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# Varsity football, cheer, dance, marching band, all in this week's Gridiron preview

# 3 suspects held in home invasion

**BY PHIL CUSTODIO** 

Clarkston News Editor

Three suspects have been charged with armed robbery in an Aug. 21 home

Crachiola

Serna

Moore

invasion in Independence Township.

The suspects, Lavar Crachiola, 19; Danielle Serna, 23; and Dawyght Moore, 22, all of Pontiac, were charged with one count each of breaking and entering, and three counts each of armed robbery.

Oakland County Sheriff's deputies were called to Thorpe and W. Huron streets in Pontiac by an Independence Township man who said he and his brother were robbed at gunpoint at their residence in the 4600 block of Pelton, 1:35

a.m., Aug. 21. The victim said four people kicked the door in and robbed them of their cellphones, iPad, and wallets. They tracked one of the phones to Pontiac and were in front of the residence when they call

police. Two suspects were taken into custody at the scene. One of the suspects had the victim's wallet. The suspects were inter

Please see Victims on page 23

# Vandals target historic cemetery

BYANDREAM. BEAUDOIN

Clarkston News Staff Writer

A \$1,000 reward is being offered for information to catch the vandals who knocked over dozens of headstones dating back to 1810 in the Sashabaw Plains Cemetery.

"They damaged many of the graves of the founders of Clarkston, including the

Maybee, Beardslee, and Sashabaw families," said Ron Hudson, who was walking in the cemetery on Maybee Road at Mary Sue Drive in Independence Township.

Hudson, whose aunt and uncle are buried in the cemetery, heard the news and came to have a look himself.

Oakland County Sheriff's deputies are in-

vestigating suspects based on tips from concerned citizens and evidence found at the scene, said Lt. Dirk Feneley, Independence Township Substation commander.

Deputies were called to the cemetery at 2:33 p.m., Aug. 21, and found head stones broken and scattered about.

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BY PHIL CUSTODIO

Clarkston News Editor

Richard Bisio's Open Meetings Act lawsuit against the City of the Village of Clarskton has a response and timetable.

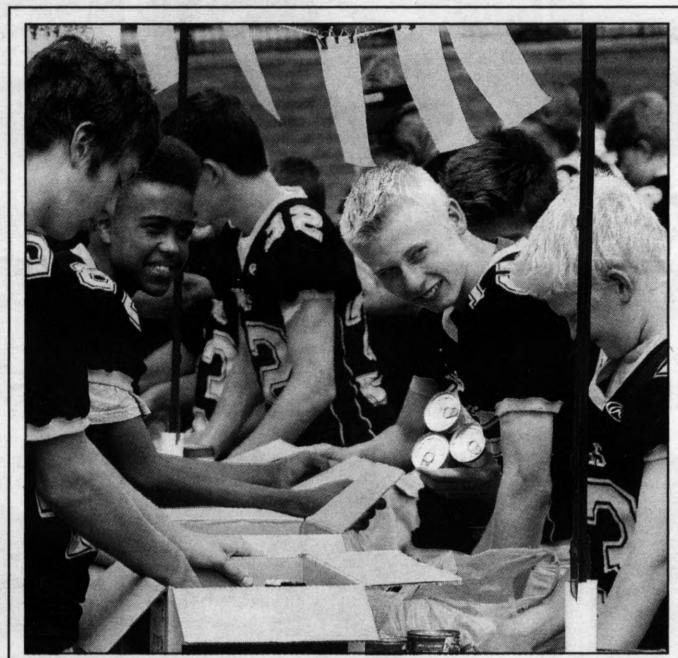
Judge Leo Bowman of the Sixth Circuit Court of Oakland County scheduled the case for trial on March 25, with experts, witness list, and proposed exhibits presented by Nov. 20, discovery completed by Dec. 16, and dispositive motions filed by Jan. 8. The case will also be evaluated in January, the judge said.

The suit, filed June 2, calls for the Circuit Court to determine city council violated the state Open Meetings Act with a closed meeting on March 9 as well as an exchange of emails on April 18-19, and order an end to such practices.

A response was filed by attorneys for the defendants, James E. Tamm and Paul T. O'Neill of Bloomfield Hills, the city's representation through its membership in the Michigan Municipal League.

The point-by-point response states "defendants lack knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the truth of the allegations" about 60 times, and "denied as

Please see Court on page 4



FOOD, TIME DONATIONS: The Clarkston Freshman Football team sorts donations into boxes for the Lighthouse food pantry during Rush for Food, Saturday. Please see page 16 for more pictures. Photo by Wendi Reardom

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RIBBON CUTTING: Independence Township Senior Community Center members and friends celebrated the grand opening of the new 2,400-square-foot expansion with a ribbon cutting, Aug. 12. Fund raising for the \$300,000 project took three years. Groundbreaking was last April, and the expansion was open in time for the Fourth of July festival in Clintonwood Park. The addition includes a full kitchen, offices, and event room big enough for 100 people. *Photo provided* 

# Candidate forum

The League of Women Voters - Oakland Area is sponsoring a Clarkston City Council Candidate Forum, 7 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 17, in the Clarkston Independence District Library meeting room, 6495 Clarkston Road.

The forum will be managed and conducted by the league. Volunteers will collect questions on cards from audience members and present them to the league moderator, who will pose the questions to the candidates.

The event will be video recorded by Independence Television for broadcast on a later date.

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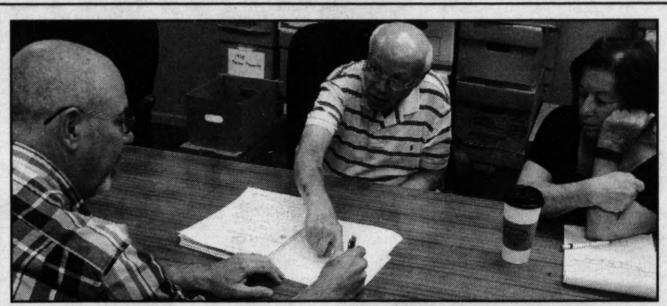
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STORAGE IDEAS: Clarkston Facilities Committee members Jim Brueck, at left, and Thomas Hunter, along with City Manager Carol Eberhardt, discuss possible properties for storage of city equipment. The city must move its DPW equipment out of 3 E. Church Street, which was sold to Union Joints for development into a restaurant, by the end of the year. The committee met on Aug. 24 to discuss short-term storage pending Clarkston City Council decisions on city hall expansion, lease or purchase of township or school property, and other ideas. *Photo by Phil Custodio* 

# Court to hear suit in January

Continued from page 1 untrue" about 26 times.

Bisio was not satisfied with the response.

"I am disappointed that the answer does not make a good faith attempt to respond to the allegations but rather says that the city knows virtually nothing about anything that happened," Bisio said.

Mayor Joe Luginski said he had no comment on the pending litigation.

According to the minutes of the March 9 City Council meeting, city attorney Tom Ryan requested the council go into closed session to discuss attorney/client privilege issue regarding rezoning of 148 N. Main Street. Bisio objected, saying Ryan didn't provide required written legal memorandum before the meeting, and Ryan withdrew his request.

Council member Sharron Catallo recused herself from the discussion, and Council member David Marsh was absent. Luginski and council members Thomas Hunter, Eric Haven, and Mike Sabol voted to go into closed session. Bisio voted against the motion.

# **News** files police report

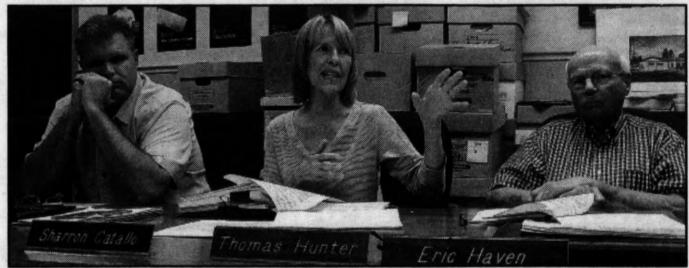
The Clarkston News called on Oakland County Prosecutor Jessica Cooper last June to investigate the possible Open Meetings Act of March 9.

Information, which included City Council minutes, city attorney Paul Ryan's March 9 memo to the city, and *Clarkston News* reports, was forwarded to Assistant Prosecutor Paul Walton. The assistant prosecutor passed it to Oakland County Undersheriff Michael McCabe, who forwarded it to Lt. Dirk Feneley, Oakland County Sheriff's Office Independence Township Substation commander.

Substation detectives took statements from editor Phil Custodio and reporter Andrea Beaudoin, Aug. 19, and forwarded the case to the sheriff's office Special Investigations Unit.

Substations don't investigate the municipalities they're assigned to, Feneley said.

"All government investigations go downtown (Pontiac)," he said.



CORRECTION: This photo of Clarkston City Council member Sharron Catallo and Mayor Joe Luginski, at left, at the Aug. 10 meeting should have identified the council member at right as Thomas Hunter. We regret the error.





Jean Saile's family visits The Clarkston News, where Saile worked as an editor in the 1970s. Photo by Andrea Beaudoin

# Final visit downtown for former editor

Jean Saile took one last trip around Clarkston on Aug. 14.

Saile's family carried her ashes through town before she was laid to rest in Lakeview Cemetery in Clarkston that afternoon.

On the cover of her urn was a photo of one of her experiences as a journalist, when she hopped inside a plane for a story.

Saile's daughter Janet Whitefield said the photo of her mother getting into that plane was just how she would want to be remembered - fearless.

Saile worked as Clarkston News editor from 1971-1977. She also worked as a reporter

and editor for several other publications. "Family" was a frequent topic of her weekly "Hill 'n Gully" column, which is why she joined the CNews in the first place, Whitefield

Saile, who had six children, passed away on July 12, 2011. - Andrea Beaudoin

# Committees to be formed for school goals

#### BYANDREAM. BEAUDOIN

Clarkston News Staff Writer

With school back in session in a couple weeks, Clarkston Board of Education is looking at what it wants to do this year.

The school board discussed creating committees to work on strategic goals for the 2015-2016 year.

Board President Steve Hyer polled the board members at their Aug. 24 meeting, asking them the goals they felt were most important.

Two goals which gained the most votes were to improve Clarkston's technology infrastructure and create a process to fund technology; and complete and post school data online.

Board member Craig Hamilton said the

goals could be more precise.

"It's just too big of a bulls eye for me," he said. Susan Boatman also mentioned condensing goals even more.

Hyer said each committee should have two or three board members to work on goals. He will complete the process of asking which board members are willing to serve on the various committees.

Goals identified by the board include:

- Improve Clarkston's technology infrastructure and create a process to fund technology investments for the future. Consider plans for updating aging facilities and replacing computers.
- Schedule a facility review to ensure safety and equity at all buildings;
  - Utilize the multi-year budget to avoid

unforeseen dips in revenue;

- Review the Strategic Plan to ensure that Clarkston is positioned to become a premiere school district;
- Utilize data to improve student academic achievement;
- Better understand how student achievement is measured;
- · Better understand strategies to further student success;
- Review district Improvement Plan for compliance with the law and rigorous academic goals;
  - · Review recently enacted legislation;
- · Complete and post the Dashboard school data; and
- · Work on strengthening the board/superintendent relationship.

# **Briefly**

# City joins TIA

Clarkston City Council voted unanimously, Aug. 24, to join the Traffic Improvement Association.

Yearly dues are \$300, said Mayor Joe Luginski.

The non-profit agency provides traffic engineering and enforcement services to members, and can provide a parking study for Clarkston at no extra charge, said Council member Sharron Catallo.

The city is still waiting for information from city planners Carlisle/Wortman Associates on how much it would charge for a parking study, Luginski said.

# Volunteers needed

The new Clarkston Communications Committee is looking for volunteers to help it identify ways the city can improve communications with residents regarding city activities.

"The new website has addressed several issues, but what about people who don't have the internet," said Council member Al Avery, chair. "Should we use the paper? Flyers? We want to hear what people think."

Interested persons can contact Avery at aaverylaw@yahoo.com, or call City Manager Carol Eberhardt at 248-625-1559.

# New online service

Secretary of State Ruth Johnson was in Independence Township; Aug. 18, to launch the get-in-line-online service MI-TIME Line at the North Oakland County PLUS Office on Sashabaw Road.

The service allows customers to schedule appointments and get in line from a home computer, with a phone call or via text message.

Call 248-507-4559 or text "clarkston" to 567-335-0262.

# Corrections

In the story "Restaurant proposal voted down," Aug. 19, when Larry Barnett said, "the parsonage is now a fudge shop," he was referring to the building used as the parsonage of the former Baptist Church at 54 S. Main Street. This location is now the Union General, which sells sweets, home goods, toys, and other items. The Parsonage is a flower shop located next door at 6 E. Church Street.

Advanced PetCare of Oakland was incorrectly listed in our 2015 Best of the Best as Advanced PetCare of North Oakland. We apologize for the error.

# Julie's Journey

A column by Julie Goldberg

# Journey's end

My internship with *The Clarkston* News is complete and I could not be any happier with how it went this summer.

I remember walking in the office back at the beginning of May nervous and afraid of what the next

three months were going to bring.

The nerves took a couple days to go away, but once I became used to going to the office every day and talking to



everyone there and starting to write the stories, the nerves went away and I was excited for the rest of this internship.

I was expecting to shadow the reporters at *The Clarkton News* and learn from them and see how they interview people and write their stories, but I was told right away by Editor Phil Custodio I would get the chance to write stories every week and was very surprised.

Getting the opportunity to write an article every week and have people read them was incredible. I felt like I was an actual reporter and not just an intern.

During this internship, I learned how to take the right picture for an article. Taking a picture is more difficult than it seems.

You have to make sure the picture is focused before you take it. I learned that when I attended the Dare to Dream basketball camp in June and had a lot of blurry pictures.

Overall, I improved on my picturetaking skills throughout this internship and am pleased with how I grew in that aspect.

I stepped out of my comfort zone throughout the internship and did things I never thought I would ever do.

Asking people if they could be in the weekly People Poll was challenging at first, but I got used to it after a while and became more comfortable with it.

I learned a lot from this internship and I know everything I learned from this internship will help me with whatever I do in the future.

I thank The Clarkston News for giving me the opportunity to have an internship with them this summer and I am extremely excited to go back to Northern Michigan University for another year of school.

# Appreciation for man who found purse

Dear Editor,

On Wednesday, Aug. 19, my husband answered our doorbell and saw a man there saying he had found my purse on a road. I had been working at the Community Garden on Pine Knob Road near Stickney that morning. I must have left it on the trunk hood after putting other things in my trunk.

This kind man found my address on my driver's license and brought my purse right to our home, several miles from where he found it. He left so quickly I didn't have a chance to come to the door to thank him. I was changing my clothes and hadn't even realized my purse was missing.

The purse had been run over but all my credit cards, driver's license, and cash were still intact.

Thank you, thank you, thank you, mystery man. I hope you read this.

Janet Shaw Independence Township



Janet Shaw is thankful for the return of her purse.

# Road work took too long, reader says

Dear Editor,

As a concerned citizen, there is no question the Sashabaw/I-75 interchange required improvement.

And I currently believe, in the final analysis, it will help the large volume of traffic that flows through it move better.

However, for the home owners who live in close proximity to the construction, it is becoming a nightmare. We realize construction means more time will be required to get from point A to B. But, to totally shut down one lane of Waldon Road for 10 weeks to add a couple of hundred yards of concrete is to-

tally uncalled for!

I say this because Detroit has experienced two horrific tanker crash/fires in the last six months, with extensive pavement damage. Amazingly enough, repair and traffic was back in operation in less than a week!

You don't have to be a construction expert to see something doesn't add up here. I'm pretty confident a better plan could have been developed to complete this small section of road addition. Come on, highway engineers, give us a break!

Tom Keel Independence Township

# Thanks for help with Rush for Food

Dear Editor,

We would like to thank the Clarkston Community for their support in the 18th Annual Rush for Food that was held on Saturday, Aug. 22.

Every year at this time our Clarkston football players enjoy the opportunity to give back to the community that faithfully supports them.

The Varsity and JV players canvased over 40 neighborhoods while the Freshman team worked all afternoon sorting and stocking the pantry of Lighthouse North. With a goal of 7,000 pounds, the teams collected 7,475.5 pounds of food, once again a year over year increase!

Special thanks goes to the Clarkston Athletic Boosters, Dunkin Donuts of Sashabaw Rd., and Neiman's Family Market for donating supplies for the pre-Rush breakfast.

Thanks also go to the Clarkston Dance team and Clarkston Cheerleaders for contributing donations. Thanks to the many other parents and coaches who pitched in and volunteered at the event and provided additional donations!

Thanks go to my partners on the 18th annual Rush For Food parent committee which included Erika Heaton (chair), Lauryn Eriksen, Claudine Schoenherr, Nancy Linton, Kathy Kerrigan, Diane Pierce, and Trish Newblatt for their time and commitment in organizing another successful year!

Finally, we would like to thank the Clarkston News, St. Daniels Catholic Community, Waypoint Church, and Leo's Coney Island for hosting community dropboxes and the Clarkston citizens who generously donated to make this event, the 18th annual Rush For Food, such a great success! Together, we once again proved what a wonderful community Clarkston is to live in!

Thank you,

Karen Nicklin, Publicity CHS Football "Rush for Food"

# A Look Back

From The CNews archives

15 years ago - 2000

"Third annual 'Rush for Food' a success" Clarkston High School football players were out in force for the third annual Rush for Food. Sixty parent volunteers and football players collected enough food for Lighthouse to fill a full-sized van, a pick up truck and Chevy Blazer.

"Independence Township transfers \$20,000 to Cemetary Fund" The Independence Township voted to approve a transfer of \$20,000 from the general fund to the cemetary fund, 4-2, with Trustee Neil Wallace and Treasurer Jim Wenger voting no.

"Changes in works for Clarkston schools this year" There would be plenty of changes evident when Clarkston Community Schools in the new year including renovated building and additional programming.

25 years ago - 1990

"Population, housing up" Preliminary U.S. Census figures showed the population and housing units were up in Independence and Springfield townships as well as the Village of Clarkston.

"Independence to catalog 105 historical structures" The Independence Township Board of Trustees voted 6-0 to accept a firm's bid to catalog 105 long-standing structures in the township. It was the first step towards establishing a township ordinance to prohibit the demolition of historical structures.

"Third-grader keeps his eyes on the skies" Jack Thompson, a third-grader at Pine Knob Elementary, spent a week at a space camp held by the Living Science Foundation at Oakland Community College - Highland Lakes Campus.

50 years ago - 1965

"Fire destroys Whoopee Bowl" Firemen from three departments fought for six hours to bring a fire under control at the Whoopee Bowl, a new and used store on Dixie Highway in Springfield Township. Owner Dale Wilder estimated nearly \$200,000 in loss and explained he and his wife traveled all over the world selecting items for their unusual store.

"No phone, no call, no help" A lone telephone pole, devoid of equipment was evidence of the Deer Lake Beach emergency phone. It had not been replaced after the two recent malicious destructions.

"Local news" The Jack Frost family completed a two-week sightseeing trip through the west.

# A warm Hasta La Vista to the Tigers

I've been a Detroit Tigers fan a long time. It was long ago when I wrote to team owner Walter Briggs, Sr. and asked if I could try out for a pitcher's post.

I was probably 15-years-old.

I got the kindest, warming thank you from the Tiger organization.

The thought came back to me Saturday night when the team took the field against Boston, I think.

Everything has to be so politically correct. For this game, all the Tiger uniforms had their names spelled "Tigres."

The announcer said it had to do with recognizing Latin or Mexican people.

Jim's **Jottings** 



a column by Jim Sherman

**Rush Me** 

A column by

Before I heard that, I'd called a popular tavern in Oxford. I asked if they had the Tigers game on one of their multiple TVs.

