion Carried.

Motion by Haven, Supported by Sabol that we apply to become Affiliate Level with Cara Catallo as the Program Liaison, to represent the City, at Main Street Oakland County Program (MSOC). Motion Carried.

Motion by Catallo, Supported by Bisio to correct all parking signs to 8a m to 5 pm Monday through Friday. Motion Carried.

Laurel Meribela spoke in regards to the invoice she received because the DPW removed the snow on the sidewalk in front of her home. The invoice charge still stands.

Motion by Sabol Supported by Catallo that they may use Depot Park for the Girl Scout Bridge Ceremony on Sunday June 14, 2015, subject to providing appropriate proof of insurance. Motion Carried

Motion by Hunter Supported by Haven to table the recommendation by the planning commission to rezone 59 S Main from RM Multiple Family to VC Village Commercial. 5 Yes, Sabol No, Motion Carried.

Motion by Catallo Supported by Haven to send back to Planning Commission for 59 S Main for the discussion option of Conditional rezoning of Restaurant Bar use. 5 Yes, Sabol No. Motion Carried.

Tom Ryan, City Attorney, requested the Council go into closed session for the purpose of an attorney/client privilege discussion. Bisio objected citing Mr. Ryan did not provide his memo prior to the meeting. Bisio stated he did not believe the meeting should be closed based on the information he had. Ryan withdrew his request. Catallo excused herself. Moved by Sabol Supported by Hunter Roll Call Luginski, Hunter, Haven, Sabol Yes. Bisio No. Motion Carried. Council went into closed session at 8:03 for Attorney Client Privilege Memo.

Moved by Sabol Supported by Bisio to go back into open session at 8:37

Roll Call Luginski, Hunter, Haven, Sabol, Bisio All Yes Resolution is Adopted.

Moved by Sabol, Supported by Haven to adjourn the meeting at 8:37 p.m. All Aye Motion Carried.

