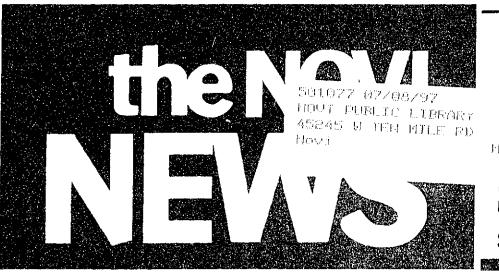
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Emergency bans outdoor use of water

By JAN JEFFRES

If you're tapped into city water, forget about watering your lawn or washing your ear from Sept. 3-

Monday, the Novi City Council declared a water emergency water temporarily banning all outdoor use of water while repair work begins on the sagging Novi Road water main, which provides most of the city's water.

Fire protection will be the only legal outdoor use of water. Residents are also asked to voluntarily reduce their indoor consumption of water, with the aim of ensuring that the water service

remains adequate for all users. During those three weeks, the city will monitor water pressure to determine if the ban can be relaxed, Director of Public Services Anthony Nowicki said. If not, the emergency could remain

into effect until Oct. 14. The restrictions don't apply to those on well water.

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While the 36-inch main on Novi Road is replaced, a smaller bypass main will be used to supply the city. Meanwhile, some 30 to 40 feet of peat will need to be dredged from Novi Road and the area will need to be relilled to provide a more solid footing for the water main.

"The contractors working on the by-pass main did locate a – leak in that (36-inch) main," Now-president for the city's consulting

■ City officials offer helpful hints to residents during the outdoor water ban in effect for September. The story appears on page 9A.

Richard Lehner, district engineer for the state Department of Environmental Quality's Drinking Water and Radiological Protection Division, has informed Novi that if water pressure remains suffieient while the smaller, 24-to-16 inch by-pass main is used, the city can revert to its odd-day. even-day watering schedule.

Violation of the ban is a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of up to \$500 or up to 90 days in

While owners of expensive landscaping may fear destruction of valuable greenery, nature is expected to help out somewhat. City engineers contacted the National Weather Service and learned that rain is expected to fall at normal or above normal rates in September, Average rainfall for the Detroit area in September is about 2.65 inches. In addition, the temperature is expected to range from 79 to 57 degrees.

Meanwhile, David Potter, vice

Sidewalk skaters ask for tolerance

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL

Staff Woler Kids just wanna have fun,

But in Novi, kids who just wanna have fun using their skatchoards are running into what could be construed as discrimination.

As soon as the weather turned warm enough to get out the ramps and the roller hockey nets, neighborhood kids began to hear complaints from residents and police.

And it's continued to be a summer full of hassles.

The police have stopped in front of Aggie Meyers' Deerbrook home several times to tell her two boys and their friends they can't practice their jumps in the street

because of a city ordinance. They've also picked up her teenage son for rollerblading on the main road.

That's ridiculous, she says, because the boys rarely go into the street. And there are no sidewalks in the subdivision or on many of the main roads so what

else are they supposed to do. And besides, they are in front of her house with her supervision, she said. They aren't running around causing trouble.

The boys agree and don't understand why they seem to be singled out.

"We're-not troublemakers at least we're not doing crime." Craic Karpslis, a freshman at Novi High

But police respond to calls from residents and businesses because of safety reasons. When kids are playing street hockey or jumping bike ramps or skate ramps that poses a safety hazard to both the kids and drivers.

City Manager Ed Kriewall said there's no ordinance he knows of to prohibit the recreational activity and "it's probably something we ought to talk about with the Parks and Recreation Depart-

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Bus mishap jars middle schoolers

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL

It was a typical end to the second day of the school year.

The kids climbed aboard the bus, bound for home and kept themselves occupied at the stops along the way.

It was typical, until the seventh and eighth grade students heard the popping sounds of windows smashing and looked up to see metal breaking through the windows of the bus one by one.

"My whole life flashed before my eyes," said Valerie Stefaniak. an eighth grader at Novi Middle School.

"I was, like, praying to God. It stopped right in front of us," added Casmir Werda, also in eighth grade.

Novi Schools' bus driver Leslie Buttermore had slowed down to try to squeeze past a Novi Department of Public Works truck parked along Heatherbrae Way at the corner of Village Wood Drive, when the bus caught a piece of

"She's the best bus driver we ever had."

> Julie Oberts. Eighth grade student

metal on the truck and caused eight of the dozen windows on the bus to shatter, according to Novi Police Sergeant Matt Conquest.

"Everybody was screaming. It was so scary," said Colleen O'Neill, an eighth grader who had just exited the bus at the previous stop and heard the commo-

"It would have been worse because about 30 people had just got off the bus," she said.

Police said the accident happened about 3 p.m. and only three students were slightly nicked and scraped by the crushed glass. Another bus

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Walker enters not guilty plea

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL

Staff Writer Angry family members gathered outside the courtroom, Friday afternoon in Pontiac, demanding to know how the man accused of killing their relative could possibly plead not guilty.

"I'm extremely upset," said Sheryl Clemens to assistant prosecutor Jason Pernick. "How can that be? That, that

person plead not guilty." The thin woman had waited more than two hours to hear the outcome of the arraignment of Jason Walker, of Novi, on charges of drunk driving resulting in the death of her 22-year-old son,

Meanwhile, the 22-year-old defendant had spent much of the last two hours sitting silently in the courtroom, his tall body hunched over with elbows resting on his knees, his hands clasped and his eyes downcast.

He moved only when his case was called before Judge Rudy

With Walker standing tall next to him, one of his lawyers, Edwin Leonard, entered a plea of not guilty on his client's behalf and asked for an extra week to prepare for a pretrial hearing and for

"How can that be? That, that person plead not guilty?"

Alfredo Meyers, 15, balances on his board while practicing a jump in his driveway.

Sheryl Clemens, Mother of David Clemens

bond to be continued.

Walker will face a pretrial hearing on Friday, Sept. 13, at 8:30 a.m. in Judge Nichols' Circuit Court courtroom.

The proceedings took less than three minutes.

Walker's charges stem from an early morning Memorial Day accident this year. Walker drove David Clemens and three other young men home from the Cadillac Cafe in Farmington when his car slipped off the road, flipped several times and hit a telephone pole at Halstead Road and Grand River Avenue, Clemens, a Central Michigan University student, was killed instantly. Walker and another man were hospitalized and released. Two of the men were uninjured.

Test results indicate Walker Continued on 10



Jason Walker appears in court on drunk driving charges

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Thursday, August 29 at 3:30 p.m. — Deadline for HomeTown Connection, Monday Service Directory, Wednesday Service Directory, Shoppers Service Directory, Pinckney, Hartland, Fowlerville Shopping Guides for issues of Monday, September 2 & Wednesday/Thursday, September

Friday, August 30 at 3:30 p.m. — Deadline for Monday Greensheet, South Lyon Shopper and Wednesday/Thursday Greensheet for issues of Monday, September 2 Wednesday/Thursday, September 4-5

rant issued for census enumerator Arrest war

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL and JÁN JEFFRES

Almost three months since Novi Police searched his home, a warrant for the arrest of Novi resident Harry Avagian was issued Tues-

Police Chief Douglas Shaeffer said the warrant is for two misdemeanor charges of attempting to obtain money under false pre-

Police contend that Avagian. while working as a mid-decade census enumerator for the City of Novi, turned in a count of several hundred extra people. Census workers are paid fifty cents per

person submitted.

"It's interesting that it's been three months and what they come up with is two misdemeanors. with all the crime we have in our

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Sunday, September 8

Maybury State Park hosts a story time for kids at 3 p.m. which fea-

tures "Seasons on the Farm" followed by a short activity. The story time is held in the Farm Demonstration Building. Maybury Farm is located on

Eight Mile Road, one mile west of Beck Road. A state park motor vehicle

Monday, September 9

The Novi City Council will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the council chambers

Community EMS will sponsor blood pressure testing in the Novi Civic

The Novi Library Board meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Novi library building.

Village Oaks Interested Citizens and Educators meets at 7:30 p.m. in

The Novi Oaks Charter Chapter of the American Business Women's

Association will meet at Country Epicure Restaurant on Grand River.

Social Hour is at 6:30 p.m. with dinner at 7 p.m. followed by a general membership meeting. Cost is \$15. All working women are invited. For

reservations call Betty Booher at (313) 397-7708. For membership infor-

Meadows Clubhouse on Napier Road. For details, call after 6 p.m. (810)

the Village Oaks School Media Center, 23333 Willowbrook Rd.

Center from 7:30-9 p.m. in conjunction with the City Council meeting.

permit is required for entry. For additional information call 349-8390.



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Community Calendar

To have your organization's activities, regular meetings or special events listed in the Community Calendar, send information to Community Calendar, The Novi News, 104 W. Main Street, Northville, MI 48167.

Saturday, August 31

So-Long to Summer

Maybury State Park, located on Eight Mile one mile west of Beck Road, will host So Long to Summer from 7-9 p.m. The program includes a walk to investigate how Maybury changes from day to night as well as from summer to fall. There will also be star gazing, stories and surprises. Bring along marshmallows or s'mores. Meet at the concession building in

Athletic Boosters the main parking lot.

Monday, September 2

Labor Day

City offices, recycling center and the public library are closed.

Tuesday, September 3 Seniors meeting

The Novi Center Seniors will hold their general meeting at 11 a.m. in the Community Center of the Novi Civic Center.

SWOCC Meeting

The Southwestern Oakland Cable Commission meets at 4:30 p.m. at Farmington City Hall, 23600 Liberty St., Farmington.

Band rehearsal The Novi Concert Band rehearses at 7:30 p.m. in the band room at

Novi High School. For details, call manager Warren Ledger at 348-2955. Chess Club

The Novi Chess Club will meet from 7-10 p.m. at the Novi Civic Center. There is no charge to attend and all players are welcome. For more information, call Tim Sawmiller, 344-4269 evenings after 6 p.m.

Menopause Support Group

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Providence Medical Center's Conference Center, 47601 Grand River Ave., hosts a monthly menopause support group from 7:30-9 p.m. for women with concerns about menopause. Call 380-4115 for details.

Amateur Radio Club

The Novi Amateur Radio Club meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Novi Civic Center. For more information call 348-0009.

Board of Appeals

The Novi Board of Appeals meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Novi Civic Center.

Wednesday, September 4

The Novi High School Athletic Boosters Club will hold its monthly

Planning Commission

The Novi Planning Commission will meet in regular session at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the Novi Civic Center.

Business Network International

meeting at 7 p.m. in room 107 of the high school.

The Farmington Hills chapter of The Business Network International, made up of members from 10 neighboring communities, meets at 7 a.m. at the Tollgate 4-H Education Center, Twelve Mile at Meadowbrook Road. For information or an invitation to a meetings, please call 642-7725,

Thursday, September 5

Novi schools The Novi schools Board of Education will meet in regular session in American Business Women's Assoc. the Educational Services Building.

Optimist Club

The Novi Optimist Club meets at 7:30 a.m. at the Novi Civic Center.

Saturday, September 7

Farm Stories

Maybury State Park hosts a story time for kids at 11 a.m. which features "Seasons on the Farm" followed by a short activity. The story time is held in the Farm Demonstration Building. Maybury Farm is located on Eight Mile Road, one mile west of

Beck Road. A state park motor

Take Off Pounds Sensibly for all ages meets at 7 p.m. at the Novi

mation, call Bettie Johnson at (810) 960-9559.

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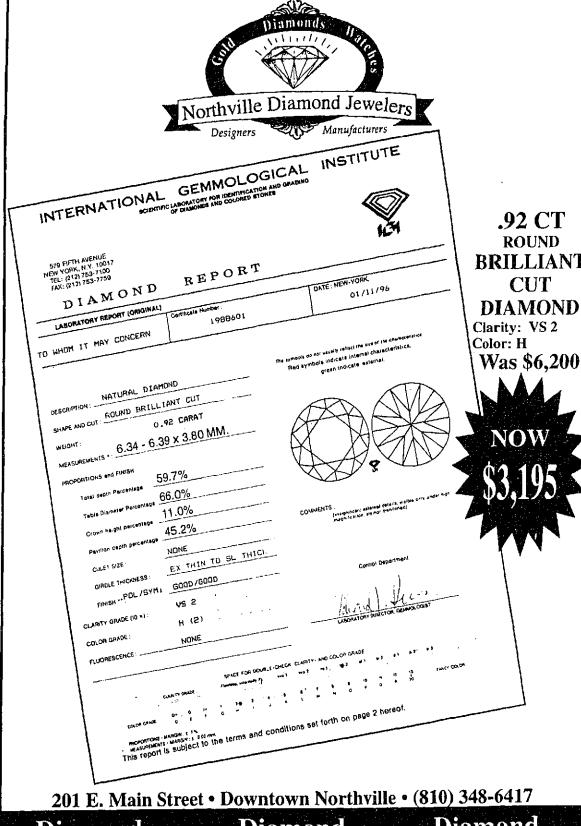
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enough money to pay for them and his possessions were damaged.

he was underaged. Police said the police said. Officers spoke with the

boy's parents live in the Tel 96 - step-brother who called the man-

The complainant did not feel the

threats would be carried out but

wanted a report just in case any of

"child." He agreed not to call him

Police said a Chateau Estates

contraband while the father called

Police said the teen returned

Police are looking for two young.

white males who were heard and

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Police said a distressed Farm ington Hills woman walked into the station Aug. 18, upset and crying and carrying a puppy in a plastic container. She told officers the puppy had been struck by a vehicle and she wanted to save its. life. However, officers could not find a pulse and the dog was not breathing because it had passed. away. They offered to take the dog, but the woman asked if they could bring it back out to her car and she would take care of it.

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DOG TREATS

A Sarah Flynn homeowner called police Aug. 19 to complain a black Labrador has been making a mess on his lawn for a long time but he could not find the dog's owner. Anofficer drove through the subdivi-

sion but didn't spot the dog. THOU SHALL NOT STEAL

Novi Christian School officials reported someone brake into the school facility at Eleven Mile and Talt Roads sometime between Aug. 10 and 12, stealing several thousand dollars worth of electronic Police said missing were a fax

machine, two CD players, CDs, a television, two VCRs and a camera. The incident is still under investigation.

Novi Police cited a Redford Township boy after he tried to concral three packs of cigarettes while buying a cheeseburger at the Castle Wine Shop on Beck Road, Aug.

Witnesses saw the boy place three packs of the cigarettes in his baggy pants pocket and he was 20 saying. Tll kill you if you won't



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motel in Redford. The boy is stay—who did not remember making the ing at an 18 year-old friend's Vil- threat but called the man a lage Apartment in Wixom. WILD GIRL CHASE A Novi mother and police officers | CAUGHT

were on a wild goose chase the weekend of Aug. 19, trying to find. Mobile Home Park father caught. the woman's missing teenage his son and a friend smoking mardaughter who went to spend the lijuana in a shed. Aug. 13, but the might in Ferndale but couldn't be teen took off with the confiscated found the next day. Police said the woman said the

Police News

purchased the food but did not

Police said he did not have

attempt to pay for the smokes.

girl had run away before but this time she dropped her off at a Fern- without the drugs and denied havdale woman's home to spend the - ing knowledge of it. Officers spoke night and was to pick up her with the boys' parents who said daughter the next day. However they would take care of the matter. the teen left a message on the machine requesting to spend JUMPIN' IN another night at the home. When

the Novi woman went to retrieve her daughter Monday night, the seen breaking into the Novi Expowoman at the Ferndale residence. Center Aug. 21 by entering the said the teen and her friend had building through an overhead fan taken off and not checked in.

The Novi woman called police in Police said an employee heard various cities looking for her noises on the roof at 2 a.m. and daughter. She was located at a went to investigate. He saw the two Pleasant Ridge home and returned men walk out from an "employees" to her mother that night

WEDDING JITTERS An East Lake resident wanted police to know his step-brother

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went to call police.

Officers said they surrounded

Thunderbird with it's engine still

warm outside in the parking lot-

and a glass of ice on top of the roof

One of the men was thin and

where it appeared the men entered

about 5 foot 8 inches tall weighing

165 pounds. He wore a black and

white long sleeved shirt and jeans.

The other man was heavier, weigh-

ing about 220 pounds and stand-

ing about 6 foot 2 inches tall. His

hair was brown and shaved on the

An Owenton man is missing 13

semi-automatic handguns and

long guns as well as 1000 rounds

of ammunition and two electric

guitars and amplifiers after a bur-

The man's mother, who was

watching the home for him.

checked in Aug. 16 opening the

garage to discover the inside door

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down the door. The home was

strewn about inside and the gun

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Novi City Clerk Tonni Bartholomew gave birth to a baby girl, her first child, on Aug. 13. The new member of the family weighed six pounds, the building and found a brown ten ounces. Mom Bartholomew will stay on maternity leave for another

> TURN RIGHT ON BRICKSCAPE A name change is in the works for Old Novi Road, a public thoroughfare which runs north of Eight Mile Road, parallel to Novi Road. Joseph Dirado, owner of Brickscape Home & Garden Shewplace.

> asked Oakland County and the cities of Northville and Novi for the name change to Brickscape Drive. The road is under the jurisdiction of the Oakland County Road Commission. As a courtesy, the two city councils were asked to okay the change. Northville did and Novi followed suit Monday. But not with unanimous approval.

> "I just don't support changing the name of a street to a commercial enterprise," Novi Council Member Rob Mitzel said. And both Mitzel and Council Member Kathleen Mutch protested that the firm stores its stuff on the public road.

Recently-elected State Senator Willis Bullard, R-Milford, apologized to the Novi City Council Monday night for not showing up at the July 15 meeting, as planned. Seems there was a little nine pound, thirteen ounce glar broke in while he was away on

matter he had to attend to that night. "That was an important event in my life, too," Bullard said. Accepting the validity of his argument, Mayor Kathleen McLallen presented Bullard with a small Team Novi tee shirt for his new baby girl. Bullard said that this fall he intends to hold eight town hall meetings for members of his 14 community district. A Novi session is scheduled

for Sept. 26 at the Novi Civic Center.