The man in charge that night said yes, "but no one seems to be watching it"

Have a great season, "Tigres."

In President Obama's first, last and all those in between comments, he often

promised "transparency" in his administration. Let's see, transparency rhymes with conspiracy, maybe that word wasn't on his written agenda.

Ever have surgery and remember nothing about it?

In 2013, I had a hip replaced. I remember nothing about it, though daughter Luan said I have a scar back there.

A couple of months ago dental surgeon Dr. John wanted to know the medicine I was given for that 2013 work. Must be one of my mouthy kids told him.

Dr. John got rid of the two molars be-

fore I got back to him.

Couple of questions for you! What is the only food that doesn't spoil?

A. Honey

Which day are there more collect calls than any other day in the year?

A. Father's Day

In English pubs, ale is ordered in pints and quarts. So in old England, when customer got unruly, the bartender would yell at them "Mind your pints and quarts and settle down." It's where we get "mind your P's and Q's" comes from.

# Adrenaline Rush, yeah, that's the ticket

You know how it is sometimes. You have time to think and your mind will take you on a wonderful odyssey -- ones full of excitement, danger and sometimes even love (which is fraught with so much peril it is the number one subject of nearly all books, ever published!)

Since the end of winter, or maybe the beginning of

spring, the thought of siring another child has danced in my imagination. Don't And, it's not that I am working in the direction, mind you. It's just a fanciful daydream. One of the side ponderances from this particular fancy's journey is, "what would be a good name for said offspring?"

What is the meaning of a good name? Would sticking with the solid, tried and true names like James and John be a wise decision, or maybe something different?

**Don Rush** I hopped on-line and looked into the meaning of my name, just for fun and to spark my curiosity on. Interestingly, I found two different meanings for the name Donald. From BehindTheName.com, this:

"(Donald is) from the Gaelic name Domhnall which means 'ruler of the world,' composed of the old Celtic elements dumno 'world' and val 'rule.' This was the name of two 9th-century kings of the Scots and Picts."

And, from SheKnows.com, "The name Donald is a Celtic baby name. In Celtic, the meaning of the name Donald is: Dark stranger."

When I was a younger lad, full of bravado and

ego, I would liked the Ruler of The World definition. Today, as an international man of mystery, I'm kinda digging Dark Stranger.

What about Rush? What does the surname Rush mean? According to Ancestry.com, the Irish Rush meaning is, "reduced Anglicized form of Gaelic Ó Ruis 'descendant of Ros', a personal name perhaps derived from ros 'wood'. In Connacht it has also been used as a translation of O Luachra (see Loughrey). Irish: Anglicized form (translation) of Gaelic Ó Fuada, 'descendant of Fuada' a personal name meaning 'hasty.'

Does this mean your hero and spiritual guru Donald Rush is really the Hasty Dark Stranger? Does my name suggest I jump into things too quickly, based on emotion rather than common sense or reason?

I will let you make that particular call.

So, what should a new Rush child be named, something traditional or something with meaning, fun or filled with destiny?

I went on-line and started fiddling around. I discovered the title of a 2007 Robin Williams movie, "August Rush." Possible, and I believe it is a movie most folks will like. I certanily did.

For fun, I typed in my search engine, "Bum's Rush." From the UrbanDicitionary.com, "The act of a bar bouncer, security guard, or some authority figure forcibly removing a person (the 'bum') from a location by twisting said person's arm behind his back and pushing the forearm skyward while rapidly pushing (rushing) the body toward an exit."

I don't think it's a good name for a kid.

The name in my head since February or March is this, Adrenaline Rush. Doesn't sound cool?! I think it is gender neutral and as a nickname, that child could be called Dren. (Which, for anybody who is up on the Happy Days TV trivia, is what Joanie called Potsie -- because in her mind Potsie was the opposite of Nerd. Spelled backwards it is Dren.)

Still searching on-line I discovered Adrenaline Rush is the name of a "Melodic" rock band from Stockholm. And, I have no idea what a "melodic" rock band is . . . they all have long hair.

Adrenaline Rush is also a "high voltage, nonstop, energy-packed obstacle race, where everyone can experience new levels of chafing, sweatiness and soggy sock syndrome . . ." in the United Kingdom.

From FitDay.com, "An adrenaline Rush is an extremely intense feeling" caused by hormones working overtime. I like it! Here are some symptoms of Adrenaline Rush, the website states:

- 1. Noticeable Increase in Your Strength;
- 2. No Feelings of Pain;
- 3. Heightened Senses;
- Sudden Boost of Energy, and;
- 5. Increased Breathing.

I don't know. The more I think of it, I like the name Adrenaline Rush. I think I need to have another kid, or maybe I should just change my name from the Hasty Dark Stranger to the high-voltage moniker.

Your thoughts?

Tweet me at, twitter.com/DontRushMeDon?

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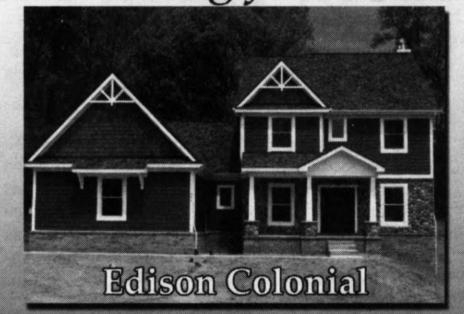
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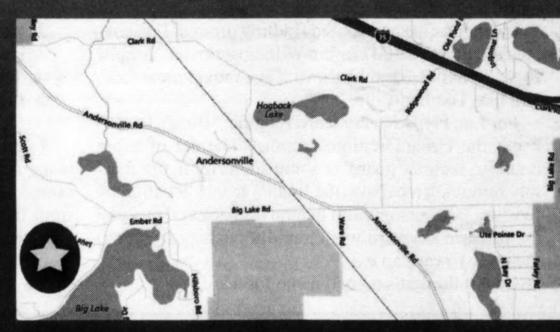
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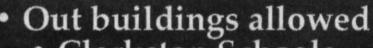
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## **Tinted windows**

A deputy stopped a car with tinted windows and an expired license plate, 8:28 a.m., Aug. 12, at Dixie Highway and Maybee Road. The driver, a 27-year-old Independence Township man, was cited for expired plate, no proof of insurance, and tinted windows.

# Neighbor trouble

Deputies were called to the 5000 block of Willowpark for neighbor trouble, 2:58 p.m., Aug. 13. While writing up a report, the caller, a 32-year-old Independence Township man, was found with a Friend of the Court warrant out of Oakland County and was arrested.

# Resisting arrest

A 47-year-old Midland man was cited for disorderly person and resisting arrest after fighting with deputies at a concert at DTE, 8:45 p.m., Aug. 14. DTE staff had requested assistance from deputies for an intoxicated man on the hill. After resisting efforts to have him escorted out, he was stunned with a Taser, used by a deputy. He was eventually taken into custody. He was cleared by onscene medical personnel and taken to Oakland County Jail.

# Scales scofflaw

A deputy pulled over a truck for ignoring signs saying the southbound I-75 truck scales were open and directing all trucks to pull in, 10:58 a.m., Aug. 17. The driver, a 21-year-old Davison man, said his employer told him he didn't have to pull into the scales. The company was cited for allowing a person to drive without a commercial driver's license, no triangles, annual inspection, trailer annual inspection, and lights out on truck and trailer, and given a warning for failure to submit for truck weighing when required.

# Misdemeanor warrant

A deputy on patrol stopped a pickup truck with no license plate light on Maybee Road, 9:01 p.m., Aug. 17. The driver, a 27-year-old Waterford man, was advised and released on a misdemeanor warrant for failure to appear on a drunk driving charge. He was cited for driving with a suspended license and equipment violation for the light.

## Blown tire

A tire blew out on a work van driven by a 43-year-old Flint woman on Dixie Highway near I-75 and she kept driving on it to get to a tire repair shop, 1:29 p.m., Aug. 19. When a deputy stopped her, the tire was completely gone and the vehicle was traveling on its rim, and traffic was backed up behind the slow-moving vehicle. She was cited for driving with an expired license, license plate violation, no proof of insurance, and equipment violation for the tire.

# Public Safety

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# Dog at large

A 52-year-old Independence Township man was cited for dog-at-large violations after his dog attacked chickens in a neighbor's backyard, killing one and badly injuring two others, 7:28 p.m., Aug. 19. A fourth bird was missing. The dog's owner said he would assist in paying medical bills for the chickens. The report was forwarded to Animal Control.

## Hit and run

An Independence Township man was turning left from Andersonville Road onto White Lake Road when his SUV was rear ended by a minivan, 6:27 p.m., Aug. 19. The minivan fled the scene. A witness behind the minivan followed it to a gas station on Dixie Highway and called 911. The driver of the minivan, a 60-year-old Livonia woman, got out of her vehicle and confronted the witness, yelling and screaming at her. The witness showed the hit-and-run driver she was on the phone with 911, and the driver left. Using the license plate number to find the minivan's owner, deputies printed out a picture to show to the hit-and-run victim, and he said it was her. She was cited for failure to stop in assured clear distance and failure to stop and identify after an accident, and Livonia Police was contacted.

# Voyeur investigation

Deputies responded to the Kroger store in the 5900 block of Sashabaw Road for a male subject taking pictures under a 12-yearold girl's skirt, 8:25 p.m., Aug. 20. A Michigan State Police Sergeant was in the area and responded to the call and detained the suspect until deputies arrival. The suspect, a 51-year-old Ortonville man, was taken back to the substation and interviewed by detectives. He gave detectives permission to look at the pictures on his phone and there were no pictures of underneath a female's skirt. The suspect also gave permission to take his home computer. Deputies went to his home and took the computer and phone for examination by the Sheriffs' Computer Crimes Unit pending a search warrant. The suspect was released pending further investigation, which may take several weeks, officials said.

**Call Oakland County** Sheriff's Office with tips at 800-SPEAK-UP or 1-800-773-2587



Ron Hudson is dismayed by vandalism at the historic Sashabaw Plains Cemetery. Photo by Andrea Beaudoin

# \$1,000 reward in vandalism case

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Sashabaw Plains burials began mostly around 1836, but it was not until 1849 that residents officially formed the cemetery.

The cemetery is owned by Independence Township. Anyone with information is asked to call the Oakland County Sheriff's Office at 248-858-4911.



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# Sporting News

# Who is the next AOW?

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# Success in Traverse City

BY WENDI REARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Kickers opened their season with three shutouts in Traverse City last weekend.

"We did really good," said Clarkston Varsity Boys Head Coach Curtis Payment. "We won all three of our games which is the first time we have done that in Clarkston history."

The Wolves went against Traverse City Central in their 3-0 win. They got to a quick start with two goals from senior Jared Suddon. Senior John Raymo scored the final goal while senior Conner Sajan had seven saves in the net.

"We had stellar goaltending by Conner," Payment added. "Two were highlight reel saves. It was a really good result in the first game."

The boys beat Petoskey in the next game, 1-0. The lone goal was made by Raymo late in the second half off a cross from junior Matt DeFinis. Sajan had eight saves during the game.

"He made a number of crazy saves," Payment added. "We stabilized and controlled the second half."

The Wolves finished the weekend with another 3-0 win, this time against Traverse City West.

"We got out to another quick start with a nice breakaway goal from Jake Hallberg," Payment explained.

Hallberg, a senior, was assisted by senior Adam Snider. The next goal game from junior Robbie Farrell.

"Farrell's goal was a beautiful header on a long cross served by Justin Nicholas," Payment said.

Suddon finished the scoring with his penalty kick which put the Wolves at 3-0.

"The game was exemplified by some really strong defense," Payment said. "We had Cameron Pawlik and Justin Reinke who really stepped up. Our goalie Conner was barely tested with just three saves."

He added the three wins will help the boys as they head into OAA Red games beginning this week.

"It provides a lot of confidence for us," he said. "We have always had trouble up there for a number of reasons - having to sleep in a hotel, playing on a foreign turf against team who play on their local fields. We have a lot of momentum at this point and we have a team with a ton of potential. This helps build the boys' confidence so they realize it."

The Wolves hosted their home opener against Troy Athens on Tuesday.

"We feel like we are going to be playing one of the best teams in the state with Athens," Payment said. "It is going to be a good barometer for us to see exactly where we are at. I feel like we can go in there and attack them based on the way we played this weekend."

The boys head to Rochester on Thursday and Troy next Tuesday.

"Rochester will be much improved from last year," he said. "Traverse City has some really good teams but Athens, Rochester and Stoney Creek will be another level. From here on out, we will have a lot of tough games."

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

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ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

From left, Merrick Canada, Tony Miller, Cole Chewins and Jackson Miller, in front, at the Border Classic. *Photo submitted* 

# Wolves selected for classic

BY WENDI REARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Merrick Canada and Cole Chewins put on their pads and helmet one more time as they represented Clarkston in the Border Classic, June 13.

"I was pretty surprised when I got picked because I am a division two guy," Canada admitted when he was chosen to play for Team Michigan as a defensive back. "At the same time I was really excited for it and really honored to be picked to play in the game."

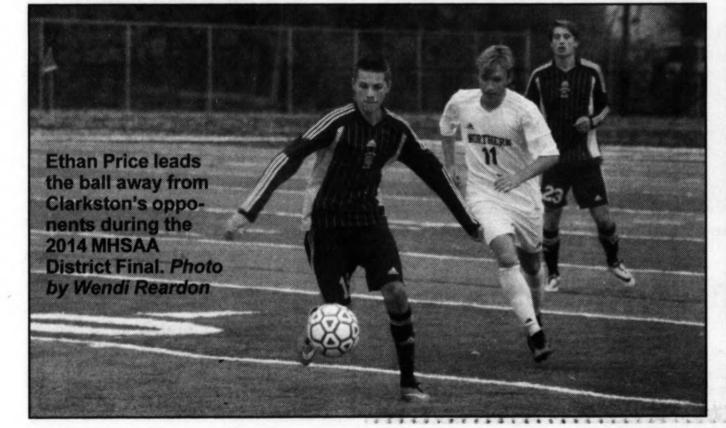
"It was a great honor to do it and play against some of the best people in Ohio and play with players from all around Michigan," Chewins said, playing as offensive lineman. "It was a chance to meet new people and play against good competition before we went off to college. It was a great experience. We got to stay at Wayne State University, meet a whole bunch of our teammates from Team Michigan and meet some people from Ohio. It is always nice to get the pads back on."

The Border Classic is an All-Star Football game with Team Michigan against Team Ohio. Team Michigan won the second annual game, 24-7.

Both added the competition was a step up from a typical high school game because the other players were bigger, faster and stronger.

Chewins and Canada were joined by Clarkston's defensive coordinator Tony Miller, who was chosen as one of the coaches.

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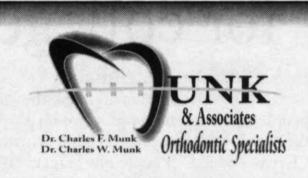
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# 2014 OAA Red League Standings

Clarkston Wolves, 7-0

Rochester Hills Stoney Creek Cougars, 3-4

West Bloomfield Lakers, 6-1

Bloomfield Hills Black Hawks, 2-5

Oxford Wildcats, 5-2

Troy Athens Red Hawks, 1-6

Lake Orion Dragons, 4-3

Troy Colts, 0-7

This Week: Clarkston at Dakato High School, 7 p.m.

# Who's Up Next:

Clarkston plays at Dakota High School's Macomb Stadium

# This Year's Schedule (unless noted 7 p.m. kickoff)

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT
Thursday	08-27-15	@Dakota High School
Friday	09-03-15	@Bloomfield Hills
Friday	09-11-15	@West Bloomfield
Friday	09-18-15	Stoney Creek
Friday	09-25-15	Oxford
Friday	10-02-15	Troy Athens
Friday	10-9-15	@Troy
Friday	10-17-15	Lake Orion

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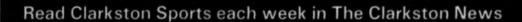
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Brendan Stokes carries a bag of donated food during Rush for Food last weekend. Photo by Wendi Reardon



\* Info gathered from www.LeagueLineup.com



# Players ready for college

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"It was quite an honor to be able to not only coach in the game but to coach two outstanding athletes," Miller said. "They are not only great football players, they are phenomenal young men and come from great families."

Both are currently at college getting ready for their freshman football season as Canada plays for Hillsdale College and Chewins is at Michigan State University.

They explained the experience will help them in the fall.

"The more football you play, the better you get," said Canada. "You are playing against guys also going off to play college football. It makes you a better player."

"Being able to play against the best people in our grade helps you prepare for the next level because everything is faster," Chewins added. "People are bigger, faster and stronger."

Looking back they added their advice to aspiring athletes setting goals as Wolves and college.

"In Clarkston, be thankful you are in a great community, give back and enjoy it because it goes fast," said Canada. "Work as hard as you can."

"Never give up on your dreams," Chewins added. "With hard work and perseverance you will get to where you want to be."



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Neiman's Family Market Store Director John Schmidt and employees are hard at work at the Dixie Highway supermarket. Photo by Andrea Beaudoin

# Neiman's is open and hiring

BY ANDREA M. BEAUDOIN

Clarkston News Staff Writer

Contrary to rumors, Neiman's Family Market is doing fine.

Voted Best Grocery Store by readers in the Clarkston News' Best of the Best, Aug. 19, the supermarket is actually hiring more employees.

"We are not closing our doors. We are committed to Clarkston. We just signed a 12 month lease," said Store Director John Schmidt.

Local business woman and volunteer Peg Roth found a web page with leasing information for White Lake Commons. Neiman's Market is photographed on the page, and looks to be available for lease.

"We found the root of the rumors," Schmidt said.

He was frustrated at the leasing company but thankful the cause of the rumor was

Neiman's has had a successful couple years in business in Clarkston, including winning the 2015 Best of the Best Grocery vote and the prestigious 2014 Al Kessel Outstanding Achievement Award given by Michigan Grocers Association.

Schmidt and employees invite the community to check out all the fresh produce, and finest cut meats at family-owned Neiman's Market. Also, stop in for lunch at the Corner Café, salad from the fresh salad bar or sandwich from the deli, and fresh bagels or goodies from the bakery.

Neiman's Family Market also supports the community by donating to SCAMP, Lighthouse Emergency Services, Clarkston Foundation and other organizations.

Neiman's has four locations, including 7121 Dixie Highway at White Lake Road, which opened in July 2013. For employment opportunities, stop at the store and grab an application.





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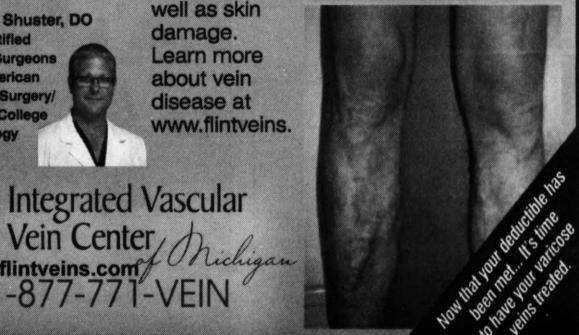
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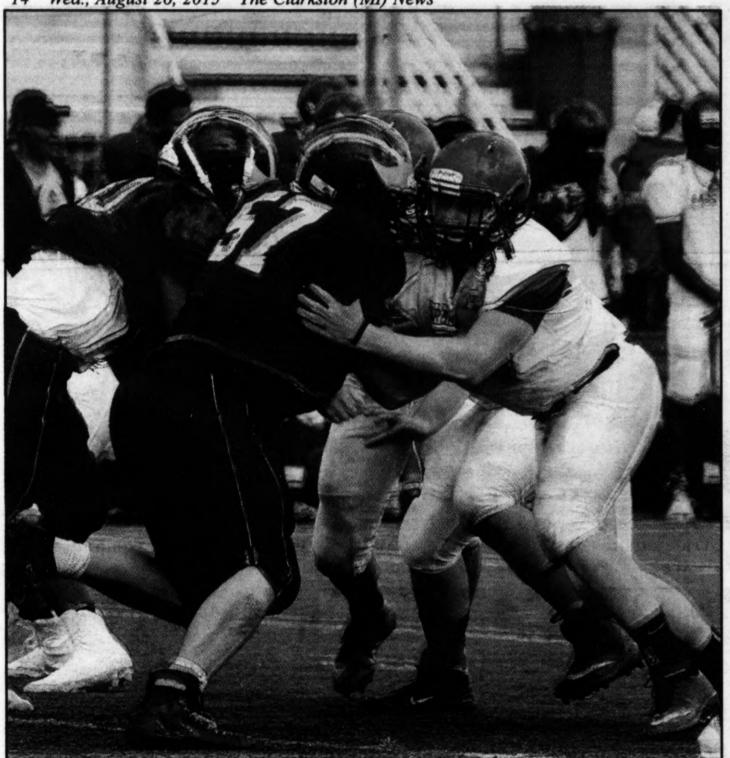
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Clarkston defense goes to work after the ball snap.