Respectfully Submitted, Sandy Miller City Clerk

### **NOTICE TO ALL CREDITORS:**

RE: LaMAE I. HASTINGS, Settlor  
THE LaMAE I. HASTINGS TRUST AGREEMENT  
Dated SEPTEMBER 24, 1996

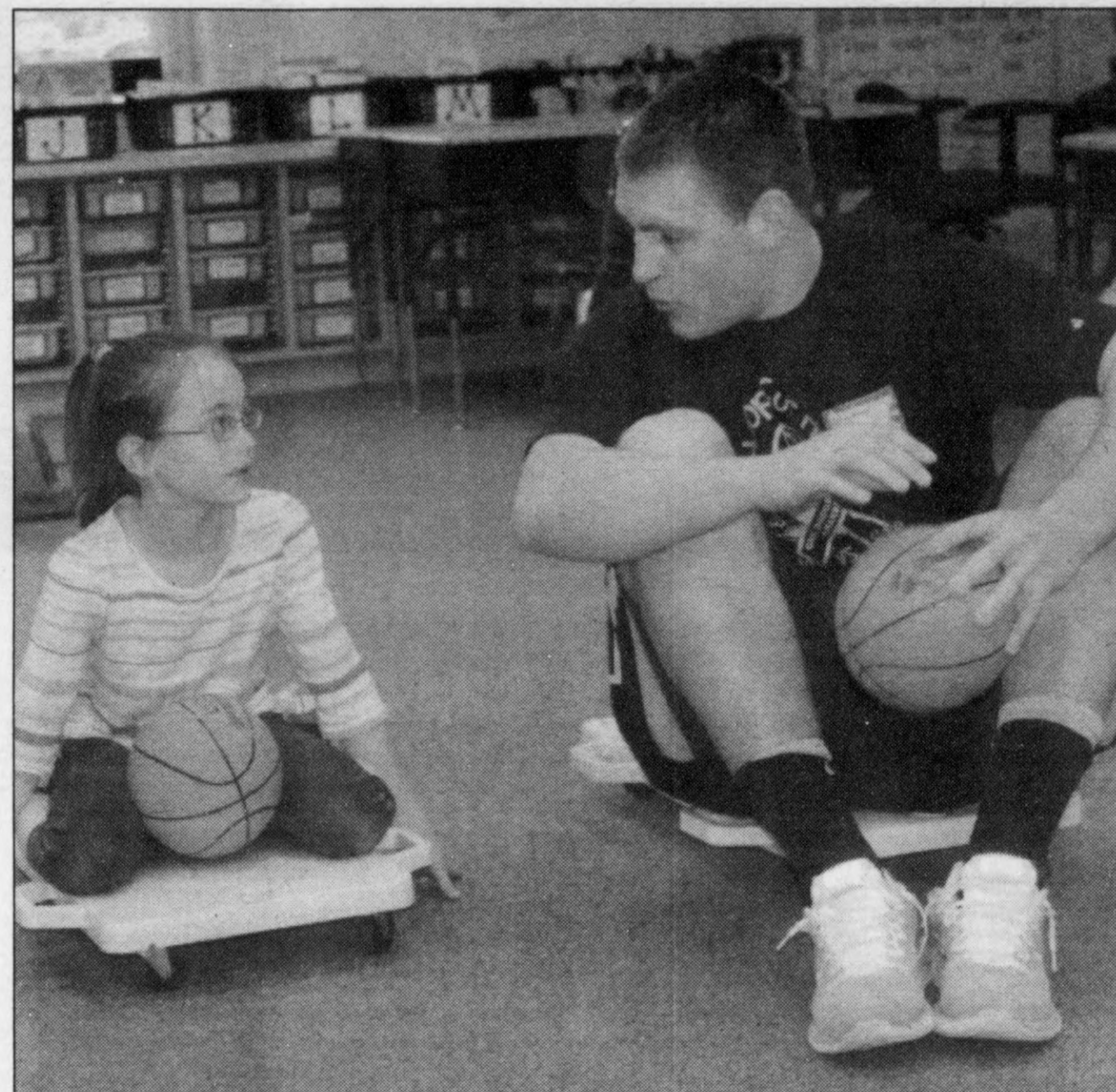
The Settlor, LaMAE I. HASTINGS, who lived at 5396 Forest Ridge Drive, Clarkston, MI 48346 died April 2, 2015. There is no personal representative of the Settlor's estate to whom Letters of Administration have been issued.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the LaMAE I. HASTINGS Trust Agreement, dated September 26, 1996, as amended, will be forever barred unless presented to Robyn Lee Worden, Successor Trustee, within four months after the date of publication.

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**SCOOTER LESSON: Jonah Newblatt, right, teaches Abby Finnerty how to play in Scoot to Shoot at Bailey Lake Elementary's Seuss Night, April 17. Photo by Wendi Reardon**

### **NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION THE OLD CANTEN PLLC**

RESOLVED, that it is desirable and in the best interest of this Professional Limited Liability Company that its business operations be terminated; that **JOHN M. BRUGGEMAN, DVM**, Member, is hereby authorized to perform on behalf of this company any and all such acts as he deems necessary or advisable in order to comply with this resolution, and in connection therewith to execute and file all requisite papers and documents, including, but not limited to, applications, reports, irrevocable consents and notices; and the execution by such member of any such paper or document or the doing by him of any act in connection with the foregoing matters shall conclusively establish his authority from this company and the approval and ratification by this company of the papers and documents so executed and the action so taken.

FURTHER RESOLVED that **THE OLD CANTEN**, a Michigan Professional Limited Liability Company is hereby dissolved and shall cease its existence on ~c. 2015.

**CERTIFICATE**  
The undersigned hereby certifies that he is a member of **THE OLD CANTEN PLLC**, a Michigan Professional Limited Liability Company organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan; and that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution duly adopted by all the members of said company on the 24th day of 2015, that the passage of said resolution was in all respects legal; and that said resolution is in full force and effect.

Dated this day of March 2015.

JOHN M. BRUGGEMAN, DVM, Member

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## **INDEPENDENCE TWP.**

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE  
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, STATE OF MICHIGAN  
NOTICE OF**

**PUBLIC ACCURACY TEST  
FOR THE  
SPECIAL ELECTION  
TUESDAY, MAY 5, 2015**

Notice is hereby given that the Charter Township of Independence will conduct a Public Accuracy Test of the computer equipment to be used for the tabulation of absentee and precinct ballots for the **SPECIAL ELECTION** to be held Tuesday, May 5, 2015.