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By July, Novi's fire loss for 1996 exceeded \$2.034 million. Fire Chief Art Lenaghan noted in his monthly report that "this is the second worst year in terms of loss experienced in our history." Among the big fires was the \$200,000 in damage on July 1 at

Maisano's Restaurant. In 1990, Lenaghan added, Novi experienced its highest fire loss, primarily because of the devastation wreaked by the Novi Plastics Co. fire. The total loss for the city that year was \$5 million.

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Some day, Novi residents will be training facility and \$2.5 million to County Clerk's office Tuesday. able to decide if they want a com- renovate the police station. "When?" is the question

Monday, the Novi City Council face a \$61.5 million ballot question agreed to have a bonding attorney for that school district on Sept. 23. draft the \$4.5 million question. And the Walled Lake school dis- Fried said. but unclear is what date it will trict has its own ballot issue on

actually splashdown on the ballot. Sept. 28. Despite a request from the Pool The Aquatic Facility Committee Committee earlier this year to be put on the first available ballot. the council said the pool proposal shouldn't compete with three city on the first available ballot. That next regular election would either ballot questions already scheduled "If we wanted to try to generate a was to get the two-pool complex

taxpayer backlash, this would be open in 1997. the way to do it. To put it on the November ballot would be a seriwant to get on with this project." ous mistake," City Council Memsaid committee member Gwen ber Richard Clark said. Markham. "I think we've dropped the ball "We can't keep looking at the

plate and increasing the size of the on this. We've had it five months bill they will have to pay." and our agenda has been so full," On the November ballot for the City Council Member Rob Mitzel the community. It's a ballot issue city will be a request for voter said. To add the pool to the ballot, the campaign for," she said. approval of the sale of \$17 million

lion for a new fire station and the language to the Oakland That would not have permitted In addition, Novi residents living time to have the bonding language in the Northville school district drafted by Novi's bonding attorney. "If you do it tonight, it would be a disaster," City Attorney David

-"I would not recommend you do it tonight.'

for road improvements. \$2.25 mil- council would have had to submit

The council unanimously was in first presented their report to the favor of seeing the pool issue come council in March, with the recom- forward sometime, but didn't seem mendation that the issue be placed eager to set a special election. The would have been either the August be an August 1997 primary or primary or in November. The goal November 1997 general election.

The Aquatic Facilities Committee asked that the pool be placed at "The citizens have told us they Power Park or as an alternative, at city park land at Eleven Mile and Wixom roads. The delay will give

more time to evaluate the sites. Council Member Kathy Mutch was enthusiastic about the project. "It would be a great amenity for I'm willing to get out there and

City bans water use during repairs

munity pool.

engineers, JCK & Associates, is feeder points in Novi. requesting the City of Detroit

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Water and Sewerage Department - financial loss due to the ban, an to increase water pressure at other appeal can be made to Superintendent of Public Works, Bruce

Pool doesn't sink or swim The Log Book

The following is a complete list of the emergency runs of the Novi Fire 6:35 a.m., Engines 1 and 2. Department for the week ending. Each incident is listed by type, location, time and the engine and squad number which responded to a.m., Response 510.

MONDAY, AUG. 19 Truck fire explosion, 46410 Grand River, 6:44 a.m., Engines 1

Fire investigation, 51000 Eight Mile Road, 8:47 a.m., Engine 4. Service, Ten Mile/Meadowbrook,

9:05 a.m., Response 500. Grass fire, I-96 Rest Area, 1:51 p.m., Engine 1. Injury accident, Twelve Mile/Meadowbrook, 2:49 p.m.,

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 21 Souad 1. Medical, 22452 Meadowbrook a.m., Squad 3. 4:14 p.m., Squad 3.

Medical, 43540 Algonquin, 4:29 p.m., Squad 1. Medical, 41840 Ten Mile Road, p.m., Squad 3. Fire alarm, 25622 Gina Court, 9:17 p.m., Squad 1. THURSDAY, AUG. 22

5:21 p.m., Engines 1 and 4. Fire alarm, 25622 Gina Court, 6:51 p.m., Engines 1 and 4. Medical, 25986 Petros. p.m., Squad 1.

Fire alarm, 26300 Delwal, 9:01 p.m., Engines 1 and 2. Fire investigation, 45182 West Road, 9:39 p.m., Engines 1, 2 and

Medical, 21128 E. Glen Haven. 11:52 p.m., Squad 3.

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Medical, 39584 Blakeston, 9:14 Building fire, 43460 West Oaks, p.m., Squad 1. Medical, 43100 Twelve Oaks FRIDAY, AUG. 23 Crescent, 9:23 a.m., Squad 1.

Medical, 24030 Glen Ridge. Stand by, Country Place, 10:56 12:30 a.m., Squad 3. Medical, 43115 Westchester Medical, 45150 Wilshire, 12:42 Court, 12:55 a.m., Squad 3. Medical, 45182 West Road, 7:11 Medical, 41735 Carousel, 12:45

Medical, 21090 Haggerty, 9:32 House fire, 25000 Buckminster, a.m., Squad 3. Medical, 39584 Blakeston, 6:12 Injury accident. Ten Mile/Novi p.m., Squad 1.

a.m., Squad 2.

SATURDAY, AUG. 24 Medical, Ten Mile/Meadowbrook, 1:32 a.m., Squad 3.

Medical, 1346 Mariga, 3:56 a.m., Squad 4.

Medical, 45182 West Road, 5:10 Medical, 22814 Lodge, 4:58 a.m., Squad 2. Medical, 40134 Jefferson, 4:07 Medical, 43407 Grand River, 6:09 a.m., Squad 1. Transformer fire, 23700 LeBost. 1:03 p.m., Engine 3.

Medical, 45182 West Road, 6:02 p.m., Squad 2. Medical, 39584 Blakeston, 7:27 Fire alarm, Parkview Elementary, 8:59 p.m., Engines 1 and 4.

Medical, 45182 West Road, 11:44 p.m., Squad 2.

SUNDAY, AUG. 25

Medical, 21111 Haggerty, 3:59 a.m., Squad 3. Medical, Twelve Oaks Security, Car fire, Twelve Oaks Parking 12:49 p.m., Squad 1. Grass fire, Lakeshore Park, 12:55 p.m., Engine 2.

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mer coworkers gave him, one by meyer grabbed it. Klausmeyer is notorious for dashing tabasco onto his food. but coffee and dessert," he said.

His last day was August 23. has now dropped the deputy and billion," Klausmeyer said.

has moved up to the lead job. aton). Lemmon, wearing a derby hat to poke fun at Klausmeyer's was a good place to work." Photo by AL WARD — charge of the ceremonies.

"It's true what they say, it's real - too good. Over the past few years, ly hard to follow a good act," Lem- - Kriewall has been negotiating park - them," Klausmeyer said.

"I have my work cut out for me. meyer's retirement party was hot - nity to work with Jim Klausmeyer."

> The outgoing assessor started work in Novi on July 1, 1982 as a been fun. It's been a challenge." commercial and industrial appraiser. In 1987, he moved up to going to spend his time fishing. He assessor, replacing John Merri-

Deputy Assessor Glenn Lemmon 8385 million. Now, it's over \$1.6 locations. "It's one large community. The engineers, JCK & Associates, in

Manager Ed Kriewall said, maybe - up north and in Tennessee.

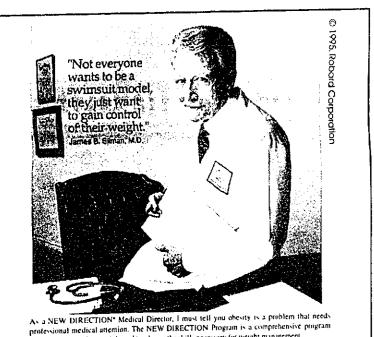
"I go to make an offer on the Novi City Assessor Jim Klaus- I'm very happy I had the opportu- property and the owner says, you've got to be kidding. Do you But he didn't have the opportu- know what the assessor has it That's because friends and for- nity to wear the derby long. Klaus- appraised at?." Kriewall quipped at

"He makes it tough on us. It's Not that Klausmeyer is precisely owns and operates his own school for people who want to get their "When I started, our SEV (state builder's licenses. Classes are equalized valuation) was \$300 to - taught in Novi and eight other

Last week. Klausmeyer was - residential has seen a lot of growth - communities other than Novi and roasted at a dinner at the Double- and they're certainly not anywhere will do appraisal reviews for the Michigan Department of Trans-

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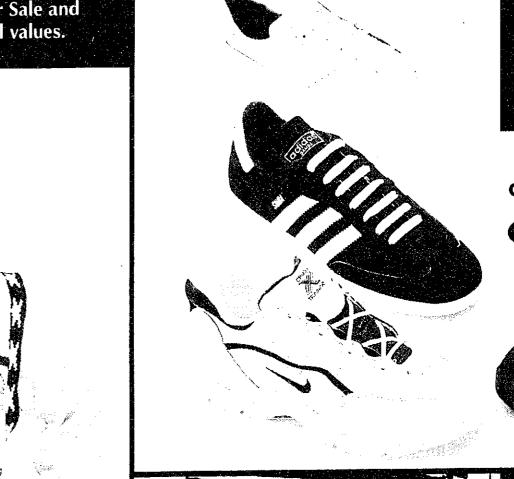


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Religious group disagrees Skaters just want respect about who owns temple

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Sikhs bring new religion to area

God at all times, truthful living, equality of mankind—or sex and stresses the full equality of women. Prac-

The Sikh wear turbans and other physical symbols cide, permit the remarriage of widows and reject pur-

letter stated.

and Mohammedanism was founded 500 years ago in yoga and idol worship.

The Sikh religion has a following of over 20 million

preaches a message of devotion and remembrance of

Based on the teachings of ten gurus, Sikhism one's life.

please stand up? acres of property in Novi destined | leaders of the temple, he said.

The separate factions are each—and behaviors" as a result and in—the church. claiming to be president of the an effort to stop Gary Singh's organization and to be in control of takeover of the project, added Kilthe property. Some of the members gore. He cited physical assaults is the developer's responsibility to came before the Novi Planning between members and interrupted provide the proof. Commission Aug. 21 to ask the meetings of the church as examplan be tabled until the confusion ples is figured out.

one third of the committee mem- take over the church, say the wanted to, we could get involved." bers have to approve any members did not approve of the changes," said Ramaderen Sindali. "But they railroaded this. Nine members opposed this so it is

But a Quit Claim deed signed July 8, by Vir Singh Sooch as society had not approved of the president of the Sikh Society of plan. Michigan, gives The Sikh Center of Michigan, headed by Gary Singh. of Singh Development the property

for an amount of \$10. According to Lawrence Kilgore, attorney for Gary Singh, the tem- ety will have to provide additional other members spent more than determine the proper owner of the seven years trying to gather funding and develop plans for the

the Puniab, India.

people worldwide.

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than one million dollars for the Beck, but plans for a temple on Will the real President Singh project and presented a revised the land is well on its way to plan that was approved by temple fruition.

Members of the Sikh Society of members, Kilgore said, Problems The Novi Planning Commission Michigan, a religious order from occurred when a group of eight unanimously approved revised India, are at war over who owns 38 dissenters proclaimed to be new plans for the 6,615 square foot church facility last week, telling for a temple and center for its ... "We have seen in the past few ... the church members they have no months a lot of unfortunate tactics—control over internal problems of

Watson said the commission's actions prove no risk to the city. It "I believe we are precluded from

any type of regulations regarding Members of the dissenting your particular covenants," said "Our constitution states that group, who have since claimed to Lorenzo. "I'm not sure, even if we The initial site plan was first plans and Singh does not own the approved seven years ago. The revised proposal is only slightly different and now incorporates the Baldev Singh, also as president of priest's home into the temple the Sikh Society of Michigan, the building

🕺 In addition, the church will have 🐮 park and picnic area as well as a playground and volleyball area. "Sikh Society of Michigan will submit its own plans later," the According to Kilgore, the church members spend much of their According to Assistant Novi City Sundays at the temple.

Attorney Dennis Watson, the soci-· Traffic consultants forecast ple leadership asked him to take information at the time of final site of the complex during Sunday. plan, such as title work, which can Special events such as weddings, funerals and holiday services will also take place on the The warring factions may dis-property.

Sikhism rejects all distinctions of caste, creed, race

tioners of the religion are opposed to female infanti-

because it's a sort of uniform that That's all that matters, said his identifies them as skate boarders mom, Aggie Meyers. Don't dis the duds Local skateboard enthusiasts—and because it's comfortable. "We wear baggy pants because pants," she said, "Let them wear are sick of being misunderstood

and judged because of the clothes - it's more comfortable," said Karp - them. We used to wear bell bot

they wear and the sport they prac-The typical skateboard gear con-"When I land a trick it makes me sists of baggy pants or shorts to how people associate the clothes feel good," said Craig Karpslis, a the knees, hats and extra large to "I don't care what they think of Karpslis and his friends say but says that doesn't excuse peo

skate boarding takes skill and taljust be left alone to practice their "It looks hard then you see them skateboard "tricks" that include doing it and it looks cool," said Trijumping homemade ramps, twist- cia Major, 13, a friend of the boys. ing in the air and balancing on nobody's done before. It makes

"So what if they wear baggy

Meyers said she understands with a "white homeboy" stereotype of a bad attitude and no respect ple from making judgments on the boys and the stereotype doesn't

Major said people shouldn't "It's fun if you do a trick judge the boys for what they wear. "Why bother them for what they

They also want people to under-you happy." Novi High School like," she explained. Kids need place to recreate

always some risk of liability con-

In the meantime, the kids and

freshman at Novi High.

Dan Davis, Parks and Recre ation director, said he's aware of sports such as rollerblading, skate practice on their own property, and roller blade contests in Dear boarding and mountain biking and then where can they go. There's born and Waterford, earning tro hopes to incorporate some new nowhere nearby for sports such as phies and awards aspects of those sports into city—skate boarding.

Mountain biking is currently way to go to Kalamazoo to get to a available in the Novi Tree Farm—skating park," said Karpslis. during the summer and cross country skiing is allowed there in go and jump ramps and stuff." the winter. Davis said as far as said Alfredo. "Not like a roller skate boarding goes "some of the rink." kids use the vacant parking lot at the same with rollerblading and

Sikhism, a combination of Hinduism, Buddhism—such as fasting, religious vegetarianism, pilgrimages, Novi park system has been preliminary, he added. Family life is encouraged, celibacy or renunciation "We haven't looked into it inof the world is not necessary to achieve salvation. Honest labor and work are the approved way of living concerns about the liability issue."

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even recognized in the Olympics in Atlanta this year. Even the high school let the for small kids to play and have fun more. However, most of the boys give a demonstration last, but needs to remember the older research and planning for the new spring on the sport during an teens need a place of their own

Skate boarding as well as in-line

. No matter what we do there's spend part of the summer it Ocean City, Maryland where they have public "skate parks." Her two boys and their friends the increasing demand for new parents complain if they can't even participated in skateboard

> "It went great. Everybody was happy. Everybody was there with the baggy pants and stuff and there were no problems whatsoev er," she said.

"The boys said 'Geez, I wish they did something like this in Novi'." Myers said she wants to work with the city and the parks and City Hall, we know it goes on and skating and mountain biking were recreation department to find a solution to the problem.

The city is all for creating places with sports and recreation they







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family members was common many, many years."

concept of the unwashed masses. "People know what their daily habits are. We re not going to

If you want to help out during

With the City of Novi asking resi- the water emergency, avoid show. Sept. 3, all out door use of city

their indoor use of city water, don't - doing the laundry during the peak - fire protection is illegal. fear that some 40,000 residents—water use hours of 6 a.m. to 7:30 consulting engineers said. Businesses also can modify their advise them on what to do." Direc- indoor use of water. For example,

"Use common sense to help us instead. Potter suggested. In the grubby old days, a bath out. We feel that the inconvenience "Each user has to make their once a week on Saturday night now will restore our confidence own decision if they want to try and sharing the water with other - that our system will be running for - and help out the community." he For three weeks beginning on

dents to voluntarily cut back on ering, running the dishwasher and water in Novi for any purpose but If the water pressure holds up will soon give real meaning to the a.m., David Potter, vice president during repair work, the all-out banof JCK & Associates, the city's may be lifted and residents can resume odd-day, even-day lawn

> sprinkling. "Don't let your water run and

tor of Public Services Anthony if a company fills its water tank in run and run," Nowicki said. Cookoff to benefit WL mom

Decker) Walled Lake will host a little easier. benefit Kathy Beauchamp on Sept. the big tent with country music by

unable to work some bills have picture identification. become a concern for her, such as house payments, gas, electric and more the merrier. The cooks' meet-

Als Copper Mug located at 1704 groceries. The community is band ing will be at noon then they can W. Maple (corner of Maple and ling together to help make her life a chop and cook. The tasting of the chili cookoff and fund-raiser to The cookoff will be held under

"The Rambling Country Band." Beauchamp is a 32-year-old There will also be cold beer, Chicawoman with three children. She go hot dogs, grilled burgers and had an aneurysm that has left her Italian sausage. Please no children paralyzed. Since she has been - you must be 21 years of age with

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chili will be around 5 p.m. and the judge's decision will be announced around 6:30 p.m. The drawing for the 50/50 raffle will be around 8:30. Raffle tickets are available

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Avagian arrested in census case

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communities," Avagian's attorney Paul Sowerby said. "Mr. Avagian is just torn apart

Sowerby, who was contacted Monday by the Novi Police Depart ment, said he intended to present Avagian for arraignment, possibly as soon as Wednesday. As a misdemeanor charge, the case will be handled in the Novi-

52 1 District Court. "We will respond vigorously. The he turn himself in. truth will come out. I believe Mr. Avagian will be vindicated and by Novi police on June 5, after we'll have an apology from some mid-decade census Chief Enumerbody," Sowerby said.

anybody. It will all come out in the by the Oakland County Prosecu redone tor's office and Shaeffer said the

police planned to mail Avagian a Area Residents Association (LARA).