# Ready to launch

#### BY WENDIREARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

The gridiron heroes are anxious for their season opener this Thursday with two weeks of practice and scrimmages under their belts.

"We are excited to get going," said Kurt Richardson, long-time head coach for Clarkston Varsity Football.

The Wolves head to Macomb Dakota for the opener where the strength of the Cougars is their speed.

"We have our work cut out for us," Richardson said. "They are a very good football team."

Clarkston has their own strengths as they go into the game including their kicking game with senior Alex Kessman as kicker and punter.

They also have their ground game as a strength and returning runningback Nolan Eriksen with his running ability.

"Another one of our strengths is the fact that these kids have always won and think they are going to win," Richardson added. "They are very confident."

The offense starting line up for Thursday is Carter Gale, center; Nathan Troutvine and Sam Bullen, tackles; Noah Nicklin and Stewart Newblatt, guards; Mitch Heaton, tightend/wideout; Jonah Koponan, Shaq Blevins, Hayden Schoenherr, Jacob Fisher, receiving core; Eriksen and Michael Fluegal, runningback; and Anthony Reiner, quarterback.

"Anthony was outstanding in the scrimmage," Richardson said.

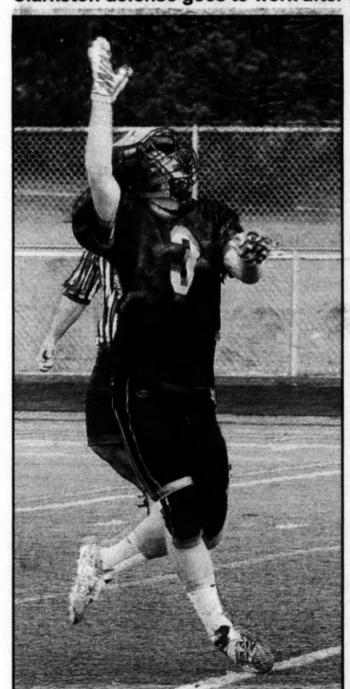
The coaches still have a few more days as they fine tune the defense starting line.

Richardson added one of his biggest concerns right now for the Wolves is the health of the players. With some of the players out due to various reasons, it's a good time for the younger players to show what they have.

"They have to get it done," Richardson said. "They have to step up."

Kick off is at 7 p.m. at Macomb Dakota, 21051 21 Mile Road in Macomb.

For the season preview, check out the Gridiron Section, which also includes a roster and photos of the football, cheer and dance teams as well as the Clarkston High School Marching Band.



J.T. King eyes the punt.



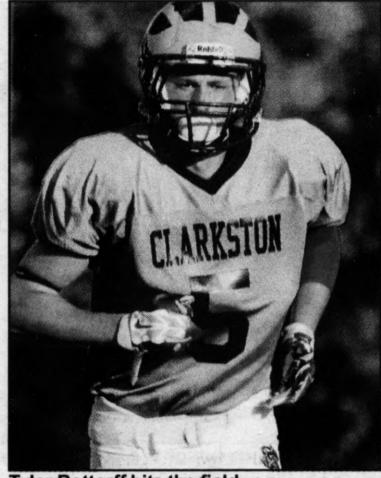
The Wolfpack defense puts a stop to Grand Blanc's ball carrier during the scrimmage on Thursday. Photos by WAR

# Using the time to play

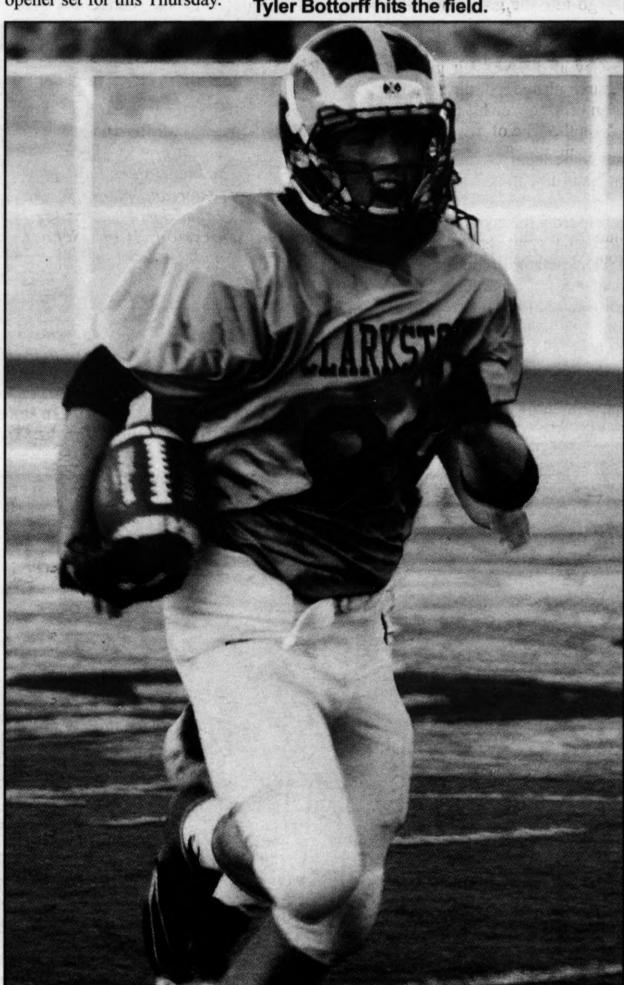
The Wolves held their first scrimmage of the season during their annual Football for a Cure, Aug. 15.

The Blue team prevailed with a 7-0 victory as the varsity football team raised money for McLaren Cancer Institute -Clarkston and McLaren Breast Center.

The boys hit the field last Thursday for their scrimmages against Grand Blanc and Cass Tech to work on plays and see how they measured up as they get ready for their season opener set for this Thursday.



Tyler Bottorff hits the field.



Zach Mansour runs one more play before half time.



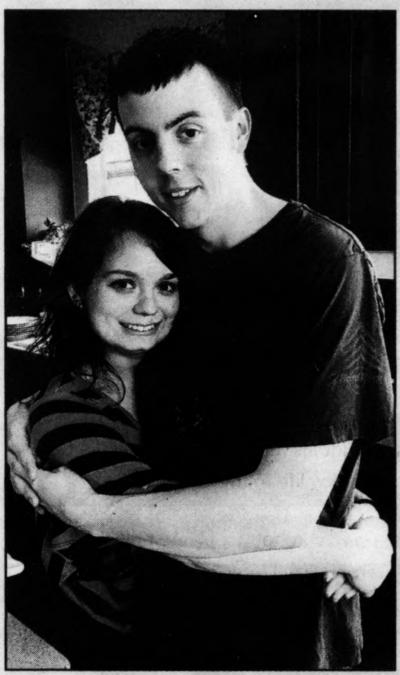
Mitch Heaton tries to slow down Straton Harris on the Pink team from gaining more yards on a play. Photos by Wendi Reardon



JT King is stopped by Kyle Genter and Carson Stottlemyer.



The Blue team starts the kick off to the scrimmage.



Sidonie and Jake

# Brooks-**Tincknell**

Keith Szachta and Heather Brooks-Szachta of Clarkston announce the engagement of their daughter Sidonie Brooks to Jake Tincknell, the son of Christine Tincknell and Rodrick Tincknell.

Sidonie is a graduate of Wayne State University and Jake is a graduate of Lawrence Technological University.



Senior Anthony Reiner brings in a box of donations before the football players head out to the neighborhoods.

# Food rush

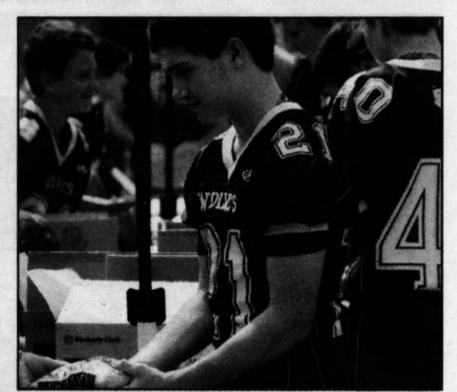
The shelves at Lighthouse were empty Friday night but after the Clarkston Football Program's 18th annual Rush for Food on Saturday, they were filled.

With help from the community, the football players collected 7,475.5 pounds of food

"Thank you for continuing the tradition," said Michele Robinson. "It's been a wonderful event for Lighthouse."

She explained many football players stay involved after their freshman year with the programs at Lighthouse.

"It's so cool," she smiled.



Ryan Wycoff helps put food in the boxes to take into Lighthouse to fill the shelves. Photos by Wendi Reardon



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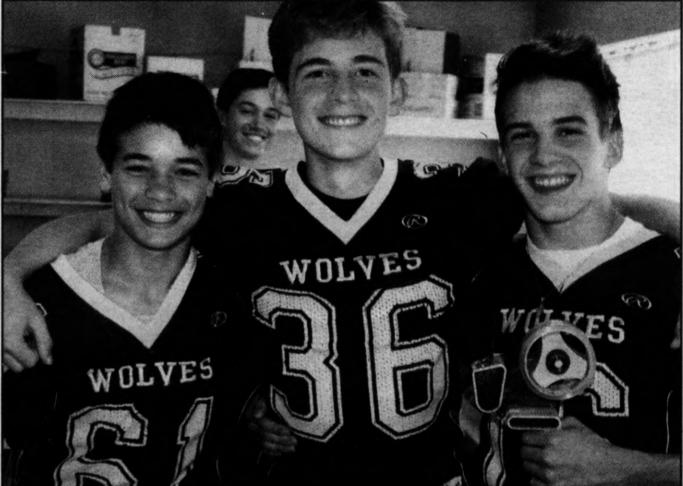
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Labor Day Parade, 10 a.m., Sept. 7, downtown Clarkston. For parade entry info, contact sponsor Clarkston Rotary Club at 248-625-9741.

Clarkston SCAMP Golf Classic, 9 a.m., Sept. 11, Fountains Golf & Banquet, 6060 Maybee Road. 248-623-8089.

Mom2Mom Sale, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Sept. 12, Clarkston Community Church, 6300 Clarkston Road. \$1, early bird from 8-9 a.m., \$2. Strollers allowed. 810-423-5898.

Free Preplanning Q&A, 3 p.m., Sept. 16, Carriage House, Clintonwood Park, with attorney Sean Miller and funeral director Jenni Simsack of Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home. Topics: will vs. trust, preparing for nursing home care, benefits of preplanning. RSVP encouraged, 248-625-5231.

Clarkston City Council Candidate Forum, League of Women Voters - Oakland Area, 7 p.m., Sept. 17, Clarkston Independence District Library meeting room, 6495 Clarkston Road.

Clarkston High School reunion, class of 1960, Sent, 19, Deer Lake Athletic Club, 6167 White Lake Road. Call Diane at 248-375-9629.

**Taste of Clarkston**, 12-6 p.m., Sept. 20, downtown Clarkston. Sample entrees, desserts, products from over 30 local restaurants and 50 exhibitors. Art in the Village in Depot Park. 248-625-8055.

Lunch & Learn: Topics for Ostomy patients, 11:30 a.m., Sept. 25, McLaren Cancer Institute - Clarkston, 5680 Bow Pointe Drive. Free. Register by Sept. 21, 248-922-6860.

#### Sunday

Springfield Township Farmers Market, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Sundays through Oct. 18, Shiawassee Basin Preserve, 12000 Davisburg Road.

#### Monday

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

# Around Jown

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



# Participants wanted!

Join in the Clarkston Labor Day Parade fun, Sept. 7. The Clarkston Rotary Club, sponsors of the Clarkston Labor Day Parade for the past 73 years, is seeking parade participants to join the fun-filled community event.

The traditional end of summer parade is seeking floats, classic cars, community service organizations, musical groups, local businesses, political candidates, families, and equestrian riders. Those interested, please find the entry application on the clarkstonrotary.org web site (under downloads) or contact Clarkston Rotarian Joel DeLong at joeldelong@aol.com or 248-625-9741.

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

**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.

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

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

Fitness 4 You classes, \$5 walk-in, New Hope Bible Church, 8673 Sashabaw Road. Call Patty, 248-520-3297.

50+ Outdoor Pickleball, Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, 8:30-10:30 a.m.; Saturdays, 9-11 a.m., Clintonwood Park Outdoor Courts, 6000 Clarkston Road, \$2. In case of rain, First Congregational Church of Clarkston, 5449 Clarkston Road, \$3.

Tuesday

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

Grief Share, 13-week seminar/support group for those suffering loss, 7-8:30 p.m., Tuesdays, The Gathering Place, 9811 Dixie Highway. 248-694-9351.

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

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

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.

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

Road. Guest fee, \$5.248-705-7310.

**50+ Indoor Pickleball**, Tuesdays, 6-9 p.m., \$4, First Congregational Church of Clarkston, 5449 Clarkston Road.

**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.

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

#### Thursday

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

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

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.

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

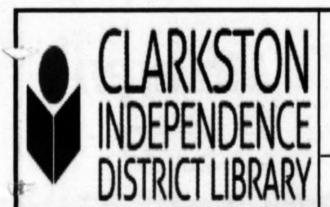
Lunches for 50+, Thursdays, 12 p.m., made-from-scratch. \$7. Independence Township Adult Activities Center, 6000 Clarkston Road. Make reservation by Monday before, 248-625-8231.

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

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

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

Please see Around Town on page 23



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

**Parking Lot Improvements** 

Beginning September 8th the entrance to the library and a small section of the parking lot will be under construction until September 25, weather permitting. The library will be open regular hours during construction. For up-to-date information visit our website www.indelib.org

Fall Library Hours September 8th-June 19th Monday -Thursday 10am-9pm Friday & Saturday 10am-6pm

Sunday 1pm-6pm

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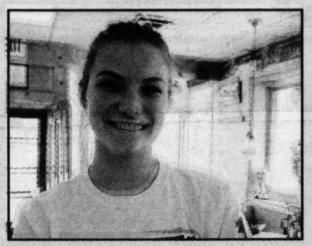
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# What should schools do to be better?



"I think they should focus more on math and science. I also think they should focus on how kids learn. I know it's hard on teachers, but if they could incorporate how kids learn, it would be a lot better."

- Emma Curd



"I think there should be a lot more one on one time with students. Also, a focus on what's best for each student and how they learn best."

Justin Dickerson



"Kids need to be taught about real life. They need to be taught people skills and how to cope so they can handle life."

- Betty Kraft



"We need to have more recess. It's not fair we only get 20 minutes and we are cooped up in school all day. We need to move around more."

- Piper Kraft

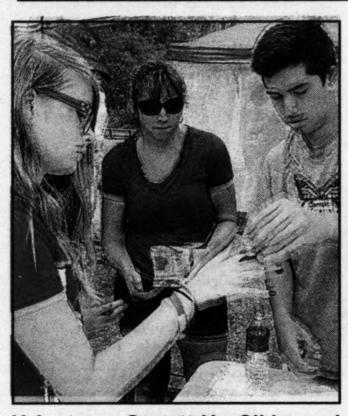
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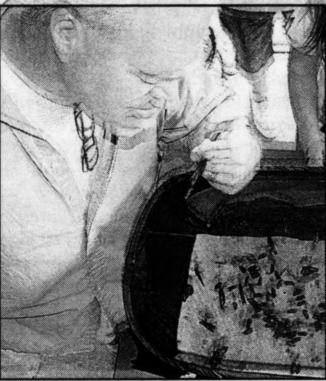
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Volunteers Garrett VanGilder and Maridith Dave help visitors at the Monarch Butterfly Festival at Shiawassee Basin River Preserve feed some sugar water to Monarch Butterflies before placing tags the wings of butterflies.



Jeffrey Irwin cherishes the earth's butterflies. Monarch's only live about seven months. Photos by Andrea Beaudoin



Amanda and Chad Chappell help their daughter Isabella set a butterfly free.

# Protecting the Monarchs

BYANDREAM. BEAUDOIN

Clarkston News Staff Writer

During the Monarch Butterfly Festival at the Shiawassee Basin River Preserve, Aug. 22, visitors fed butterflies sugar water and tagged their wings for researchers before letting them go.

Butterflies are a pollinator and nectar sucking creature and important to the health of the earth and growing food, said Debbie Jackson, Monarch Watch conservation special-

During the festival, visitors learned Monarch butterflies are in trouble.

"We have seen a 90 percent decline in the

Monarch butterfly," Jackson said. "We need to educate the public on what is going on and how they can help. The food sources and habitat for our pollinators are disappearing. We need to plant one billion stems of milkweed to replace what we have lost. People can help by planting milkweed, but we will never see the numbers in Monarchs we have seen in the past."

Jackson explained how habitat loss and environmental changes has led to the serious declines in butterflies, bees, and many other species.

"The loss of any species weakens the eco-Please see Monarchs on page 23



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- Crave Students (6th-8th) check out all BWC has To offer you online at bridgewoodchurch.com

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7010 Valley Park Dr., Clarkston (W. of M-15, S. of 1-75) 625-4580 Rev. Ronald J. Babich, Pastor Saturday Mass: 5:00 pm Sunday Masses: 7:30, 9:00 & 11:00 am Religious Education: 625-1750

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#### CLARKSTON **COMMUNITY CHURCH**

6300 Clarkston Road - Clarkston (248) 625-1323 Home of Oakland Christian School Pastor: Greg Henneman Sunday Worship: 9:15 and 11:00 a.m. Nursery Care at both services Children's Ministries: September thru April Wednesdays, 6:00-8:00 p.m. Youth Ministries: September thru April Sunday, 12:30-2:00 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 3:00-8:00 p.m. www.clarkstoncommunity.com

#### CALVARY EVANGELICAL **LUTHERAN CHURCH**

6805 Bluegrass Drive, Clarkston (W. of M-15, just S. of I-75) 248-625-3288 Pastor Jonathan Heierman Sunday Worship: 8:15 am, 9:30 & 11:00 am Nursery, Children & Youth at 9:30 & 11:00am **Wednesday Evenings:** 6:00-8:00 pm Dinner & groups of all ages Nursery, Children & Youth too www.calvaryinfo.org

#### THE GATHERING PLACE

9811 Dixie Hwy., Clarkston 248-620-5301 Corner of Dixie Hwy & Davisburg Rd. Sunday Evening Worship 5-6pm Fellowship Dinner, Bible Study & Sunday School 6:15-7:15pm Men's Group, 3rd Sat. of Month 9-10:30am Women's Group, 2nd & 4th Fridays 6:30-Finanacial Peace University Classes ongoing Email: tgpconnection@gmail.com www.thinkoutsidethepew.org

#### THE FIRST **CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**

5449 Clarkston Rd. Clarkston (248) 394-0200 Fax: (248) 394-1212 Rev. Dr. Matthew Webster Sunday Worship: 10:00 a.m. Children's Sunday School 10:00 am **Dream Keepers Youth Group** Sunday's 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm Bible Study March - May and Sept. - Nov. www.FirstCongregationalChurch.org

#### **CLARKSTON UNITED** METHODIST CHURCH

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

#### **DIXIE BAPTIST CHURCH**

8585 Dixie Highwy, Clarkston, MI (248) 625-2311 website: www.dixiebaptist.org Home of Springfield Christian Academy & Children's **Ark Preschool** Pastor: J. Todd Vanaman Sun: 9:45 am Worship Service 11:00 am Sunday School for all ages 6:00 pm Worship Service Wed: 7:00 pm Children and Teen Clubs & Adult Bible Study Nursery available for all services.