The test will take place at **10:00 AM, Tuesday, April 28, 2015** in the Township Hall Board Room, 6483 Waldon Center Dr. - Clarkston, Michigan 48346.

Barbara A. Pallotta, CMC  
Clerk

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## **Around Town**

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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.

**Friday**

**Candlelight Yoga Friday**, 7-8:30 p.m., April 3, Yoga Oasis, 6160 Dixie Hwy, Suite 240. 248-770-5388.

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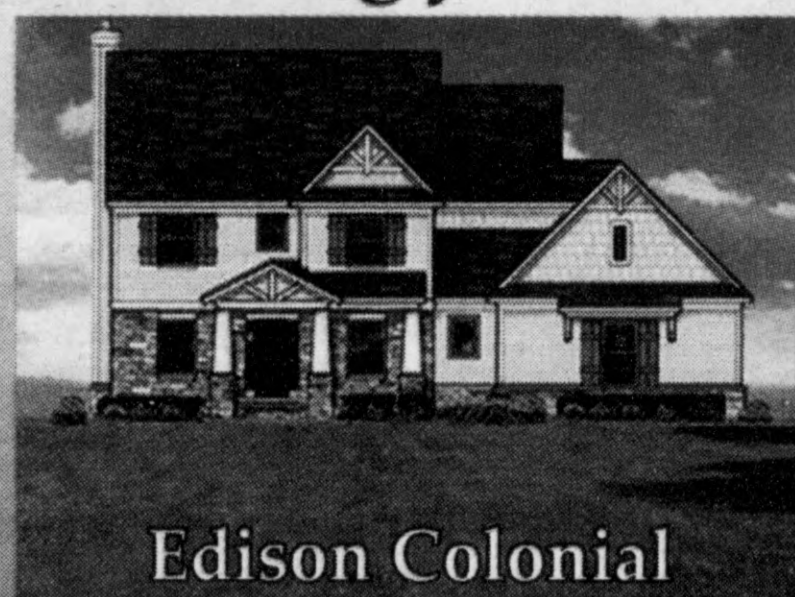
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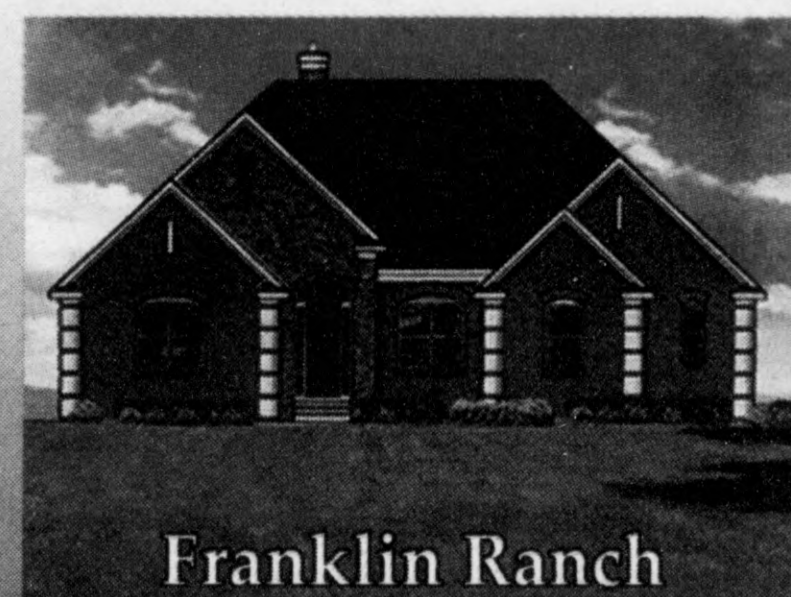
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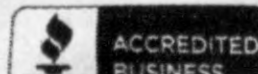
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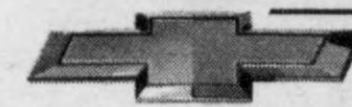
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