"He has not gotten money from ber count was off. Fearing a loss of state shared revenue money if census figure The arrest warrant was issued were found to be off, the work was

Avagian is president of the Lakes

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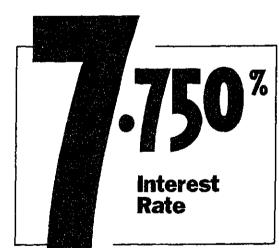
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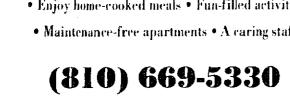
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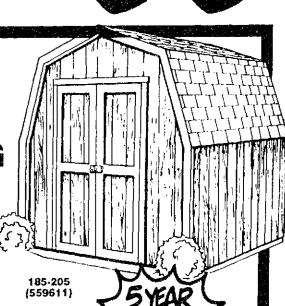
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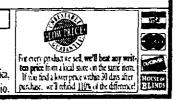
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Obituaries

WAYNE E. RUONA

Wayne E. Ruona, age 74, of Novidied Aug. 14, 1996, in Huron Valley Hospital Commerce Township. Mich. He was born in Toivola, Mich., on March 29, 1922

Mr. Ruona was a tool maker. He is survived by his wife. Mary: his children, Lynn, Steve, John, Chris, and Ken a brother, Rudolph; a sister, Mae Senick; and cight grandchildren –

Services and interment took—on Oct. 3, 1918. place on Saturday, Aug. 17 at-Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens.

O'Brien Chapel/Ted C. Sullivan daughters, Elaine (Ray) Walko, Funeral Home, Novi.

NORMAN EDWARD BISHOP Norman Edward Bishop of Novi died Aug. 23, 1996, at Plymouth Court Nursing Home, He was 83 years of age and was born in Canada on June 7, 1913. Mr. Bishop was a machinist/tool

He is survived by his wife, Mar. cia: his two sons, Norman (Margaret) and Philip (Sherrill); his two daughters, Joan (Dr. Lynn) Blunt and Nancy (Wesley) Winn; a brother, Charles of Kansas City, Mo.; a sister, Ethel Borg of Grand Prairie, Texas; and by 13 grandchildren. Mr. Bishop was preceded in death by his daughter, Barbara

Services were conducted on Tuesday, Aug. 27, at New Hudson United Methodist Church, Interment was at Oaklawn Cemetery,

O'Brien Chapel/Ted C. Sullivan grandchildren. Funeral Home in Novi. Memorials to the Make a Wish O'Brien Chapel/Sullivan Funeral

STELLA (SALLY) ANGELINE ROGALA Stella (Sally) Angeline Rogala,

Foundation would be appreciated.

age 77, of Novi died Aug. 14, 1996, She was born in Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Rogala was a homemaker.

Surviving Mrs. Rogala are her husband, Edward; sons, Edward Arrangements were made by (Audra) and Dennis (Sandy): Shirley (Robert) Rumpz, and Sharon (Jack) Kelems; brother, Bernard Marek; 15 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. Services were held on Monday,

Aug. 19, at Holy Family Church in Interment was in St. Hedwig

Cemetery, Dearborn Heights, Arrangements were made by O'Brien Chapel/Ted C. Sullivan Funeral Home in Novi. Memorial contributions may be

sent to a charity of your choice. BERNESTEEN A. BRAUNINGER officiated. Interment was in Forest Bernesteen A. Brauninger, age Hill Cemetery, Ann Arbor. 86, of Novi died Aug. 10, 1996, at West Bloomfield Care Center. She was born Aug. 8, 1910, in

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Richard Township, Mich. In her employable years, Mrs. Brauninger was a nurse. be appreciated. Surviving are her sons, Paul (Patricia) and Gene; two sisters;

MARGUERITE C. MCKINNON

Arrangements were made by seven grandchildren and five great Services were held Aug. 13 at

Jill E. Horn of Northville, who

had a kidney transplant 24 years ago, died Aug. 23, 1996, at Oakwood Commons, Dearborn, Shewas born in Detroit on May 5, Mrs. Horn had been a resident

of Northville for the past 24 years. Prior to that, she lived in Birmingham. In December 1972, she was a recipient of a kidney transplant donated to her by her brother. Mrs. Horn, a Stephen minister at Grace Chapel Evangelical Presbyterian Church in Farmington Hills. was also a member of Ward Evan-

gelical Presbyterian Church, Livonia. She had worked at the Cranbrook Academy and was an avid cat lover.

She is survived by husband. William D. Horn; stepsons, Daniel (Denise) P. Horn and Thomas E. Horn; and brother, Jack Edington. Services were held on Monday Aug. 26 at Grace Chapel Evangelical Preshyterian Church, Farmington Hills, Rev. Dr. Gil H. Odendaal

Arrangements were made by Heeney-Sundquist Funeral Home. Memorial contributions to the National Kidney Foundation would

Marguerite C. McKinnon, age

for September She was born March 4, 1921, in

in September.

Mrs. McKinnon was a former secretary with Michigan Bell Tele-Surviving Mrs. McKinnon are: son, James Jr.; and sisters, Geral-

dine Douglass and Caroline Jar-

Mrs. McKinnon was preceded in beginning Aug. 26 at 8 a.m. death by her husband, James. Services were held on Tuesday. Mile Road to travel toward the east Aug. 20 at Holy Family Church in Novi. Interment was in Holy Sepulof Transportation advises. A "local" virtually uninterrupted, according

chre Cemetery, Southfield. access only" sign will be posted. Arrangements were made by O'Brien Chapel/Ted C. Sullivan Funeral Home, Novi. Memorials to St. Paul's Retreat

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EVELYN A. RANDO

Evelyn A. Rando died Aug. 18, 1996, in St. Mary Hospital, Livonia. She was 88.

Miss Rando, a retired secretary from General Motors Corporation. moved from Walled Lake to this community five years ago. She is survived by a very special

Services were held on Wednesday, Aug. 21 at Casterline Funeral Home Inc., Northville, with Rev. Charles R. Jacobs, Novi United Methodist Church, officiating.

Cemetery, Detroit, Mich.

Road closings will make travel- officials. ing around north Novi a bit tricky This will continue as the city repairs a water main and widens As part of the Haggerty Connec- the road. tor improvements. Thirteen Mile

For those who live along Thir-Road, from west of Haggerty Road teen Mile Road, a temporary to east of Meadowbrook Road, will access road will be in place from be shut down to through traffic. Haggerty Road to a cul-de-sac approximately 2,000 feet west. A Most motorists are advised to second cul-de-sac will run 2.300 use Twelve Mile Road or Fourteen feet east of Meadowbrook Road. School buses, trash collection or west, the Michigan Department and snow plowing services will be

to the MDOT. But wait, that's not all. Meadow-Starting Tuesday, Sept. 3, Novi Road will be closed between Twelve brook Road between Twelve Mile Mile Road and Decker Road for six Road and Thirteen Mile Road will weeks. The use of Haggerty Road be closed to truck traffic and at a to Fourteen Mile Road as an alter- later date, not yet set, to all native is suggested by City of Novi through traffic

Walled Lake Schools hold special election

Road closings set

On Saturday, Sept. 28, an demands of the 21st century. important special election will be Proposal II will request a handiheld in the Walled Lake Consoli- capped-accessible community pool dated School District, asking vot- to be built at Walled Lake Central ers to consider two separate bond requests proposed by the local school board

If Proposal I is passed by voters. the bond money will be used for the construction of new schools. classrooms, and technical support. Services Center, 850 Ladd Road, The changes would alleviate Building D in Walled Lake, all local

High school.

Citizens who wish to participate In this election must register to vote by Aug. 29.

register to vote at the Educational Interment was at Grand Lawn crowding in schools and keep school offices, or any Secretary of school children current with the State office.

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Oberts, defending Buttermore, "She's never done anything wrong. I feel so bad this happened to her.' No citations were issued. The

CITY OF NOVI NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission for the City of Nov will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, September 18, 1996 at 7:30 p.m. in the Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI to consider, ORDINANCE NO. 96-18, AN ORDINANCE TO ADD A DEFINITION OF "BUSINESS MOTEL" TO ECTION 201 OF ORDINANCE NO. 84-18, AS AMENDED, THE CITY OF NOVI ZONING ORDINANCE, TO ADD ARTICLE 23A TO SAID ORDINANCE, AND TO DELETE SUBSECTION 2406.9 FROM SAID ORDINANCE, TO PROVIDE AN OST PLANNED OFFICE SERVICE TECHNOLOGY DISTRICT.

All interested persons are invited to attend. Verbal comments will be heard a the hearing and any written comments may be sent to the Planning & Community Development Department (Attn: Steve Cohen, Staff Planner), 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI 48375 until 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 18, 1996.

KIM THOMAS CAPELLO, SECRETARY

Firefighters set for anything that comes their way

Then, at the last minute, he was

told the team wasn't needed, after

With the bombings in Okla-

rorism may become a new fact of

"I think the United States has

Every ten days during the

Earthquakes, Hurricanes, Tornadoes Floods. Disasters terrible in scope, but part of nature. For these, Novi homa, the World Trade Center and naid-on-call firefighters Jerry the Olympics, both agree that ter-Holtzman and Lt. Rick Antuna already had the training, as mem- life in America. bers of Michigan's Disaster Medi-

cal Assistance Team. been pretty naive and lucky," But when they were called down Holtzman said. to the Olympics in July by the FBL "In Israel, anyone who goes into the focus shifted to all the horrors - a post office can be frisked by people can inflict upon other peo- police ple. Nerve gas and nuclear attacks, In Georgia, Holtzman and Antubombs and biological warfare. na had to wear battle dress, with

"Things are changing now. an all-important accessory in their Unfortunately, they're starting to left leg pocket - an auto-injector to change our role," Holtzman said. protect themselves from nerve gas. With their counterparts from around the country, the five-mem-Olympics, a different shift of 150 ber Michigan team was on standdisaster teams members were on by in the event that a catastrophe stand-by. Part of the medies' role erupted at the Olympics. They would be to take care of any were stationed at Dobbins Air wounded members of the federal Force Base in Marietta, about 20 forces, including members of minutes by helicopter from SWAT and hostage rescue teams.

Should a mass casualty incident While their ten-day Georgia mis- occur, they'd also handle triage of sion was over before the pipe bomb exploded in Centennial Park, the disaster team would not have been bers actually got to see the games. necded in that case, because the they were there to work. Atlanta's emergency crews, Antuna called out for the Olympics was

shipped out to California, to help of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms physician's assistant. out in the aftermath of the Canoga and the U.S. Customs. park earthquake. Antuna also went to Hawaii in 1993, after Hurricane Iniki hit. The Michigan dis- past in Munich. They might be Fire Chief Art Lenaghan was far members, sponsored by Health

top ten in the country, a "push -"If there's anything that goes

pened and they weren't prepared. Holtzman said.

government, not Novi. In Georgia, the team took togetherness to a new level, so above asking a firefighter to help said about being prepared. Carrythey could leave at once, if needed. me, if they've got the experience. "If one went to do laundry, all I'm certainly going to listen," medicines and water purification Saghaw: 1-517-790-4909 Statewide: 1-800-298-4649

wanted to eat, all five went to eat."

"We worked well, we get along."

Holtzman said.

The men said their families and Office of Emergency Prepared purchase their own equipment. said. Their job kicks in when the amazing, Antuna said. In Georgia employers are generous about ness/National Disaster Medical In 1994, Holtzman and Antuna Enforcement Agency, the Bureau na is an electrician. Holtzman is a led by the Federal Emergency Man-Three on Roethel Drive. agement Agency when a hurricane smacks into the coast or an earth- another disaster." Antuna said. While they were gone, the Novi quake rocks a community. The "I think they were very careful—Fire Department was also short because of what happened in the two paid-on-call firefighters, but Michigan disaster team has 120 man added.

Novi's firefighters, Lt. Rick Antuna (left) and Jerry Holtzman, are also members of one of the top ten disaster teams in the nation.

aster team is ranked as one of the overdoing it, but if something hap-from complaining. All that extra Emergency Medical Services, Inc. training is funded by the federal a consortium of hospitals includ-

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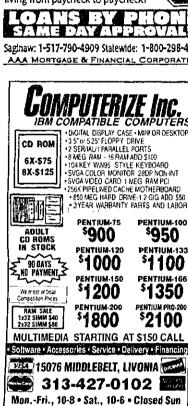
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"If we have an incident like that here, we can call on them. I'm not beyond anything the Scouts every said about being prepared. Carry-

Michigan's disaster team is one anywhere with 24 hours notice. In members, Novi also has two fullof 60 under the U.S. Department Michigan, each member has time officers who are on the Wayne of Health and Human Services' shelled out some \$300 to \$500 to County HazMat (Hazardous Mate-Locally, Holtzman and Antuna ment's training officer, Lt. Tom were teams from the FBI, the Drug - releasing them for this duty. Antu- - System. Typically, they are activat- - are assigned to Novi Fire Station - Johnson and Lt. Don Dominick.

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since sliced bread. The Tigers

long-awaited Motown Renais-

sance is just around the cor-

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fun by saying that I, for one,

am already sick and tired of

this slick, heartstring-tugging

risk our money so that the Illitches and the Fords a new taxpayer-paid stadium.

for private industry. Besides that, the fact that these about the Silverdome now?

propaganda. To be frank, I think that taxpayers and

For starters, I am philosophically opposed to gov-

Remember when John Engler booted 90,000 peo-

ple off general assistance a few years ago? All the

extra-chromosome conservatives out there practical-

ly foamed at the mouth in their excitement over

someone standing up for the principle that able-bod-

ied people have no right to depend on the taxpayer

don't have to put too much of their fortunes on the

teams couldn't convince enough people out in the

should tell you something about the chances for it to

If you don't think that the costs of this little

endeavor won't soon start to skyrocket, can I inter-

open market to risk their own money on this plan

ernmental corporate welfare, which is exactly what

sports fans -- and I'm both -- are getting shafted.

we're all in for the best thing to spark a wildfire of urban renewal.

How do you feel now that he and others at the loyalty, spirit or roots. Even our own beloved Tigers

Government should not bankroll business deals dangled before them. Hey, Pontiac, how do you feel

state, county and city of Detroit level have chosen to were ready to hightail it out of town if they didn't get

downtown "sports village" Second point. Like the other mirage - casinos -

planned for the Lions and which devastated cities like Detroit crawl to in

will stay in Detroit, the Lions for decades because they can't place a bet or plop

will come home and that down in a luxury sky box for a game. They've aban-

figers are to be believed. search of an oasis, these stadiums are just not going

People and businesses haven't been fleeing Detroit

doned the city because of rampant crime and gov-

ernment corruption, sky-high taxes, stifling regula-

nize and respond to a changing worldwide market-

tions and a failure by the whole metro area to recog-

That's not what we want to hear in today's

instant-gratification society, of course. We don't

want to face up to the fact that it took us decades to

mess up Detroit and it's going to take decades to

clean it up again. Instead we grope for magic bullets.

who are already in dire straights.

because you just might get it.

and The Northville Record.

Finally, this deal will be bad for pro sports fans.

Pro sports have always been a business, that's for

We're being taxed to pay for stadiums that many of

sure. Like never before, however, the business has

us can't afford to visit even once a season. Players

and even whole teams have little to no community

Let's not forget the "Detroit" Lions, who took off for

Pontiac 20 years ago when something similar was

Please understand: if this deal comes to pass I

sorely hope it will bring about good things. However,

be careful of what you wish for, sports village fans,

Randy Coble is a staff writer for The Novi News

now almost completely crowded out the game.

gling brain of the class was still tall and gan- walls of a rival school. gling, but now just a bit stooped and focused — Today it seems unsurprising for kids to slash

My reunion also came at a poignant time. My Our class was son, Nathan, starts his own high school career ago - I grew up in Ann Arbor - but there was small, only 58, and next week when he enters uinth grade. As His- very little sense of the racial and ethnic diviover the years seven tened to my classmates reminisce, I was struck sions that so slash and crosshatch our society have died and anoth- at what a different world Nathan will be enter- today. Sure there were Jewish and Asian and er eight have just ing than the one I had known 40 years earlier. African American kids in our school, but it

was well attended; we they are immortal. But even those of us who Americans couldn't be trusted. night at dinner, thought about AIDS. And as for substance abuse, the worst I ever pushy Jewish lady." Forty years ago, I never

heard about in my class was when some kids would have known or noticed. The event gave me the chance to test a theo-bought a bottle of blueberry brandy on our Forty years ago, the tolerable bounds of mis-

amplify and sharpen the original tendencies of - recalled with greatest shame over the weekend It's true. Dave, the red-haired scrappy homecoming queen. Our homeroom teacher,

as a successful professor at the University of the tires on an entire flect of school buses or to the Phil Power is the chairman of the corporation

Maybe I lived in a protected world 40 years

Of course, there are still cars that will be faced with the stereotypes that Jewish people reunion last weekend - driven far too fast by teenagers who still think - were pushy. Asians were brains and African had 25 middle-aged were sexually active in high school - only a finy Last week Nathan, with the casual stereoclassmates Saturday minority ever went beyond petting - never typed wisdom of a 14-year-old in today's world, told Kathy and me that someone was a "nice,

wasn't until I went off to college that I was

ry that's occurred to me as I've moved through - senior trip to New York. Nathan faces an entire - the pop culture that so efficiently infests our the years: As people get older, they become pharmacopoeia of addictive and threatening society today through broad band technology. more and more like themselves. When kids drugs and a youth culture that is starting to We had radio and fuzzy black and white television when I graduated: Nathan has VCR's, CD-ROM computer games, MTV, Walkmen and

Thinking about the world that my son will be was electing the ugliest girl in the class to be facing next week, I feel a slight chill of worry. Maybe I'm getting old and the days of my youth ballplayer in school, had grown a beard and. Miss Chipman, put her foot down on that one. Look innocent and happy when bathed in the won a wife but he was even more scrappy and Of course, she never found who made paint bright gauzy moonlight of 40 years. But I'm talking up a blue streak. Mike, the tall, gan-bombs out of egg shells and threw them on the going to be praying for my son and his safety a

North Carolina. Wendy, a glamour girl when we try to burn down a school building. If an that owns this newspaper. His Touch Tone voice [

Reunion brings back the old days



including one who came all the way from Sin-

graduate from high school, for example, who - re-glamorize getting hooked. they are can be glimpsed, but when they reach middle age the experiences of the years seem to—chief seem laughably mild today. The event—Discmen and endless TV.

graduated, were levely sophisticated clothes—important part of a culture is defined by the—mail number is (313) 953-2047, ext. 1880.

world of certain district A but would rather be in district B. • The family really wanted to be in dispoliticians, educa- These cases go before an administrative trict B, and the Realtor told them the tion is a huge mar- law judge in Lansing and then to the State - house was in B, but they didn't find out

the best schools for papers in those counties, such as Liv- Very, very rarely does a parent testify their kids. Poor ingston. So when cases arise, I read the that the school program is better in diskids, in particular, judge's report and the transcripts from trict B. When mom says so, she usually is referring to a particular teacher who canmarket choice The politicians who live in a dream world—handle her kid's problem.

market forces and competition and all that

This is not to suggest parents have poor choice by seeking property transfers from reasons for requesting "choice" through property transfers. Their reasons are excellent. The administrative law judge

> The point is that the requests have nothing to do with the dream world of market

Survey after survey has revealed that the

wanted school choice. He thought choice but the kids want to stay in the school school board - not mythical market forces

Choice exists, fix school problems



Richard

ket. Parents want Board of Education. Most transfers involve until months later the house was really in freedom to choose rural residents. This company has news- A.

need this kind of cover to cover.

and move or send the kids to private schools. In this dream world, "schools of choice"

will wipe out bad schools, the way the car district A to B: market eliminated DeSoto and LaSalle. John Engler, Sen. Bill Schuette, R-Midland and a few luminaries on the State 20 miles to A school.