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#### **WAYPOINT CHURCH**

8400 Dixie Hwy, Clarkston Website - www.waypoint.org Phone 248-623-1224 Sunday Worship: 9:45 am & 11:00 am Mom Squad: Tues. 9:30-11:30 am Childcare provided Wednesday: Family Life Group 6:30 pm Youth 6:30 pm

# Religion

# God's identity always constant

Spiritual

**Matters** 

**Pastor Kendall** 

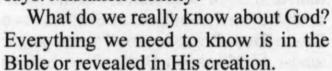
Schaeffer

It was a case of mistaken identity.

I was sure it was him, a friend from of old. I called out his name and there was no response. When I realized my mistake I was rather embarrassed. But then I realized this is something that often happens.

I often reflect on mankind's mistaken identity of Who (or what)

God is. We have designed God in our own, neat, little box. Cafeteria style theology leads us through life. We read the Bible and, if it fits our idea, we follow it; otherwise we discard what the Bible says. Mistaken identity?



Our world, and many who are involved in science, would have us believe all things came into being by chance, something they have named evolution. Mistaken identity.

Psalm 139 reminds us Where shall I go from Your Spirit? Or where shall I flee from Your presence? If I ascend to heaven, You are there! If I make my bed in Sheol, You are there! If I take the wings of the morning and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea, even there Your hand shall lead me, and Your right hand shall hold me. (7-10) (ESV)

We also read in Psalm 19:1 The heavens declare the glory of God, and the sky above proclaims His handiwork. (ESV)

Think about Paul, in the New Testament. It was a case of mistaken identity.

He was on his way to Damascus, armed with a letter to arrest the followers of Jesus, when he was knocked to the ground and asked: "Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting Me?" And he said, "Who are You, Lord?" And He said, "I am Jesus, Whom you are persecuting. (Acts 9:4b-5) (ESV)

Just think of the great plans God had in store for Paul! Later he would write But who are you, O man, to answer back to God? Will what is molded say to its molder, "Why have you made me like this?" Has the potter no right over the clay, to make out of the same lump one vessel for honorable use and another for dishonorable use? (Romans 19:20-21, ESV)

Mistaken identity.

Too often the created becomes the god and we put God aside. We hear mottos about looking out for number one, the importance of me, our individual rights, and the such.

But God has a greater outlook! God NEVER mistakes our identity. He knows every one of us, even knowing the number of hairs on our head. And He cares for us and about us. That is why He sent His Son, Jesus, to shed His blood on the cross. It was not a mistake. It was His plan; it was Him showing His love for us.

God doesn't, won't, make mistakes. He made you to love you. He calls you to be His servant, ever-faithful, everloving. Remain rooted in Him!

The Rev. Kendall Schaeffer is pastor of St. Trinity Lutheran Church.

# In our local churches...

Wednesday Evening Feast, 6 p.m., dinner; classes for all ages, 7-8 p.m. Free nursery. Calvary Lutheran Church, 6805 Bluegrass Drive. Call 248-625-3288 or check www.calvaryinfo.org

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

Road. For mor einformation, call 248-625-

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.

# Obituaries & . Obituaries

# Beverly A. Dryer, 83

Beverly Ann Dryer, "Peggy," of Grand Blanc, formerly of Clarkston, passed away Aug. 20, 2015, at age 83.

She was preceded in death by her husband John and twin brother Franklin Grant. She was the loving mother of Charles (Diane) Dryer and David (Elvira) Dryer; proud grandmother of Eric (Chelsie) Dryer, Brett,



Kelli, Christine (Mark) Sarigianis and Marie Dryer. Peggy lived for many years in Clarkston after retirement as an elementary school teacher from Hudson, Ohio.

Memorial Service is Friday, Aug. 28, 11 a.m. at Clarkston United Methodist Church, where friends may visit at 10 a.m. until time of service. Private Inurnment West Point Cemetery. Memorials may be made to United Clarkston Methodist Church. Arrangements entrusted to the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Clarkston. Online guest book www.wintfuneralhome.com.

# Elwin R. Brown, 72

Elwin R. Brown, "John," of Sterling Heights, formerly of Waterford, passed away Aug. 10, 2015, at age 72.

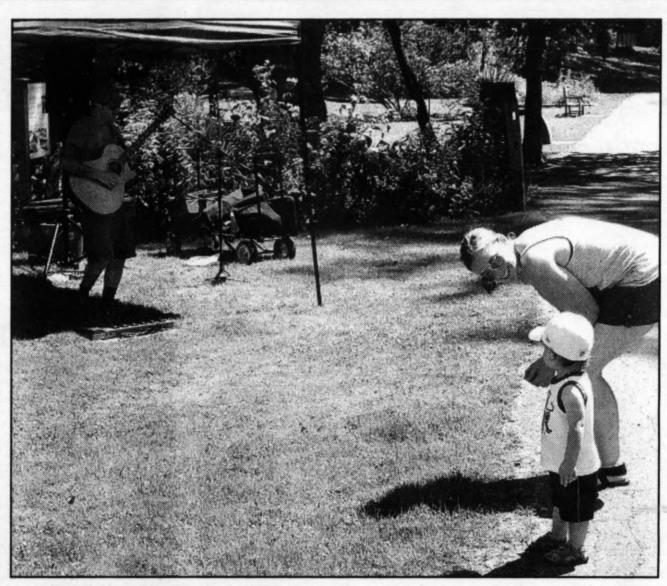
He was the husband of Betty; father of Chris (Kim) Brown & Sally (Paul) Crider; stepfather of Janeen (Chuck) Rice; also survived by many grandchildren and great grandchildren; brother of Frank Brown.

John retired from General Motors. He was an active member of Cedar Masonic Lodge #60 for over 38 years and enjoyed hunting, woodworking and motorcycling.

Friends may visit at Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Clarkston, Saturday, Sept. 12, from 3-5 p.m. with a Masonic Memorial at 4 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to American Cancer Society.

Online guest book www.wintfuneralhome.com.

> **Obituaries** posted daily at Clarkstonnews.com



UNIVERSAL VIBES: Zander Aguirru was walking through Depot Park when he heard Jason Milan performing his music and stopped to listen. Milan, from Auburn Hills, performs often in Clarkston. He will perform his spiritual and experimental acoustic guitar instrumentals at Andiamo Trattoria in Clarkston on Aug. 29 and Sep. 5. Find him on Facebook or visit www.musicforgrasshoppers. Photo by Andrea Beaudoin

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# **Mass Schedule**

Sunday

7:30, 9 & 11 a.m.

Saturday

5 p.m.

Monday, Tuesday and

**Friday** 

8:30 a.m.

Thursday

11 a.m.

In the event of a Funeral Mass, weekday Masses will be cancelled.

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# Sunday, August 30 11:00 a.m. **Mass-Baptisms**

Monday, August 31 7:00 p.m. **Rosary Čenacle** 

Wednesday, September 2 10:00 a.m. **Study of Sunday Scriptures** 

Wednesday, September 2 6:30 p.m. **Evening Prayer** 

Wednesday, September 2 7:00 p.m. **Wild Ones Nature Presentation** 



Lois Berry buys a watermelon from Diana's Heirloom Produce at the Farmer's Market in Springfield Township on Saturday during the Monarch Butterfly Festival at the Shiawassee Basin River Preserve.

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF OAKLAND FILE NO: 2015-364, 694-DE

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS** 

**Decedent's Estate** 

Estate of BRUCE W. BAILEY. Date of birth: 02/01/1949 TO ALL CREDITORS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, BRUCE W. BAILEY, died 06/30/2015

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

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FILE NO:

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF OAKLAND

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS Decedent's Estate** 

Estate of Harry L. Clark and Ruth F. Clark Joint Revocable Living Trust, Dated May 29, 1991.

TO ALL CREDITORS: NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Harry L. Clark and Ruth F. Clark Joint Revocable Trust Dated May 29, 1991

Creditors of the trust are notified that all claims against the trust will be forever barred unless presented to James R. Clark, Successor Trustee, within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice. SHAUN B. ISGRIGG, JR. P-78232 James R. Clark 2745 Pontiac Lake Road 409 Midlakes Blvd. Plainswell, Michigan 49080 Waterford, Michigan 48328

(248) 682-8800

died 7/10/2015

STATE OF MICHIGAN

FILE NO: 2015-365, 088-DE

(269) 664-5714

PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF OAKLAND NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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Estate of Virginia M. Thomason. Date of birth: 8/10/1926 TO ALL CREDITORS NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Virginia M. Thomason,

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

08-18-2015 Judith A. Glynn 3623 Shaddick Rd. Waterford, MI 48328 248-681-6583

# Community events?

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#### SYNOPSIS **SYNOPSIS**

TAKEN BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE **AUGUST 19, 2015** 

- A. A Regular Budget Meeting of the Charter Township of Independence Board was called to order at 7:05 PM at Independence Township Hall.
- The Pledge of Allegiance was given.
- ROLL CALL: Present: Kittle, Pallotta, Brown, Lohmeier, Ritchie, Schroeder

Absent: Aliaga

There was a quorum present.

Also Present: Ken Elwert, Parks, Recreation & Seniors Director; Lt. Dirk Feneley, Oakland County Sheriff's Department; David McKee, DPW Director; Mitch Petterson, Fire Chief; Renée Poole, Fire Department Business Manager; Rick Yaeger, Budget Analyst

D. APPROVAL OF AGENDA: As presented

- E. BOARD/PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS: Trustee
- PUBLIC COMMENT: Robert White
- G. BUDGET ITEMS:
  - 1. Review and Discussion of the 2016 Fire Department Budget
- 2. Review and Discussion of the 2016 Police Bud-
- Review and Discussion of the 2016 Safety Path Budget Review and Discussion of the 2016 Indepen-
- dence TV Budget Review and Discussion of the 2016 CIA-Corridor
- Improvement Authority Budget Review and Discussion of the 2016 CDBG-Community Block Grant Budget
- H. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS: None
- ADJOURNMENT: The Regular Budget Meeting adjourned at 8:46 PM.

Respectfully Submitted, Barbara A. Pallotta, CMC **Township Clerk** 

Published: Wednesday, August 26, 2015



Kaitlyn Bessonen and Katrina Impellizzeri hold up turquoise cocoons that look like glass jewelry at first glance. Photos by Andrea Beaudoin

# Monarchs need more milkweed

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system that all species rely on for survival, including humans," according to the National Wildlife Foundation.

During the Monarch Butterfly Festival, kids and adults learned the Milkweed plant, the only food source of butterflies and the

only plant that butterflies lay their eggs on, has been wiped out by development and land management practices. Milkweed can be planted or just tossed in the form of a seed bomb.

For more information, www.pollinator.org or monarchwatch.org.



Diane DeClerck showed visitors how to feed a butterfly with sugar water.

# Victims ran medical marijuana operation

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viewed and revealed the identity of the third subject.

The victims, a 40-year-old Independence Township man, 22-year-old Independence Township man, 21-year-old Independence Township woman, and 22-year-old Waterford Township woman, were found to run a marijuana grow operation at the house in Independence Township. Detectives from the Narcotics Enforcement Team went to the Independence Township address and determined the grow operation was in compliance with the Medical Marijuana Act. They requested evidence technicians process both scenes and the investigation is still ongoing.

Crachiola and Serna are held on \$50,000 cash or surety bond. Moore has a \$100,000 cash or surety bond.

# **Around Town**

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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.

TOPS 1093 Clarkston, Take Off Pounds Sensibly, Thursdays, 6-8 p.m., \$1/week. First Missionary Church, 4832 Clintonville Road. 248-673-5540.

#### Friday

Line dance class, Fridays, 2-4 p.m., Waterford Senior Center, 3621 Pontiac Lake Road. \$4, all levels. 248-682-9450.

#### Saturday

Clarkston Area Farmers Market, Saturdays through Oct. 10, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Clarkston Community Education Center, 6558 Waldon Road.

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



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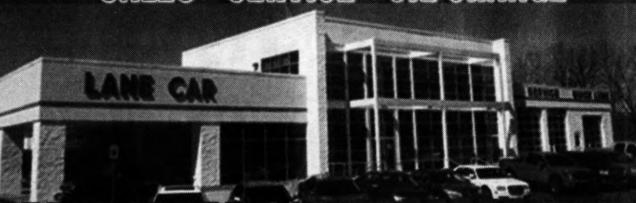
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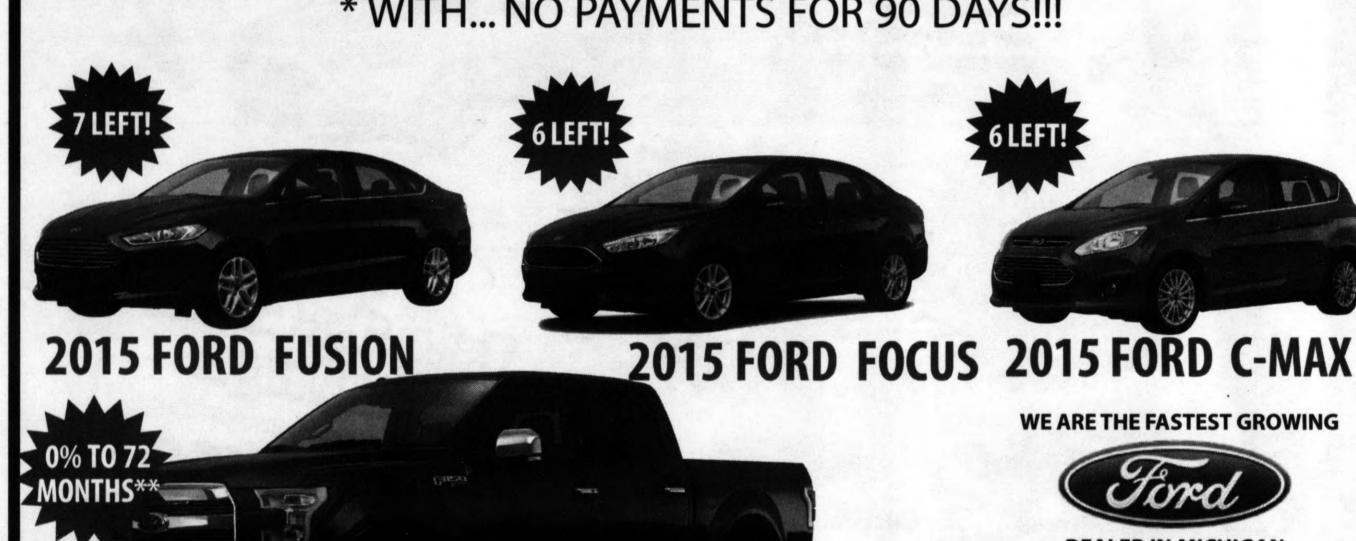
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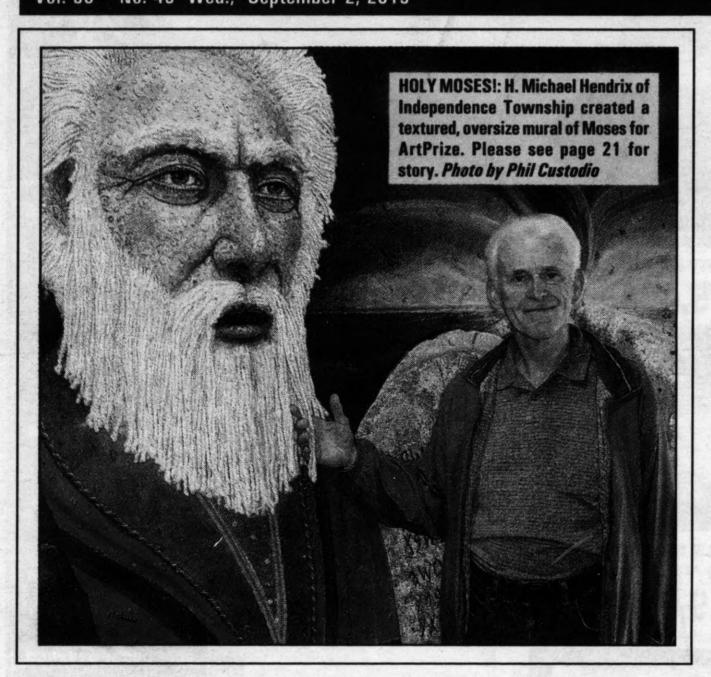
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# One last march for summer

### BY PHIL CUSTODIO

Clarkston News Editor

About 30 entries are signed up to march in Monday's Clarkston Labor Day Parade, including Detroit Twirling Steppers baton group, Clarkston Chiefs football, Clarkston High School marching band, Clarkston Optimists Club, Miss Senior Michigan 2015, Miss Preteen Michigan, military vehicles, and John Rasmussen's 1917 Ford Model T.

The American Legion Post 63 Honor riders.
Guard will lead the parade "Fo

"It's small town America," said Joel

DeLong, president of the Clarkston Rotary Club. "It's an opportunity for kids and their families to come out and participate in the parade."

Clarkston Rotary, sponsor of the Clarkston Labor Day Parade for the past 74 years, welcomes families to walk in the parade, as well as floats, classic cars, community service organizations, musical groups, local businesses, political candidates, and equestrian

"For many, Labor Day's original meaning
Please see Rotary on page 34

# Trooper laid to rest

#### **BYANDREAM. BEAUDOIN**

Clarkston News Staff Writer

A GoFundMe page raised over \$123,000 so far to help the family of Michigan State Police Trooper Chad Wolf, 38, who passed away from injuries after an accident early Friday morning, Aug. 28.

In a few days since the page was setup, over 1,700 people donated towards the now \$200,000 goal.

Many condolences were sent to both the trooper and his family on the *Clarkston News'* Facebook page.

"So very sad," posted Gracie Finley. "God bless him and his family."

"God bless him and his family."

"Rest easy, trooper, said Jim Muehlheim.

Wolf was on an MSP motorcycle traveling north on Dixie Highway when a vehicle towing a small trailer quickly changed lanes to get on the ramp to northbound I-75. The

vehicle struck Wolf and dragged him about three miles down the interstate until the driver pulled over at a rest stop in Holly.

Frantic callers dialed 911 to report the incident, which occurred

about 6:30 a.m.



Wolf

Throughout the day, Friday, state police and deputies from Oakland County Sheriff Office were on site conducting an investigation. Dozens of state troopers were along I-75 and Dixie Highway, which were both closed

for most of the day after the accident.

Deputies guarded the Dixie Highway scene tightly as authorities investigated the accident.

Please see Community on page 9

# Teens arrested in cemetery vandalism

Michael Thomas Dickinson, 19, of Waterford Township and Jonathan

Lawrence Matthews, 17, of Pontiac face charges in the Sashabaw Plains Cemetery vandalism case.

About 30 gravestones were knocked over or damaged at the cemetery, 5331 Maybee Road, on Aug. 21. Estimated cost is \$54,499.

Dickinson and

Matthews were arraigned

on vandalism charges in 52-2 District Court.

Independence Township Supervisor Pat
Kittle said the township will find out if the
suspects' parents have homeowners
insurance.

"If they don't have insurance, this is why we have insurance in the township," Kittle said.