Board of Education. Their ideology tells them free markets work, so they believe it. The facts are far different.

Fund and the late Chuck Muer were push- contacts are there. his state's system. Perpich revealed that kids if the parents work overtime. was a good idea, but mathematically not where their friends go.

because rich fami- don't. If Tim Kelly, Engler's emissary to the That is the real world. Nothing about lies can pack up State Board, reads them, he fails to tell the

In reality, here is why parents exercise

 Dad and mom work in town B. If The dream world is inhabited by Gov. Junior gets sick, it's less disruptive to pick and the State Board members who read him up from B school than to backtrack the transcripts most often grant the trans-

> • Dad and mom shop and bank in town Dad and mom go to church in town B. forces.

Back in the 1980s when Metropolitan they grew up in town B, and their social

Perpich was brought into town to explain in town B and are available to take in the school. only one to four percent of parents ever • Dad died, mom remarried and moved, hood school, they demand the elected

• The family lives in district A, but dis-For years Michigan has had a choice trict B's schools are closer and the kids Tim Richard reports on the local implica-

bulk of parents are most interested in having school choice, Minnesota Gov. Rudy • The grandparents and relatives all live ing their kids attend the neighborhood

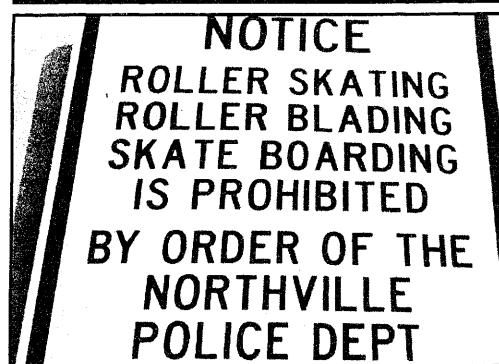
system called property transfers. It is used wouldn't have to waste so much time on tions of state and regional events.

By Bryan Mitchell

Moments

Randy

Coble



What now?

Conserve water, please

Sept. 3, when the main feeder line tries can cut their indoor water use, from Detroit is taken down, is not a beyond advising people to use their pretty picture. Water service will be common sense. shifted to a smaller bypass line for A little more leadership seems in

collapse, things could have been grim- 6 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. If water pressure

the construction proceeds.

or reborn union movement steps in.

The bottom line is that workers are

order here.

But there is an incentive for everylooks sufficiently strong, the outdoor

tel-related activity. the length of the water emergency.



Snider

Fortunately, they're on the right side. broadcast of a few weeks ago detailed how BFI is working with the feds to clean up the waste carting industry in New York City. The haulers in the Big Apple are notorious in their use of intimidation.

In 1992, BFI attempted to interject a little competition into the market but ended up dealing with people who don't like to play by the rules. Many BFI trucks were damaged or destroyed and one employee awoke one morning to find the severed head of a

"Welcome to New York," read an attached note. attorney and helped the feds secure indictments against 17 trash kingpins. More could follow.

It's no secret that organized The story of BFI's risky venture into the New York crime is heavily involved in waste market was described in an article in Fortune the waste hauling and dispos- magazine ("Talk About Tough Competition," Jan. 15.

So it should come as no ny's anti-trust performance and environmental

I called BFI's corporate office in Houston recently to discuss all of this and I ended up talking to spokesman Peter Block. Block explained that, while the offer to the township might have been dumb (his goes to conclude an illicit deal.

"Dateline" program, knowing that a company that takes such an active part in the community is one of

Lee Snider is the editor of The Novi News and The

Public figures featured on new show Tune in to Law and CEO of the Detroit Tigers, are fred director of the Michigan Chapter of the



Mary Linda Calderone

at 10 a.m. Law academic aspects of his chosen field. Talk features memresidents in the

The program is co-

produced by Farmington Hills attorney Mark Accettura and INFO TV-12 volunteer As host, Accettura considers himself fortunate to be able to spend some intimate time with the guests. Accettura says, "I am

struck by the humility and dedication of my guests." Guests like John McHale Jr., President

numerous house-

hold items to be carried by the local gener-

Tech High School."

executive deputy chief of the Detroit Police Department was 19 years old when he joined the department fresh out of Cass

Accettura points out, "Benny Napoleon,

largest public university in the country.

Talk on INFO TV- quently surprised by their own success. ACLU for more than 20 years. Certainly a 12 Mondays at 8 David Littmann, chief economist for Com- man as bright and articulate as Simon p.m., Thursdays at erica Bank, for example, is a reluctant could have earned himself a much better 4 p.m., and Fridays celebrity, preferring to pursue the more wage in the private sector rather than championing individual constitutional Accettura adds, "One cannot help but be freedoms."

impressed with the commitment portrayed On the whole, none of the guests on profession, law- by many of the show's guests. Reuvan Law Talk were born to families of advanmakers, as well as BarLevay, M.D., author of Every Family tage or wealth. Instead, true to the Ameripublic figures who Needs a CEO, is a tireless proponent of can dream, they started from the bottom, good fathering and family values. David and advanced on the strength of their Adamany, president of Wayne State Uni- hard work, commitment and sincerity.

Acquaint yourself with these special peoversity, has dedicated the last 14 years of his life to turning Wayne into the 16th ple. The hour-long format of Law Talk allows us the opportunity to do so - exclu-Talking about lifetime commitment. sively on INFO-TV 12 - your community

Mary Linda Calderone is the Community Outreach Coordinator for the Southwestern Oakland Cable Commission. The next How about Howard Simon? Accettura SWOCC meeting is Tuesday, Sept. 3 at says: "Here is a man who has served as 4:30 p.m. at Farmington City Hall.

Local grocery stores come full circle



al store was groceries.

The general store In 1869, Scott and Jackson's of market in town in 1893. A newspaper was an American Northville advertised their stock of "Drugs," advertisement exclaimed that the company invention. While Medicines, Paints, Oils, Brushes ... a "... is now thoroughly equipped for busi-Europeans went to choice stock of Tobaccos and Cigars (and) ness. Market newly overhauled, everything specific stores for Groceries," among other things. specific items. The change from general store to grocery ties of fresh and salt meats ... at lowest

generally lived in century, local merchants began to specialmore remote areas, ize, too. found it convenient Novi's E.E. Goodell started a "traveling California and the world got its first taste to shop at one store grocery store." According to The Northville of what would develop into the "supermar-Record. Goodell would buy his groceries at ket." for all their needs. One of the most Detroit, "selling them and taking back a

important of the load of produce" to Novi in 1877. By 1892, Northville contained a meat market, owned by F.A. Miller, and a grocery store of A.H. Kohler, both proudly Novi farm families grew their own pro- noted in a promotional booklet on the duce, selling the excess to the city mar-town.

kets, but many Northville town dwellers "Mr. Kohler has established a wide repurelied on the fresh fruit, vegetables, eggs tation for honorable dealing and his trade and other items available at the local extends to all parts of the county. His stock is fresh, large and complete in every More exotic items than were grown on branch of the grocery business ..." area farms were found at many groceries.

The quality of Mr. Miller's stock, "his In 1804, the first bananas were shipped unremitting attention to the details of the was imported by 1816, and oranges and a genial gentleman and thorough business cle. grapefruits. California grapes and pears. man ... have tended to the securing of his canned goods and even frozen foods, first present large and well established trade." created by Clarence Birdseye in the 1890s. F. Thompson & Co. opened a new meat the book No. VI on the Trail,

new and first class. All kinds of best quali-Americans, who store was gradual, but by the late 19th market prices." By the turn of the century, a radical idea

> known as self-service was instituted in Clarence Saunders developed a turnstile

entrance and a regular check-out system in his Piggly-Wiggly self-service grocery store in Memphis, Tenn., in 1916. The idea was so successful that within seven years his single Memphis store exploded into a nationwide chain of nearly 3.000 markets. The age of grocery stores had

Whereas 150 years ago one could find dry goods, produce and groceries all under one roof, today we have the same convention at stores such as Meijers. As in other from the Caribbean to New York. Coffee business, and his general qualifications as phases of life, the trend has come full cir-

> Barbara Louie is a local historian of the Novi and Northville area and is author of

CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY USE PERMIT TUP 96-043 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Cort Furniture is requesting a Temporary Use ermit to allow a tent sale at 42350 Grand River Avenue, from September 11, 1996

hrough September 14, 1996. A Temporary Use Permit may be granted for a period A public hearing can be requested by any property owner of a structure located vithin 300 feet of the boundary of the property being considered for temporary use

This request will be considered at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 5, 1996 at ne Novi Civic Center, 45175 West Ten Mile Road. All written comments should be directed to the City of Novi Building Official and must be received prior to Septembe

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As We See It Corporate doctrine changes over time

Government

when the reductions were implement

with concern only for their economic

impact, ignoring their psychological

• "Creation of corporate environ-

ments that are risk-averse and innova-

tion fearing. These harder-to-quantify

problems may return to haunt many

Everyone has heard statistics about

goods and services one can buy) have

been falling since 1973. Those statis-

apologists use "mean" or "average" fig-

ures, because the high salaries and fat

Second, the decline in hourly wages

probably was understated because

workers were putting in extra, uncom-

pensated hours. Said the CEA:

may be due to an increase in unpaid

overtime or work at home, but it

Workers not only are seeing pay-

The American economy, as many

Our Labor Day message is that Cor-

being ignored by the executives who

remains an area of active research."

"Employees, but not employers, report-

whispering what it thinks of you. Ameritech, the regional telephone company, in 1988 reported 71,945 jobs on the inside of the front cover.

Chairman William L. Weiss' statement said it will "assure success for our shareowners, customers employees and communities." By 1995, Ameritech's tone had

changed. "We're growing with our customers ... We're growing for our shareholders," said Weiss. But this time the employees were left out. Employment was down more than 9 percent, though shareholder value had increased 965 percent since 1983 versus 457 percent for the Standard &

Poor index of 500 stocks. Deere & Co. said on page 1 of its 1991 annual report that its keys to how "real" wages (measured in the success were "integrity, superior quality in products and services and the dedication to a mutually beneficial relatics become tricky when corporate tionship with our customers, dealers and employees" (emphasis added). Page 1 also listed total employment at bonuses for those who do the job

cutting obscure the impact on the By 1995, however, the tone had lower end of the scale. changed at the Illinois-based maker of The situation is worse than the numlawn, agricultural and industrial bers show, for two reasons. First, said equipment. The words about the the CEA, "The decline in wages was employees and the "mutually beneficial marked by a decline in benefits coverrelationship" were gone. The job data were shoved back to page 59. Jobs had

been cut to 33,375, or 9 percent. In company after company, workers get the same message. A decade ago, loyal and dedicated employees were redited with a firm's success. Often ed declining hours. This divergence their pictures appeared. Job growth was listed proudly.

Today board chairmen don't mention employees as an important ingredient in a firm's success. Fewer and fewer employees' pictures appear. Job checks and benefits shrink, but they're shrinkage is hidden in the back pages or, in Troy-based K mart's case, elimi- once pointed to them with pride. nated entirely.

politicians on the right suggest, is suf-A decade ago, board chairmen built prosperity on a three-legged stool - fering from anemia. It is due to lack of consumer confidence because such a shareholders, customers and employlarge portion of the work force lives in ees. Today there is a two-legged stool. And if you know elementary physics, a fear. two-legged stool can't stand very well. America has seen job cuts before. porate America should change its atti-The difference is that today's board tude toward workers; consider employ-

chairmen don't seem to care. ment as a measure of corporate suc-Robert M. Tornasko, the manage- cess along with shareholder value; and ment consultant who wrote a book cut executive salaries and bonuses called Downsizing, said, "The equally when there are employment cuts. destructive consequences of deep, Corporate America needs to reform across-the-board cutbacks ... include: itself before an aggressive government

 "Diminished employee commitment to their companies; • "Bitter personal trauma inflicted human, too.

The thought of Novi turning as It's a bit troubling that city officials brown as California with an outdoor haven't offered any suggestions as to water sprinkling ban kicking in on how residents, businesses and indus-

about six weeks. If the widening of Novi Road hadn't led to the discovery that the main feed- body to use water indoors frugally, by er line of Detroit city water is suspend- not running dishwater and washing ed over a peat bog and in danger of machines, etc. during the peak time of

Even before this emergency, resiban could be lifted after three weeks. If dents in areas of Novi have experi- not, it could be in place another three enced pressures so weak they have dif- weeks. ficulty running water upstairs during What a simple way to show commuhigh demand hours. The current pro- nity spirit - by doubling up on laundry hibition has been slapped on to make loads, cutting short those luxurious sure each household has water while showers and with any luck, reducing

letters to the editor

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Waste haulers to clean up act

al industry. More than one 1996). lines is nearly unlimited: Sul-Refuse, etc.)

surprise to anyone that the record. Houston-based Browning-Ferris Industries is in it up to their proverbial necks. That's right, the folks who are prime pick up contractors in Novi and

I don't know if you saw it but an NBC "Dateline" price-fixing and racketeering tactics, and have openly violated federal anti-trust laws for decades.

German shepherd on his front lawn. BFI then began cooperating with the local district

iournalist has sharpened his I have to admit for a while there I had my suspior her investigative teeth on cions about our Salem Township neighbors. A June, the mob's influence in the 1990, story in the Ralph Nader publication Multinatrash removal business (the tional Monitor claimed that BFI was "one of Ameripotential for alliterative head- ca's most notorious polluters." While acknowledging the outstanding credentials of BFI CEO William tans of Sludge, Godfathers of Ruckelshaus (who distinguished himself by refusing Garbage. Renegades of to participate in Watergate's infamous Saturday Night Massacre), the magazine criticized the compa-

Then when a local BFI official went before the Northville Township Board of Trustees in 1993 and offered money if township police would ignore the whose name is connected with so many charitable weight limit violations of BFI's trucks, I really local projects are deep in the muck and mire of carbecame uneasy. To me, that suggested the arrogance of someone who is used to operating outside

> word), it wasn't criminal. After all, it took place in an open public meeting, hardly the kind of place one In any event, I felt a sense of relief after seeing the

We've got enough to worry about already without adding the Godfathers of Garbage to the problem

Student hangs with kangas during mild Aussie winter

Becky Greenberg turned 18 at an Australian bush camp, where she had to keep her gear stashed away in the tent so the dingos wouldn't carry it off.

How she spent her summer vacation included riding a camel. munching on kangaroo meat ("tastes like tough beef"), snorkeling in the Great Barrier Reef. climbing Ayres Rock and touring the opal mines of Cooberpedy.

For most teens, this would be the dream trip of a lifetime, but for Greenberg, it was the grand finale of her year of travel. First came the week-long faunt to Costa Rica with her Novi High School Spanish class and her spring break in the

She horded away her paychecks from working in the office at Novi High School to help her parents pay for the six-week, Youth For Understanding exchange student trip to the kind down under. Greenberg chose Australia, she

said, because the country always appealed to ber. You get to know another culture, you get to meet other people from around the world. You get to see how they live and act," she

other people - and theirs about us. on the beach and for sure talk like also known as "out wup." Valley Girls, while we think they're all near kin to Crocodile Dundee, Greenberg found. Although she berg said. met a few who could mingle with the Croc, no problem, most Auscities, she said.

"There were some people who the river and brought them to the weeks. park," Greenberg said.

Most Australians, she found, TV - but there's that little matter - nights in the tent. of the accent.

"You could say they are very Americanized but they wouldn't like that. The thing that's the most there's a lot of slang," she said. Along with the widely publicized were so weird. They didn't believe "G'Day", the Aussie lexicon skunks could really smell that includes "G'donya," for our "good bad," Greenberg said.

Traveling gave her a chance to well as "How you going?" for "How explore our stereotypes about are you?"

She may have also discovered Australians think Americans live - why they call it the bush country, "There are no tollets, you have to make do with the bushes," Green-

"It gets kind of gross." Three of the weeks were spent in tralians live a civilized urban or Caloundra, one hour north of Brissuburban existence in the coastal bane, in the home of the Bayntun

Then, a contingent of 40 teens ~ were typical Aussie. We met this only nine of them boys - from over one person at the crocodile park. eight American states took off in a He said he wrestled crocodiles in bus to see Australia for three Her summer break was actually

played out against the background look like Americans, act pretty of the Australian winter, but the much like Americans, listen to weather was shorts and tee-shirt American music, watch American - warm, except for the freezing Kangaroos hopping over the flat

land was a crowd pleaser with the "We got all excited and it was old different is the way they talk. They to them. They were excited about talk fast and slur their speech and our squirrels. They thought raccoons and chipmunks and skunks

Job." "Wakey wakey" for "Rise and Yes, she got to hold a cuddly shine" and "S'truth" for "really", as baby koala. At the Great Barrier

Recent Novi High School grad Becky Greenberg turned 18 at a camp in the Australian bush, where she had to keep her gear stashed away in the tent so the dingos wouldn't carry it off.

as sea turtles and dolphins.

But the kids also shared their - complete with boomerang, leather - on her next trip. It's to Lansing for culture at a Fourth of July bash bush hat, Aboriginal necklace, rid- her first year at Michigan State for their Australian families. ing boots, stuffed koala, opals and University, where she'll study ani-Greenberg brought barbecue other goodies stashed away in her mal science. chicken. Others came bearing hot bags.

Still feeling jet-lagged, Green She returned home on Aug.11, berg's already embarked this week

Engler also had a prime-time

Republican delegates spend much of convention having fun

By TIM RICHARD

vacation in, but you wouldn't want Guest" pass entitles one to sit outto hold a convention here. Within a short hop of the Holi-

day Inn on the Beach, the Michi-tor. gan delegation's hotel, are the "Star of India" (a sailing ship) maritime museum, the Zoo, cruise to Tijuana. ship terminals, a retired U.S. Navy warship, Scaport Village shops, the Museum of Contemporary Art (versus two at Houston). The seatand breathtaking promenades ing section turned out to be nonbathed in cloudless sunlight and existent. Even the omnipresent cooled by gentle ocean breezes. security guards didn't know where Tijuana, Mexico, is a 15-mile, the section was. A map in the outnumbered by the 15,000 Inside the convention center is a section. That credential will be were dwarfed by security guards,

nightmare. The literature says it framed. holds 20,809. The fine print reveals 3.469 seats, or 16.7 percent, have an "obstructed view." ed in their (existent) assigned vice protectors. That's 40 percent of the size of the places when they were told by a Houston center, site of the 1992 security guard they had to vacate FIELD DAY OVER only the unobstructed view.

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BYE, BYE GUESTS Guests with the Michigan dele- matter would be straightened out. Casey to speak.

gation draw each day for creden. ONE LITTLE SECRET tials, which are actually tickets to Delegates began to draw the side the convention hall on a sailcovered roof and view a TV moni-

Commented a Pennsylvania honoree: "We're outta here. We're goin'

This writer was honored with a single "special press" credential

Three of my brethren were seat- security officials and Secret Serafter 30 minutes. They made their

San Diego is a great town to the convention. A "Sail Area line, however, at revealing their A survey showed that 21 percent

> females declined to reveal how old they are. Other results: • 5.4 percent were 34 or under. 24 percent were 35-50. 17 percent were 51-60.

• 19 percent were 61 or older.

And if you're into gender gap studies, 63.23 percent of the delegates were male, 36.77 percent female. The 1,990 delegates were vate security guards, convention

displeasure known to a minor offi- 1992 when the Democratic Nationcial in the press office who said al Convention wouldn't allow pro-

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fun with the fact that Govs. Pete vision coverage. Wilson of California, George Pataki Senate nominee Ronna Ronney address

slot; Pataki declined to speak on Miller introduced part of the plat- to victory. immigration; and Weld was told to confine himself to economics when he wanted to discuss abortion.

Michigan's GOP Senate nominee Ronna Romney revealed she had press office also failed to show the media, whose numbers in turn to submit her text for approval three days in advance of her 90 city police, sheriff's deputies, pri- seconds of fame. Quote of the year honors go to

Senate majority leader Trent Lott of Mississippi: "You can't let people just wander in off the street and say anything they want to."

MICHIGAN'S DAY Michigan delegates had lots of the guard was wrong, and the life Pennsylvania Gov. Robert their own to cheer in the mid-Monday slot even if the home folks

Expect to hear Democrats have never say them on prime-time tele-form but didn't read it.

of New York and William Weld of and 10th District congressional. And Michigan got to cheer for-Massachusetts were taken off the nominee Susy Heintz had 90 sec- mer President Gerald Ford, who of the males and 13 percent of the podium program "because of dis-onds in the spotlight; Gov. John twitted the prevailing forces by putes over what they would be Engler, as chair of the Republican speaking admiringly of moderate allowed to say," USA Today report- Governors Association, introduced like Wendell L. Willkie and Dwight several of the 32 GOP governors: D. Eisenhower, and glowingly of Wilson was denied a prime-time and Secretary of State Candice the politics of inclusion as the key

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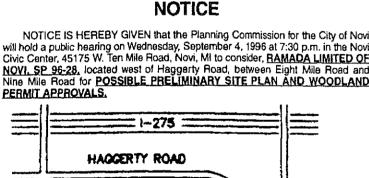
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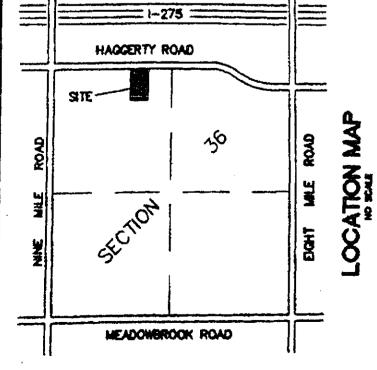
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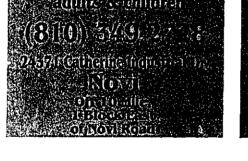


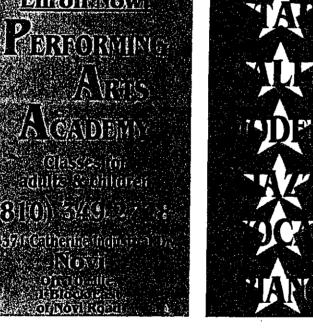
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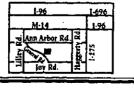
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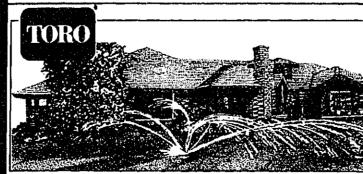
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have been wonderful," Linda truck, a 19-year-old Detroit man, ford and released with mino

The accident happened that Sat- looked up he was coming onto the all wearing their seatbelts.

said a bee had flown into the vehi- injuries.

The Escort, driven by 19-year- jured

old Stacy Paterni, also a Novi High

"It was a little scary with the

ing the accident.

eyes off the road and when he Saturn driver from Plymouth were

A three car accident, Aug. 17, put 19-year-old Angela Dettore in and not paralyzed." a halo brace with three cracks in her vertebrae but hasn't stopped urday about 4 p.m. on Ten Mile car. her from getting on with life. Good friends and family are brook Road. helping Dettore, a 1994 Novi High School graduate, get back to class Gregor, Dettore was a passenger in Dettore had to be cut out of the have been a fatality," said MacGreat Western Michigan University—a white Escort that was stopped—vehicle and rushed to Botsford—gor. only weeks after being trapped in eastbound on Ten Mile waiting to then University of Michigan Hospiher friends car after a massive col- make a left turn onto LeBost when tal with a neck injury.

a mid-sized delivery truck rammed According to her mother, Linda into the back of the car, sending it passenger in the Escort," said Dettore, "her spirits have been into the westbound lane where it MacGregor, who is still investigatstruck a Saturn. "The friends and the community MacGregor said the driver of the Paterni was also taken to Bots-

explained.

Bus safety not just for students

School's open. Time for students to review reading, 'writing, and 'rithmetic - and for parents and adults to remember the ABCs of traffic safety.

"At this time of year, we want to remind drivers to be extra careful because many excited and carefree children are venturing into traffic for the first time, not necessarily thinking about their safety," said Jerry Basch, AAA Michigan Community Safety Services manager. "Drivers should slow down in all residential areas, not just in

school zones," Basch added. "In 1994, 57 percent of the pedestrians, ages 5 to 9 who were killed nationally, were struck while crossing or entering the road between intersections. By driving more slowly and carefully, drivers give themselves the extra time needed to react when a child darts into the road after a lost ball or to make it to the bus stop on time." Motor vehicle crashes are the leading cause of death for children under 15 years of age. In Michigan, from 1990 through 1994, 146 child pedestrians under 15 were

killed in motor vehicle crashes, an average of 29 children per year. In addition, in the 1993-94 school year, 45 students were killed nationally in school bus transportation accidents. Of these, 35 were either approaching or leaving a school bus loading zone. according to the National Safety

Council's Accident Facts 1995. "These numbers are just too high," said Basch, "when you consider that those lives could have been saved if drivers and students had exercised a little more cau-

AAA Michigan recommends the ollowing safety tips: · Slow down around schools and in residential areas.

· In neighborhoods near schools, drive with your headlights on (even during the day) so children and other drivers can see you. · Look for clues that indicate children might be in the area (i.e.,

school safety patrols, adult crossing guards, bicycles, school buses, playgrounds). Practice extra caution in bad Always stop for school buses

that are loading and unloading · Buckle up every time you get in a car.



by Dennis E. Engerer, P.T. LIGHT AT END OF **CARPAL TUNNEL** SYNDROME he carpal tunnel is the passageway

tendons extend into the hand. When th igament that binds the carpal tunne omes swollen or inflamed, the media erve can become compressed to caus numbness and pain in the thumb, index, middle, and ring fingers to which it provides sensation. According to a study done at Washington University School of physical therapy, workplace modification and education can provide relief of carpa tunnel syndrome pain. When 64 carpa tunnel syndrome subjects were provided with physical therapy to stretch ti muscles and strengthen weak ones, 90% reported relief from neck and shoulder pain and 63% found relief of finger ngling and numbness after 2 months. At Northville Physical Therapy lehabilitation Inc., our entire staff dedicated to addressing the unique needs of our patients and their

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According to Officer Diane Mac- graduate, was so smashed that the back of the Escort there would The staff in Physician Referral Services can help locate physicians by specialty or by location, finding an office close to your home or work. MacGregor has determined the They can even match individuals with physicians who participate in brake lights were working and

particular insurance plans. Callers can also receive information on support groups and health

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The girls and the 42-year old

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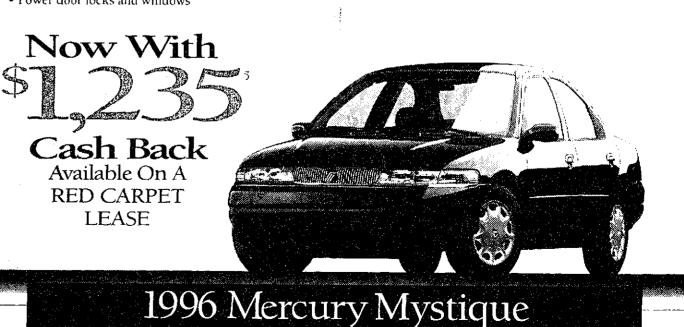
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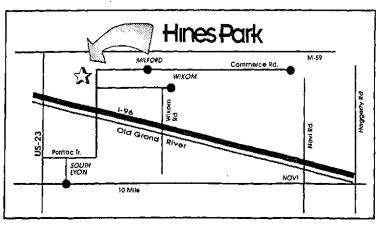




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she was out front with people everyday, Gloria Utsler went behind the lines ... phone lines, that is.

When thinking of starting her own business 15 years ago. Utsler took into consideration the friends she knew in the answering service field. So she made the switch to being president of what has evolved into Assisting You Teleservices.

Utsler began Assisting You Answering Service in Northville and in the first year had four customers.

"It seemed to be a natural," she said. "I've always dealt with the public.

She said going from working for someone else to working for herself was definitely a big change.

"You use your good common sense when starting out and go with the flow, so to speak," she added.

Utsler said that in the early years, some people would call and ask a very general question because they literally thought her business was to answer

"It is a field that has really changed," she said. "You have to go with the times and progress and this is what we want to do."

From simply answering the phones to being able to handle any form of communication. Utsler has added three staff members and other normal secretarial things such as data entry, as well as helping track down clients in emergency situations, telemarketing and research projects.

Nowadays, once the caller has her on the phone and after they have been talking for a while, the caller will ask if they are talking to a machine or a person.

"How would you carry on a conversation with a machine?" she asked. "I don't know,"

"We very definitely are on a first-name basis with our customers and we get to know their customers just like a secretary

From a banking career where would," she said of her clients who include manufacturer's representatives, lawn maintenance companies, construction firms, doctors and dentists. Small- to medium-size businesses that have responsibilities that keep them out of the office are some of the clients Utsler has both local and out-

"In today's market, a lot of people don't have a staff, don't want a staff," she said. "We're their staff - their off-premise staff, if you will."

Utsler gets customers on both ends of the spectrum, from new businesses starting out to people who have faced corporate downsizing and have gone into the consulting business. She has also been getting more and more business from people running home offices.

"For the average person who wants us to just take a name and a number, we do that," she said. "We can become more involved for the person who wants us to take all their infor-

When a call comes in, a message comes up on the computer screen with information on the company being called so that Utsler can address the caller according to that specific company's instructions.

"We replace the answering machine with the personal touch," she said.

Automated answering, like voice mail, paging and cellular phones, has grown tremendously in the last few years.

Some customers tried to cut corners and switched to answering machines which took away from her business, but then some came back for the personal service.

"Above and beyond all the other technology, if you want a private secretary instead of a robot you want a person and that's what they are getting from us - a person," she said. "We have this technology available and we use it just because we have to but we still prefer the personalized (service).

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More than a bottom-side guy

Jason List is 17 and like a lot of teens his age, he is interested in cars and has a 1987 Ford Thunderbird.

But that is not the only reason the Novi High School senior came to work for Valvoline Instant Oil Change in April of this year.

Julie Untisis, Jason's girl friend and a junior at Novi High. encouraged him to start focusing on goals.

After accepting the job at Valvoline, Jason listened when Randall Short, manager of the Novi location, went through the benefit package that included the college program the company offers. It didn't sink in right away but a short time later, Jason realized that because he had considered going to college, tuition reimbursement through a business program would be a benefit he could use.

Customers probably won't cars because he, along with the five other employees, rotate working in the pit, as the oil change area is called.

The "bottom side guys" aren't always in the pit, though. The schedule rotates so that one day they are in the pit and the next they are top side. Jason said he has learned a lot more

about cars than he knew before he start-The pit is really two work stations in the full basement of the business. Stand-



Jason List has been promoted to Technician II and is certified to work on both the top side and pit shifts at his job with Valvoline Instant Oil Change

know when Jason is working on their ing on one of two elevated steel floors through which the oil drains into a bucket, Jason will first check to see if there are any leaks such as oil, antifreeze, and transmission fluid. Then he will drain the oil and change the oil filter, lube the chassis, check the drive line fluid, and top off

any fluids that are low. When he is top side, customers get a chance to see him top off all the fluids and check the tires, the air and breather filters, the windshield wipers, the radiator cap, the brake fluid, antifreeze, transmission fluid and engine oil levels.

They also might see him updating the vehicle's maintenance history, known as the maximum vehicle performance (MVP), in the computer so that the customer and any Valvoline center in the country will always know what's been done to the vehicle.

Stock is also kept in the basement for easy access for those working bottom side.

Jason has switched back to a part-time schedule now that school is in session. He worked full-time during the summer months.

"He's showing a lot of promise," Short said.

Customers commonly make the mistake of not knowing the importance of the air filter, PCV valve and the washer solvent. according to Jason.

Hired as a Technician I, Jason has already been promoted to Technician II after successfully completing the Super Pro Training System. During the training program he was given written and hands-on tests by area man-

ager Bob Malatinsky. "He passed with flying colors," Malatin-

sky said. Jason is now certified to do top- and bottom-side work.

Jason is the son of Gary List of Novi and Debbie List of Royal Oak.

Dirty laundry is her business

You think you have laundry - Carol Trompeter sees about 4.000 pieces of laundry a day.

As a laundress with the Sheraton Oaks Hotel in Novi. Trompeter is one of the employees in the laundry room who will see three washcloths, bath and hand towels. a bath mat and two double or king sheet sets with pilloweases for each of the 217 rooms that come down for laundering every day.

And when there's a banquet, well that means tablecloths and napkins too.

Working the day shift with two or three other people from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m., Trompeter has trod the same path from washer to dryer for 11 years. On the night shift until 11

ees continue with the constant flow of linens. "She's very dependable and eager to help everybody," said Linda Race, executive house-

p.m., one or two more employ-

keeper. "I wish I had more like The laundry is brought to and from the first floor laun-



Carol Trompeter is one of the laundry room employees at Sheraton Oaks in Novi who is responsible for getting all the linens which customers see in the hotel room clean.

where they are sorted. washed, dried, folded and put on linen carts by the laundresses.

The three washers and dryers, which run almost continuously, generate a lot of heat in the laundry room.

"I just drink a lot of liquids get presprayed and run on a

dry room by a house person like the doctors say," she said. Since the washers are computerized, the detergent and bleach are dispensed automat-

> ically. "They are a lot easier to use," she said of the newer machines.

> Soiled linens, however, will

stain load at the end of the evening so they are ready in the morning.

The toughest stains on sheets, pillow cases and towels are make up and shoe polish. Table linens arrive in the laundry room pretty soiled with lipstick, wine, and dinner

On her feet eight hours a day, five days a week, Trompeter is exhausted at the end of the day.

"I can't wait until it's over." she said, "Sometimes I just go home and sit down and relax.

"I don't want to do laundry, I did enough for one day," she said. "Sometimes I don't even want to do my laundry at home until the weekend."

Trompeter will get a new name tag to pin onto her green stripe uniform come Sept. 6 when the hotel hangs out its DoubleTree sign.