Matthews

He added the headstones will be replaced with the type of material they were made from. One company the township consulted said they do not work with sandstone, so other companies are being sought.

"Either way, the responsible parties will be

putting a whole lot of hours in that cemetery," the supervisor said. "They will be doing a lot of community service."

Investigation continues.

- Andrea Beaudoin

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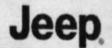
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Clarkston Mayor Joe Luginski, at right, talks about downtown parking at a meeting hosted by Bob Roth, in middle, and Peggy Roth, for Clarkston Retailers Group, including Lorry Mahler, at left. Photo by Phil Custodio

# Owners, officials call for parking consistency

BY PHIL CUSTODIO

Clarkston News Editor

All ideas are on the table when it comes to parking downtown, residents and officials said.

Business owners Robert and Peg Roth hosted a meeting of the Clarkston Retailers Group, Aug. 25, at the Clarkston Mills to discuss the issue with Mayor Joe Luginski.

"We want to get the opinions of as many business owners in the city as we can," Luginski said. "We're trying to get as ahead of it as we can."

"With a one block business district, we have to be creative," said Lorry Mahler, owner of apartments on Main Street. "If people can't find parking, we're going to lose business. It's imperative we do something."

Parking is an issue for the Mills because their two lots next to Depot Park are filled with downtown diners and shoppers, crowding out their clients and customers, Robert said.

Louise Kasl, owner of Kinetic Systems, said customers have passed her business by after seeing the parking lot full of restaurant diners.

"Some are angry at us for not defending our lot," Kasl said.

A new restaurant at Main and Church streets will add to parking shortages, Robert said.

"The restaurant is looking to add a lot more seats," he said. "We have two private parking lots that are being sucked up. There's almost something going on every night. Tonight, the parking lot is full - it's not being used for our property, and we have intentions for our property."

The restaurant, which will encompass 28 S. Main and 3 E. Church Street properties, will seat 135, with about 40 of those seasonal on rooftop and patio, said Erich Lines, Union Joints owner along with Curt Catallo.

Leanna Haan, owner of Picasso's Grape Vine on Main Street, said the new restaurant will be a good thing.

"There's a buzz in the city, that's cool," Haan said. "Young people like the fact it's busy and full of activity."

"I fully support all the development," said Kevin Harrison, owner of KH Home. "I'd rather have parking problem than no development."

However, parking rules must be enforced fairly, Harrison said.

"At some point, the previous owner (of 27 S. Main Street) paid for parking deferment. He paid for several spots," he said. "It's got to be fairly applied to everyone. If some business are not required to pay for parking spots, than no business should be required to pay for parking spots."

"Everyone's business seems be cranking up a little bit. That's a good thing," Robert said. "But we can't just say add this one and this one, but not this one."

City ordinances set a parking deferment and tasteful," Bowman said. zone in downtown. Businesses are required to provide parking, but if they're in the zone, they can pay a fee instead.

The zone has not been enforced consistently, said City Council member Mike Sabol, who was in attendance along with Council member David Marsh.

"The city attorney will look at the zoning ordinance and decide whether we need a public hearing for parking deferment," Sabol said.

A parking deferment public hearing would include the restaurant's site plan as well as the site plan for Brightside Dental at 55 S. Main Street, which was approved for expansion earlier this year.

"It's certainly fair to ask everybody based on the requirements of their businesses to put some skin in the game," Luginski said.

But fees to businesses that are too high would also be a problem, Haan said.

"Rochester was imposing hefty fees that would drive out small businesses," she said.

"Then no one comes to shop because businesses are folding."

Kevin McCort of Real Estate One on Main Street agreed adding 135 restaurant seats will place more strain on city parking.

"If your opinion is it's not a problem, your opinion is going to change," McCort said. "We can't generate more real estate. We need more parking than we have. We have to go up."

A parking ramp has been discussed before, Luginski said.

"There was some discussion about a parking garage off Buffalo - that was more than 20 years ago," the mayor said. "Obviously that's not going to happen. It's not a realistic option."

Parking meters might help if handled properly, said Katie Bowman Coleman, owner of Bowman Chevrolet.

"A parking app? Make it modern, cool,

Tickets issued for parking more than two hours in city lots and streets downtown don't help, Peg said.

"If you get a parking ticket, you don't want to come to Clarkston anymore," she said.

Other ideas include a universal valet service, and a shuttle or other public transportation.

"I was approached by someone with an idea for an old-fashioned trolley," Luginski said.

City Council approved joining the Traffic Improvement Association of Michigan, which will provide a parking study of downtown.

City planners Carlisle/Wortman is also being tapped for a study, Luginski said.

The city should also conduct a survey of residents, perhaps with the Survey Monkey internet service, said Cara Catallo, chair of the Clarkston Historic District Commission.

# Briefly

# Office closed for Labor Day

The Clarksotn News office will be closed on Monday, Sept. 7, for the Labor Day holiday.

Deadline for classified ads is Friday at

# **Truth in Taxation**

Independence Township's Truth in Taxation public hearing will be at the Sept. 22 Board of Trustees meeting.

The Township Board is required to establish millage rates for the Dec. 1 tax bill by Sept. 30. Millage rates determine tax revenues for the township's 2015 budget

Independence Township's taxable value, which is provided by the assessor, for the December tax bill is \$1,423,262,920.

# **Public hearing**

Independence Township Board of Trustees hosts a public hearing, Sept. 22, on a resolution for road improvements in a special assessment district in a subdivision.

Clarkston Holdings, developer of Avington Park Condominium, objected to a petition request submitted by Avington Park Condominium Association to complete roads in the development. The request was also rejected in 2014.

The developer objected to the request because the cost of the work has been fully resolved in a lawsuit brought by the Association in Oakland County Circuit Court in 2010.

At a July 21 meeting, the Independence Board of Trustees declared its intent to proceed with a SAD district for Avington Park.

The hearing is the first of required before the township can adopt the resolution.

# Road work holiday

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### Teachers' trip to Harvard all about learning

#### BY ANDREAM. BEAUDOIN

Clarkston News Staff Writer

A group of Clarkston teachers and administrators traveled to Harvard University in July to learn new methods during a Project Zero conference.

According to Harvard, Project Zero was launched in 1967 to examine how children learn while investigating intelligence, thinking, understanding, creativity, and other aspects of learning.

Projects Zero includes research projects to understand and enhance high-level thinking and learning at school, businesses, museums, and online.

"It was amazing. There was people from all over the world who brought in different experiences to each other," said Staci Puzio research and testing supervisor for Clarkston Community Schools. "We met each day, and had deep conversations, like we had worked together forever."

They talked about "slow looking," which means taking time to notice things around you, Puzio said.

"For teachers, slow looking can be when we are examining a student, we take time to slow look and not have a snap judgment," she said. "We have to take the time to look at all aspects of the student."

Superintendent Dr. Rod Rock also attended the Harvard Conference.

"There were people there from all over the world from countries like Australia, Korea, Germany and South America," Rock said. "It was like a research event full of diverse educators exchanging information."

Rock spoke about mindfulness, a thinking method teaching people to have a nonjudgmental focus on feelings, thoughts, and emotions.

"See how things are connected," Rock said.

The superintendent cited the book "Seven Habits of Highly Successful People," and also discussed differnent theories of intelligence.

There was a lot of information exchanged at the conference.



Clarkston teachers and administrators went to Harvard for Project Zero. Photo provided

"We looked at the whole child. We looked at ways to engage and support our students," Rock said.

Some practices discussed at the conference are already at work in Clarkston schools.

"We want all of out students to be healthy and engaged. We want our students to feel powerful and have whatever it takes to be successful," he said.

Rock said potential is bounded only by the self-imposed limits of imagination, will, action, and vision, and it's important students have a sense of belonging.

"Our teachers are important too. You can have a teacher that shows you things that stay with you your whole life," he said.

Clarkston schools has been working on a Cultures of Thinking concept for a few years.

The concept encourages students to question, experiment and think outside the box, he said.

During the conference, teachers were encouraged to take pictures at a different angle or a different perspective than normal, Puzio

"When we did that, I realized that yes, there are things I have missed walking that street," she said.

We learned about "Wilding the Tame" by David Perkins, Puzio noted.

"We want our students to make connections. So if we are teaching a 'tame' topic to students we want to make it as wild as possible," she said. "If we are learning about zoo animals, lets have an experience of being a zoo keeper or something more applicable and deeper. We need to go beyond and give students more that just information. If we are teaching about soccer, why just give them a soccer ball when we can give students the whole game."

Applying methods taught at Project Zero is not a program or a step by step process, Puzio said.

"Its thinking deeper about ideas and applying it to your own situation. Its pushing the idea and thinking about how I apply it to my situation," she said.

Puzio said she is already thinking about how she will apply the concept.

"It's called wonderstanding, thinking and reflecting and doing something more so it keeps us wondering," she said.

Director of Curriculum Nancy Mahoney appreciated Project Zero for the way it brought teachers together from all over the world.

"It was an event full of big ideas," Mahoney said. "We want to push our students towards complexity by slow looking. We want to take big ideas and use various ways from writing to visual arts to movement to tap into talents. How do we honor different perspectives in the world."

She said creating the right learning environment also includes recognizing learning is social.

"We can break kids into groups to really bring out their talents," she said.

"We have embraced different ideas," Mahoney said. "We have to be in the mindset to discard methods that do not benefit students."

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A column by Wendi Reardon

### **Keep kids safe**

I have always thought it was a privilege to drive. I looked forward to it since I was a child.

I counted down the years as I lingered over the excitement of driving a car five miles per hour at Disneyland because one day I would have a vehicle of my own and no rails to slow me down.

I still think of driving as a privilege so it irks me just a little bit when people take advantage of it.

I understand - there is this need to text someone back right away or you just have this feeling you need to check the social media to see what others are up to or to post a photo or selfie (picture of yourself.)



But don't do it on the roads. Please, pay attention because other drivers might not be paying attention to you. Though you are still stopped at a green light texting a response, the person behind you might just be seeing the green light and go.

I will admit this column has been in the process since Don Rush, our esteemed assistant publisher, wrote his infamous "Facebook to the rescue" column on Aug. 5 about a teenage driver on Clarkston Road.

I was going to be nice and bite my lip while not saying a peep. But in a span of one day I was cut off in the flow of traffic six times last week in the Independence Township area.

It's okay. I drive a silver/gray vehicle, one of the perks is not being seen. Another perk is bees love my vehicle.

But I had to say something because school is back in session next Tuesday and it got me thinking. Thinking and worrying. We all want the kids with the oversized backpacks and the teenage drivers to make it to school and back home unscathed.

I worry about the distracted drivers who would rather text back their friends or check social media. I worry about the drivers who are in such a hurry they just go without taking in their surroundings.

Kids are walking to school as well as walking to and from their bus stops. Watch for them. Pay attention to your surroundings, that's all I ask.

Also, no passing on the right shoulder. Yes, I am thinking back to Rush's column and I am just thinking, why? Why?

Be careful out there - especially those paying attention on the roads and the ones paying attention to pedestrians walking through downtown Clarkston.

# Opinion Pages Letters, columns & Editorials

### Kudos for successful season at DTE

Dear Editor,

Thank you to the Pine Knob staff and the Oakland County Sheriff's Department. Another great season of events has come to a close and what could have been an absolute disaster every night, with the construction, turned out to be not that bad.

We knew when we moved here six years ago that DTE Music Theatre was there before we were and they have been great neighbors. I don't think we ever heard an artist go past curfew or we never had issues with concert goers around town. When the summer first started we were having a number of people try to cut through our neighborhood, Wyndgate, after events. One phone call to

the Palace and the rest of the season they had a truck blocking the front of our sub turning away anyone who didn't live here.

Big props to the deputies from Oakland County too. Rain or shine they were out there keeping traffic moving and making sure it wasn't a free for all.

I know some people grumble about the noise and the traffic, but it is going to happen no matter what when you live that close to a major music venue. The deputies and Pine Knob staff has done a great job making sure they were good neighbors and as respectful of us residents as I could expect.

Chris Drouin Independence Township

### Reader calls for development reconsideration

Dear Editor,

After attending the Independence Township Planning Commission meeting Aug. 13, attended by a large crowd, where our township master plan, 20/20 goals, zoning, and density were thrown out, one is left to wonder ("Housing plan moves forward over objections," Aug. 19).

Why do Independence Township boards all seem to work only for lawyers, developers, and planners rather than those who live here and elect them?

Seemingly in a rush to turn Clarkston and Independence into an urban blightscape, our local elected are furiously pounding nails in the coffin of our old comfortable township. This latest outrage will bring more traffic congestion, ugly buildings, and glots of humanity, planners have approved 92 more nails. This at the intersection of I-75 and the old Dixie Highway.

Maybe this last weekend's traffic tragedy can shock sense into these "urban" planners. Let us not allow inappropriate density to pollute our quality of life.

Sincerely,

Rob Namowicz Independence Township

### Community support at Tons of Trucks appreciated

Dear Editor,

It may have been a little damp but over 500 kids came out Aug. 8 to lead their parents around Clintonwood Park in search of the next big rig.

Tons of Trucks rolled into Clarkston so kids of all ages could climb in the drivers seat, honk the horn or find out just exactly what's in the back of all those trucks.

Over 25 local businesses lent their trucks and their staff to come out and participate. Clarkston Area Lions Club performed Project Kidsight Vision Screenings and Munk Orthodontics was on hand to pass out cotton candy.

Bob the Builder made a special visit for the day while Yesteryears Tractor Club gave lots of wagon rides. Special thanks to Smith's Disposal for sponsoring our Train rides and Genisys Credit Union for sponsoring our music and the wagon rides. Be sure to check out our Facebook and Pinterest pages for all the pictures and the rest of our sponsor recognition. See you next year at Tons of Trucks!



Bob the Builder at Tons of Trucks.

This event is brought to you by Smith's Disposal & Recycling. Other event sponsors include The Learning Experience, Fort Clarkston, Van Horn Concrete, Lowries Landscape, Two Men and a Truck, Grennan Construction, Planet Kids, Bright Side Dental, Carnwath Excavating, Munk & Associates Orthodontics, Burke Building Centers, and Assured Carriers.

Amy Laboissonniere, event coordinator Independence Township Parks, Recreation & Seniors

### A Look Back

From The CNews archives

15 years ago - 2000

"'Big box' development stalled by Planning Commission" A request for a wetland mitigation plan for a proposed retail center on the northeast corner of Sashabaw and Maybee roads was denied by the Independence Township Planning Commission, 5-0.

"Bob Beattie will lead Labor Day Parade" Bob Beattie has taken an active role in Clarkston throughout his lifetime and his involvement took centerstage for Clarkston's annual Labor Day Parade as he was chosen for grand marshal.

"Defense smothers Titans" Clarkston Varsity Football earned a 14-7 win at Sterling Heights Stevenson in the season opener with key plays by the Wolves' defense which proved to be the difference.

25 years ago - 1990

"Independence to appeal census figures" U.S. Census population figures in Independence Township were too low, according to township officials. The preliminary census figures show the population at 24,447, up from 21,537. But the township suspected 900 people weren't counted in the census and planned to appeal.

"Teachers greeted with vandalism"
The first week of classes were memorable for eight Clarkston Elementary teachers as eight faculty vehicles were keys during the second day of school. The Oakland County Sheriff's Department was looking for leads.

"Pom Pon squad earns awards" The 1990-1991 Clarkston Pom Pon attended the National Cheerleaders Association at Oakland University where they received five out of six awards for their superior performance.

50 years ago - 1965

"Attempted thefts at area businesses"
Six persons were apprehended and arraigned following two unsuccessful thefts at two Clarkston businesses - the Robert Hall clothing store and at the Whoopee Bowl, which had been ravaged by a fire a week prior, both off Dixie Highway.

"Labor Day safe for area" State Police and Sheriff Departments showed Independence Township had a safe holiday weekend with only one property damage accident reported and no water accidents.

"Local news" Jerry Shaw celebrated his tenth birthday with his parents as they went to Detroit to go to the fair.

# On a beautiful Saturday morning

For me, Saturday mornings have often been the time to turn on a PBS station and watch an Animal Kingdom show.

This past Saturday, fawns and geese were featured. That was perfect for me as I stayed inside and watched fawns wander across the creek to my lot with their mamma, followed by a half dozen geese.

It doesn't happen very often like that. Usually they are scared away too soon. Also, under a tree on my land were two sandhill cranes.

But this entire week was "Made in Michigan!" as Tim Allen says in his state commercials.

I've been satisfied for years at hav-

ing just a couple names proposed for any election.



Jim's

a column by Jim Sherman

**Rush Me** 

A column by

The upcoming 2016 election has at least 17 egotistical, self indulgent individuals cramming their names and faces down our throats. At this early date I'm not even trying to remember names.

This has to be a very close race because ain't nobody going to admit to backing only one of them.

One good thing about this contest, for those who go to the polls, there should

be room for more than just one in the cover me after I die." booth.

One of the things this election is proving: more and more people are losing respect for our leaders. I see a weakness in character among the candidates, or did I cover that in previous sentences.

What I don't see are campaigns on honesty, integrity and truths. This may turn out to be campaigns like we've had in the past of voting for the best of the worst.

And the winners will be those who believe "I was born therefore I'm entitled to a trophy, all government handouts, border crossing permits to all countries and financial security that will still

I shouldn't be so cynical.

I know America is the greatest land of all.

I can still wish the promised transparency from our president will happen.

- It's mandatory for all of us who see doctors, to see them again. I asked one of my MD's recently if I could still develop muscle in my nighties. He said, "Yes, but you still have to exercise." UGH?
- The big supporters (in political terms) are jock straps in men's locker rooms.
- When I come back or up, I want to be an owl. Wise, loved, respected, and able to give a Hoot, whenever!

### Donny Morning Glory Seed spreads the love

Don't know what it is about this time of the year, but every year – oh, for the last 15 years or so, the end of August, through the rest of fall, I pick to sew later, seeds. I like collecting and drying peas and beans and tomato seeds for next year's garden.

I like trying to grow avocados from the pit and I have tried to grow oranges and lemons from seeds of the citrus fruits I bring home from the grocery store.

But, my favorite seed to collect, far and beyond any other seed, is that of the lovely and delicate Morning Glory flower.

By the way, for the last two weeks, I have started my annual rite of Morning Glory seed hoard-

I collect some, bottle 'em, give Don Rush them to people to plant their own, throw them about my yard and spill some on the driveway.

I have done this so long, I have the viney plants volunteering every year all over my yard, and even coming out of the cracks in my drive way.

The variety I have has a flower which is a deep, royal purple color that I first purchased from an old nursery in Davison.

The variety was called Grampa Ott, so that is what I got and give.

I like the idea of spreading my seed far and wide. Spreading my seed makes me feel good -I'm sorta like the Johnny Appleseed of the Morning Glory world. You may now refer to me, your horticultural hero, as Donny MorningGlorySeed.

I think I will start a Twitter handle by that name on-line to spread the love of Morning Glory seeds. ... yeah, that sounds like a groovy idea.

Did you know that Johnny Appleseed wasn't just a mythical American character?

Unlike the made-up lumberman Paul Bunyan, Johnny Appleseed was an actual dude! His name was John Chapman and he lived from September 26, 1774 until March 18, 1845.

Thanks to children's books and Walt Disney like cartoons, our image of him is of this barefooted young man journeying west (from out east) throwing apple seeds out from a gunny sack as he went.

When I went on-line to research him, I discovered he didn't do that . . . he set up apple tree nurseries in "large parts of Pennsylvania, Ontario, Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois, as well as the northern counties of present-day West Virginia."

Wow. Didn't know that. In one of the obits announcing his demise, he was called "eccentric." He died suddenly, and alone.

He never married and as far as any one could tell, never fathered any children.