Trompeter, who was born in Plymouth but grew up in Port Huron, now lives in Farmington with her new husband,

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Separation anxiety topic of Youth Forum meeting

Novi Highlights

By JEANNE CLARKE

meeting of the fall season on ty Education Wednesday, Sept. 4, at 9 a.m. It ment, second floor classroom. The special guest speaker for

this month will be Judith Seely, director of the Windward Clinic. from Parents." The Forum is composed of rep-

resentatives from youth oriented agencies in Novi and Oakland County. The membership is drawn from both the public and private sector. This includes judges, councers, social service caseworkers, which meets on Tuesday and clergy, public health nurses, librarians, private practitioners by calling 349 3223.

and service club representatives. All those attending share a deep - because of parent involvement. commitment to help improve ser- Parents are cooperatively responsivices for local youths and their ble for the school and assist teachfamilies. The Forum provides a ers in the classroom. unique opportunity for local leaders to share their thoughts on brated its 25th anniversary in the tative is Jean Foerg. trends and difficulties encountered. Novi area with special programs. when working with the youth in Many young adults came back to MICHIGANDER SMOCKERS

The common goal is to identify Teachers will again be Joan Sellen needs, and then coordinate available services while developing both well qualified, certified teach-Ideas to improve service and ers and also former Co op mons. arrange improvements where

The meeting is conducted by er of the Year" by the MCCN. She David Molloy, detective, youth has been with the Novi Co-op for bureau of the Novi Police Depart- over 15 years, and holds a bache

CHURCH DIRECTORY

ment: Karen MacKenzie, casework er with New Youth Assistance, and The Forum will hold its tirst. Clara Porter, director of Communi-

All attending have the opportuorganization, discuss any prob versity. receive help for those problems. Three year program, has a bache- for a worthy organization. Other smocked hanger, from people in attendance. Guests are always welcome to education from Eastern Michigan clothes, etc.

Sellen was honored last year for being named "Outstanding Teach-

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She will be addressing the topic - the Forum Tor additional infor - University. She has been with the "Children with Separation Anxiety - mation, contact either Detective - Co-op for several years, Molloy, Karen MacKenzie, or Clara — There will be a general member— mer months. In August, they took — Nov. 16. Space is limited. Novi Co op, located at Novi Unit - made for this fall with suggestions - tour of the Doll Shoppe. They visit - registrations being taken this week ed Methodist Church, 41671 Ten regarding fund-raisers and on ed the Nimble Needles and several at the Educational Services Build-Mile Road, will resume Monday, occasion, special speakers at the antique shops with lunch at the ing located at 25345 Taft Road. Your Professional Image." Also

selors, school and city administrations of Sept. 9. Applications are still being meetings. Teachers will discuss a Cappachino Cafe near Country between Ten Mile and Grand River. available are classes in swim, fittors, police officers, probation offi- taken for the 3 year old group typical day for any new parents. Officers for this coming year are: shopping. Thursday, Information is available A co-op nursery is unique—three-year vice president, Kathy—Hogshead, Classes will be avail-—will be Sept. 3-6 from 9 a.m.-5—defense for women, and Tai Chi. flth; health chairperson, Christie fagoting, The Co-op Nursery recently celes—Santure; and G.D.C.N.C. represen-

help celebrate the occasion.

has been 11 years since its incepation by to state the latest information of science degree in elementary. Holy Family Clothes Closet. The holiday. Sept. 19 is the date for applied to payment of classes. tion. Meetings will continue being from their particular group or education from Wayne State Uni-dresses were given to low income the Thursday morning meeting at families. Each year they choose a which time Barbara Shrader will starting with arts and crafts for lems they may be having, and Rutkowski, who teaches the service project that can be made demonstrate how to make a children; enrichment classes;

> for of science degree in special years they have made baby at the library throughout the sum- held at the library on Saturday, ship meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 3, a field trip to the Lansing area, with parents attending a required stopping first at the Fabric Gallery NOVI COMMUNITY EDUCATION monthly meeting. Plans will be in Williamston and then taking a lit's that time of year again with

president. Joyce Engelman: four- Sept. 7 and 8 will be their annu- register. Open registration for non- private swimming lessons, in-line year vice president, Terry Cordes; al seminar with teacher Polly residents of Novi's school district Hrit: secretary. Ann Katopodis; able in broderie anglaise and p.m. An additional \$3 fee will be treasurer, Cathy Tehranisa; mem-stacked cables on Saturday; Sun-charged for non-residents. bership chairperson. Linda Grif- day will be madeira applique and

Stitches where they toured before

on the third Thursday of the also accepted. The Smockers delivered, as their month at 10 a.m. Guests are wel- Also, registration forms are service project for this year, hand- come to attend one meeting with- available in the brochure recently and June Rutkowski. They are made dresses for children to the out charge. For each additional mailed, information is available on

Membership information is free by volunteering with office available at all classes. However, procedures such as filing, copying this month the Monday meeting etc. For the time volunteered, you will be on Sept. 9 because of the earn credit "dollars" which can be

Arlene Dettore will present a P.S.A.T./S.A.T. workshop for special program. "A Dictionary of grades 11 and 12; physical activi-The Smockers continued to meet - Crazy Quilting Stitches," to be - ties; dance and music; etc. Classes offered for adults include: arts and crafts; enrichment; financial classes; foods and

Several classes are being presented by the Inner Light Center: parenting class; and "Polishing Novi school district residents—ness and wellness section includhave until Aug. 30 at 5 p.m. to ling hours for public swimming, In addition, high school comple-Registrations will continue to be guage are being offered and are taken during regular office hours. free to anyone without a high Meetings are held at the Novi 9 a.m.-4 p.m., until classes are school diploma. For anyone under Public Library on the first Monday filled. For more information call 20-years-old with a diploma and in of the month at 7 p.m. and again 449-1206. Phone registrations are need of vocational training can call

Continued on 4

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Reaching Out To The People Of Our Community 28050 Grand River Avenue Farmington Hills, MI 48336-5933

Alumni prepare for golf outing

It's time for Northville High School alumni to tee off for the 17th Annual Alumni Golf Outing. Once again, the proceeds will ben-Fund. Last year, \$1,200 was to Tom Bingham, and mailed to donated to the fund.

The golf outing will be held on Sept. 21 at Bogic Lake Golf Course 48390. in Union Lake. Tee times start at 10 a.m. Dinner will be at approximately 7 p.m. Prizes will be awarded to the winners, longest drive and closest to the pin. Lewis, a 1983 graduate of

aboard the ship on April 19, 1989.

Another purpose of the outing is tard Time, Sparr's Flowers and

to "see old friends and make new Greenhouse, Renaissance Enterones," Class of 1965's Tom Bing-prises and the SPX Corp. of Farm-

The classes of 1948 through 1994 were represented by 60 alumni participants last year. The golf and dinner package is \$60. Dinner only is \$20. All entries must be received by efit the Richard Lewis Scholarship Sept. 7. Checks should be payable

> ing P.O. Box 156, Walled Lake, MI For more information, call Ambinder at (810) 788-9626 or Bingham at (810) 624-1531.

him at Northville Alumni Golf Out-

Sponsors for this year's golf outing include: Orin Jewelers, Kacee's Northville, Northville Camera Northville High School, was a Shop, Salutations, Genitti's Holesailor aboard the USS Iowa when In-The-Wall, Timber Creek Restauhe and 46 crew members were rant, Wooly Bully's, Macaroni Grill. killed when a gun turret exploded Rocky's of Northville, The Pickety Patch, gardenviews, Long Mechan-"If you can't come for the golf, ical, Border Cantina, Rememcome for dinner," said Howie brance Shop, Little Italy, Bueter's Ambinder, founder of the golf out- Outdoors, Bookstall on the Main. ing and a member of the Class of - Running Fit. Brickscape Home and 1964. After dinner, the group will Garden, Emily's Restaurant, Art head to the Starting Gate tavern in Source. Downtown Baskets, Preferences, Ultimate Toys and Gifts. The golf outing is open to women Starting Gate Saloon. and men, as long as they are MacKinnon's, The Kitchen Witch, alumni of Northville High School or Great Harvest Bread Company. Good Time Party Store and Cus-

Other events at the Holland

authentic costume: free pony

Fourth-graders may net

What the heck does "Geurig Entry forms may be obtained

Nederland Bollen" mean anyway? from Brickscape Gardens located

To fourth-graders of Northville and at 21141 Old Novi Road,

US Blades in West Bloomfield and Eight Mile Road and just east of

ters or longer, in the phrase Bulb Festival include entertain-"Geurig Nederland Bollen," mean- ment by the Dutch Wooden Shoe ing "fragrant Holland bulbs" in Dancers of Holland, Mich., in

butterflies in contest

see which fourth-grader can find and 29, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

a beautiful butterfly garden for Novi Road.

the most English words, three let-

Howie Ambinder (left) and Tom Bingham can accommodate up to 90 alumni at the 17th Annual Alumni Golf Outing.

Author will be speaker at meeting

Novi it could mean a pizza party at Northville, MI 48167 just north of meeting, All entries must be in to ment Funding, Corruption, and the Club selections. In honor of the Holland Bulb Brickscape no later than Monday. Bankrupting of American Higher

noon on Thursday, Sept. 5.

Festival, Sept. 28-29 at Brickscape Sept. 16, and winners will be Education, and the president of Hillsdale College for the last 25 Marine.

Research. He is also the former chased in advance. Dr. George Roche, author of The Roche has authored 12 books director of seminars at the Foun-Fall of the Ivory Tower: Govern- including five Conservative Book dation for Economic Education, a tributed to Hillsdale College. Roche has served as president of orado School of Mines and a U.S.

professor of history at the Col-

EMPLARY SCHO 1991 MICHIGAN

The Novi Rotary Club will host a er at the luncheon meeting to be tially appointed chairman of the able at \$15 each. Corporate tables special guest speaker at its next held at the Novi Civic Center at National Council on Educational are available. Tickets must be pur-All net proceeds will be con-

at 45175 Ten Mile Road in Novi. Gardens, a contest will be held to announced at the festival, Sept. 28 Hillsdale College will be the speak- years and is the former presiden- Limited reservations are avail- 347-2900.

Applications available for juried art fair

20, 1997, at the Novi Expo Center. All applications must include expected to attract more than However, all exhibitors must reapthe Sugarlonf offices at (1-800) After the jury selection procedure, the high standards of quality and ticipate in the fairs.

The Sugarloaf Air Fair is accept- 210-9900 or mailing a request to exhibitors will be notified of the the friendly, professional atmocoast, the Sugarloaf Art Fairs are return to the fairs year after year.

The student who finds the most rides; music by a 1920s European words will win a party for six at US Fairgrounds Organ; and bulb- ing exhibitor applications for its Sugarloaf Mountain Works Inc., results by mail. Blades with free rollerblading, planting demonstrations by juried 1997 Spring Novi Art Fair to 200 Orchard Ridge Drive. With 15 fairs from coast to sons, exhibitors and patrons game tokens, pizza and laser tag. experts, including Peter Van Eeden be held in Novi April 18, 19, and Gaithersburg, MD 20878. In addition, Brickscape Gardens of Hillegom, Holland. Further information is available Interested exhibitors may five 35-mm color slides and must 375.000 patrons in 1997. ply and compete in the jury selecby calling Brickscape Gardens at request an application by calling be received by Sept. 30, 1996. Exhibitors and patrons alike enjoy tion process twice annually to par-SPRING Newspapers suburban Detroit.

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Novi announce the engagement of District. Sandy Kiefer of Hopkins, Mich. received a bachelor of arts and sei- employed at EDS in South Lyon. ence degree from the University of An October wedding will take Michigan in 1994, and is currently place in Grand Rapids.

Donald and Josic Appleton of teaching in the South Lyon School their son. Wayne, to Jennifer — The bridegroom-elect is a 1987 was awarded a degree in business The bride-elect graduated from and marketing in 1994 from East-Hopkins High School in 1989. She ern Michigan University. He is

Reunions

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL: Class of 1976, 20 year reunion on Aug. 31 and Sept. I. For more information, call (810) 247-9557.

12TH ST. REUNION: The annual 12th Street and Fenkell reunion will be on Sept. 20 from 6 p.m. until midnight at Burton Manor, which is located at 27777 Schoolcraft in Livonia. Entertainment will be provided by "Solitaire," Cost is \$28 per person for dinner, dancing and open bar. Reservations with payment must be received by Aug. 30. For more information, call (810) 348-2951.

NOVI HIGH SCHOOL: A special reunion of the Class of 1971 is being coordinated. Call Milton Holley at (313) 422-6138.

FORDSON HIGH SCHOOL: Class of 1951, Sept. 7. For more informa-

FARMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL: Class of 1976, 20-year reunion Sept. 7 at the Doubletree Suites in Southfield. Call (810) 360-7004.





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is planned for parents on Sunday, Sept. 8, from 5 until 6 p.m. Call (810) 0454. 305-9269 for move information To continue the church's centennial celebration, Rev. John Heins,

lowed by a luncheon in the gym at 12:30 p.m. For more information, call the church at (810) 349-3140.

MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, 21355 Meadowbrook Road in Novi, will have its seventh annual Chickenfest on Sunday. Sept. 8. Dinners of chicken, an gratin potatoes, cole slaw, desserts, etc., will be served from 1 until 4 p.m. Tickets are available at the church

For more information, call the church at (810) 348-7757.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY, 24505 Meadowbrook Road in Novi. invites parish members to participate in the Youth Intramural Basketball -Leagues this fall. Registration forms for boys and girls in grades four through eight are available in the office or gathering space. The deadline for registering is Sept. 9. Practices will be held during the Youth Room of the church. The cost is \$40 per person. week with games on Saturdays and Sundays.

For more information, call the church at (810) 349-8847.

Send church information to The Northville Record and The Novi News, 104 W. Main St. Northville, MI 48167.

Classes are available through community education program

YOUR

442-9647 for details.

Classes are also available for Novi Highlights is written by in Knox Hall. anyone with a diploma who wishes - Jeanne Clarke, Should you wish to to register for improvement of contact her with information for Westland on Ford Road east of 1-275 can call [810] 669-2259. Kiefer, daughter of Berry and graduate of Novi High School. He skills. Tuition rates vary according thus column, call 624-0173.

Singles

A new youth group for third through fifth graders at ST. PAUL'S BETHANY TOGETHER will hold a singles dance on Aug. 31 at Divine Providence Parish Hall, 25335 West Nine Mile in Southfield. Admission is

The first meeting of BLASTO (Bible Lovers and Super Terrific Outings) For more information, call (313) 729-1974 or the hotline (810) 988-

SINGLE PLACE, an adult ministry for single people, meets at the First president of the Michigan District of the Missouri Synod, will be the Presbyterian Church of Northville Sunday at 9:45 a.m. for a Sunday guest speaker for both the 8:30 and 11 a.m. services, which will be fol-morning gathering, followed by a worship service at 11 a.m. and brunch at Northville Crossing at 12:30 p.m. The topic is "Prayer." On Wednesday, Sept. 4, at 7:30 p.m. Singles Place will present "Handwriting. The Key to Personality" with speaker Suzen Oliver. The cost is

> Sports activities coming up include volleyball on Sundays Sept. 1, 8 and 15, at 6:30 p.m. at the Park Place Apartments on the south side of Eight Mile Road between Griswold and Meadowbrook. The cost for vol-

A new divorce recovery workshop will begin on Oct. 3 at 7:30 p.m. and run for seven Thursday evenings until Nov. 21 . in the Library/Lounge of the church. To register, call the church office. The cost is \$30. A growth workshop entitled "Getting It Right the Next Time - Play It Again Romance" with speaker Libby Thomas, Ph.D., will meet on five Thursday evenings from Sept. 12 through Oct. 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the

A fall retreat to Miniwanca Retreat and Conference Center in Shelby, Mich., with keynote speaker Anna Russo, NLP, will leave Friday, Sept. 20, and return Sunday, Sept. 22. The cost is \$135. For further information about any of the Single Place programs or to register, call 349-0911.

SINGLE POINT MINISTRIES offers a unique opportunity to join more than 500 persons of varied backgrounds in a class about Jesus Christ. The group meets at 10:45 a.m. each Sunday in Knox Hall of Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, on the corner of Six Mile in Livonia. The Reverend Paul Clough will lead with Scripture messages relevant to single living.

"Talk it Over" is held on the second and fourth Fridays of each month

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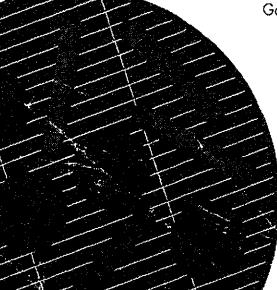
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NEWS

THURSDAY August 29.

"He has really pulled out the

things inside of me that have been

King has pulled 20 of his best

tion. The paintings are in a variety

es in diameter, while others are

The 62 year old retired teacher,

after over 30 years teaching at the

has returned to one of his first

watercolor

watercolors and oil.

"I'm really enjoying retirement

"Acrylics are new to me, they

King has also been asked to

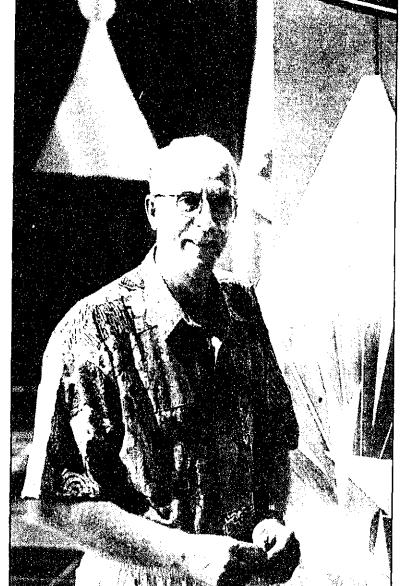


Photo by BRYAN MITCHEL An exhibit at the Novi Civic Center through Sept. 14 features 20 of the best paintings of Edward King.

1996-97 Opening Program Meeting — Duensing-Cormie holds a bach—the Plymouth, Dearborn, and Ford

ments in Germany and Austria.

ning string players with little expe-

is for more advanced string, wind

elor of arts degree from the Univer- Street Presbyterian symphonies,

Art, retirement a joy for painter

Everyone walks around with their own perceptions based on living dormant and I am able to get their backgrounds and the visitors—them out on canvas," King said. to the Novi Civic Center from now through Sept. 14 will be no differed paintings together for the exhibi-

Novi artist Edward L. King Jr. of sizes, some as large as 56 mehknows this. "Everyone comes with a differ—painted on an angle." ent background when they come to see a painting," King said. King puts on earwas an idea high school and university level. that has a mathematical base which is geometrical in its pre-loves.