One source said he was a missionary for the Swedenborgian Church, and by staying "pure" while alive, he was saving himself for two brides in the afterlife. (Reckon he never heard of the old cliche, "One in the hand is worth two in the bush.")

Guess what . . . Apparently ancient South and Central American peoples used certain types of morning glory seeds in various rituals and also to diagnose illnesses and foretell various future events.

From that, it's a good bet some morning glory seeds are halluncinogenic. And, yep, the seeds have

been used as an illicit drug.

Some variety of seeds "contain a naturally occurring tryptamine called Lysergic Acid Amide (LSA)."

Here's some of the super cool effects of ingesting morning glory seeds: cramps, vomiting, nausea, stomach aches and diarrhea. I can see some kid now . . .

"Dude . . . these seeds are excellent. My skin looks purple, I just puked in the basement and I just soiled my jeans. Want some?"

Good times and I will pass.

### Readers respond to Adrenaline Rush

Last week, I had some fun thinking of a name for another Rush child. If I were to father another sibling for sons Shamus and Sean, what would the name be?

I settled on Adrenaline Rush. Since the column was published. I talked to the lads' mom. She too thought it was a good name, adding, "Dang, why didn't we think of that 15 years ago!?"

I posted on Facebook my column and added this question: If I were to sire another child what should that child be named?

Facebook readers responded thusly:

Mary Jane ... Sparky ... Oops ... Don 2 ... Skippy ... Ididna Meenit (For a girl, of course.) In the event of a man child I would suggest, Itayk Itbak.

I guess everyone is a comedian. I did get one answer from my Uncle Jim, "(Adrenaline Rush) That was your WallyBall name!"

Yes, those were the days, Uncle. Those were the days.

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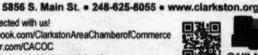
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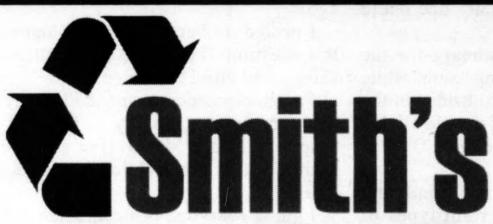
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### Community support for trooper's family

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MSP announced Friday night Wolf died from his injuries.

"It is with very heavy hearts that we confirm the death of one of our own, Trooper Chad Wolf," stated Col. Kriste Kibbey Etue, director of the MSP. "Our troopers know the dangers they face each time they put on their uniform, but the calling they feel to serve the public is stronger than any fear. Trooper Wolf will forever be remembered as a loving husband, dedicated father and outstanding public servant."

Wolf's previously worked out of MSP posts in Flint, Jackson, and Taylor.

Wolf, 38, enlisted with the MSP in 2008, graduating as a member of the 121st Trooper Recruit School. He has been a member of the Motor Unit since September 2013. Wolf is survived by his wife and four children.

The driver of the vehicle, a 72-year old Waterford resident, is cooperating with the investigation, officials said.

The investigation is ongoing and investigators are asking anyone who may have witnessed the event to contact the MSP at 1-855-MICH-TIP.

Mr. B's Roadhouse in Independence Township hosted a candlelight vigil, Sunday, in honor of the trooper, whose funeral was Sept. 1 at Fenton High School. He was a youth pastor and very active at Great Lakes Baptist Church.

Gov. Rick Snyder ordered U.S. flags within the State Capitol Complex and on all state buildings to be lowered to halfstaff on Sept. 1, in Wolf's honor.

"Trooper Wolf gave the ultimate sacrifice in service to our state and his fellow Michiganders. Despite possible risks, he felt the duty to serve and went to work every day to keep our communities safe," Snyder said in a press release. "On behalf of the entire state, I sincerely thank Trooper Wolf for his service and join with his family, friends and colleagues in mourning his tragic loss."

The family released a statement Tuesday morning, "We want to thank all of those who have reached out to us through social media and donations. This has been a difficult time for our family, but knowing we have care and compassion from people around the nation makes this burden a little lighter to bear. Let's remember not only our family is in pain. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the other family affected by this tragedy. Our hearts also go out to the families of other recently fallen officers. You are not alone. May we share this burden together."

Wolf's GoFundMe page can be found at www.gofundme.com/kk2xtxns.

### Public Safety For Clarkston and Independence Township

### Road closed

A deputy on patrol stopped a truck after it disregarded several road closure signs on westbound Waldon Road between Sashabaw Road and Royal Street, and drove into oncoming traffic, 1:35 p.m., Aug. 17. The westbound lane was closed for construction. The driver, a 34-year-old Dearborn Heights man, was cited for driving with an expired license and disobeying a traffic control device in a construction zone. He also had open warrants for a traffic misdemeanor out of 24th District Court, misdemeanor larceny out of 35th District Court, and three failure to appear warrants on marijuana possession misdemeanors out of 19th District Court, 34th District Court, and 87B District Court.

### Overweight truck

A truck was stopped on Dixie Highway for being overweight, 9:56 a.m., Aug. 19. The truck and trailer weighed 59,800 pounds, which was 17,800 pounds over what was registered with the Secretary of State. The truck's company was cited for registration violation, allowing a person to drive in violation of vehicle code, no annual truck or trailer inspections, and equipment violations for lights out on truck and trailer.

### Dirt bike on road

A deputy stopped a 15-year-old Independence Township boy for riding a dirt bike without a license plate on Deerhill, near Dark Lake, 1:58 p.m., Aug. 21. His parents were out of town, and he told his grandmother and uncle he was going to ride in a field but actually was going to his friend's house. He was cited with unlicensed vehicle on roadway, no license, no proof of insurance, and he was driven home.

### Disorderly conduct

A 19-year-old Taylor man was arrested for disorderly conduct at a concert at DTE Music Theatre, 9:26 p.m., Aug. 22. He was pushing people out of his way in the crowd and when someone pushed back, he hit him. He smelled of booze but refused to take a preliminary breath test. He was cited for underage drinking, refusing the PBT, providing false information to a police officer, and disorderly conduct for fighting.

### No-truck zone

A deputy stopped a truck for driving in a no-truck zone on White Lake Road, north of Dixie Highway, 4:37 p.m., Aug. 24. The company was cited for no fire extinguisher, no triangles, wrong trailer plate, no trailer license plate light, no emergency brakes, cracked windshield, and no waste haulers permit.

### Unsafe backhoe

A truck with a backhoe on a trailer was pulled over for not having the backhoe's front bucket tied down, 9:48 a.m., Aug. 24. The company was cited for fuel tax violation, registration plate violation, and equipment violation for having an empty fire extinguisher, and given warnings for tiedown violation and improper vehicle identification.

### Dimmer problem

A deputy on patrol on Dixie Highway turned around and stopped a passing vehicle after it flashed its high beams at him, 11:35 p.m., Aug. 25. The driver, a 47-year-old Pontiac man, said he was having problems with his dimmer switch. He was cited for driving with a suspended license, and given a warning for failure to dim.

### Friend of the Court warrant

The passenger of a vehicle stopped for running a stop sign on Clintonville and Waldon roads, 12:12 a.m., Aug. 26, was found with a Friend of the Court warrant. The 37-year-old Pontiac man was jailed on the warrant.

### Head injured after car jump

A 16-year-old Independence Township girl struck her head on the pavement after jumping out of a moving car on Pine Knob Lane, 2:23 p.m., Aug. 26. Witnesses in the vehicle said the two sisters were having an argument. The passenger said she wanted to get out and after the driver refused to let her out, the passenger opened the door and jumped out. Independence Township paramedics took her to McLaren - Oakland, where she was treated for a large laceration and head injury.

### Shots behind house

An Independence Township man called police to report seven gunshots behind his house in the 7000 block of Valleypark Drive, 11:32 p.m., Aug. 26. Three deputies checked the area, and found a raccoon dripping blood from its neck and right rear leg. A deputy put the animal out of its misery and advised the homeowner of the incident.

Call Oakland County Sheriff's Office with tips at 800-SPEAK-UP or 1-800-773-2587





### Coming up this week:

### **Independence Day Parade**

Wednesday at 8:00pm Saturday at 8:00pm Sunday at 7:00pm Celebrate the end of summer with this

year's parade through downtown Clarkston recorded by the Independence Television Staff.

#### **Veterans Ceremony 2015**

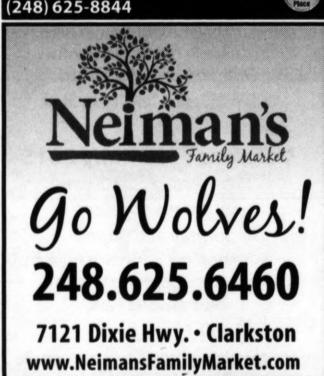
Wednesday at 9:00pm Saturday at 9:00pm Sunday at 8:00pm A celebration of our service men and women recorded July 4th at Clintonwood Park.

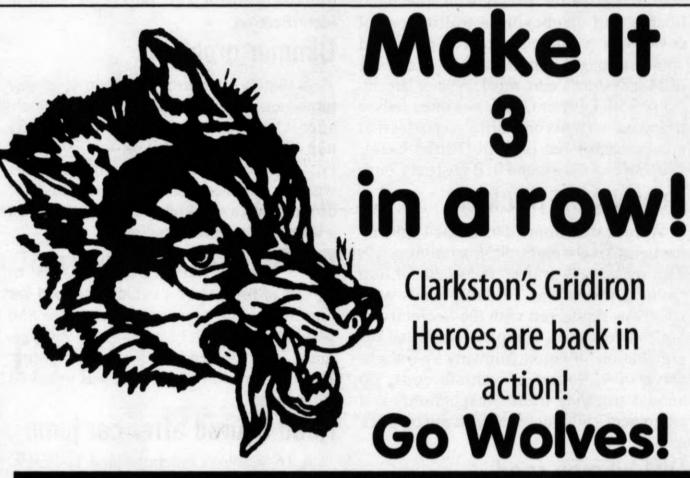
For a complete schedule, visit our web site: www.independencetelevision.com or find us on Facebook.



CHEERS: Junior Varsity cheerleaders fire up the crowd at the season opener. Photo by Wendi Reardon







Last Week: Dakato 35, Clarkston 10

### Who's Up Next:

Clarkston plays at Bloomfield Hills

### This Year's Schedule (unless noted 7 p.m. kickoff)

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	WIN/LOSS
Thursday	08-27-15	@Dakota High School	Loss
Friday	09-03-15	@Bloomfield Hills	
Friday	09-11-15	@West Bloomfield	
Friday	09-18-15	Stoney Creek	
Friday	09-25-15	Oxford	
Friday	10-02-15	Troy Athens	
Friday	10-9-15	@Troy	
Friday	10-17-15	Lake Orion	

### OAA Red Standings

Team	Wins	Losses	Team	Wins	Losses
1. West Bloomfield	1	0	5. Clarkston	0	1
2. Troy Athens	0	1	6. Troy	0	1
3. Lake Orion	0	1	7. Oxford	0	1
4. Roch Stoney Crk	0	1	8. Bloomfield Hills	0	1

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# Sporting News

### Who is the next AOW?

Nominate your favorite athlete by contacting Wendi at 248-625-3370 or at clarkstonnews@gmail.com

### Lessons learned from loss

#### BY WENDI REARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

It was back to work on Monday as the gridiron heroes hit the field after their season opener loss to Macomb Dakota last Thursday, 35-10.

"We've got to learn from it," said Kurt Richardson, long-time head coach for Clarkston Varsity Football after the game. "That's what it's all about. It's a bad loss if we don't learn from it. If we learn from it, it's just a loss."

The Wolves opened the game with possession and made it count as within four plays they made their first score of the night two minutes into the first quarter.

Senior quarterback Anthony Reiner handed the ball to sophomore Mike Fluegel who took off for a 30-yard touchdown. A PAT kick from senior Alex Kessman put the score 7-0.

The Cougars tied the game in the second quarter with 4:56 remaining in the half. The possession turned over to Clarkston who couldn't gain enough yards in four tries to hold possession and the ball went back to Macomb Dakota, who turned it into another scoring opportunity with 3:11 left in the half.

"They are a good football team," Richardson said. "We had a little trouble misjudging their speed. They put it in a different gear. We didn't. Hats off to them."

The Wolves scored against Macomb Dakota minutes later with a 56-yard field goal from Kessman, which is the fourth longest in MHSAA history behind J.J. McGrath, 57 yards; John Langeloh, 58 yards; and Doug Kochanski, 59 yards.

Kessman, demeaned as one of the high-

lights during the night by fans and coaches, also averaged 41 yards a punt. One punt was longer but could be counted because the snap went over Kessman's head. He ran back to catch it and kicked the ball for the punt from the 4-yard line to the Cougars' 44-yard line before the Macomb Dakota's line descended on him for the ball.

"He was a highlight with his kicking game and his kick return game," Richardson added.

Fluegel carried the ball 15 times during the game for 75 yards and one touchdown.

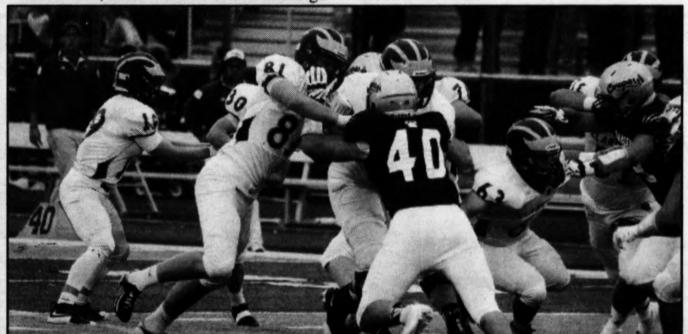
Defense made big plays with five Wolves leading the pack. Senior Jack Muhleck had six tackles and four assists; junior Kyle Genter had six tackles and two assists; and junior JT King had five tackles and two assists.

Senior Carter Linton had one tackle, three assists and had two tackles for 15 yards lost and senior Kyle Master had three tackles, two assists and one tackle for an 8-yard loss.

"We were taking some bad angles and they were getting on us a little bit," said Cougars' Head Coach Mike Giannone. "They attacked. They are a good football team. You don't win 27 in a roll without being a good program. It's a good win for our program, too. We made a few adjustments. We recognized they were doing a few things. First game you have to be ready. Last year we weren't ready."

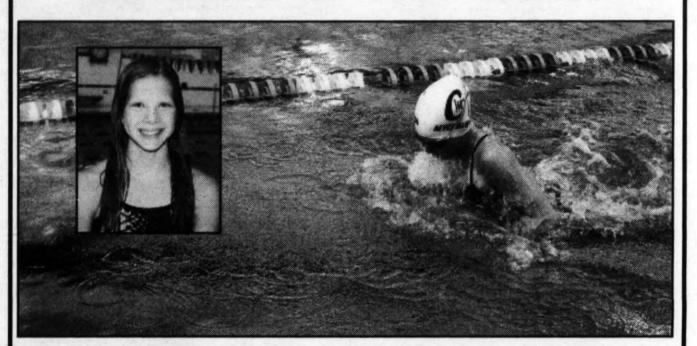
The Wolves head to Bloomfield Hills in their first OAA Red battle of the season. The Blackhawks also lost their season opener against Walled Lake Northern last week, 57-0.

Kick off is 7 p.m. at 3456 Lahser Road in Bloomfield Hills.



The offensive line slows the Cougars during last Thursday's game. Photo by Wendi Reardon

### ATHLETE OF THE WEEK



Brooklyn Mychalowych builds off of her three wins as she practices in the Clarkston High School pool last Wednesday. Photos by Wendi Reardon

### Three wins for champ

#### BY WENDI REARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

Brooklyn Mychalowych is a triple threat in the water as she recently won three events in the LCM State Championship in the 50-yard breastroke, 100-yard breastroke and 200-yard breastroke.

"We call it the Triple Crown," said Paul Peterson, head coach for the Clarkston SeaWolves. "It's very rare because they are all different lengths. It is rare someone is fast in the 50-yard and has the endurance for the 200-yard also."

Mychalowych added she didn't think she would win all three events.

"I thought it was really crazy because I wasn't expecting it," she smiled.

She said winning the first event started the weekend off on a good note and she was excited to keep racing. Then, when she won the second event it was extra.

"It was exciting, too, because it was more than the first one," Mychalowych added. "My streak was still going."

She was already happy when it came time to compete in the third event.

"I was like wow," she said. "I already

had two wins that was enough for me."

While she was competing and in the pool, she didn'r realize how many people were cheering for her until she watched the videos.

"My mom was screaming and everyone around was yelling 'Go, Brooklyn,'" she smiled.

Mychalowych started swimming when she was 4-years-old with lessons. She joined a swim team when her sister joined a swim team because she wanted to be like her sister.

"My coach said I was a natural at swimming," she said. "I really wanted to do winter swimming so when I turned nine I started winter swimming."

She began swimming with the SeaWolves last year.

When she is in the water she feels at home and explained she enjoys the way the water feels and it is calming and peaceful.

Mychalowych plans on working on high cuts and the next cut being in the junior national so she can compete in more national meets.

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### Victory on the court at OAA Red

BY WENDI REARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

The Wolves took three points from Birmingham Groves in their first OAA Red meet for the season.

Though Groves won the battle with a 6-3 win, junior Alex Matisse, senior Ian Stuart and freshman Jacob Burkett scored for their team on the singles courts to slow them down.

"We played relatively well," said Chas Claus, head coach for Clarkston Boys Varsity Tennis. "We were competitive. They are stronger than they used to be."

Matisse won on the Singles No. 1 court with a 6-2, 6-1 victory over Gabe Vidnas

Alex Matisse readies for his opponent's serve during last season. File photo

while Stuart defeated Gabe Liss on the Singles No. 2 court, 7-6 (3), 6-1. Burkett beat Kosei Yamamoto on the Singles No. 4 court, 6-4, 6-0.

Senior Alexis Haselwanter lost on the Singles No. 3 court to Josh Olmstead, 6-2, 4-6, 6-7 (4).

"We started slow in a lot of flights and that is something I would like to see us be better at," Claus said. "We have a mature team and not a lot of rookies. I would like to see us get off to better starts and not dig a hole we have to get out of. We rallied back and competed well at least for the last five flights. We still have some work to do at the lower end of the line up but we are figuring things out and we have plenty of season left in which to do that."

For doubles, juniors David Carpenter and Tristan Greenlee lost, 6-3, 6-1; junior Ryan Knight and senior Austin Villenueve lost, 6-1, 6-2; sophomores Cole Manilla and Jason Richards lost 6-1, 6-3; seniors Trevor Chamberlain and Connor Schrei lost 6-1, 6-1; and sophomores Charlie Lussenhop and Shane McArthur lost, 6-0, 6-2.

The Wolves hosted the Clarkston Invitational on Saturday but it was rained out before the first round finished.

They did fare better in the Grand Blanc Invitational on Aug. 22 where they took third place with 15 points.

Detroit Country Day finished in first place out of eight teams with 22 points and Northville finished with 20 points.

Detroit Catholic Central finished in fourth place with 14 points and Grosse Pointe North in fifth place with 13 points behind Clarkston.

For singles, Stuart, Haselwanter and Burkett finished in first place for gold, going 3-0 in their respective courts. Matisse finished in third place going 2-1 for the tournament.

For doubles, Carpenter and Greenlee finished in fourth place on the No. 1 court. Six place finishes were the team of Manilla and Villeneuve on No. 3 court; Lussenhop and Schrei on No. 4 court. Chamberlain and

Richards finished in seventh place on No. 2 court while junior Luke Renchik and senior Kyle Walsh finished in eighth place on Doubles No. 5 court.

The Wolves finished in second place during the Northville Tri with 11 points, Aug. 20. Northvilled finished in first place with 18 points and Plymouth finished last with one point.

For singles, Stuart and Haselwanter medaled in gold with wins over Plymouth and Northville. Matisse and Burkett received silver for their wins over Plymouth.

For doubles, each team received silver with finishing with one win and one loss for the day, including Doubles No. 6 court with sophomore Shane McArthur and junior Brody Tuomi.

The Wolves played Rochester on Tuesday for a OAA crossover match.

"Rochester is one of our big traditional opponents," Claus said. "We are not in the same league but we are in the same region and I think the matches with them have been a tie or a 1-point win just about every year. It is always a good measuring stick for us. Rochester is always, over the course of a decade, have been more comparable to us. They are always similar and close matches."

The boys then head north for the Traverse City Invite on Friday.

"We don't know exactly what to expect," said Claus. "Traverse City Central is a very good team and another team which is very comparable to us as far as finishing and where they finish in the state. I like to keep building."

He added they will be without Stuart, who injured his ankle and is expected to be out a few matches.

"It hurts us as a team," Claus said. "But our singles guys are tournament players. They know how to take care of themselves. I feel pretty good about the top five flights then past that find good partnerships in the lower flights."

The boys return from the invitational for an away match at Birmingham Seaholm next Wednesday, 4 p.m.



### Record breaker

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Her ultimate goal is to compete in the 2020 Summer Olympics in Tokyo, Japan, which being a champion in three events has helped fuel her fire for the goal.

"It helps me get really excited because I noticed how much I can do if I put my mind to something," she said. "By knowing that, I can get there if I want and if I have it in me. It makes everything more reasonable because my times are starting to drop. I am getting closer and closer."

Mychalowych also broke the state record in the 50-yard breastroke event during the Central Zone 14 and Under Championship.

"I just thought to do my best," she admitted. "At states I was .07 away from the state record. So at zones I broke the state record. The 50-yard breastroke event is hard to break."

When she is not swimming she enjoys playing the ukulele and violin, taking photographs and doing yoga, which helps her when she swims.

"It gets me really stretched out and flexible so I can swim more stretched out and my muscles will be longer for a longer reach," she added.

"She works really hard and is extremely dedicated. She wants to be great," Peterson said.



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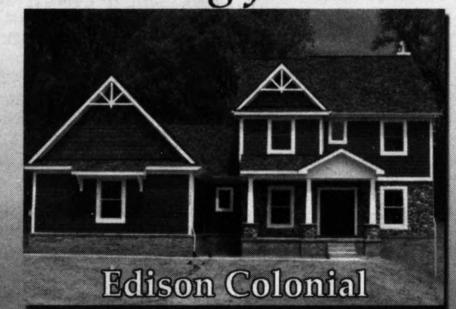
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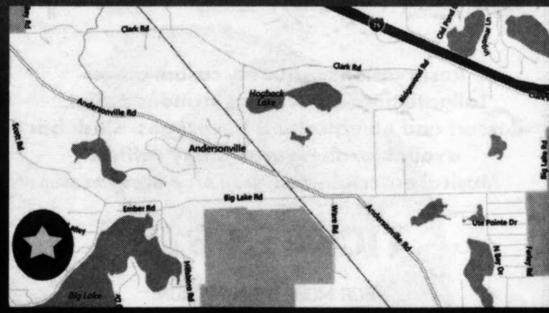
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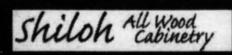
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### Everest kicks off new season with a win

#### BY WENDI REARDON

Clarkston News Sports Writer

The Mountaineers kicked off their third football season with a 27-8 win over New Buffalo last Friday at Hillsdale College.

"We are really excited," said Michael Pruchnicki, head coach for Clarkston Everest Collegiate Football before the season opener.

The team returns a lot of players from last season including their whole offensive line.

"It will be one of our strengths," said Pruchnicki. "Our whole line is back and understands what we want to do. It has put us further ahead from where we were last year."

The Mountaineers also have six returning starters on defense.

"We lost a few key kids that were staples," Pruchnicki said. "Overall the guys we have coming back are looking forward to being strong. It's just how we come together and when we come together and play as a team that will determine our success."

He added another strength is the program is going into the third year and the players know what is going on.

"The continuity and consistency of what we do is starting to build a little bit and you can feel it," Pruchnicki said.

The Mountaineers join the Catholic

League this season and for the first year they will be able to play for a league championship and play for All-League honors.

"It is uniques for our boys and will be fun for them," Pruchnicki said, adding the conference is tough and more competitive.

"We will have to step up even more this year than we have in the past," he said.

The goals for the season include making playoffs and to win a playoff game this season.

"It would be a huge step for our program,"
Pruchnicki shared. "As far as life goals,
becoming strong men - that is their number
one goal to be great men, great leaders and
be people who are going to impact our culture
and our society."

He added the boys on the team are unique.

"Even though we have so few boys in the school it's amazing 24 of them came out for football. Freshmen get to play on varsity," he said.

The Mountaineers look forward to each game but Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes, on Sept. 18, is always a favorite because it is a rivalry game with the close school.

For the boys season opener against New Buffalo, junior Alex Legg started the scoring in the first quarter with a 4-yard touchdown run and an extra point from sophomore Simon



Alex Legg for Everest makes a touchdown run in the season opener. Photo by Marc Lasceski

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Sophomore quarterback Grant Burgess was 2-for-2 passing for 40 yards. He connected a 29-yard touchdown pass to junior Thomas Thibodeau for a touchdown in the second quarter. Thibodeau caught two passes for 40 yards.

Legg rushed the ball 16 times for 186 yards with two touchdowns. Sophomore JC James had one carry for 72 yards and senior Isiah Hellner carried the ball six times for 23 yards and one touchdown.

The Mountaineers are home this Friday as they host Royal Oak Shrine at 7 p.m.



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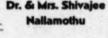


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The day included dinner, door prizes and awards as well as a 50/50 raffle and silent auction to raise money for the Clarkston Football Program.

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Jon Barnhart swings on the Falcon course.



From left, Steve Tolliver, Gary Miller, Paul Cenko and Brian Knake take a break.

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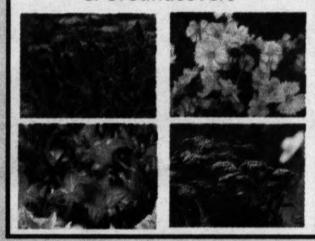
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WRIF 101.1 DJ Anne Carlini and staffers were in town for the Foo Fighters' DTE concert. Photo by Andrea Beaudoin

### Rocking in C-Town

Anne Carlini of WRIF 101.1 broadcast live from Hamlin Pub in Independence Township Monday morning and afternoon last week to promote the band Royal Blood, the opening act for the band Foo Fighters' performance that night at DTE Energy Music Theatre.

Carlini ran the live show while the station's promotion team got ready to excite the crowd at the pub.

The promotion team gave a shout out to Foo Fighter's lead singer Dave Grohl, who they honored by displaying the throne Grohl created to continue performing after falling off a stage in Sweden. Grohl broke his leg.

"We just wanted to honor Dave Grohl because we love him so much at the WRIF," said event coordinator Erik Aratari.

WRIF has been in town quite a bit lately especially for the Kid Rock concerts.

"We teamed up with Kid Rock for a karaoke competition and getting the word out about his Bad Ass Beer," Aratari said.

WRIF will be in Clarkston a few more times when Van Halen and Lynyrd Skynyrd come to rock visitors.

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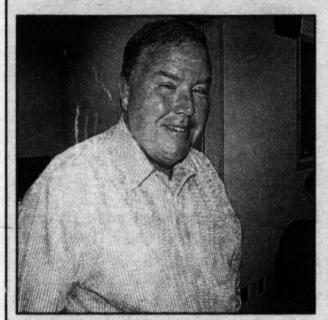
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### Artist gives thanks for health with huge painting

**BY PHIL CUSTODIO** 

Clarkston News Editor

Art has filled H. Michael Hendrix's life ever since he figured out as a child he was good at drawing people's faces - even after two heart surgeries 13 years ago and two brain surgeries eight years ago left him with short term memory loss.

For that, he's grateful.

"I shouldn't be alive, with all the surgeries. God allowed me to keep going," said Hendrix, who has lived in Independence Township with his wife, Brenda Hendrix, for the past 37 years.

"I'm thankful the Lord let him keep his ability to paint and draw," Brenda said.

He expressed his gratefulness with his latest work of art, a three-dimensional, 8-by-12-foot mural entitled "Moses."

"It was going to be either Moses or Einstein, with his hair going everywhere. I decided on Moses because he is more spiritual," Michael said. "It was time for that."

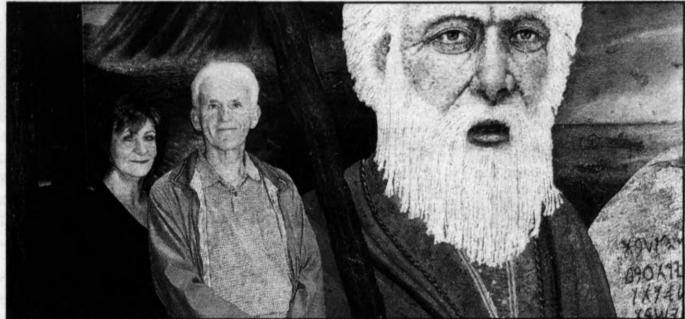
It depicts the life of Moses from the book of Genesis, when as an infant, fearing the Egyptians' orders to kill all Hebrew baby boys, his mother placed him in a basket on the River Nile; found and reared by Pharaoh's daughter as her own son; fleeing Egypt and meeting Jehovah God on Mt. Sinai; leading the children of Israel out of bondage by crossing the parted Red Sea.

Images also include the names of God in Hebrew – he researched the type of Hebrew used in ancient times – as well as buttons, nuts, bolts, and other items enbedded in the paint to add texture.

"It took one-and-a-half skeines of yarn from Jo-Ann's for his beard," Brenda said.

He started the project in January, carving the body and tablet out of plywood and styrofoam, and priming it with a coat of paint.

By April, he moved it into the garage for



H. Michael Hendrix, with his wife, Brenda, created the mural "Moses." Photo by Phil Custodio

painting, which took all summer, he said.

He entered the piece in the ArtPrize competition in Grand Rapids. For the second consecutive year, his entry was accepted and will be shown at the DeVos Place Convention Center. ArtPrize is the largest art contest in the world, and over \$500,000 will be awarded as prizes this year.

They hope to get a good spot at the

"We hope to have a long view in the hallway," Brenda said.

"I like the competition," Michael said. "You never know what the judges are going to do. They can pick the worst pieces."

"It's all subjective," Brenda said.

Last year, his entry was seven life-size sculptured busts, called "Council of Men."

That art work required a caravan of vehicles to transport. "This one will require a truck," Michael said.

He went to commercial art school in Detroit, and worked in the automotive industry for 40 years, retouching automobile photographs and artwork for catalogues and ads.

Now retired, he paints portraits on

Monday nights at the Lake Orion Art Center, in addition to his ongoing art projects.

"I use my spare time to create. I've had a lot of that in the last few years," Michaelas said. "I like the challenge, to be able to do it, especially for me. I push myself to do things I don't feel like doing."

His art work is on display throughout their house, along with works in progress.

"On the kitchen counter, in the basement - I'm grateful she allows me to do that," he

"It's great, neat," Brenda said. "We've been married for 45 years and he still amazes me."

His next project will feature Sacagawea the Lemhi Shoshone woman who helped the Lewis and Clark Expedition in 1804-1806.

The Sacagawea piece will look like it was carved out of a dead tree, but it'll be made out of styrofoam, Michael said.

"I remember rolling boards with primer paint in the yard – I made him promise the next one won't be so big," Brenda said.

For information on the ArtPrize contest, check www.artprize.org/h-michael-hendrix/ 2015/moses.



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Bucks for Buses, for Independence Township Senior Community Center transportation program, 5:30-8:30 p.m., Sept. 9, Overtyme Grill, 4724 Dixie Highway. Theme: Tailgate Party. Dress in favorite team attire. 248-625-8231.

Clarkston SCAMP Golf Classic, 9 a.m., Sept. 11, Fountains Golf & Banquet, 6060 Maybee Road. 248-623-8089.

Mom2Mom Sale, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Sept. 12, Clarkston Community Church, 6300 Clarkston Road. \$1, early bird from 8-9 a.m., \$2. Strollers allowed. 810-423-5898.

Free Preplanning Q&A, 3 p.m., Sept. 16, Carriage House, Clintonwood Park, with attorney Sean Miller and funeral director Jenni Simsack of Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home. Topics: will vs. trust, preparing for nursing home care, benefits of preplanning. RSVP encouraged, 248-625-5231.

Clarkston City Council Candidate Forum, League of Women Voters - Oakland Area, 7 p.m., Sept. 17, Clarkston Independence District Library meeting room, 6495 Clarkston Road.

Clarkston High School reunion, class of 1960, Sept. 19, Deer Lake Athletic Club, 6167 White Lake Road. Call Diane at 248-375-9629.

Lunch with the Ice Queen and Snow Princess, 2 p.m., Sept. 20, Oakland County Sportsmen's Club, 4770 Waterford Road. \$20. Lunch, tiara or crown, singing and dancing, photo opportunities. 248-623-0444.

Taste of Clarkston, 12-6 p.m., Sept. 20, downtown Clarkston. Sample entrees, desserts, products from over 30 local restaurants and 50 exhibitors. Art in the Village in Depot Park. 248-625-8055.

Dog Swim, 12-3:55 p.m., Sept. 20, Independence Oaks County Park, 9501 Sashabaw Road. Contests, Best Wet Look and Best Swimsuit. Register for time slots, 75 dogs per slot. \$10 pre-registration by Sept. 17 at 248-424-7078; \$15 onsite registration.

# Around Jown

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



**CLARKSTON TASTE: Downtown will be filled with hungry people at Taste** of Clarkston, 12-6 p.m., Sept. 20. New this year, Art in the Village will be the same weekend, Sept. 19-20, 11 a.m.-6 p.m., in Depot Park. Volunteers are needed for Art in the Village in the Cider, Merchandise, and Antique Sale tents. Contact Clarkston Community Historical Society at 248-922-0270.

Lunch & Learn: Topics for Ostomy patients, 11:30 a.m., Sept. 25, McLaren Cancer Institute - Clarkston, 5680 Bow Pointe Drive. Free. Register by Sept. 21, 248-922-6860.

How Aging Affects Sleep in Adults and Elderly, 3 p.m., Oct. 7, Independence Township Senior Center, 6000 Clarkston Road. Free educational seminar, mclaren.org/oaklandsleep.

Sunday Springfield Township Farmers Market, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Sundays through Oct. 18, Shiawassee Basin Preserve, 12000 Davisburg Road.

#### Monday

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

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

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.

Bingo games, Community Singles, Mondays,

5:30-6:30 p.m., Big Boy, 6440 Dixie Highway. Dinner, dessert prizes. 248-812-0604.

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

Fitness 4 You classes, \$5 walk-in, New Hope Bible Church, 8673 Sashabaw Road. Call Patty, 248-520-3297.

50+ Outdoor Pickleball, Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays, 8:30-10:30 a.m.; Saturdays, 9-11 a.m., Clintonwood Park Outdoor Courts, 6000 Clarkston Road, \$2. In case of rain, First Congregational Church of Clarkston, 5449 Clarkston Road, \$3.

#### Tuesday

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

Grief Share, 13-week seminar/support group for those suffering loss, 7-8:30 p.m., Tuesdays, The Gathering Place, 9811 Dixie Highway. 248-694-9351.

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

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

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.

Town Hall Quilt Guild, third Tuesday, 7 p.m., First Congregational Church, 5449 Clarkston Road. Guest fee, \$5. 248-705-7310.

50+ Indoor Pickleball, Tuesdays, 6-9 p.m., \$4, First Congregational Church of Clarkston, 5449 Clarkston Road.

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

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

#### Wednesday

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

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

#### Thursday

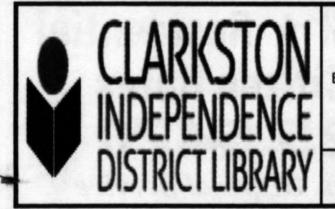
Clarkston Masons/Cedar 60, first Thursdays, 8 p.m., 1 East Washington. 248-625-4610.

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

Meet N Greet, North Oakland Singles, 7 p.m., Sept. 3, Deer Lake Athletic Club, 6167 White Lake Road. Music by Steve Floyd. 248-625-

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

Grief Support Group with Coats Funeral Homes, third Thursday, 6:30-8 p.m., Commu-Please see Around Town on page 32



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Parking Lot Improvements

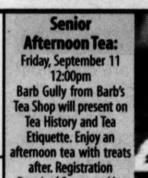
Beginning September 8th the entrance to the library and a small section of the parking lot will be under construction until September 25, weather permitting. The library will be open regular hours during construction.

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### Recognition for POWs, MIAs

American Legion Post 63 hosts a ceremony to commemorate POW/MIA Recognition Day on Sept. 18 at 6 p.m.

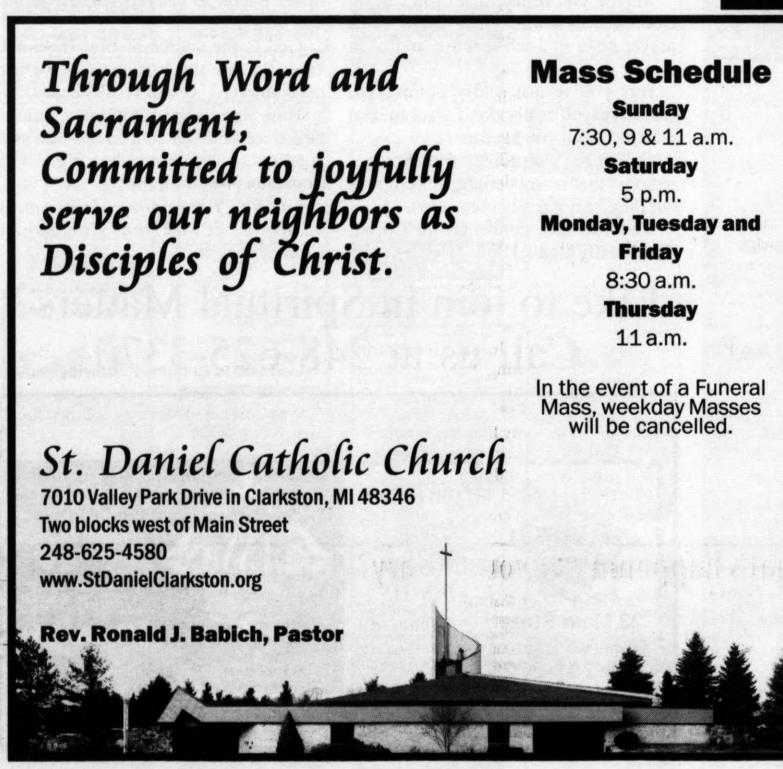
The legion will acknowledge members or their family members who have been, or still are, a POW or MIA. Send information to kmarbutt@comcast.net, drop it off at the legion hall, 8047 Ortonville Road, or call 248 425-4410.