There is something very specific—because I'm painting again," he on each canvas, but King is aware — said, "Ever since I was a kid I dabthat each painting will speak to a bled with crayon, pencil and viewer differently.

"Inside my canvas there is - He continued to paint during something for someone to observe—high school. After graduation King and find," he said. "I try to set up __joined the Marine Corps and is a__ a dialog with the person who has - veteran of the Korean War. come to look at the painting." King uses very bright colored - weren't around when I was in high -

acrylics on his paintings which are school," he said, "We just had abstract and geometric. "When the viewer looks at a ... "I am very happy, the paints I painting, the painting has motion—use are environmentally friendly." which is caused by the colors on the canvas and a rhythm is estabreturn to the Victorian Festival in lished," he said. "When this occurs - Northville which will be held Sept. Thope to create what I call a visu- 13 through 15.

For the past three years, since school sweetheart, Muriel, and his retirement. King has been—they live in Novi. The Kings have a working with Lincoln Lao at son and a daughter, and two Schooleraft College, Lao has a grandchildren.

Singer to perform at meeting Dorothy Duensing-Cormie will Non-members are welcome at \$7 A Metropolitan Opera District perform at the The Music Study with dessert beginning at 12:15 Finalist in 1991, she has appeared with the Toledo Opera Company,

soprano and a Novi resident, will—degree from Indiana University in—and many local opera, theater and vocal performance. She received community groups. "An Afternoon of Song", which extensive operatic training while Duensing-Cormie has been an will begin at 1 p.m. at Birmingham—on scholarship at the American alto soloist at Temple Israel since Temple, 28611 West 12 Mile Road Institute of Musical Studies in 1992. She also teaches privately. in Farmington Hills, will include Graz, Austria, before going on to opera, operetta, and musical the- concert and television engage-For more information, call (810)

sity of Michigan and a master's the Wayne State University Band

Dorothy Duensing-Cormie

Entertainment listing

Northville, MI 48167: or fax to 349- Orchestras are for young begin- at 135 E. Main Street.

Club of Metropolitan Detroit's p.m.

Duensing-Cormie, a mezzo

be accompanied by Doris Hall.

on Tuesday, Sept. 10.

AUDITIONS

SYMPHONY: The Ann Arbor and brass players. Philharmonic auditions for principal cello, sec-serious student. or 7, and for principal cello, trum- 422-5603. pet, trombone and harp the weekend of Oct. 5. For further information, call (313) 994-4801.

singing group, Voices in Time, is Sept. 10, 17 and 24 at 7 p.m. application forms and audition evenings. looking for retired sopranos, altos. There are openings for female and tapes, if available, to the Novi Arts Oxford Inn is located at 43317 tenors and basses. If you have male voices, especially tenors. Council. choir or chorus experience and Rehearsals for the annual Christmiss singing in a choral group. mas Concert begin Sept. 10. call Ed Meade at (810) 449-6540.

eral Arts Theatre, located on cam- 45175 West Ten Mile Road in Novi. pus at 18600 Haggerty Road For details, call 347-0400. between Six and Seven Mile just

west of I-275 in Livonia. Director James Hartman requests on topical issues.

issues of guilt, innocence and jus- 3563.

and 26 and Nov. 1 and 2, and without dinner on Nov. 8 and 9. 462-4400, ext. 5270.

Michigan will conduct auditions and 29. the Flute Ensemble on Aug. 29 by mances.

Submit items for the entertain- appointment only at St. Maurice. No children younger than threement listings to The Northville Church, 32765 Lyndon in Livonia. and-a-half will be admitted. Record/Novi News, 104 W. Main. Junior and Advanced String The Marquis Theatre is located

For more information on birth- instruments, horns and some jazz rience. Flute Ensemble is designed day celebrations, group rates and on Friday and Saturday evenings. for students with two years play- school performances, call (810) Upcoming concerts include the ing experience. Concert Orchestra 349-8110.

Symphony Orchestra will have Orchestra is for the advanced. The public is invited to attend the singer Lori Wyatt on Saturday. Performer's Showcase perfor- Aug. 31. tion violin, viola and bass and For more information or to mances held prior to select city. The Raven is located at 145 N. third flute/piccolo on Sept. 4, 5, 6 schedule an audition, call (313) council meetings in the Novi Civic Center Street in downtown Center at 7:30 p.m. On occasion, Northville. For ticket information performances may be taped by or reservations, call 349-9420. COMMUNITY CHORUS: The Time Warner and cablecast to resi-

> Plymouth Community Chorus will dents. For details, call 347-0400.

SCHOOLCRAFT PRODUCTION: NOVI THEATRES: The last throughout the year and packages bright, happy colors, the restau-Open auditions for Arthur Miller's audition for Our Town for the Perfor holidays and special occasions. Frant offers two non-smoking dindrama All Mu Sons will take place formance Plus group lages 13 and For more information and reserva- ing rooms and a smoking Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 3 up) will be held on Aug. 29 at 7:30 tions, call Northville Carriage Co. dining/lounge area. and 4, in Schoolcraft College's Lib-p.m. at the theater located at at 380-3961.

NEW HORIZON COMMUNITY Auditions are open to the public CHURCH: The church is looking

For details, call (313) 455-4080.

creative input is welcome. All My Sons examines the lives A local community church feaof two families after World War II turing a contemporary format, the located at 108 E. Main Street in (810) 380-0011. whose fathers were responsible for church meets at the Novi Town Northville. producing faulty airplane parts. Center General Cinema Theaters leading to the deaths of several in Novi. Those interested should men. The families must deal with call Ann Marie Frey at (810) 348-

The play will be presented in a dinner theater setting on Oct. 25 SPECIAL EVENTS

For ticket information, call (313) mance dates and times for the formances include The Gaylords Tuesday, Wednesday and Thurs-YOUTH PHILHARMONIC: The Sept. 7, 14, 21 and 28; and Sun-Show on Sept. 27 and 28. Gabe mances are from 9 p.m. to mid-Livonia Youth Philharmonic of day at 2:30 p.m. Sept. 8, 15, 22 Kaplan on Oct. 11 and 12 and night. for three levels of orchestras and Tickets are \$5.50 for all perfor-

THE RAVEN GALLERY & ACOUSTIC CAFE: The Raven will present all acoustic music, string lyrical folk rock style of David Folks on Friday, Aug. 30, and the PERFORMER'S SHOWCASE: acoustic trio Liquid with lead

OXFORD INN: Entertainment is hold open auditions Sept. 3 at Musicians, actors, poets, offered on weekends. Level Six SENIOR SINGERS: A local 7:30 p.m. and by appointment on dancers, etc., are invited to submit performs on Friday and Saturday

Grand River in Novi. For details, call (810) 305-5856. CARRIAGE RIDES: Northville COUNTRY EPICURE RESTAU-

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THEATER

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For details, call (810) 349-0522.

Classic Productions presents a Grand River Avenue in Novi. variety of entertainment at Timbers, the home of Bananas Comedy Club, 40380 Grand River west of Haggerty Road in Novi, on Fri- presents light jazz music on Friday MARQUIS THEATRE: Perfor- day and Saturday. Upcoming per- and Saturday evenings. classic tale Rapunzel are Saturday on Sept. 20 and 21. Soupy Sales. day performances are 8:30 to 11 evenings at 7:30 p.m. Aug. 31, and Johnny Ginger and Marv Welch p.m. Friday and Saturday perfor-Gallagher II on Nov. 1 and 2.

and no experience is necessary. for actors and actresses to occa- WALL: Just be Patient, a musical Ristorante & Bar is located on There are roles for five men and sionally participate in Sunday comedy spin-off from the television. Novi Road just north of Ten Mile. four women and one male child. morning dramas and skits based series E.R., continues its run. An Performing Wednesday through audience participation show, the Saturday from 7 p.m. until close is Reservations are suggested on the weekends. Genitti's Hole-in-the-Wall is For details or reservations, call

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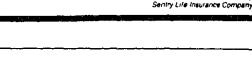


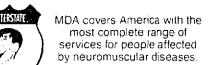
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'Carpool' sends men on a collision course with chaos

star in New Receney's "Carpool," a rollicking comedy, about a harried businessman and a hapless crook and how their paths collide on the biggest day of both of their

It's do-or-die time for Franklin Laszlo (Arnold). Hapless, henpecked but eager-to-please. Franklin is on the brink of losing his dream of running his family's

carnival.

Armed with a toy gun, he sets out this morning for a one-shot, out-of-character chance at a wellintentioned robbery. He's at the end of his rope. Nothing better go

It's a make-or-break day for workaholic Daniel Miller (Paymer). It all comes down to this afternoon's career-making advertising presentation that could catabult

There's only one catch: his wife's down with the flu, so he's stuck behind the wheel of the minivan driving the kids' carpool. His patience is thin. Nothing better go-

Something goes wrong These two men's paths collide early in the day. Franklin, fleeing his bungled would-be robbery. takes Daniel and his vanful of kids hostage, and so begins a comic clay-long chase.

Led by a rabid meter made. (Rhea Perlman), the authorities track the renegade van as Franklin, Daniel and the crew of kids embark on an adventure through the city streets, in and out of a mail and towards some unexpected lessons and unlikely friendships.

As time runs out for Daniel and

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hope runs low for Franklin, the two discover that they have some things to learn from each other that might just help them make it through the day. The two grown-ups are polar opposites in almost every way.

Arnold's Franklin is a luckless, amiable, irresponsible kid-at-heart to Paymer's Daniel, who's an allbusiness, no-nonsense, type-A suit-and-tie-guy. This yin-and-yang duo find themselves driver-and-shotgun throughout most of "Carpool," and much of the film's humor arises

from their very different approach es to life and every situation they encounter. "When I first read the script, it seemed written expressly for Tom and David," he said, "It took very

little imagination to envision those two actors in these parts.



Tom Arnold and David Paymer's paths collide in 'Carpool,' a comedy distributed by Warner Bros

Reviewer was bowled over by silly 'Kingpin'

KINGPIN BY HEATHER WADOWSKI

NORTHVILLE From the people who brought us "Dumb & Dumber" comes a movie that will make the biggest idiot of Earth feel intelligent, "Kingpin." "Kingpin" is the story of a hasbeen bowler who teams up with an Amish kid who has a natural talent for howling. Together, they're headed for Reno to play in a bowl-

prize is one million dollars. by the end of the movie, they end "Kingpin" receives four and one-

"Kingpin is another winner from ing championship, where the top - the team that brought us "Dumb & Dumber." Starring Randy Quaid, Along the way, though, each of Vennessa Angel, Bill Muray and the two end up helping each other Woody Harrelson, "Kingpin" may in ways they didn't plan on. And be the best stupid movie of 1996.

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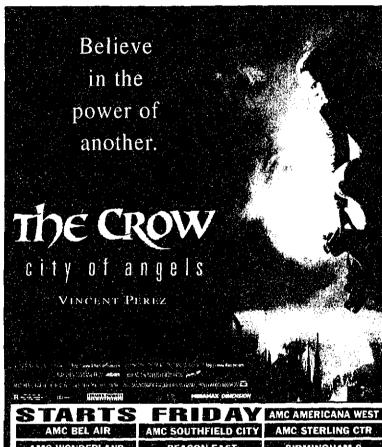
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McShane hurt in kickers win over Central

Novi High's 2-0 home soccer win over Walled Lake Central Friday didn't come without a cost. Senior forward John McShane suffered a sprained knee in the find some people (who first half and is expected to be out up to three weeks. Coach Brian can) score. O'Leary said it's a big loss to the

"The team counts on him to score a lot," he said. "I've got to find some people (who can)

Ligaments in McShane's knee have a lot of chances." were stretched, but not torn O'Leary said he would likely not bring up a player from junior varsity to replace the forward. 'We'll stay with what we've got,

The up side to the season opener, of course, was the victory.

Novi started off strong and made it 1-0 with Alan Lyskawa – sweeper

With the Wildcats controlling the play. McShane suffered his injury at about the 10 minute mark of the half. O'Leary said his team's play dropped off visibly

"We slowed down a bit," he against Ann Arbor Huron at 6 commented. "Our offense didn't p.m.

"The team counts on (John McShane) to score a lot. I've got to

Novi soccer coach

John Irimescu finished the scoring in the game with about 10 minutes to go in the half. Paul Mike McShane got the shutout in the nets for Novi. O'Leary said

Defensively, Paul Ansara and applied lots of pressure on the Scott Herc, Novi's outside full-Viking goal. Just two minutes—backs, played well in front of the into the game, Mark Churella goalie. Tyll played equally well at

> O'Leary said his team did a good job of playing team defense. "They didn't threaten us at all,"

Now 1-0, Novi opens its Kensington Valley Conference season Tuesday with a home game



Wildcats make progress in scrimmage

Novi's John McShane suffered a knee injury in the Wildcats' win over Walled Lake Central Friday.

If you're going to scrimmage, why not do it

with the best? That was the theory Novi High carried into its practice session with Class AA power Troy Athens Thursday, According to coach John Osborne, it was a productive scrimmage. "We learned some things," he said. "The draws. offense looked OK, but the defense needs

squads all squared off for several hours in preparation for next week's season kickoff. Drills included passing, offensive and defensive line work and goal line situations. In addition, the two teams went head to head with each offense driving for 20 minutes. Osborne said it was the first time he had

"We're progressing," Osborne commented.

4 p.m. at Novi Meadows, Livonia Churchill.

"We'll work on everything," Osborne said. Which is what the 'Cats did last week. The teams started off with passing and line drills. The first and second team offenses took turns throwing screen passes and running do just that

The freshmen, Junior varsity and varsity nice touch on a sideline route Osborne said Minke still needs to make

refinements in several areas, though.

used such a format for scrimmage. He said he Akpan also looked in mid-season shape. Withliked the format and added that it helped his erspoon repeatedly burst through Athens' ing for his players to step it up over the final

one to three runners behind Minke

Running backs Jason Witherspoon and Ime

Chelsea and Port Huron will participate as

Novi's first unit, led by quarterback Doug he has great ability." Minke, looked sharp. The senior displayed an improved throwing arm and also showed a

"He's got to get better at decision making," he said. "But I thought he showed good lead-

Once again, the Wildcats will run a variety Novi will hold its second scrimmage today at of sets in the backfield with anywhere from at home against Farmington.

"We're looking to see what suits us best," Osborne said. Akpan could be a key this fall. Teams will

focus on Witherspoon for sure. Akpan could take some of the heat off his teammate. Osborne said he's got the tools to

"Ime lacks experience," the coach said. "But Without blocking, of course, both runners

will be grounded. We need to do a better job," Osborne said of his line after the scrimmage The same can be said about the defense. Athens, which definitely had a size advantage over Novi, had little trouble moving on the

The defensive line and linebacking situations have yet to be settled. The coach is lookweek of practice.

Quarterback Doug Minke was sharp against Troy Athens. Netters open with

mark cagers in '96

Versatility, depth

For two years, the Wildcat bas- one," Cichonski said, "but it will ketball team has been shackled be virtually up for grabs." by the word "rebuilding." But with a veteran lineup and league title last fall. Those two are several promising newcomers, favorites again, but should be 1996 could be the year Novi fligh pushed by Novi, South Lyon, removes rebuilding and replaces Hartland and Milford.

Summer camp and fall practice have both gone well for the Wild- effort. Novi will need to play good cats, who finished third in the defense and pay particular atten-Kensington Valley Conference a tion to rebounding. year ago. Coach Dennis Cichonski has every reason to belief his key factor," said Cichonski. "If we team will continue to improve this

"I'm very pleased with our effort and execution so far," he said. Effort and execution are two things the coach is hoping carries Players like Katie Copp, Jessica

over to tonight's opener with Walled Lake Western at home (7 p.m.). If team chemistry counts for anything, Novi should come

I'm happy with how the girls have come together," Cichonski The Wildcats made big strides

After going 7-14 in 1994, Novi any size problems. Novi will run jumped to 11-10 last year and the floor more this year and move Improved its league record from away from half-court offense. "It was an improving year," said Cichonski commented. "I think

Cichonski. 'I'm looking forward to we'll be able to go inside and out-But it won't be easy. For one, As it stands, Novi starters

anced this season. "The conference will be a tough

Howell and Brighton split the

If the Wildcats are to make that push, it'll take a complete team

"I think rebounding will be a give up too many second shots it could be a problem.

Novi lost a lot of strength on the boards with the graduation of Julie Britton and Megan Barton. Kenny and a host of others will have to fill the void.

of height will be an obstacle his team has to overcome this fall. "We will be undersized in some spots." the third-year mentor

A more mobile squad and deeper Wildcat bench should offset 'We will be more versatile."

the league should be more bal- tonight should be Kristen Sulli-

WILDCAT BASKETBALL

8/29 Western 9/3 Central A 7 A 7 9/5 Harrison 9/10 Farmington A 7 9/17 South Lyon A 7 9/24 Hartland A 7 9/26 Huron H 7 10/1 Milford A 7 10/3 St. Clair 10/10 Howell 10/15 Lakeland A 7 10/17 Brighton H 7 10/19 Northville 10/22 South Lyon H 7

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van and Kenny at guards, Copp at center, and Amy Edwards and Lindsay Drury at forwards. Both Edwards and Drury ar seniors with loads of varsity experience. Cichonski said Edwards has upgraded her game consider-

*Amy has put forth a lot of effort this summer," he added. think she'll add a lot to us." The coach is hoping her offen-

Tennis coach Jim Hanson said last Friday's opponent. "She's an excellent fourth singles player." matchup with Northville would tell a lot about how the season might go for Novi. Let's hope he's wrong. Playing on the road, the

Wildcats fell to Northville 7-1 in the campaign open-"Northville is always tough," said Hanson, "I've his players. been coaching many years and Northville always

has a good team." The Mustangs' seven wins all came in two sets. Hanson said his team made too many unforced bles match to Amanda Nelson and Kara Anderson 6-

"You can't give them easy points," he added. "They'll beat you." Still, he saw a few silver linings in the match.

First was the play of Jackie Moore. The senior grabbed Novi's only win. Playing at first singles, she beat Kristin Smith 6-1, 7-6. It was a rather ironic win for Moore, who transferred from Northville to the Wildcats. "She looked very nice," Hanson said. "Jackie

makes our team completely different." With Moore at the top of the lineup, it allows the coach to slide everyone else down a notch and make a stronger lineup.

"It really helps us out," added Hanson. Even though the rest of the matches were over in two sets, he insisted that most of his players competed strongly

"I thought we could compete with them," said Hanson. "I thought we did." Now 0-1, Novi plays at Walled Lake Western today Sophomore Sarah Pipas played at second singles

for the Wildcats in the Northville match. She fell 6-2, 6-3 to Marv McDonald "McDonald is really strong," Hanson said. "A lot of hard ground strokes.' The Mustangs' Julie Glock defeated Jessica Roe-

mer 6-2, 6-3. "It was a good match," Hanson said. "The score wasn't indicative of how well Jessica played." Amanda Curly played at fourth singles and

dropped a 6-1, 6-2 decision to Federica Rogora. "She has excellent touch," Hanson said of Curly's

Jenny Cowley and Jenny Buckman teamed up at top doubles for Novi and fell in straight sets to

Sarah Johnson and Angela Trapnell, 6-1,6-2. They'll be a good doubles team," Hanson said of Shannon Andrews and Jenny Diedzic lost to Jenny Androne and Jessie Mills 6-1, 6-4. Judy Namm and Carole Wineman dropped a third dou-

Northville closed the match with a win as Shelley Morgan and Christina Chase defeated Novi's Emily Waller and Rebecca Rittner 6-0, 6-1.

The Wildcats traveled to Holt Saturday for a sixteam tournament. Novi wound up taking second place behind Kalamazoo Central. "It's a very nice tournament," said Hanson, "It's good competition with all of the teams being about

"It's a good tournament at the start of the year. It lets you see what you have." Central won all but two flights. Sapna Nagar and Rittner combined to win third doubles for Novi. "They played very well together." said Hanson.

Matches will play in pro-sets. The first player to win eight games won the match. Moore made it to the finals at top singles. She sprained an ankle in the final and lost a narrow 9-7

"She continued to play, but I think it bothered her," Hanson said. "You have to give her a lot of credit. A lot of people would've given up." Pipas was fifth at second singles. She dropped her first two matches but rallied from a 5-1 deficit to

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Golfers play well, Sports Shorts take 4th at KVC

By SCOTT DANIEL

A fourth place linish usually dual meet season and KVC final indicates a mediocre showing by a - tournament are the final two legs

of the league season. But nothing could be further from the truth for Novi High. The Wildcats did indeed wind up be back in this thing." fourth at the Kensington Valley Conference preseason tournament and Howell at its home course of Links of Novi.

But when you average 79 per play well we can beat," Peace said. player for 18 holes, how can you be disappointed? Coach John strong the KVC is this year. In past Peace certainly wasn't. "We were very consistent and shot well," said the longtime men-

tor. "This shows that we have one of the top leagues in the state from - would've blown away the KVC," he top to bottom. South Lyon won the tournament with an even 300, a 75 average perman, Hartland was second at 309 and Brighton third at 310.

Peace said his team is upbeat at the Farmington Invitational and about the rest of the season. "Everyone feels they can do bet-KVC rival Lakeland won the 18ter." he added. "I don't think hole tournament with a 392 score they're down. I think they're excitand the Wildcats finished just two shots behind Jon Kobylarek led Novi with a "We were happy with what we

round of 76. Derek Ho notched a shot," said Peace. Fannon led Novi with a 76 and 78, Chris Chirgwin an 80 and Jeff Chirgwin added a 78. Ho, Mark Marchuck, Taka Watanabe and Peace described Tyrone Hills as Kobylarek all shot 80. The top five

"It's too long," he said, got some tricky holes." Versatlity, depth

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small forward, he hoped Edwards can average near double figures. "I need her to be more consistent (scoring)," he said.

Edwards and Drury will be captain of the club. An excellent allaround player, Drury will play power forward. "She's an excellent defender,

Cichonski said. Copp rounds out the front line. The junior played considerable minutes last year and contributed well at times.

issets on the court more quickness inside," he said. "She's a good post defender." Kenny returns at point guard. The junior is adept at taking the

ball to the basket and finding open teaminates with a pass. Sullivan starts at shooting player, she also likes to drive the What makes Kenny and Sullivan

even more valuable is their versatility. Kenny plays everywhere except center and Sullivan can handle three positions on the floor. "They'll be playing major minferent positions."

one this year with the varsity carrying 15 girls. One of the first people off the

Novi plays Brighton, Hartland

"These are all teams that if we

The coach marveled at how

FARMINGTON INVITATIONAL

Novi opened the season Aug. 21

bench will be sophomore Kristen Kearney. She plays either guard position and has good outside shooting ability on offense. A pair of freshmen will also see plenty of action. Kristen McGlinnen is a 6-foot-1

oost player. Despite her size, 🌇 Cichonski said she moves exceptionally well. "She runs the floor like a guard." he added. "She's a good rebound-

:Cichonski said Copp has several instant offense might come from fellow freshman Kelly Bendernagel. A 5-9 forward, Cichonski she's very, very strong and has great range on her jump shot. "She'll present a tough match up

Senior Lindsey Hahn and junior Stephanie Gordon will vie for time guard. An aggressive offensive as well. Cichonski described them as similar players. Playing time will depend on th game situation, he said of the duo.

for opponents," he added.

The same could be said for several other Wildcats. Juniors Sara Heusel, Mega Morrell and Erin Spindler all played junior varsity last year as did sophomore Julie Namm. Each will play this season depending on

The Wildcat bench will be a long what's happening on the court. Netter 2nd at Holt

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Jessica Roemer went 1-2 for the top doubles and also finished day at third singles. Her victory third. The took third by winning came in round two over a Holt their final match 9-8 (7-4 in the tie

Curly finished third by winning two of three her matches. Her only loss was to the eventual fourth

Andrews and Wineman were

fifth at second doubles. Fourth doubles squad Waller and Amanda Burger were third.

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The Amateur Athletic Union held the Junior Olympic games at the Superdome in downtown New Orleans Aug. 7-10. There were 10,000 The Wildcats are a long way athletes in attendance. They competed in sports such as swimming. from being out of the race. The gymnastics, table tennis, basketball, and the martial arts. Twelve-yearold John Goodroe was one of these fine young athletes.

On May 11 John showed a splendid performance when he took the first place, gold medal in forms competition in Livonia at the AAU State "If we can go 5-1 in the dual Martial Arts Championships. This qualified him for a position to go and meet season," said Peace, "we can compete in the AAU Junior Olympics.

On Aug. 7, the first day of competition, John crushed competition from all over the United States, winning first place again and a gold

John has been training for over two years under the direction of Sensei Scott Maczuga at the Novi Karate School located on Beek Road on the Wixom/Novi border. He received his brown belt earlier this year and is years, Peace said, this Novi team would've been a lock for the league working diligently towards his black belt.

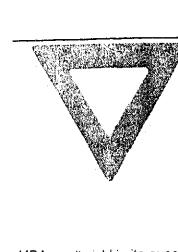
"This team 10 years ago

The Novi Cougars, an U8 girls' team, recently won the 3 v. 3 tournament at Birmingham. The team qualified for the national 3 v. 3 tourna-

The Cougars began the tournament with a 3-2 loss, but then won four straight games including a 3-2 win in sudden death overtime in the championship game. Team members included Jessica Barudt, Jessica Cadwell, Lauren Marchioni and Libby Quincey.



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Health

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> THURSDAY August 29,

Prostate cancer risk varies with region, according to study

In China and Japan, only a small number of men die of prostate cancer each year. But once a man from either of those countries moves to

the United States, his risk of dving from prostate cancer rises to nearly equal that of the average American

This is just one example of the general rule that when menmove to another country, as time goes by, they assume the prostate cancer risk of that nation. The possible environmental factors that contribute

to this are not yet totally understood, but new clues are constantly emerging.

In the United States, where a man lies influences his risk of dying from prostate cancer. For example, men living in the South have a smaller chance of dving from the disease than those in the North. The theory is that exposure to ultraviolet radiation from the sun has a protective effect against prostate cancer. This may be true because ultraviolet radiation activates

production of vitamin D in the body, which has been known to have some anti-cancer effects.

This may help explain why prostate cancer death rates are highest in areas with less exposure to the sun's ultraviolet rays, such as Scandinavia and North America. This also may explain why African-American men have a higher risk of prostate cancer, for their highly pigmented skin absorbs less ultraviolet radiation and thus their bodies produce less vitamin D.

Because increased sun exposure carries the risk of skin cancer, the safest way to get more vitamin D is through a diet rich in low-fat dairy products and fish. In addition to vitamin D. carotenoids such as beta carotene (found in orange-colored foods such as carrots, sweet potatoes and apricots) and lycopene (found in fresh tomatoes and tomato sauce) also have been shown to decrease the risk of prostate cancer, as has a low-fat, high-fiber diet.

Men living in China and Japan eat less fat than Americans and consume larger quantities of fish, which may be a partial explanation for the lower incidence of death from prostate cancer in Asia

Alcohol intake is also a risk factor for prostate cancer. Studies have shown that menwho consume 22 or more alcoholic drinks per week have a significantly higher risk of develop-

One has a greater risk of not only developing prostate cancer but developing it earlier if a member of the family has had the disease, In the United States, an average man's chances of getting prostate cancer is between 10 and 15

The more of his family members who have had the disease, the greater his risk. If a single family member has had prostate cancer, his risk is double. If two family members have had the disease, the odds are two to five times greater. It doesn't matter whether the prostate cancer comes from the mother's or father's side of the lamily, the risk is the same.

When it comes to cancer, the next best thing to prevention is early detection. So African-American men and those with a family history of prostate cancer should begin annual prostate examinations at age 40. Those without a family history of the disease should start getting annual prostate checkups at age 50.

This article was written by Joseph E. Oesterling, M.D., professor and irrologist in-chief director of the Michigan Prostate Cancer Center, the University of Michigan Health System.



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Cholesterol and vision screenings.

Total cholesterol screening is conducted by the fingerstick method from 1-4 p.m. on the third Monday of each month at the Botsford Center for Health Improvement-Health Development Network, 39750 Grand River Ave... Novi, There is a \$5 fee. For more information, call (810) 477-6100.

• Stress Management

Do you feel stressed? Feel there's not enough hours in the day? Chances are, if you're like most of us trying to juggle work, family, and the myriad of other things that demand our attention, sometimes you feel overwhelmed. However, there is a solution.

The Botsford Center for Health Improvement (trace) is offering a course in Tai Chi. Tai Chi is an ancient Chinese martial art which is often referred to as "meditation in motion." Tai Chi employs breathing techniques along with coordination and relaxation of the entire body. This form of stress management is rapidly increasing in popularity, and offers a wonderful oppor-

tunity to relax and exercise at the same time. The classes meet for eight consecutive Wednesdays, Sept. 4-Oct. 23, from 7 to 8 p.m. The cost of the course is \$70.

Due to limited space, preregistration is required. For more information and to register, call (810) 473-5600. trace is the Novi-based comprehensive out-

patient rehabilitation and conditioning facility that specializes in sports, occupational and industrial medicine. It is part of Botsford General Hospital Physical Medicine Department. Eyesight Loss You're in the prime of your life, but you've

probably noticed that your eyesight isn't what it once used to be. Gradually your eyeglass prescription grows stronger, and your ophthalmologist begins discussing other problems you should be concerned about. Do you want to know more about your eyesight? Botsford Gen-

eral Hospital can help. On Tuesday, Sept. 17, ElderMed at Botsford is presenting "Coffee with an Ophthalmologist: The Aging Eve." In a relaxed, casual atmosphere, Botsford ophthalmologist Eric Zuckerman, D.O., will discuss the causes and treatment of macular degeneration, glancoma, dia-

betic retinopathy and cataracts. The program will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. at Vladimir's, 28125 Grand River Ave., in Farmington Hills. Refreshments will be available.

Preregistration is required by Monday, Sept. 9. For more information or to register, eall (810) 471-8020.

Breastfeeding basics

This workshop covers the "how to's" of breastfeeding - how to start and maintain successful breastfeeding, as well as answering the questions and concerns of women who are already breastfeeding. Classes are held at the Health Development Network at Botsford in Novi. For more information and to register, call (810) 477-6100.

Providence Hospital

Providence Hospital is offering the following

Menopause Support Group

Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi offers a free monthly support group for women who have concerns about menopause.

The group meets the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the Providence Park Conference Center, 47601 Grand River Ave., located at the corner of Grand River and Beck in Novi. The next scheduled meeting is Tuesday, Sept. 3.

The purpose of the support group is to provide women with educational information on topics relating to menopause, and to allow them to verbalize feelings, concerns and problems with other women who are having similar 🚅 experiences.

For information on Providence's Menopause Support Group, call (810) 424-3014.

• Diabetes Care Outpatient - A program for all non-pregnant individuals over 14 years of age with diabetes. The program is designed to help individuals control their blood sugar and become more active in treating their diabetes.

Day and evening classes and/or individual appointments are available in Southfield and Novi. Call (810) 424-3903 for information on schedules, fees, insurance coverage and regis-

· NutriWay Program - The nationally-recognized NutriWay weight management program. This four- to 10-week weight/cholesterol management series includes cooking demonstrations, taste testing, label reading, restaurant survival skills and much more.

· Blood pressure check - A free blood pressure check will be held on the first Thursday of every month.

This free service is available at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park at the corner of Grand River Avenue and Beck Road from 1-3 p.m. in the Cardiopulmonary Department. Call (810) 380-4225 for further information.

· Health education library - Providence Hospital and Medical Centers is now making its health education library open to the public.

The library has books, video tapes, computer databases, pamphlets and anatomical models available to the public which can be used to learn about illnesses, medications, parenting skills or other health issues.

The library is located at Providence Medical Center-Providence Park, 47601 Grand River, and is open Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Call (810) 380-4110 for more informa-

• Physician referral service - Are you new in the community? Do you need to find a doctor and can't determine the best way to start your search?

The Physician Referral Service of Providence Hospital and Medical Centers is available to assist individuals in finding a physician who can meet the specific needs or criteria of the

The service is free of charge and can be reached by calling (1-800) 968-5595.

The staff of Physician Referral Services can help locate physicians by specialty or location. finding an office close to your home or work. They can even match individuals with physicians who participate in particular insurance plans. Callers can also receive information on support groups and health education classes and lectures.

For referral services, call 1-800-968-5595. • Prostate Cancer - Providence Hospital and Medical Centers offers a free monthly support group for men with prostate cancer.

"Man to Man" meets the second Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. at Providence Hospital in

The purpose of the support group is to provide men with educational information on topics relating to prostate cancer and to allow them to verbalize feelings, concerns and problems with others who are having similar experi-

For additional information on "Man to Man," Providence's Prostate Cancer Support Group, call (810) 424-3175.

 Surgery Star – If your child is scheduled for surgery, it can be a very frightening experience for them. Providence Hospital and Medical Centers continues its "Sally the Surgery Star" program to help little ones deal with a hospital

The child is taken on a tour and is familiarized with the surgical experience. A variety of educational materials and supportive teaching tools are used to help the child deal positively with the idea of a hospital stay. At the end of the tour, the child is honored as a "Surgery

Tours are offered at both Providence Hospital in Southfield and Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi. Call (810) 424-3978 to arrange a tour at Providence Hospital and (810) 380-4170 to arrange a tour at Providence Park.

St. Mary's Hospital

St. Mary's Hospital is offering the following

programs: · Cardiac Overview

St. Mary Hospital will offer a free program titled "An Overview of Cardiac Disease With an Introduction to Diagnostic Testing Procedures" from 1 to 3 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 11, in the St. Mary Hospital auditorium.

The program will be presented by Brad Hubbard, M.D., cardiologist, and staff members from St. Mary Hospital's Department of Cardio-

Registration is requested as seating is limit-

For more information or to register call (313) 655-2922 or toll free at 1-800-494-1650. This program is being offered through the Community Outreach Department at St. Mary Hospi-

Well Child Clinic

Oakland County Health Division's Child Health Conferences provide free ongoing care to keep children well from birth to school-entry age. Families without an HMO or Medicaid may be eligible. Clinics are held at 14 locations

throughout Oakland County. Services include: Heights and weights; headto-toe physical examination; immunizations; vision, hearing and lab testing; growth and developmental screening; and counseling with referrals to physicians and area resources as needed.

An appointment is required. For more information, call: North Oakland (810) 858-1311 or 858-4001. South Oakland (810) 424-7066 or 424-7067.

Free Immunization Clinics

The Oakland County Health Division will be offering free immunization clinics for Farmington and South Lyon and the surrounding

South Lyon's clinic will be at the First United Presbyterian Church, 205 East Lake (Ten Mile Road) and Wells St., South Lyon on Thursday. Sept. 5 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

For Farmington, the clinic will be held at the Clarenceville United Methodist Church, 20300 Middlebelt Road (south of Eight Mile Road), Livonia, on Wednesday, Sept. 11 from 9 a.m. to

Immunizations for measles, German measles, mumps, polio, diphtheria, tetanus, whopping cough and Haemophilus Influenzae Type B (HIB), and Hepatitis B (for those under 20 years of age) will be available.

A parent or legal guardian must accompany a child under 18 years of age. Please bring any previous records of immunizations, including notices which might have been sent home from the child's school pertaining to immunizations.

South Lyon immunizations will be given at the same time and location on the first Thursday of every month. The next scheduled immunization clinic will be on Oct. 3. For further information, call 424-7046.

Farmington's immunizations will be given at the same time and location on the second Wednesday of every month. The next scheduled immunization clinic will be on Oct. 9. Call 424-7046 for additional information.

In May, Oakland County Health Division opened a new office in Walled Lake at 1010 E. West Maple Road, one block east of Pontiac Trail. For information on services, call (810)







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