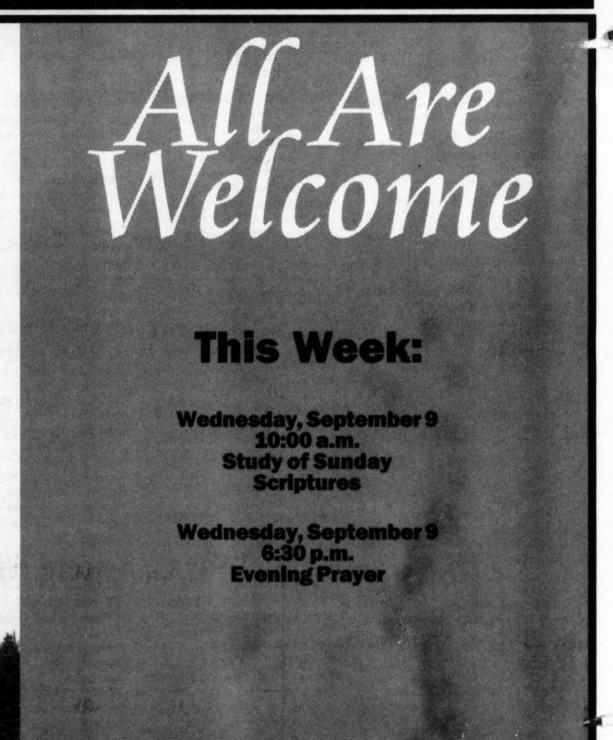
Following the ceremony, the legion will

provide food and special drink prices in the clubroom and kickoff its annual Yellow Ribbon campaign. Names are placed on yellow POW ribbons for a donation, and displayed at the post between Sept. 18 and Nov. 11, Veterans Day.

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There was a pastor who was called to the hospital in the middle of the night. It was about three in the morning.

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in and said I had one month to live, and then 15 minutes later they realized it was the wrong x-rays. I'm not a very religious guy and I'm really not interested, but for a moment there I really thought I needed you."

What was he saying? He was saying, "I will deal with God if I have to."

Maybe you're like that. You call on God once in a while. You throw out a prayer once in a while when you're in trouble.

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good at playing a religious game, but they're not connected.

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What that man in the hospital didn't understand was this: God is more than a ticket punch to heaven when you get near death.

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### Robert LaVoisne, 77

Robert Jules La Voisne of Brooklyn passed away Aug. 26, 2015, at age 77.

He was the loving father of Robert Cheryl La Voisne, (Mark) McGinnis, Brenda (Mark) Szubeczak and Kimberly (Jeff) Collins; grandfather of 12 and great grandfather of three; brother of Rosemarie (Gerald) LaChappel, Gloria

(Robert) Fromby, Sylvia

(Gordy) Jaeger, David (Maria) LaVoisne and Lynn (Michael) Dyda.

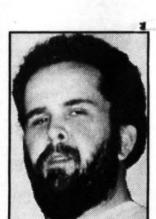
Bob retired from General Motors Hydramatic Division as a machine repairman and served in the Michigan National Guard.

Memorial Service was Aug. 30 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Clarkston, Private Inurnment Acacia Park Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Angela Hospice. Online book www.wintfuneralhome.com.

### Matthew Witherup, 51

Matthew A. Witherup of Ohio, formerly of Clarkston, Mich., passed away Aug. 25, 2015, at age 51.

He was preceded in death by his parents John and Dorothy Witherup. He was the step-son of Renee Witherup; brother of Cheryl (late Jim) Dacus, Cathy (Kurt) Glatte, Mark (Maggie Bodwell) Beard-Witherup, Jonathan, Courtland,



Patrick and Colby (Ethan Karsen) Witherup; also survived by many nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

Memorial Service was Aug. 29 at the Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Clarkston. Private Inurnment Ottawa Park Cemetery. Online guest

### bookwww.wintfuneralhome.com. Tom Waseleski, 54

Tom Waseleski of Berkley passed away suddenly Aug. 28, 2015, at age 54.

He was the brother of Rob Waseleski and Karen (Ed) McCue; uncle of Steve and Kyle; preceded in death by brother Jim and parents Stanley and Sylvia.

Friends may visit at Lewis E. Wint & Son Funeral Home, Clarkston, Wednesday, Sept. 2, 2015, 3-8 p.m. Funeral Service Thursday, Sept. 3, 2015, at 12:30 p.m. at the Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to St. Mary's Church, Royal Oak. guest

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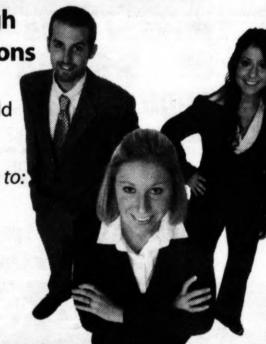
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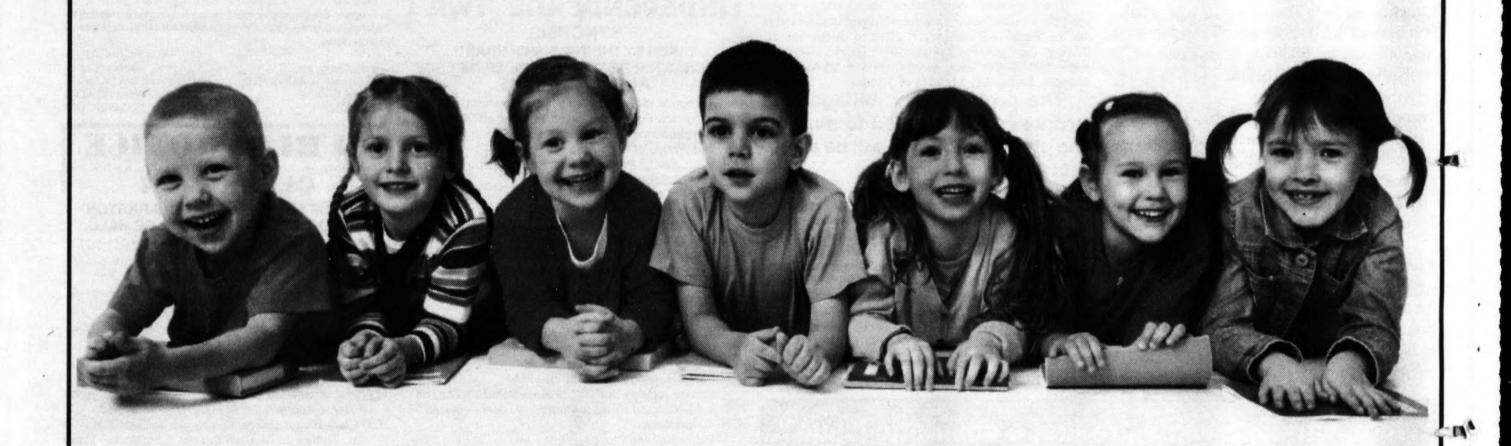
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Office hours, Clarkston City Councilman Mike Sabol, third Thursday, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Village Bakery, 10 S. Main Street.

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

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Because the People Want to Know LIBRARY

#### NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING **CLARKSTON INDEPENDENCE** DISTRICT LIBRARY

The Clarkston Independence District Library Board will hold a public hearing on the proposed library budget for the fiscal year January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016 at the Clarkston Independence District Library located at 6495 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, MI 48346, on Monday, September 14, 2015 at 5:30 p.m.

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.

A copy of the budget is available for public inspection at the Clarkston Independence District Library, 6495 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, MI, during business hours.

The Clarkston Independence District Library Board will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting upon 5 days notice to the Library Board. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Library by writing or calling the following: Julie Meredith, Library Director, 6495 Clarkston Road, Clarkston, MI 48346, (248) 625-2212.

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#### Friday

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#### Saturday

Clarkston Area Farmers Market, Saturdays through Oct. 10, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Clarkston Community Education Center, 6558 Waldon Road.

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

TAKEN BY THE TOWNSHIP BOARD THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF INDEPENDENCE AUGUST 25, 2015

- A. A Regular Meeting of the Charter Township of Independence Board was called to order at 7:00 PM at Independence Township Hall
- The Pledge of Allegiance was given.
- ROLL CALL: Present: Kittle, Pallotta, Brown, Aliaga, Ritchie, Schroeder Absent: Lohmeier

There was a quorum present

Also Present: Stacey Bassi, Assessing Director; Wendy Hillman, Finance Director

- D. APPROVAL OF AGENDA: As presented.
- CLOSED SESSION: None Scheduled
- **BOARD/PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS: None**
- **PUBLIC COMMENT: Gene English**
- PUBLIC HEARING:
  - 1. Avington Park Condominium Subdivision/Private Road Improvement Special Assessment District Stacey Bassi, Assessing Director

Public Hearing Opened at 7:10 PM

Steven Joppich, Johnson, Rosati, Schultz & Joppich, LLC noted correspondence had been received in opposition

- Public Hearing Closed at 7:11 PM
- PRESENTATIONS AND REPORTS: None
- CARRYOVER / POSTPONED AGENDA ITEMS: None
- CONSENT AGENDA:
- Approval of the Board of Trustees Regular Meeting Minutes of August 11, 2015 Approval of Payroll of August 14, 2015 and the
- Check Run of August 18, 2015, for a Total Amount of \$1,053,939.20 Approval of the Municipal Credit and Community
- Credit Contract for FY-2016 for Participation in the SMART Transportation Program
- L. ITEMS REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA:
- M. REGULAR BUSINESS:
- Adoption of Resolution #3-Avington Park Condominium Subdivision / Private Road Improvement Special Assessment District
- Approval of Transfer of Fund Balance-Fire Millage Fund to Fire Capital Projects Fund
- Approval to Establish 2015 Millage Rates for the 2016 Budget

The meeting RECESSED at 7:32 pm.

The meeting RECONVENED at 7:48 pm.

- Approval to Schedule a Truth-in-Taxation Hearing 4. Approval to Dispose of Assets Exceeding
- \$5,000.00 Adoption of Resolution to Relocate Precincts 12
- and 13 Acceptance of Proposal and Approval of Budget Amendment - Department Director Compensa-
- tion Development COMMUNICATIONS / FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS /
- 1. Report: Monthly Actual to Budget Financial Update - July, 2015
- Reports: Fire Department Monthly Reports; May, 2015; June, 2015 and July, 2015
- Minutes: Election Commission April 7, 2015 O. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS: None

ADJOURNMENT: The Regular Meeting adjourned at Respectfully Submitted,

Barbara A. Pallotta, CMC Township Clerk

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second Saturday, 10 a.m.-12 p.m., Independence District Library, 6495 Clarkston Road. Photos taken of child's eyes to check for potential vision problems. Immediate results. Free. 248-625-2212, www.clarkstonlions.org.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN FILE NO: PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF OAKLAND **CIRCUIT COURT - FAMILY DIVISION** PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING

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CITY OF THE VILLAGE OF CLARKSTON ARTEMUS M. PAPPAS VILLAGE HALL 375 DEPOT ROAD **CLARKSTON MI 48346 MINUTES** CITY COUNCIL MEETING

**JULY 27, 2015** Meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Tom Hunter, followed by the pledge of allegiance.

Roll Call: Present-Avery, Hunter, Sabol, Catallo, Haven. Absent Luginski, Marsh.

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

The Clark Bridge dedication day will be Sept 7 at 2:00 pm. Thanks to Sharron Catallo, Eric Haven, Carol Eberhardt and Don Frayer for their donation of lights for the Clark Bridge.

Motion by Sabol, Supported by Catallo to approve the Consent Agenda Motion Carried.

Resolved by Haven, Supported by Avery to amend the Capital Projects fund FY 16 Total Revenue by +\$4,630 and Total Expenditures by +\$9,630 to be used on the Depot Park Clark Bridge improvements. Resolution

Resolved by Avery, Supported by Haven to approve Civic Plus to design and host the City of the Village of Clarkston's website at a total cost of \$3,042 for the design plus \$987 annually for services (continuing updates, maintenance, support and hosting). This resolution is to approve a three year payment term. or \$2,001 per year for three years. FY 16 General fund budget currently has budgeted \$2,000 for the design and \$600 for hosting. Resolution is Adopted

Resolved by Sabol, Supported by Haven to approve the Resolution brought to us by Oakland County Board of Commissioners regarding Inhumane Tethering Practices of Companion Animals. And that the City also ensure animals are provided adequate care and shelter in sanitary conditions. Resolution is Adopted.

Moved by Catallo, Supported by Avery to approve the use of Depot park by the Clarkston Communities Art Council on August 15, 2015. The DIA's inside out Community Outreach program will be kicking off our participation in this program. Motion Carried.

Moved by Haven, Supported by Avery to approve the recommendation of the Planning Commission for 3 E Church/28 S Main Outdoor Rooftop dining and Patio Seating dining for Honcho's a Latin Cantina and Coffee Shop. Abstained Catallo. Motion Carried.

Moved by Sabol, Supported by Haven to recommend from the Planning Commission to the City Council to find out how much a parking study would cost within six months. Refer to Streets Committee and or City Administration and Hubble Roth and Clark to perform a parking cost study within 60 days. Motion Carried. Moved by Sabol, Supported by Avery to meet past 9 pm.

Motion Carried. Moved by Haven, Supported by Avery to adjourn the

meeting at 9:04. Motion Carried. Respectfully Submitted, Sandy Miller City Clerk

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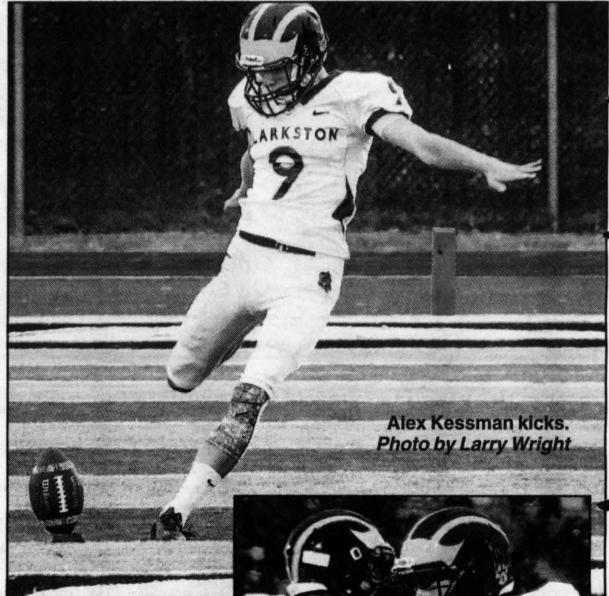
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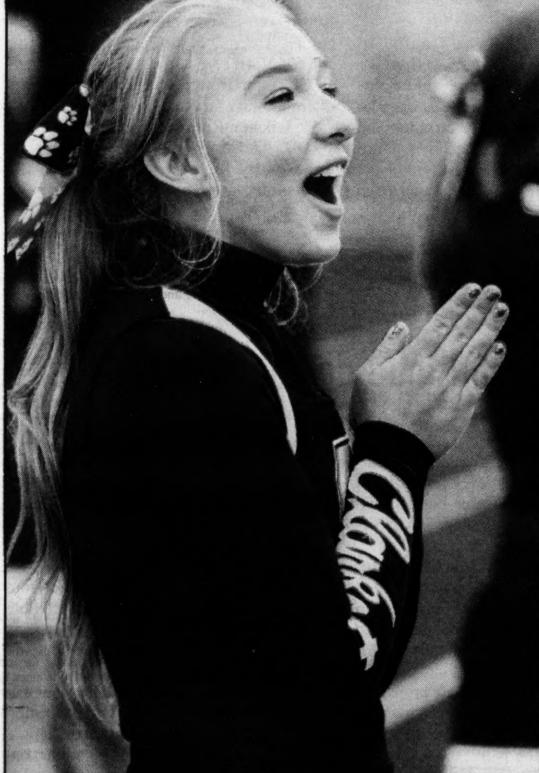
Quarterback Anthony Reiner avoids Cougar defense on a keeper play. Photo by Larry Wright



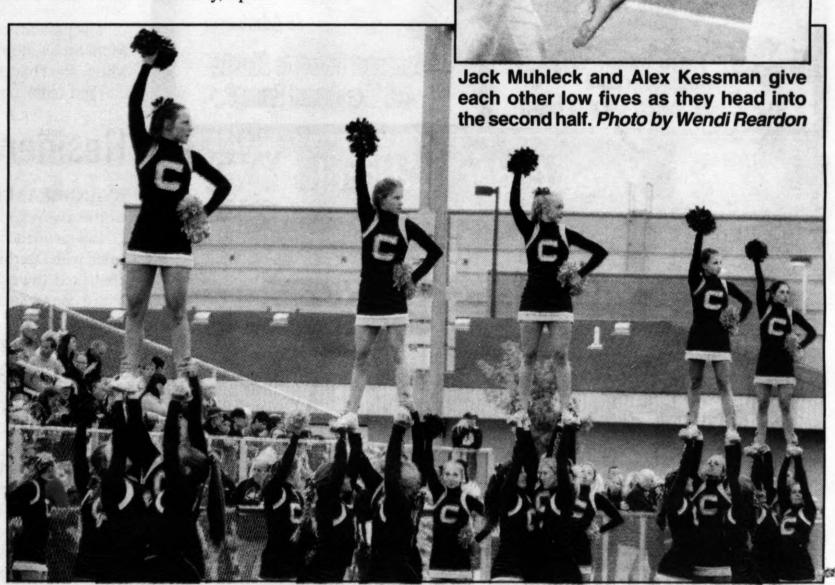
### Start of new season Macomb Dakota High School was filled with excitement as the football season kicked off for freshman, junior varsity and varsity teams last Thursday.

Clarkston fans cheered for their teams during the all-day fun. The Wolves lost, but they still gave them a pat on the back.

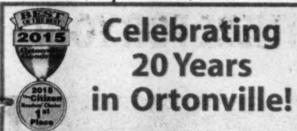
The freshman and JV Wolves host Bloomfield Hills this Thursday beginning at 6 p.m. and varsity heads to Bloomfield Hills on Thursday, 7 p.m.



Sierra Koebler gets the fans riled. Photo by Wendi Reardon



The Lady Wolves cheer for the boys during a punt kick. Photo by Wendi Reardon



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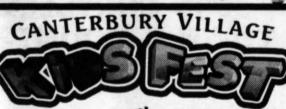
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Clarkston Rotary is working hard to organize this year's Labor Day Parade. File photo

### Rotary celebrates community

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has been lost, but it was created to celebrate the efforts of unions to fight for workers' rights, which are taken for granted," DeLong said. "It's a time to celebrate the fall harvest for farmers, and it marks the end of summer and kids' return to school."

The parade kicks off at Renaissance High School on Waldon Road at 10 a.m., Monday, Sept. 7.

The parade route will be Church Street to Main Street, north to Miller Road, ending at Miller and Holcomb roads.

Find entry application on the Clarkston way Park Drive.

Rotary web site under downloads, or by contacting DeLong at joeldelong@aol.com or 248-625-9741.

Clarkston Rotary is celebrating 75 years of community service this year.

"Clarkston Rotary was founded in June 1940," DeLong said. "It provides an opportunity for people who live in the community, myself included, to share and give back to enhance community life."

They're also planning their annual fall wine tasting on Oct. 29 at Bordine's.

Clarkston Rotary meets Mondays at 6:30 p.m. at Buck Shots Bar and Grill, 7048 Gateway Park Drive.

### Residents continue development protest

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Clarkston News Staff Writer

Independence Township residents, unsatisfied with Deerhill Farms development plans, contacted township Treasurer Paul Brown with a complaint about a development in Birmingham.

The resident group Clarkston Citizens for Integrity said the property, which is owned by Deerhill developer Michael Furnari, is in disrepair. Furnari should not be allowed to develop property in Independence Township, they said.

Brown visited the Birmingham property.

"I did note that the top coat has not been applied to the roads yet and while there was one door with peeling paint, the rest of the buildings looked very nice. The roads being incomplete is certainly concerning for a development that was started in 2006," he said.

"While I don't have all the facts, in fairness, it appears that Mr. Furnari is cleaning up someone else's mess on this project and did a great service for the original 51 owners by getting things finished after the first developer failed to complete the project."

The group said Brown is shielding Furnari.

"Paul's efforts to deflect attention from problems in other communities and promote an inflated ideology of the developer appears at odds with his role as a board member and duty as treasurer," they said.

Independence Township Supervisor Pat
Kittle said Deerhill Homeowners Association
will address the Township Board on Sept. 8
to voice concerns and provide recommendations for the proposed development.

No Board action will be taken at the meeting, Kittle said.



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